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Crucial Test of Allied Holding Power at Hand

New Phase of Great Hun Drive In Flanders Opened

Heavy Attack This Morning in Effort to Capture British Hill Positions on Kemmel Front—Post Near Festubert Recaptured By Our Men—Germans Trying to Take Ypres, Whence Issue British S. O. S. Signals for Artillery Help

The Germans began today what seems to be a general assault on the British hill positions on the Kemmel front, southwest of Ypres, opening a new phase of the great drive in Flanders. Apparently the crucial test of the Allied holding power in this area is at hand. The preliminary bombardment, started in the early morning, took in a ten-mile front from Meteren, west of Baillieu, to Voormezele, two miles south of Ypres. Infantry attacks in this area developed shortly afterward and the battle appears to have been on in earnest when Field Marshal Haig's report was issued in London at noon.

TO FORCE WITHDRAWAL FROM YPRES.

The enemy has been striking with great fury at Voormezele for the last two or three days, evidently hoping to drive in behind Ypres and break up the orderly withdrawal of the British from the further portions of the Ypres salient which they have been evacuating. Gen. Von Armin has been successfully held off from this southern bulwark of the salient, but meanwhile he has been preparing to take advantage of the success he won last week in the capture of Mount Kemmel, which he was unable to develop immediately because of the stiff allied resistance.

As in the case of the last previous heavy assault in Flanders, the Germans have also been demonstrating on the Somme front, although not in such force as was the case last week. They drove several times last night at the French positions in Hangard Wood, however, and heavily bombarded this sector north to Villers-Bretonneux. The infantry attacks were broken up by the French fire, and the allied artillery vigorously answered the German guns in this region and between Lassigny and Noyon, on the lower side of the Mont Didier salient.

EFFORT TO CAPTURE YPRES.

With the British Army in France, April 29.—(By the A. P.)—The fourth German army this morning heavily attacked the allied front in Flanders. Prisoners captured today admitted that the German intention is to attempt to capture Ypres. Severe fighting is reported in both the French and British areas. The attack extends over a front of about fifteen miles.

The Belgians on the Yser front are also reported to have been attacked.

CALL FOR ARTILLERY HELP

London, April 29.—The British troops around Ypres several times after dawn this morning sent up S. O. S. signals for artillery support, telegraphs the Reuter correspondent at British headquarters in France.

FROM VIMY TO LENS

London, April 29.—(via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—All intense bombardment from artillery concentrations is in progress from La Bassée to south of Hoofstede Forest and from Vimy to Lens.

London, April 29.—The Germans this morning opened a heavy bombardment with high explosive and gas shells on the entire front between Meteren and Voormezele, south and southwest of Ypres. The war office so announces today. Infantry attacks developed soon afterwards.

The post near Festubert, north of Givenchy, taken by the Germans last week, was recaptured by the British last night. More than fifty prisoners were taken here, and other prisoners and four machine guns were brought in as a result of raiding operations in sectors farther south.

The enemy attack which developed yesterday afternoon in the vicinity of Loere, west of Mount Kemmel, was repulsed.

There was great activity by the hostile artillery during last night from the River Scarpe, opposite Arras, north of Lens, and between Givenchy and Nieppo Wood, on the south side of the Lys battlefield.

FAIL NEAR HANGARD.

Paris, April 29.—The Germans made several attempts last night to advance on French positions in Hangard Wood, on the front before Amiens, but were checked by the French fire, the war office announces.

Y.M.C.A. PARTY ON TORPEDOED SHIP

Three of Crew Drowned and All Rest Recan Land Safely

London, April 29.—A party of fifty-seven American army Y. M. C. A. workers, under Arthur E. Hungerford, arrived in London last night. The ship on which they sailed was torpedoed yesterday morning and sank in twelve minutes. All the passengers and all but three of the crew were saved.

French Senator Dead.

Paris, April 29.—Senator Emile De Maricr is dead, aged ninety. He was the last of seventy-five senators nominated for life by the senate under the constitution of 1875.

ANTI-GERMAN DEMONSTRATIONS IN AUSTRIAN TOWN

Amsterdam, April 29.—Serious anti-German demonstrations have occurred at Salzburg as a result of the crisis in the affairs of the Austrian cabinet headed by Dr. Von Seydler. Crowns of Slavens, according to Vienna newspapers, almost completely destroyed the German Club and smashed the windows of German stores and cafes.

Troops were called out, but the demonstrators continued to throng the streets, carrying Slovenian emblems, singing anti-German songs and cheering for the Entente.

An Exchange Telegraph dispatch received in London Saturday from the Hague reported that the Papal Nuncio in Vienna, at the request of the Austrian government, had begun an inquiry into the case of the Archbishop of Ljubach.

The archbishop was said to have been charged with taking the leadership of the southern Slav movement, the aims of which were said to constitute high treason. A large portion of the southern Slavs are Serbians who desire separation from Austria.

HAS RUSSIA ONCE MORE AN EMPEROR?

Reported That Former Czar's Son Has Been Chosen

THROW ASIDE GERMAN TREATY

Rumors of Important Happenings Heard Through Sweden and Denmark—Viborg Cut Off from Communication With Petrograd

Stockholm, April 29.—(By the Associated Press)—Correspondence of Swedish newspapers in Finland telegraph persistent rumors of important happenings in Russia. The most definite declares that the former Grand Duke Alexis, son of the former Emperor, has been declared emperor with Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovich as regent, and that the new government would refuse to recognize the Bolshevik peace treaty with Germany.

The rumors would be disregarded here were it not for the fact that a report from Vasa, Finland, on last Thursday declared that the transportation of Russian civilian prisoners had had to be suspended "because of current disorders in Russia."

Another Report.

London, April 29.—The newest Russian government in Petrograd, according to the Aftonbladet, of Copenhagen, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch has denounced the Brest-Litovsk treaty with Germany. It calls for a new treaty with Estonia under Russian rule.

In the Crimea.

London, April 29.—The Russian government has sent the following wireless message to Vienna.

"In view of the advance of German and Ukrainian troops into the Crimea, it is necessary to point out that in the Crimean regions of Ialta, Alushta, Alushta, Balantavi, Eupatria and Theodor (Continued on page 3, sixth column)

VERY LARGE QUOTAS FOR AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE SOON NEEDED

Washington, April 29.—The weekly review of the war situation says: "Ours is the imperative duty of providing replacements, units for the armies in France. We must be able to put fresh men in the field thoroughly and methodically trained. In addition to those already called to the colors and now training at our cantonments or already selected for service, very large quotas will be required in the immediate future to fill the gaps."

LIBERTY LOAN TO EXCEED MINIMUM BUT EFFORT BIG TO REACH MAXIMUM

Washington, April 29.—Over-subscription of the three million dollar minimum of the third Liberty loan is now looked for during the final week of the campaign, but treasury officials declared tonight the five billions needed would be subscribed only if millions of citizens take shares of the loan in the next few days.

RECRUITING BETTER ALL OVER AUSTRALIA

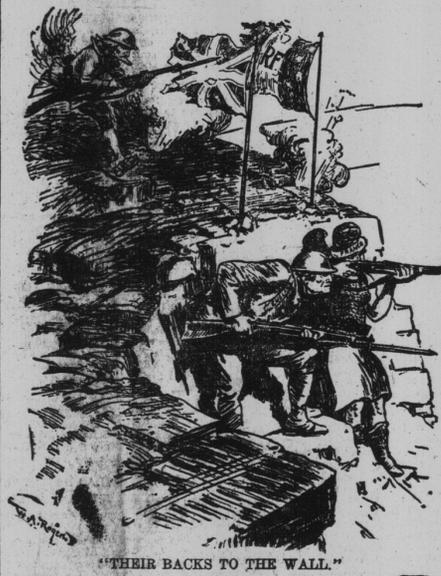
Melbourne, Australia, April 29.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—Recruiting has improved in all the states of the commonwealth. Hon. Mr. Watt, treasurer of Australia, announced that subscriptions to the war loan total more than \$42,000,000 sterling.

The interstate commission report on British and Australian trade in the south Pacific says that the trade of the islands is growing, while the population is steadily increasing.

Restrictions on foreign ships trading between the Pacific islands and Australia are suggested in order to protect British interests from competition.

Halifax Road Race.

Halifax, N. S., April 29.—Private Yager, of Hamilton, Ont., who says he holds the London, Ont., road championship, and Private De Mello, of Bermuda, claiming a similar championship there, ran a so-called fourteen mile match race from Halifax to Bedford and back on Saturday. De Mello won in two hours and two minutes. Yager arrived five minutes later.



Likely Call on The Rich To Pay More

Budget Speech in The Ottawa House Tomorrow

TARIFF CHANGES IMPORTANT

That is Belief Prior to Mr. McLean's Announcement—The Opposition Course—Credit of \$40,000,000 For Cheese Arranged in New York

Ottawa, April 29.—The budget statement in the commons has been definitely fixed for Tuesday afternoon. Hon. A. K. MacLean, acting minister of finance, expects to speak soon after the house meets at 3 o'clock. He intimated that he was ready to proceed and that whatever new taxation proposals will be made have been decided upon.

A renewal of the existing income tax is regarded as certain with an increase in the share of the burden to be borne by those best able to pay. Tariff changes it is believed, will be few and unimportant. Apart from new taxation proposals, the colossal nature of the dominion's field operations, as compared with pre-war days, will be the feature of the budget.

The debate is liable to last for five or six days. Opposition members have no definite plans, but say all depends upon the character of the government's proposals. There may be an opposition caucus following the government's announcement.

Credit Arranged in New York. Sir Robert Borden and Sir Thomas White, during their recent visit to New York, succeeded in arranging a necessary credit in Canada for the British government to purchase the entire exportable surplus of Canada's cheese production for the present year. The amount will be \$40,000,000. The arrangement will mean a certain market for Canadian produced cheese at market prices already fixed.

Sir Thomas White will proceed to Washington this week to take up further questions of international finance with the United States government.

FIRE IN FREDERICTON; SURVEY FOR RE-RATING

Fredricton, N. B., April 29.—A dwelling owned and occupied by Bernard McGinnity, Charlotte street, was seriously damaged by fire this morning. The damage is estimated in the neighborhood of \$500. The adjoining property owned by Sylvester Belyea was also damaged.

A survey of Fredericton for the national board of fireunderwriters with re-rating as the object, is now being carried on by C. E. Holt of St. John. Some conditions will have to be remedied if Fredericton is to get full benefit of its fire department and water system.

A feature, which has been particularly noted in the survey is the existence of wooden buildings in the middle of blocks in the business part of the city.

THOS. GIBBARD DEAD IN MONTREAL. Word was received in the city today of the death of Thomas Gibbard of Montreal, formerly manager of the Canadian Drug Company here. Mr. Gibbard while in St. John made many friends who will be sorry to learn of his death. He leaves one daughter, Helen, of Montreal. Mr. Gibbard's wife died but a few months ago. Mr. Gibbard since leaving St. John had been a manufacturer's agent in Montreal.

Mighty Blow To Gain The Coast

CHANGED HANDS TIME AND AGAIN

Hard Fighting For Loere And Voormezele

SATURDAY'S COMBAT

Desperate Battle For These Two Places But Infantry Had Rest Elsewhere—Germans Smother Ypres Ruins With Gas

With the British Army in France, April 29.—(By the Associated Press)—Hard fighting continued about Loere and Voormezele, but elsewhere thus far today has been a day of rest for the infantry as a whole. The battle for Loere and Voormezele has been most desperate. Both places have changed hands several times in the last twenty-four hours, and at the latest reports it was an "even break" for the British were in possession of Voormezele, while the enemy seems to have succeeded early in the day in getting a foothold in Loere again.

An engagement north of the Ypres-Comines Canal was in progress throughout most of the night, with the British holding doggedly and inflicting heavy losses on the attacking troops. The German casualties in this part of the front have been very heavy.

The German artillery was today smothering the ruins of Ypres in gas and there was considerable artillery firing all along the line.

Loere has changed hands at least five times since Friday. The Germans forced their way into the village after a sanguinary battle Friday, but were thrust out by a French counter-attack that night. Yesterday forenoon the enemy again attacked heavily and recovered the village, only to lose it when the French counter-attacked in the afternoon.

This morning's assault was delivered about 4 o'clock, and while the Germans apparently had gained an entrance to the place, their tenure of it was being hotly contested by the Poles. A similar fight has been waged for Voormezele. The Germans retook the hamlet last night, but were able to hold it only a short time, for the British in a brilliant counter-attack, stormed their way through the place and ejected the enemy.

An attempted enemy attack near Villers-Bretonneux yesterday was smashed by artillery fire. The German concentration of the town during the forenoon, but the British guns put down a heavy barrage among the troops and dispersed them.

BROKE DOWN UNDER SHORT RATION REGIME

Baron Rhondas, Food Controller, Tried to Maintain Health on Smaller Allowance Than Given Public

London, April 29.—Baron Rhondas, food controller, who on Thursday tendered his resignation, which has not been accepted by Premier Lloyd George, is perhaps an example of over-devotion in practice of his own theories. He has been confined to bed for several weeks. Baron Rhondas, from a very portly person, became in a short time extremely thin. He had boasted that he was able to maintain his health on a far smaller ration than was being imposed on the public. His temporary physical collapse seems to show that he over-did the short ration regime.

AMERICAN CASUALTY LIST GROWS LARGER

Names of 156 Soldiers, Including Forty Dead—Several Officers

Washington, April 29.—The casualty list today contained seventy-four names, divided as follows: Killed in action, thirteen; died of wounds, two; died of accident, two; died of disease, ten; died of other causes, one; wounded severely, eleven; wounded slightly, thirty-two; missing in action, three. Captain Arthur F. Locke was among those killed in action.

A second casualty list today contained eighty-two names, divided as follows: Killed in action, five; died of wounds, four; died of disease, three; wounded severely, fourteen; wounded slightly, fifty-five; missing in action, one.

The second list contained the names of three officers, Lieut. Norman F. Hood, died of wounds; Lieut. James J. Parsons, wounded severely, and Lieut. Edgar B. Noland, missing in action.

MICHIGAN MUNITIONS PLANT IS DESTROYED. Port Huron, Mich., April 29.—The plant of the American Machine Corporation which has a contract for the manufacture of ammunition, was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin yesterday. The loss is estimated at \$200,000.

That Is Believed To Be The German Decision

WEEK-END NEWS BETTER

Stout Resistance Has Prevented Enemy From Exploiting Kemmel Success—London Writers See Heavy and Steady Fighting Ahead All Summer and Fall

London, April 29.—(via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—Week-end reports from the front are distinctly heartening, showing that the Germans have been prevented from exploiting the Kemmel success, thanks to the stout Anglo-French resistance. On the whole, indeed, the Germans have been pushed back somewhat, losing even heavier than they did in the storming of Mount Kemmel. The French at Loere and the British at Voormezele, two local points of fighting, fought with the most furious tenacity. Though neither place can be called vital to any line of defence, yet the resistance has hampered progress of the enveloping movement which the enemy now seems to be directing against the next chain of heights. Little doubt is entertained that the enemy, having failed to roll up the British army from Givenchy to Arras, has decided to strike northward for the coast with all his might.

Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters says that whether the enemy attempts to carry the strongly defended hills by frontal attack or reduce them by a converging movement, he will find the operation of the costliest kind. There is abundance of evidence that the hardest struggle is in prospect in this area. The Germans are bringing up new divisions, while the enormous gun power accumulated on both sides is shelling the roads, towns and hills in the rear continuously, and Ypres has been drenched with gas shells.

Writers in London discuss the regretful possibility of the abandonment of Ypres, so long the northern buttress of the allied line, drenched with British blood as no other battle field, but they emphasize that it is for Foch to decide whether it is too costly to hold or so vital that every effort must be made to recover the position whence the Germans are now threatening it. The conclusion drawn from the course of events is that Germany is far from achieving a quick decision and that we must expect heavy and continuous fighting all summer and autumn.

The Times, which has not been unduly optimistic, says there is a growing conviction that the first swift advance will not recur. "This is to be a long battle," it says, "and it is not going quite as Hindenburg and Ludendorff planned and expected."

NEW INCENTIVE TO THE FRENCH

Division of Alsace-Lorraine Between Prussia And Bavaria About Decided On

Washington, April 29.—Partition of Alsace-Lorraine between Prussia and Bavaria appears to have been decided in principle, according to an official dispatch today from Switzerland, quoting an announcement made in Zurich. The principal committee of the Reichstag will very soon consider at a secret sitting the future of the former French provinces, the dispatch said, and negotiations upon this subject are now in progress between the governments of the German states.

It is said that Germany has always considered Alsace-Lorraine as colonial territory to exploit and divide at need.

NOTED CANADIAN "AGE" IS KILLED

Captain S. Rosevear, Only Twenty One Years Old, Had Broken Down Twenty One German Airmen

Port Arthur, Ont., April 28.—Captain Stanley Rosevear, D. S. O., with bar, Royal Flying Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rosevear, of Port Arthur, was killed in action on April 25. Next to Major Bishop of Owen Sound, Captain Rosevear was probably Canada's foremost aviator. Until two weeks ago, with reports for the fortnight still to come, he had brought down, single-handed, twenty-one German airmen, thus becoming a quadruple "ace."

KAISER ON KEMMEL HILL

Amsterdam, April 29.—Emperor William watched the battle from Kemmel Hill on April 25, says the correspondent at the front of the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

NONE BETTER

This Week's Vaudeville Bill At Opera House Very Superior

Without question this city never saw a better vaudeville programme than the one at the Opera House this week. Every act on it is what is known as a "big time" feature, just the same acts that you would see in the best theatres in the large cities like Boston and New York and would pay \$1 or more for your admission ticket.

"UNBORN CHILD" COMPANY ARRIVES

First Performance 8.15: Concludes At 10.30; J. H. Roberts of Dominion Alliance Will be Present (Adv.)

The peculiar title of the play which opens at the Lyric tonight has caused considerable discussion, as it did in Montreal in recent weeks, and New Brunswick towns last week, but those who have seen it have even become convinced it is said, as to the wisdom of the title. Many of the best authorities in Canada can be quoted as endorsing the drama, and the nearest to it is J. H. Roberts, president of the Dominion Alliance, one of the best-known welfare workers in Canada, and incidentally regarded unofficially as the Montreal play censor.

MARY PLAYS DOUBLE ROLE

Mary Pickford at the Imperial tonight and Tuesday plays a charming dual role—a praiseworthy child and also a mischievous urchin of the slums. The story is none other than Wm. J. Locke's novel, "Stella Maris" (star of the sea), and is the essence of sweetness and tender scenes. Little Mary is at her very best in this Artcraft production. French scenery, dances by children of France, drew comedy and song by Madame K. Furlong-Schmidt.

YOU'LL LIKE IT AT GEM

The Vaudeville and Picture Make High Class Entertaining Programme

The Gem's offerings in picture and vaudeville this week afford fine entertainment. The show is pleasing patronage to all its features. The picture (five reels), introduces Vera Colodny, a beautiful Russian actress in a stirring dramatic story with tragic conclusion.

IN MEMORIAM

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WATCH THIS SPACE

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You Ought to Buy That Diamond Now
Each month importers have more difficulty in getting Diamonds. Although prices are constantly going up, the demand does not decrease.

CONDENSED NEWS

Baron Shimpel Goto was today installed as foreign minister of Japan. He announced that he would follow the policy of the outgoing minister. The franchise amendment bill has passed all stages in the South Africa parliament.

SLANDER ACTION OVER THE FORD CITY CASE

NONE BETTER

London, Ont., April 29—Joseph De Grandpre and Harry C. Maisonneville were added as defendants in the Fallon versus Junisse slander action by order of Mr. Justice Lennox, at the weekly court yesterday morning. The action, brought by Bishop Fallon, developed out of the recent trouble at Ford City, when objection was made to Father Laugenteau, of London, taking charge of the parish. De Grandpre and Maisonneville are alleged to have drafted and published the letter upon which the action is founded.

PERSONALS

Dr. J. D. Maher returned to the city on Saturday from New York. Rev. Harold Coughlan officiated at the services in Johnville yesterday. His brother, Rev. Richard Coughlan, pastor of Johnville, is in the city. Mrs. E. V. Morrow left this morning for her home in Halifax.

LOSS OF APPETITE

Most Successfully Treated by Taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Loss of appetite is accompanied by loss of vitality, which is serious. It is common in the spring because at this time the blood is impure and impoverished and fails to give the digestive organs what is absolutely necessary for the proper performance of their functions.

NEW REGULATIONS AS TO BISCUITS AND SUCH THINGS

Ottawa, April 29—New regulations governing the manufacture of ice cream, candy, cake, crackers, biscuits, pastry, confectionery, etc., issued by the Canada Food Board, will be in force on and after June 1 no person in Canada shall use in the manufacturing for sale, of biscuits, cakes or sweet dough products, more than 80 per cent standard wheat flour. A single exception is made in the case of soda biscuits, in which the proportion may be 90 per cent.

BIRTHS

McDONALD—On April 29, to Dr. and Mrs. S. H. McDonald, 60 Waterloo street—a daughter.

DEATHS

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MUISE—In loving memory of our dear brother, Gunner Alfred Muise, killed in action, April 29, 1917. Though he is gone forever, To a better land above; Cruel death it came and severed From the one we dearly loved. Though our heart is full of sorrow, It will fill again with joy, Because we know he was no slacker, Our gallant soldier boy. SISTER AND BROTHER. Mrs. R. R. Friars and Sergt. S. Muise.

DUTCH-GERMAN CRISIS BELIEVED TO HAVE PASSED

Holland Yields to Some Demands—Minister of Foreign Affairs May Resign

London, April 29—Holland has yielded to Germany's demands concerning transport and the supply of sand and gravel, although it is understood that the amount of sand and gravel will be limited instead of unlimited, according to a dispatch from The Hague to the Daily Mail. It is added that a general undertaking that the sand and gravel will not be used for military purposes will be required from Germany.

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LOCAL NEWS

COAT LOST

LOST—Coat containing bunch of keys in pocket, on Golden Grove road. Finder rewarded by returning to Geo. McAuley, Yvanwast Bros.

BUSINESS AS USUAL

F. E. Porter, druggist, whose premises were recently destroyed by fire, will be open for business as usual in the same store, Union street, beginning today.

ATTENTION Y. W. P. A. MEMBERS

The members of the Y. W. P. A. are requested to meet at the Imperial Theatre this evening at 10 o'clock, in usher uniform, Jessie L. P. Church, president.

CONSULT MISS BURKE

Visit our pattern department. Here you will meet Miss Adelaide M. Burke, special representative of The Pictorial Review Company of New York. She will gladly explain the use of these celebrated patterns which enable you to make your own clothes at comparatively little cost. Daniel, Head of King street.

NOTICE

My wife, Grace E. Parie, having left my head and board, I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract. (Sgd.) DOUGLAS EARLE.

AN OPEN LETTER TO OUR CUSTOMERS

We regret that the war has depleted our stock of young ladies, which has been very much felt in our King street store. This has necessitated our engaging quite a number of young ladies. We, however, who are very anxious to please, therefore, we think you will be perfectly satisfied with the largest and best stores of Canada and United States. For sale only at Dykeman's. This week home sewing week.

MUST SAVE FOOD

A striking development of the food situation—and one that is fast finding favor—takes the form of the food-and-drink beverage, delightful in flavor, produced by this unavailing situation. We can assure you we are doing our very best to secure for you the best at all possible, which is why we appreciate it, our slogan being, as you know, "Service, and Quality."

BROKEN LENSES

We can duplicate any broken lens. Prescription not necessary. Our facilities for Eye-sight Service are not excelled anywhere.

BRITAIN CALLS FOR OUR WHEAT

Ottawa, April 29—Wheat imports are not arriving in the United Kingdom in sufficient quantities to meet weekly requirements. Such is the grave report from the British ministry of food in its latest cable to the Canada Food Board, dealing with the food situation.

D. BOYANER, 111 Charlotte Street

It will pay you to buy your Spring Suits or Coats at Goldman's, where prices are reasonable; also good values in Boys' Suits. Give us a call and we will surely please you.

J. Goldman

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Each month importers have more difficulty in getting Diamonds. Although prices are constantly going up, the demand does not decrease.

CONDENSED NEWS

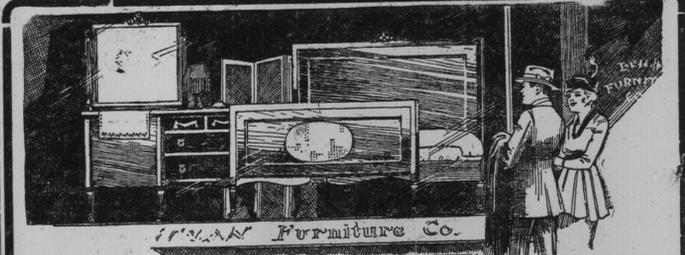
Baron Shimpel Goto was today installed as foreign minister of Japan. He announced that he would follow the policy of the outgoing minister. The franchise amendment bill has passed all stages in the South Africa parliament.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE BOWLED OUT

Stockholm, April 29—After a long debate the first chamber of parliament has scored a direct result of its hits, based on balls, sacrifices, infidelities out, and being hit by pitched ball. In the "chances offered" column he is to be charged with the number of men on bases when he comes to bat. Each runner represents a man whom he has opportunity to put across.

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LOCAL NEWS

NQ COUNCIL MEETING.

The usual Monday morning committee meeting of the common council was not held this morning owing to the lack of a quorum. As there was little business to be dealt with today the city's affairs will not suffer by the omission.

WAS NOT ABLE TO COME

Rev. Dr. Clarence MacKinnon, principal of Pine Hill Presbyterian theological college in Halifax, who was to have preached in St. John yesterday, was not able to leave home, as he was confined to bed with an attack of tonsillitis.

SARDINE HERRING PRICES.

The statement that the fishermen and packers have agreed on \$25 as a minimum price per hoghead for sardine herring until Aug. 1 should read until the end of the season, which extends into the fall months.

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HORSES WILL DO.

While touring New England cities in search for hints for the improvement of the services in his department, Commissioner Fisher made a careful study of the motor sweepers which not only brush the streets but pick up the dirt and carry it off and also water the street as they travel. The chief disadvantage with this vehicle was that the brush was swung between the wheels and so could not reach the curb and hand workers with teams must follow to clean the gutters. There were other drawbacks and, as the machines were regarded as being still in the experimental stage, the commissioner decided that the horse-drawn machines would do for St. John for the present. Boston officials have reached the same decision.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Mrs. John Long took place this afternoon from her late residence, Lancaster Heights. Services were conducted by Rev. G. F. Scovil and interment was made in Cedar Hill. The floral offerings were many and testified to a large extent the esteem in which Mrs. Long was held in the community. The funeral of Mrs. William D. Kelly took place this morning from her late residence, 100 St. John street, to St. Peter's church, where high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Peter Costello, C. S. B. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

A WEEK'S RECORD.

The record for last week at the War Gardens Association office, Union street, was sixty calls from people inquiring respecting lots and seeking information as to planting, eighty-three phone calls of the same character, eleven orders booked for fertilizers, twelve applications for lots and twenty-one lots of land offered to the association. The membership of the association was greatly increased last week and much interest in its work is being shown. Persons needing lots and members requiring seed, fertilizer or manure should bring their orders at once. One carload of seed potatoes has been ordered, also \$125 worth of other seeds, such as turnips, beans, peas, beets, etc.

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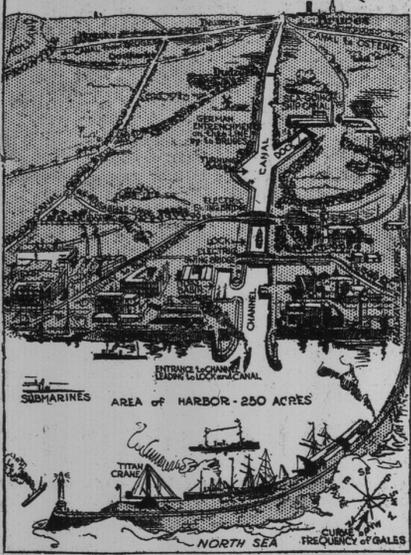
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BRITISH BLOCKADE OF SUBMARINE BASES



British naval forces have raided the sub bases of Ostend and Zeebrugge, sinking five old cruisers filled with concrete. The ships were run aground, blown up, and abandoned by their crew.

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CANADIAN CLUB ANNUAL. Lieut.-Colonel Massey will speak. Miss Knight will sing. At Bond's Tuesday evening at 6.15.

IRISH ANTI-DRAFT TALKER SILENCED IN SAN FRANCISCO. San Francisco, April 29—Agents of the department of justice, broke up a meeting addressed by Mrs. Hannah Sheehy.

She has spoken half an hour against conscription in Ireland when agents of the department of justice escorted her to the sidewalk.

NEED MORE KINDERGARTENS. (Bangor Commercial). Congress has recently recognized the educational needs of children.

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FAMOUS DOCTOR'S FATE. The death of Dr. Robert Salusbury Trevor, aged forty-six, the well-known pathologist, of St. George's Hospital, was investigated by a Kensington coroner's jury and a verdict of suicide during temporary insanity was returned.

Berlin Saves Waste Paper. Amsterdam, March 30.—(Correspondence Associated Press)—To 119 waste paper into house garbage can, has been forbidden by the general commanding the Berlin district on a penalty of 25 marks or a term of imprisonment.

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2 lbs. Prunes... 17c.
Pure Lard... 34c.
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Salder's Tomato Soups... 15c. tin \$1.75 doz.
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SERIOUS DROP IN FALL WHEAT

Adverse Weather Conditions in Fall Given as Cause — Heavy Spring Seeding

(Toronto Globe.)

The fall wheat crop of Ontario will be a long way below the average this year.

Very small growth was made in the new seeding last fall, and severe frosts before snow came subjected the young plants to very trying conditions.

Trying conditions were repeated this spring, when cold, drying winds and lack of rain followed the disappearance of the snow.

As a result of all this yield per acre, as well as total acreage will be much below normal.

Some reports tell of a fifty per cent loss, but there is reason to hope it will not go over thirty per cent.

This is the general situation taking the province as a whole. In some sections, however, prospects are fairly promising.

More Spring Wheat.

From all quarters come reports of an increase in spring wheat seeding. The total acreage in this crop in Ontario last year was about 180,000, and C. F. Bailey, assistant deputy minister of agriculture, thinks this may be increased to about 240,000 this season.

The increase would have been greater had seed been available. The provincial department of agriculture bought 50,000 bushels in the west on Feb. 1, and gave shipping instructions on the 21st, but it was not until a month later that the grain was got under way.

As a result the department was only able to place 40,000, while demand could have been had for 75,000.

Ontario farmers who had seed for sale could have sold two to ten times the quantity they had on hand.

Even as it is, the extra sowing of spring wheat will go a long way towards offsetting the loss of acreage in fall, and the spring grain has gone into the ground under the most favorable conditions.

If conditions are right from now on the total wheat crop of the province may not fall so much short of last year's aggregate of 17,000,000 bushels, but last year's crop was some 5,000,000 short of the normal.

Hope for this year's bread supply lies in the west, and fortunately in the west conditions leave nothing to be desired.

If William is not careful he will not have enough men to send back to the East to consolidate his Russian victories.

—San Francisco Chronicle.

LOCAL NEWS

The congregation of the St. John the Baptist Mission church has decided to engage another priest, to assist Father Young.

A good attendance of soldiers and sailors was present at the song services held at St. David's and German street Baptist churches last evening.

"Rubber day" was held on Saturday last by the West Side Field Comforts Association and large quantities of old rubber were brought to the curling rink.

Mr. E. A. Young, president of the society, said yesterday that about \$100 would be realized.

Commissioner Fisher made a short trip to several New England cities, returning on Saturday, and expressed himself as having obtained a good deal of information in methods of street repairing and cleaning.

Some of the ideas worked out in those cities will be tried in St. John.

JUDGES LOST JOINT.

Owing to an amusing mistake Mr. Justice Lawrence and Mr. Justice Sankey, who opened the Birmingham Assizes, sat down to a meatless dinner over night.

The joint which had been supplied for them had been eaten by their servants.

Before the arrival of the judges, who like everybody else are rationed the week's supply of food was delivered. Included was a small joint of mutton, which, owing to some misunderstanding, was taken to be intended for the servants who accompany "My Lords" on circuit.

The joint was duly cooked and served to the judges.

Then inquiry was made as to what had become of the judges' meat for the week-end, and the reply came that it had already been delivered.

Their lordships accepted the position philosophically, with the best of good humor.

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THE PROVINCIAL ROADS.

The fact that the provincial department of public works intends to continue its progressive roads policy this year is good news for the people. Less damage has been done to roads and bridges this spring than usual, because of the dry season, and there will be less temporary repair work necessary.

THE PARAMOUNT DUTY

If there is a seeming scarcity of help for the farmers; if production cannot be speeded up in this province, it is because the province is not mobilized for war, and is not taking the war seriously.

and a certain percentage to the production of foodstuffs. All useless effort, all waste motion, as far as possible, must be eliminated—everything was arranged with an eye single to military victory.

The Standard has convinced itself that the Foster government will spend more than its estimates for this year. That is of course possible, but what most concerns the people is the value they get for the money spent.

As spring advances interest in war gardens should grow. Every pound of vegetables raised and consumed will help to release other foods for export to France, where famine will prevail before the year is out.

The French premier still expresses confidence in the ability of the Allies to check the German drive. The war news is not of a cheering nature, but there is at least a good fighting chance to save the Channel ports.

The soldiers of the soil are being enrolled this week. Boys should be encouraged to go to the farms and by their labor help to win the war.

Russia is paying the price of her folly in listening to the blandishments of Germany. It might be worth while to consider whether there is any remedy open to the city in regard to an inadequate street railway service.

THE REAL FOOD QUESTIONS



FOOD WASTAGE IN TORONTO

Between April 12 and 18 Large Amount Had to be Destroyed.

AS A CHILD SEES IT

(From Women's Section, Department of Public Information.) It is a popular error to imagine that children are not able to realize the truth about this great war.

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This a total of 17,922 tons of foodstuffs was destroyed at the two plants between these dates.

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United States Weavers do Big Trade With Europe Has Declined During War Period, But Lines Hang On.

Europe Loss Trade

Before the war Switzerland and France enjoyed a very profitable trade with Canada, but this, unfortunately for the European merchants and the Canadian buyers, has been very largely cut off.

GETTING POTATOES FROM THIS PROVINCE

(Toronto Globe.) Further steps were taken by the department of agriculture last week to organize the fertile northern part of the province to grow unlimited quantities of seed potatoes this year.

DISLOYAL TALK BRINGS HIM FINE OF \$200.

Leo Snyder, an employee of a munitions firm in Toronto, was fined \$200 and costs or sixty days by Police Magistrate Kingsford for spreading false reports likely to interfere with recruiting or to prejudice His Majesty's forces.

NORTHCLIFFE RESIGNS.

The Standard, London, says that Northcliffe, chairman of the London headquarters of the British mission to the United States and director of propaganda in enemy countries, has tendered his resignation because of ill health.

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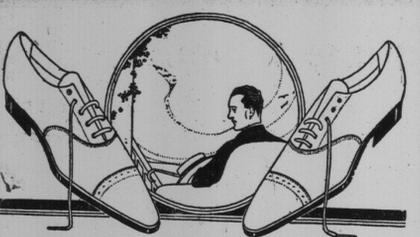
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Advertisement for Emerson & Fisher Ltd. featuring a kitchen range and the text 'Where Does The Household Expense Go?' and 'The Proof of the Range is in the Working.'

Advertisement for La Tour Flour, featuring a logo and the text 'Best Manitoba Government Standard Spring Wheat' and 'FOWLER MILLING CO., Limited'.

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FIN'S NEW REMEDY FOR COMBATING HEMORRHAGES

Stockholm, March 19—(Associated Press Correspondence)—Discovery, by Professor Rudolf Fiechil of the Prague, of a new remedy for combating hemorrhage is announced by the Journal of the Austrian Apothecaries' Association. The remedy is made from a hitherto unknown element in the lung-tissue of certain animals. It is a reddish brown powder which dissolves in water into a foaming, slimy substance.

After a series of experiments with animals it has been employed on human beings. It is reported to stop quickly the most dangerous hemorrhages, such as those from the liver, kidneys, and brain substance, and to be especially valuable in the case of the so-called haemophilic persons whose blood is deficient in coagulable elements and for whom the slightest cut means serious and possibly fatal hemorrhage.

Mrs. Emmeline Penkhurst: "Many munition women have gone on the work, not out of any desire to make money, but to help the nation, and others have gone into the works because their men folk were fighting in France. It appears to me that it is the women who will have to save the country now."

Fifty-one boys were present at the last meeting for the season at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday morning. Lou Buckley addressed the boys.

PREMIER BORDEN BACK

Ottawa, Ont., April 28—Sir Robert Borden returned today from New York where he spent Friday and Saturday conferring with Sir Thomas White and Lord Reading in regard to financial matters. It is understood an important announcement as to the nature of negotiations in New York will be made in connection with the presentation this week of the budget by Hon. A. K. MacLean, acting minister of finance.

It is presumed that, while in New York, the prime minister also conferred with the minister of finance as to new taxation proposals to be made in the budget, which, it is expected, will be delivered on Tuesday, although there is a possibility that it may go over until Thursday.

WANT STANDARD GAUGE

Charlottetown, P. E. I., April 27—General Manager Hayes, Superintendent Brown and other C. G. R. officials, fourteen in all, concluded today a three days' inspection of the P. E. I. railway with a view of considering the advisability of standardizing the gauge. Today they held a conference with the board of trade, when the commercial phases of the proposition were reviewed. The general manager said that the practical side would next receive his attention. The work is estimated to cost \$1,000,000.

After a few years as trade instructor at St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, Quebec, John K. Kane has returned to his old position in charge of this work at Dorchester penitentiary.

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War Garden Bulletin
PRACTICAL DAILY GUIDE FOR VACANT LOT AND BACK-YARD GARDENERS ENLISTED IN GREATER PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN

TO WAR GARDENERS

The Canada Food Board has arranged with officials of the Experimental Farm at Ottawa for a daily bulletin which will be of practical assistance to residents who have undertaken to produce their own vegetables in back yard and vacant lot gardens. These little notes will be short, seasonal and to the point. They will contain daily suggestions as to the next most pressing duty of the day. In some districts the season is earlier than in others. Readers will, therefore, be able to tell at a glance whether they are up to date with the general programme or whether they are ahead, and govern themselves accordingly.

The subjects touched on will include tools, seed beds, fertilizers, seeds, weeds, pests, cultivation and such other information as will be suggested in the course of the season by experts in practical gardening. By following these hints it is hoped that the most inexperienced gardener will be sure of a good crop of vegetables this summer. The generally increased consumption of vegetables during the war will be effected of staples like wheat and meat, the shortage of which threatens to be a calamity in Europe and a danger to our success in the war. And the health of our own people will be improved. Watch for the daily bulletin to war-time gardens.

RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Amelia H. Pattison.
The death occurred in this city yesterday of Mrs. Amelia H. Pattison. She had reached the age of ninety-three years. She was a daughter of the late Henry Leonard who came to New Brunswick with the Loyalists and settled in Sussex. Her husband, the late Robert B. Pattison, died at Chatham forty years ago, after which Mrs. Pattison lived in Sussex for some years, later making her home in this city. She was the widow of the late Mrs. J. M. Robertson, 11 Crown Street, St. John.

Mrs. E. H. Foster, now in California, and Mrs. A. W. Foster, of Norway, are daughters. The funeral will take place at Sussex on Tuesday. Grandsons are Tom P. Robertson, of California; A. L. Foster, of New York; and Fred A. Foster and W. D. Foster, of this city.

Many will hear with regret of the death of Miss Mary Margaret Hamilton, which occurred on Saturday. Deceased was but twenty-two years of age and was highly esteemed. The funeral arrangements have been fixed for Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Joseph Thompson, Frederick street.

Frederick J. Doyle.
Many will hear with regret of the death of Frederick J. Doyle, of Lower Cove, which occurred yesterday. Deceased was a young man who was widely known and highly thought of throughout the city. He was about twenty-five years of age and had been ill for only about two months. In a business way he met a large number of people whose confidence he enjoyed, as he was for some time cashier with the Canadian Express Company in King street. Particularly sad are the circumstances, as deceased leaves his wife and two children. His wife was formerly Miss Harriet B. Goodspeed. Besides her two little sons, he also leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Doyle, and five brothers, namely Daniel, Harold, William, Louis and Walter, all of St. John. The funeral will be held from St. John the Baptist church, regular mass at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Andrew M. Gunter.
White's Cove, April 27—One of the oldest and most respected residents of White's Cove passed away on Saturday morning in the person of Andrew M. Gunter. He celebrated his 89th birthday on April 7 and has been a life-long resident of the place. He is survived by his widow, and one son, A. L. Gunter, of White's Cove; also one brother, Isaac D., of Jemseg.

Mrs. Mary Fraser.
Many will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Mary Fraser, widow of William M. Fraser, which occurred yesterday at her residence, 110 Charlotte street. She leaves two sons, William, of Boston, and Ernest, of Calgary; one daughter, Mrs. Frank Coleman, of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Catherine Hill, of Roxborough (Mass.).

Robert S. Connors.
Robert S. Connors died at his residence, 75 Adelaide street, yesterday after only two weeks' illness with pneumonia. He will be missed by a large circle of friends. Besides his wife he leaves five children.

St. John Housewives League

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In a variety of the latest materials, including Foulard Silk, Printed or Embroidered Georgette, Plaid Taffeta, and many other lovely materials. Among the prevailing shades, oyster grey, shell pink, sapphire blue, light sand, taupe and rose are prominent. Sleeveless coats of bright colored satin are being used as an offset for duller colored gowns and are among the newest features. The modest Quaker collar again in evidence. Overshirts of various lengths and styles are being worn, and bustle backs are also among this season's novelties. Beaded patterns in steel, wood or brighter colors add charm to many of the most attractive creations. Sizes from 16 years to 44 inch bust. Prices \$23.00 to \$57.50

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Three cheers for Her Majesty after the inspection.

CONFECTIONERS MUST HAVE LICENSES

Ottawa, Ont., April 28—All persons manufacturing ice-cream, candy, cake, crackers, biscuits, pastry, confectionery, ice cream cones or chewing gum, in Canada, for sale, must secure a confectioner's license from the Canada food board.

On and after June 1, 1918 it will be illegal for any person to manufacture in Canada for sale any of these products without first having secured such a license.

The annual license fees range from a minimum of \$2, when the value sold does not exceed \$5,000 per annum, to \$5 on annual sales up to \$10,000; \$10 when the amount sold does not exceed \$50,000; \$20 when the annual sales do not exceed \$100,000 and \$10 additional for each additional \$50,000 or fraction thereof, of the annual value sold.

The license number from the Canada food board must appear on every letter-head, contract, acceptance of order, invoice, price list quotation issued and advertisements.

Buried at Sussex.

The funeral services of the late John Andrew Alton, who died in California on April 18, were held in the Chalmers Presbyterian church, Sussex, on Friday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. A. V. Morash.

CANADIANS SOLDIERS WIN SCHOLARSHIPS

London, April 28—(Via Reuter's Ottawa agency)—The following is a further list of Canadian soldiers' scholarships awarded, bringing up to thirty-five the number of scholarships to all the dominions:

Private H. Blanchard, infantry, Edinburgh University.
Sergeant J. A. Church, infantry, Birbeck College.
H. Censor, infantry, Birmingham University.
Sergeant P. S. Warren, Canadian military forces, Imperial College of Science and Technology—awarded by the Kitchen Memorial Fund.
Corporal A. Gallaway, infantry, Oxford University.
Gunner Grove, artillery—awarded by the Rhodes' trustees

Box 145 rang in last evening for chimney fire on Long wharf.

SOLDIERS ENTERTAINED.

Returned soldier lads of St. David's church, to the number of a dozen or more, together with representatives of five military and naval units, were entertained by the Brotherhood of St. David's at a war supper at Bond's on Saturday night. Between eighty and ninety soldiers and civilians sat down at the tables, the chair being taken by the president of the brotherhood, R. E. Armstrong. When supper had been dispensed with and the King's toast loyally honored, short addresses of welcome and appreciation were delivered to the returned men by the chairman and Rev. J. A. McKeigan. Then followed a toast to The Guests. This was responded to very felicitously by Lieut. H. O. Evans, Lieut. Roberts (of the navy), Private James Newlands (Pioneers), Sergeant Belyea (Siege Battery), Sergeant-Major D. W. Stewart, Lt. Groves and J. Porter, three members of the famous 29th Battalion. Senior Caesar A. Barranco, the Cuban consul, delighted the men with several musical numbers. These were followed by well rendered solos by F. J. Punter, a quar-

LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN.

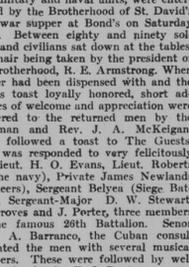
A special meeting of the St. John branch of the Local Council of Women was held in the Natural History Society rooms, Union street, on Saturday afternoon, the president, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, in the chair. The meeting was called for the purpose of hearing the reports of the captains in charge of the wards engaged in war gardening work. All presented a very encouraging report of the work that has already been accomplished and of the great number of new members who join every day. All the captains hope to send in a complete report to the office of the War Gardens Association, Union street, early in this week. The agenda for the annual meeting of the council of women, which is to be held during the month of June in Brantford, and the resolutions which are to come before this meeting were discussed on Saturday afternoon. The following delegates were also appointed to attend: Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. R. J. Hooper, Mrs. Mulvaney, Mrs. W. E. Raymond and Miss Amelia Haley. It is also hoped that Mrs. David McLellan will be able to attend the meeting.

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Princess Mary Now of Age.

Princess Mary came of age on April 26. This gives her an allowance of £5,000 a year. She is a busy person and, having a good knowledge of typewriting and shorthand and accounts, has given considerable assistance in the conduct of the king's household.

Mrs. Fluhub (at the play)—Ten years elapse between Acts I and II. Steward: Mrs. Fluhub—Yes, and I see the brute's wife is still wearing the same hat.

The Prettiest Dresses We Have Received for Summer Wear

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Foulard Dresses—The popular summer dress this season, Copen, beige, grey or navy. \$27.50 to \$35.00

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FOR SALE—SELF-CONTAINED house 184 German, corner Duke. Apply J. Walter Holly.

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FOR SALE—LEASEHOLD PROPERTY 33 Queen, street, St. John West. Apply to Mrs. McAuley on premises or Oscar Ring, 42 Princess street.

FOR SALE—PRICE \$12, SMALL SECTION house 5 ft. 8 in. x 5 ft. 4 in. finished with plenty of room and nice foot veranda. Large lot 60x245. Price \$1,200 or would rent for \$85. Apply to Taylor & Sweeney, Real Estate Brokers, 56 Prince William street.

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TO SELL OR RENT—FURNISHED summer cottage at Fair Vale. Garden opportunity. Beautifully located near station. S. H. Davis, 41 Germain street.

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TO LET—SMALL CLEAN FLAT 12 Elliott Row.

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TO LET—FLATS, ETC. INQUIRE Capt. Porter, 75 Main street.

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LIGHT AND COSY THIRD STORY eight-room flat, nice bath, electric lights, heated by landlord, domestic hot water during winter season. Rent \$25 per month. 66 Middle street, West St. John. Seen any time. F. T. Blyen, Phone West 95.

THE VENNING HOUSE, MOUNT Pleasant Ave., flats or entire. Finest residential site in locality. May be seen at reasonable hours Monday, Wednesday and Saturdays.

APARTMENT TO LET, 162 MOUNT Pleasant Ave. Apply to Armstrong & Bruce, 167 Prince Wm. Telephone Main 477.

HOUSES TO LET

SELF-CONTAINED HOUSE GERMAN street. Hot water heating. Apply M. J. Moran, 92 Orange street.

TO LET—BRIGHT SEMI-DETACHED house, modern. Lancaster avenue. Phone W. 348-11.

TO LET—SELF-CONTAINED house containing 10 rooms and bath; water on premises within fifty yards from Wise gravel beach; fine view of Bay of Fundy, 12 miles from city. Call phone West 393-43.

TO LET—SELF-CONTAINED house after June 1. Living room, dining room, kitchen, five bedrooms, two bath rooms; all newly papered, electric light. Turnbull Real Estate Co.

TO RENT—FURNISHED SUMMER cottage at Pandemac; rent \$100. Apply 155 Britain street.

TO RENT—FROM FIRST OF MAY next, self-contained house on Manawapish road, twenty minutes' walk from end of car line. Water in house; piece of land to raise vegetables; rent \$190. Apply Jos. A. Likely.

TO LET—SMALL FURNISHED house for summer months; modern conveniences; vicinity Queen square. Phone 1678-41.

TO LET—SEMI-DETACHED SEVEN roomed house, beautifully finished, bath, electric, hardwood floors, use of kitchen range and window shades. Rent to responsible party May to October 30th, \$25 month. Apply after 8 p. m., 811 Main street.

UP TO DATE SELF-CONTAINED House. Hot water heating. Near Crescent Heights, Lancaster, 538. Primus Investment Co., S. B. Bustin, Solicitor, 62 Princess.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—16 QUEEN SQUARE.

SUNNY PLEASANT ROOM, ELECTRIC, bath, phone, central but quiet. 110 Carmarthen.

FURNISHED ROOM NO. 5 BRUSSELS, corner Union street.

FURNISHED ROOMS, 99 ST. JAMES near Charlotte.

FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, kitchen privileges, 277 City Road.

ROOMS TO LET—TWO FRONT connecting rooms, furnished or unfurnished, 560 Main street.

LARGE ROOM IN THE HEART OF the city, suitable for three or four friends with board, \$7 a week. Telephone. Uptown 4528, Montreal, Que.

FURNISHED ROOM 142 WATERLOO street.

FURNISHED ROOMS W. CLARK, 42 Carleton street.

TO LET—FROM MAY 1, TWO connecting furnished housekeeping rooms, also pleasant sunny room. 1 Elliott Row.

FURNISHED ROOM, 115 SYDNEY street.

LARGE ROOM, ELECTRICS. MRS. Flewelling, 19 Cedar.

FURNISHED ROOM 40 HORSEFIELD street.

LARGE FURNISHED FRONT room, bright and sunny, suitable for man and wife or two gentlemen. 298 German street.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, 14 Sydney.

FURNISHED ROOM FOR TWO ladies, kitchen privileges. Phone Main 546.

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FURNISHED ROOMS, 42 PETERS. Phone 76128-5-11.

FURNISHED FLATS

TO LET—FURNISHED FLAT FOR summer months; modern improvements. Telephone, centrally located, two minutes from cars. Apply P. O. Box 223.

SMALL FLAT FURNISHED, MODERN improvements, for summer months. Phone 1168-11.

TO LET—MODERN FURNISHED flat Wright street for summer months. References required. Apply Box N 28, Times.

TO RENT FOR SUMMER MONTHS furnished upper flat. Address Box N 19, Times Office.

TO LET—FURNISHED FLAT, MODERN improvements. Apply M. S. P. Times.

PLACES IN COUNTRY

TO LET—LOWER FLAT AT Model Farm station, seven rooms and bath, all year round house. Apply Miss E. C. Oddy, Oddy Glen, Kings County.

TO LET—SEVEN ROOM BUNGALOW for summer months; excellent location at Pandemac. Particulars phone Main 3462.

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FIVE ROOM HOUSE FOR THE summer, furnished. Robert Keedy, Hammond River.

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ROOMS TO LET

TO LET—4 UNFURNISHED ROOMS, 48 Peters street.

2 LARGE UNFURNISHED ROOMS, central. Box N 50.

ROOMS FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED. Two of three connected rooms on ground floor. This makes a nice suite, with private entrance, rooms 168 without board, from May 1. Address Clairmont House, Torriburn.

TO LET—TWO OR THREE FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 10 Waterloo street.

TWO CONNECTING UNFURNISHED rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Phone 717-11.

PLEASANT ROOMS FOR SUMMER months, private family; fine view; convenient to Seaside Park; light housekeeping, to refined couple.

TO LET—MAY 1, TWO PARTLY furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping, adults. 30 City Road.

TO RENT, MAY 1, 25 PADDOCK street, large rooms, also suite of rooms, first-class accomodation, rooms 168 King street east.

ROOMS TO RENT, FURNISHED OR unfurnished, 183 City Line, West.

ROOMS TO LET, FURNISHED OR unfurnished, from first of May. Charles, corner Garden.

SAMPLE ROOM, OFFICES, ROOMS furnished or unfurnished. 21-29 King street.

WANTED

WANTED—A SECOND-HAND TIME clock. State price, make and conditions. Address N 49, Times Office.

WANTED TO HIRE AN AUTO for one hour every other day for several weeks. Phone M. 2570.

WANTED—RESPECTABLE COUPLE to share summer cottage. Address N 40, care Times.

WANTED—MALE HELP

We Have Opportunities For Several Young Men and Boys. Apply T. S. SIMMS & CO. LIMITED.

WANTED—COMPETENT CHAUFFEUR. Apply Jos. A. Likely.

BOY TO LEARN WHOLESALE DRY goods. Apply Brock & Paterson.

WANTED—FIFTY MEN. APPLY L. Kirby, Imperial Oil, Ltd., Plant, Sheffield street.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS BARBER, steady job. Wages \$19 per week or percentage. Apply to George C. Clark, 182 Quinpool Road, Halifax City, N. S.

MEN WANTED EVERYWHERE TO show sample for large grocery corporation. All goods sold at factory prices. Best granulated sugar, \$6.50 cwt. Soap 7 for 25 cents. Pure lard, 5 pound pail for \$1.00, etc. Agents' profit \$1.50 on every \$2.00 sale. Sample case free. The Consumers' Association, Windsor, Ontario.

WANTED—TEAMSTER. GOOD Reliable man; references required. Apply Christie Brown & Co., Ltd., 6 Water street.

BOYS WANTED, 46 PETERS ST. Graham, Cunningham & Co.

BOYS WANTED—APPLY AT ONCE F. W. Daniel & Co.

WANTED—DRIVER, MAN EXPERIENCED light delivery preferred. American Glass Laundries, Ltd., 100 Charlotte street.

WANTED—A TEAMSTER. APPLY K. Pedersen, Ltd., Greenhouses, Sandy Point Road.

WANTED—BOY TO WORK ABOUT office and make himself generally useful. Apply between 2-3, 7-8, 40 Cobourg street.

WANTED—MAN FOR SHIPPING department Brown Paper Box Co.

WANTED—60 MEN. GRANT'S Employment Bureau, 205 Charlotte, West.

WANTED—TEAMSTER AND HELPERS on coal team. J. S. Gibbon & Co., Ltd., No. 1 Union.

WANTED—TEAMSTER FOR TANK wagon. None but reliable man can apply. Route North End, Fairville and Carleton. Apply Canadian Oil Co., Ltd.

WANTED—AT ONCE, EXPERIENCED bookkeeper, male or female. Only one who is capable of taking complete charge of an office need apply without board, from May 1. Address Clairmont House, Torriburn.

WANTED—LABORERS AND CARPENTERS for form work. Grant & Horne, McAvity Plant, Marsh Road.

WE WANT TWO OR THREE BOYS to learn the shoe business. Prospects good for the right boys. Those around 15 from 14 to 16 years preferred. Apply to Waterbury & Rising, King street office.

WANTED—LABORERS FOR COAL yard; highest wages and bonus to steady men. Apply Consumers' Coal Co., 331 Charlotte.

WANTED—HORSESHOER. APPLY W. J. Sullivan, 53 Sydney street.

WANTED—BREAD BAKER, SECOND hand. Apply Dwyer's Bakery, Millford.

WANTED—BY WHOLESALE FIRM, city collector with ability to sell goods. Apply by letter, giving references, to P. O. Box 1812.

WANTED AT ONCE—TWO TINSMITHS and metal workers. Good wages to competent workmen. Apply Box N 29, Times.

GARDENER WANTED. APPLY H. J. Garson, 80 Hazen street.

WANTED—LABORERS FOR VALLEY Railway. Apply Hamilton Hotel, 74 Mill street.

PRESSER WANTED FOR LADIES' suits, or a young man to learn. Fishman & Perchanok, 28 Church street.

MESSAGE BOY WANTED—AMES Holden McCready, Ltd., 8022-4-30.

MEN WANTED—CANADA NAIL & Wire Co., Ltd., West St. John.

WANTED—GROCERY CLERK AND TEASER. Apply Yexxa Grocery Co., 443 Main street.

WANTED AT ONCE—BRIGHT BOY about fifteen years of age. Good chance for advancement. Oak Hall Scovill Bros., Limited.

WANTED—BELL BOY. ROYAL Hotel.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN IN SHIPPING department for wholesale establishment to act as invoice clerk. Apply in own handwriting to Box N 45, Times.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS JOURNEYMAN tailor; permanent position; highest wages paid. Apply to Scovill Bros., Limited, Oak Hall.

WANTED—SEVERAL AUTOMOBILE repair men, good positions for good men. Apply McLaughlin Carriage Co., 144 Union street.

COOKS AND MAIDS

WANTED—MAID. MRS. McAFEE, 160 Princess street.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 222 Prince Wm. street.

WANTED—A CAPABLE COOK. Apply to W. M. Jarvis, 188 Princess street, in evening, 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock.

WANTED—CAPABLE MAID FOR general work. Apply to Mrs. Chas. J. Tilton, Lancaster Heights.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED General maid or woman, four in family. Apply between 7 and 8 evenings. Mrs. Anderson, Ordnance Building, 278 Sydney street.

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL LANSdowne House.

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL work, willing to go to Westfield for summer; good wages. Apply Mrs. C. E. L. Jarvis, 143 Duke street.

WANTED—CAPABLE MAID, willing to go to Westfield for summer months; good wages; two in family. Apply 179 Duke street.

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1918

WANTED
LABORERS

Apply Immediately
T. McAVITY & SONS, Limited
WATER STREET—BRASS FOUNDRY 80379-5-9

HELP WANTED

WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Fifty more girls or women to work in fish plant. Apply Lancaster Fish Co., 100 Middle street, west. 80021-4-30.

WANTED—WOMAN TO WORK

few afternoon, 74 Germain street. 80461-5-1

WANTED—GIRLS TO HELP IN

dake department Robinson's Bakery, Celebration street. 80426-5-4

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALES-

lady for dry goods store. Must have some knowledge of bookkeeping. Apply with experience, Asa, Gilbert, 47 Brussels street. 80489-5-2

GIRL WANTED FOR FRUIT

store. Apply 8 Dock street. 80348-4-29

GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL

housework. Apply Lancaster Dairy, corner Union and Brussels. 80426-5-4

WANTED—TWO GIRLS TO DO

light work in greenhouses. Apply K. Pedersen, Sandy Point Road Greenhouses. 80489-5-4

WANTED—CAPABLE WOMAN FOR

work in kitchen County Hospital, East St. John. 80494-5-4

KNITTERS AND LOOPERS WANTED

on automatic hosiery machines. Good pay. Steady work. Apply M. Newfield, 18 Mill street, evenings, 76 Summer street. 80384-5-9

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL

wanted. Apply City Dairy, Charlotte street. 80422-5-1

KNITTERS AND LAPERS WANTED

on automatic hosiery machines. Good pay; steady work. Apply M. Newfield, 18 Mill street, evenings, 76 Summer street. 80384-5-9

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER WITH

experience double entry. Apply by letter only. American-Globe Laundries, Ltd., 109 Charlotte street. 80381-4-30

WANTED—GIRL TO HELP WITH

children. Apply 49 Summer street. 80346-5-4

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL

work; references required. Apply Mrs. Manning, 186 Germain street. 80389-5-3

CHAMBER GIRL WANTED. Apply

Elliott Hotel. 80227-5-3

SEVERAL GIRLS WANTED IN

new department. Good opportunity for advancement. Apply T. S. Simms & Co., Limited. 80285-5-3

WANTED—PANTRY GIRL NO

Sunday work. Bond's, Charlotte street. 80248-4-30

WANTED—CAPABLE WOMAN FOR

work. Apply Carleton House, West St. John. 80283-5-3

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN FOR

general housework. Apply 71 Orange street, left hand bell. 80277-5-3

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL

housework. Apply at 80 Main street. 80192-5-2

GENERAL GIRLS, WOMAN'S EX-

change, 188 Union. 79885-8-25.

CHAMBER GIRL WANTED FOR

Hotel. 80227-5-3

WANTED—DEMONSTRATOR FOR

New Perfektion cook stoves. Apply Imperial Oil Co., Ltd., Nelson street. 80285-5-3

A NICE FIND.

Melbourne, March 19—(Correspondence Associated Press)—A street sweeper at Lemaire, Victoria, picked up a few days ago, a gold nugget from a pile of gravel-pit nearby. It weighed seventeen ounces.

HAS LENINE FALLEN?

London, April 28—Reports were in circulation Saturday that a counter-revolution had broken out in Petrograd and that Grand Duke Alexis Nikolaievich had been proclaimed emperor of Russia, but these lacked confirmation today though several despatches came through from Russia.

DRAFTS POURING IN.

Amherst News—Another draft from Halifax landed in Amherst yesterday and will take up their quarters in the barracks. Drafts are rapidly pouring in to Halifax and with the new man power bill going into effect, the military building at Amherst and Halifax will be filled to the doors with soldiers in the making. The depot officers are being kept on the jump drilling the men.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Brier Island, North West Ledge, gas and whistling buoy has shifted from position about two miles northeast. Will be refilled to the proper position as soon as possible. J. C. CHESLEY, Agent, Marine & Fisheries Dept. 5-1

REAL ESTATE

CITY HOUSES
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RENTALS

CITY PROPER

Duke street. Freehold lot, one family house in splendid condition; twin house adjoining recently made into two family house. Price a bargain for quick sale.
Princess street. Leasehold ground rent \$200 a year. Two family house. Price a snap to clear.
Leinster street. Freehold two family brick house. Price low.
Winter street. Three family house and barn. Price low.
Celebration street. Splendid two family house with barn, about twelve years old. Freehold. Modernly equipped in every way.
Waterloo street. Freehold, two family house and barn in good condition and repair. Nice situation.
Harris street. One family house. Hot water heating, hard wood floors, etc.
Princess street. Freehold. Brick house with barn or garage. Hot water heating, modernly equipped.
Duke street. New two family house modern in every way, hot water heating, separate furnaces, hard wood floors, etc. Price reasonable.
Mount Pleasant Ave. One family house and garage on beautiful freehold lot. House almost facing Burpee Ave. with lovely garden, lawn, hedge, etc. Running water in bedrooms.

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NORTH END.
Douglas Ave. Two family house separate hot water furnaces, hard wood floors, and modern in every way. House practically new and well heated. Exceptionally good value at the price.
Acadia street. Properties showing a net revenue of \$1,175.25. Only \$8,500 cash necessary to buy these properties.
High street. Three family house, modernly equipped, in good condition and repair.
Metz street. Three family house, new. Nice situation. Price a bargain.

Middle street. Two family house, freehold lot 60x100. Lot runs through from street to street. Electric lights and bath in upper floor.
Corner King and Union streets. Large brick property in good condition and repair. Price a snap.
West End.
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Robbsey. Two nice level clean lots 92x75 each on Pungley subdivision at Robbsey.
Pamdenac. One of the best houses on the beach. Splendid verandas, ice house. House completely furnished. Price right.
Ingleisle. Beautiful summer home. In the most beautiful part of Ingleisle. Lovely lawn, garden and hedge, etc. Several fruit trees.
Lingley. Fine summer home completely furnished including piano, bath room and modernly equipped. Three acres of land and nice situation. Price and terms right.

FARMS.

Situated at Kierdesdale on Belleisle Bay in King county. Two hundred and twenty-five acres. Can be sold with or without farming implements.
Robbsey. Eight acres nice level land, new house, hard wood floors, etc.
Farm situated four miles from Bagdad about two hundred acres. House and barn and all farming implements and live stock consisting of five head of cattle and one horse.
Gagetown. About fifty acres with house and barn. Price low.

BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE.

Well situated in the city. Freehold property. Large lot with good sized building and boiler; suitable for a manufacturing plant or garage. Price a snap.

TO LET.

Furnished flat on Crown street. Modern equipped apartments furnished or unfurnished at Lancaster Ave.

APPLY

TAYLOR & SWEENEY
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New Portuguese Premier.

Lisbon, April 28—Dr. Sidon Paes, premier and foreign minister, was today elected president of the republic by direct universal suffrage.

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A FEW SLIGHTLY DAMAGED oval frames, size 14x20, \$1.00 while they last; regular \$3.00 and \$4.00 values. N. B. Portrait Co., Ltd., 609 Main street. 8-1

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WE ANNOUNCE THE ARRIVAL

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WANTED TO PURCHASE—GENTLEMEN'S cast of clothing, boots, musical instruments, jewelry, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Call or write I. Williams, 16 Dock street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 328-21. Phone M 228.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—GENTLEMEN'S cast of clothing, fur coats, jewelry, diamonds, gold and silver, musical instruments, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, etc. Best prices paid. Call or write H. Gilbert, 24 Mill street. Phone 2292-11.

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FOR RELIABLE CLOCK A P D watch repairs go to Huggard & P watch factory. (Seven years in Waltham watch factory.) T.F.

PRINCE OF WALES OF CADET CORPS

London, April 2—Captain the Prince of Wales has been appointed Colonel-in-Chief of the Cadet Corps in the United Kingdom and Ireland.

GEORGE BUCHANAN KILLED.

George Buchanan, aged thirty, of Queen's county, was killed yesterday while assisting in log driving operations at Quiddy River, Martin's Head. He was struck by a large piece of ice which rolled down an embankment, hitting him on the head. He died about twenty minutes later.

STORES, BUILDINGS

2 LARGE OFFICES CENTRE BUSINESS district. Box N 51. 80460-5-6

TO LET—CORNER STORE. APPLY Mrs. Foster, 242 Prince Wm. street. 80414-5-4

TO LET—SHOP AND ROOMS. Apply 1 Pitt street. 80220-5-4

TO LET—SHOP WITH 4 ROOMS. Apply at 69 St. Patrick street. 80291-5-3

LARGE BARN OR WAREHOUSE TO let, Cannon street off Paradise Row. Apply David Corkery, 149 Paradise Row.

SUITE OF OFFICES IN CANADA Permanent Building, to rent from 1st of May, 1918. Apply Manager Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation, corner Prince William street and Market Square, City. 80177-5-2

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STORE TO LET, 596 MAIN ST. Apply 8 St. Paul street. 79838-5-6

STORES TO LET—26-28 DOCK ST. F. J. McInerney, Phone M 2200. 79918-5-22

TO LET—SHOP 7 GERMAIN. Apply Miss Merritt, 120 Union. 75492-5-2

TO RENT—SUITE OF OFFICES IN Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation Building from May 1, 1918. Apply Canada Permanent Office. T.F.

TO PURCHASE

WANTED—A SECOND HAND 2-burner oil stove with oven. Tel. 2145-11. 80472-5-6

WANTED—SECOND-HAND ICE chest, also show case. Must be in good condition. H. A. Mealy, City, General Delivery. 80470-5-5

WANTED—HORSE 1,100 AND LUMBER wagon cheap, spot cash. Apply Box N 46, Times Office. 80269-5-9

WANTED—TRUCK HORSE 1,800 to 1,400 pounds. State age and price. O. Box 1812. 80140-5-2

WANTED TO PURCHASE—COON coat, gent's. Apply F. O. Box 894. 80117-5-1

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ELECTRICITY IN AGRICULTURE

(Toronto Globe).

The British Board of Agriculture, under the leadership of Mr. Prothero, the president of the board, who is a scientific agricultural expert and only incidentally a politician, is revolutionizing agricultural methods in the United Kingdom. The breaking up of pasture land and of vast stretches of park land left out of use by the owners of historic estates has so greatly increased the area of arable land that after the coming harvest the country will be more nearly self-supporting than it has been since the Napoleonic wars.

Great improvements are also being introduced in methods of cultivation. Two of the most important ones are the application of electricity. It has been known for some time that the direct application of electricity to growing crops produces a remarkable increase of yield, but the expense of the application has rendered the method unprofitable. The Journal of the Board of Agriculture now reports that a method has been devised which overcomes this objection. This method has been very successful experimentally, but has scarcely yet passed the experimental stage. It is, however, full of hope.

The other improvement is a method of treating by electricity seed before it is sown. Farmers on a large scale, who have tried it experimentally in previous seasons, are now laying down plans

CONSCRIPTION TO BE ENFORCED

Dublin, April 28.—(By the Associated Press)—The success of the "workless" day last Tuesday has led to a widespread impression among all classes that the government, convinced of the attitude of the people, would refrain from bringing conscription into operation. This view is not shared by the heads of the anti-conscription movement.

A warning was issued today by the Sinn Fein council that the government is committed to the effective application of conscription and confidence to the contrary would be short-sighted. The constitutional nationalist leaders say that there is no sign whatever of a change in the war cabinet's plans and that preparations for carrying them out are being made on a most formidable scale.

The anti-conscription fund, of which Archbishop Walsh is trustee, is being actively promoted and is expected to reach unprecedented dimensions. The Church of Ireland Gazette, the organ of the Protestant Episcopal church, declares that the most lamentable aspect of the present crisis is the tendency to make conscription a religious issue between Protestants and Catholics.

No expectations are entertained anywhere here that the home rule bill which is expected to be introduced in the House of Commons will be passed in the present session.

The absence of the Irish party from parliament has provoked no objection from the people, though normally they would be expected to attend in full force the debates on the budget, which imposes new taxes on beer and spirits, Ireland's chief manufacturers and also on the farmers. No objection has been made that they should return for the home rule bill, but John Dillon, leader of the Nationalists, indicates that if conscription is applied, they will go back at once to ventilate its methods.

Passive resistance continues to be the policy advocated, taking the form of refusal to facilitate inquiries or acknowledge tribunals, which hints at possible effective action regarding the food supply.

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U. N. B. ENCOERIA Fredericton, N. B., April 28.—Dr. C. C. Jones, chancellor of the University of New Brunswick, has made final arrangements for the delivery of the addresses at the annual encocerial exercises which will be held on the afternoon of Thursday, May 16.

NEW AMERICAN NAVAL BASE AT HORTA



VIEW OF HORTA, NEW AMERICAN NAVAL BASE. The insert map gives an idea of the position of the new station.

For the protection of the Atlantic trade routes to Southern Europe the United States, with the consent of Portugal, has established a naval base on the Azores Island. Guns have been landed to begin fortification of the station, which, in addition to being used as a naval base for American submarines, destroyers and other small craft, also will serve as an important home station for American airplanes.

Y.M.C.A. BOYS' BIBLE STUDY BANQUET The annual Bible study group banquet of the Y. M. C. A. was held on Saturday night and was the most largely attended and most successful that has yet been staged by that institution.

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Gained 20 Lbs. and Feels Fine

Never Expected to Be So Well and Strong Again—An Enthusiastic Statement Endorsed by a Postmaster

Parkeville, N. B., April 28.—Here is a cheerful letter from a man who was greatly broken in health and much discouraged. Fortunately he found in Dr. Chase's Nerve Food the exact treatment he required and was fully restored to health and vigor.

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GOMPERS' ADVICE TO THE WORKERS

Ottawa, April 28.—Great importance is attached by the government to the mission to Canada of Samuel Gompers, the directing head and guiding hand of organized labor on this continent.

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SAVING HISTORIC STATUE



French soldiers in Rhims remove from a niche a fourteenth century statue of the Virgin. Acting under orders to convey to safety all statuary in the city in anticipation of a new German drive on the Rhims point.

China Turned Over To The Japs

Shanghai, April 24—(By the Associated Press)—The statement is made in the first issue of the Shanghai Gazette, which has made its appearance under the editorship of Eugene Chen, that the Chinese government has agreed to new demands made by Japan which are of such a nature that the country has virtually been turned over to the Japanese. The Gazette asserts it has been informed by a high official at Peking, that the Japanese demands are far more serious than those in group V. of the famous 21 demands made by Japan in 1915.

Terms of Agreement. "Notwithstanding the fact that the utmost secrecy is being observed," says the Gazette, "it may be stated safely that the following is not far from the true terms of the agreement." "Chinese expeditionary forces sent to Siberia shall be commanded by a Japanese." "Chinese police shall be organized by Japanese officers." "Japan shall control all of China's armaments and dockyards." "Japan shall have the privilege of working mines in all parts of China." "Special privileges shall be granted to Japan in Outer and Inner Mongolia and the whole of Manchuria."

HUN IS BARBARIC IN HIS CRUELITIES

Rotterdam, April 29—(Via London)—British wounded officers and men, who have arrived here from Germany to board hospital ships for England after two or three years' captivity, tell of terrible cruelties inflicted by the Germans, especially upon soldiers and sailors who have been taken unwounded. "I have names which cannot be published, because the Germans have a system of vicious punishment. These men have been warned before leaving camp in Germany that if they give out any details of their treatment it will mean more severe punishment for those left behind." "One story told me was of a man to whom Ambassador Gerard spoke on his first visit to Dohert's in December, 1914. He was standing outside in the snow cleaning the rim of the only shirt he possessed. When questioned by Mr. Gerard, he said it was his only shirt. The man was exposed on a hill naked in a snowstorm for eight hours for having told this to Mr. Gerard, whom he did not know. A certain lieutenant was taken prisoner with a bullet wound in the ankle and was sent to a hospital. The first dressing was left on the wound for twenty-two days, when gangrene set in, and the leg was amputated four times, until it was cut off almost to the hip. Men sent to work in salt mines return after a few months like skeletons, with incurable, running sores and brain power gone. "Another man I spoke to still had a bad arm. He said it had been put in plaster of Paris in a hospital and left so until maggots began to crawl out of it. Then the flesh was scraped away with any amesthetic. Many men had been through awful tortures of surgery without an attempt to give chloroform."

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. ALL KIDNEY DISEASES. RHEUMATISM. BRUISES. DISGRA. DIABETES. GRAVITY. PAIN. WATER. 23 THE PROPRIETOR.

ST. JOHN MEN IN CASUALTY LIST

The names of four New Brunswick men appear in the midnight casualty. Wounded, D. Stewart, St. John; J. W. Watters, St. John; S. S. Stokes, Centreville; gassed, Lieut. F. B. Young, St. John. Recruits. The New Brunswick unit for the first Canadian tank battalion will leave in the near future for their training quarters. This unit was recruited in less than a week from university men only. The battalion is mobilized in Ottawa. L. A. Gilbert, B. A., principal of the St. Stephen high school, has resigned his position and enlisted in the tank battalion. On Friday afternoon the pupils of the graduating class presented a wrist watch to Mr. Gilbert. Charles O'Hagan, Daniel Connolly and Austin McGuire, students of St. Francis Xavier College, who have been spending a few days in the city, the guests of their parents, will leave today for Halifax, where they will report for duty with a siege battery. Gunner Victor Marcham, a member of the 9th siege battery, was given a fountain pen on Friday afternoon by his fellow employes of T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd.

CLUMSY REWARD BY GERMANY REVEALS MUCH DISCONTENT

Governor of Kiel Offers 20,000 Marks to Anyone Causing Arrest of Spies—Confesses Bad Feeling Rampant

Headquarters of the American Army in France, April 29—An interesting sample of Prussian official propaganda in Germany was shown today by an officer of the American intelligence service. It was a copy of an order recently issued by Admiral Bachmann, governor of the port of Kiel. The order, which follows, speaks for itself: "Twenty thousand marks reward—According to reliable information, it is shown that our enemies, principally American, are employing large sums to hire German agents, who, under an innocent disguise, are to provoke in Germany disorder, complaint and strikes among the Germans who are discontented with the political or economic system. The agents receive from abroad, by concealed routes, distributed in the form of leaflets, pamphlets. They are instructed to hire their own agents and to miss no favorable opportunity to attain the end sought—Internal troubles and mutiny in Germany. "Wretches of this sort who betray Germany for vile money ought to be discovered by all means. To accomplish this there has been set at my disposal from private sources the sum of 20,000 marks. This sum is for distribution to those who, by their aid, succeed in denouncing or arresting enemy agents who try to stir up strikes or sabotage, those who commit to die in the Kiel territory. The first man who makes possible the arrest of one of these agents will receive 10,000 marks reward. The remaining 10,000 marks will be saved and distributed for others who detect these agents. "If several persons take part in arresting the agents, I will be the only judge as to the distribution to the amount. People charged with running down such agents are not barred from proceeding to discuss the details of the proceedings against me because of the manner in which I may divide this reward is barred. The division does not take effect if, according to the judgment of the present governor of Kiel, no one has gained the right to the reward previously to the conclusion of peace with America, England and France." Startling Brazenness.

FRENCH LAUNCH GREAT FREIGHTER MID ROAR OF GUNS

Paris, April 28—The largest freighter in the French mercantile marine service was launched at Dunkirk yesterday and is now safe in a French port remote from the fighting zone. It is 450 feet long and is of 19,000 tons displacement. The Germans, aware of the location of the shipyard, tried in every way to interfere with the work and destroy the yard and ship. Long range guns bombarded the vicinity, air-raiding Gothas dropped bombs there and twice flotillas of torpedo boats attempted quick bombardment raids, but the work was pushed to the limit and the launching, which was expected only in the middle of May, was advanced three weeks. On the night preceding the launching the Germans tried to bombard the shipyard with Gothas but were beaten off. The enemy then sowed minefields along the coast which they knew the freighter would travel, but the mines were picked up the next day. The ministry of marine considers it a great feat to build and launch a great ship within seven miles of the actual fighting front.

BERLIN HAS NEW SYSTEM FOR DOLING OUT THE COAL

Amsterdam, March 30—(Associated Press Correspondence)—Dissatisfaction with the system of coal distribution which was employed in Berlin during the last winter has led to the adoption of an entirely new system to go into effect during May. The chief feature is the establishment of "customer lists," which means that a retailer is bound to supply those customers who register with him with the amount of coal to which their tickets entitle them. The plan is intended to operate over a full year so that consumers can utilize their allotted fuel supply as they see fit. There will be two coal tickets, one for coal for cooking purposes and the other for heating coal. The cooking coal ticket is graded into three kinds according to the number of persons in the household. A family of one or two persons will receive 1,200 pounds; three to six, 1,600; seven to ten, 2,200. Coal for heating purposes is allotted according to the number of rooms in the house. One room is allowed 500 pounds; two rooms, 1,000 pounds, and so on up to 6,000 pounds. Persons who use more than six tons for heating purposes last winter will be allowed just half the amount they consumed then.

BANGOR DIVORCE SUIT

Bangor, April 28—Bangor society is much interested in the suit for divorce brought by Mrs. Sylvia Engel Ross, daughter of the late Mayor William Engel, of Bangor, millionaire lumberman, against her husband, Colonel Harry F. Ross, which has been entered at the present term of court. Mr. Ross, who is the son of the late John Ross, also a wealthy lumberman, married Mrs. Ross in Boston, December 17, 1913. They lived together until April 17, 1917. She charges cruel and abusive treatment and adultery, and seeks alimony from her husband's estate. Colonel Ross, who is engaged in mining near Halifax, was educated in Boston attending the Boston Latin school.

Morale!

British Staff Officer Defines It—How Y.M.C.A. Enhances This Great Factor of Victory

"IS VICTORY always on the side of the biggest battalions?" was asked of a British staff officer, as recorded by Dr. John R. Mott in the "Ladies Home Journal." "It is and it isn't," he replied. "There's something else. You cannot chart it, you cannot weigh it, you cannot express it in any military figures. But Napoleon knew what it was, and he called it 'morale.'"

How Morale Is Created

"I cannot define for you exactly what morale is, but I can tell you it comes in many different ways. I have known morale to be found in a cup of hot coffee. That sounds unromantic. But think what that means to a man who has had ten hours consecutive shelling."

"I have seen morale created by a man's taking a big risk; I have seen it sustained by a man's merely writing a letter home just before he went into action. You can describe morale," he continued, "in a score of ways, little and big."

"It may come from faith in a future life or from the thought that one is protecting the loved ones at home. But if you want an easy and short definition of morale, you will find a good one in the four letters Y. M. C. A."

Strengthening Morale

And he took his questioner to the window and shewed him men trooping into a Y. M. C. A. hut.

"Those are men," he said, "who will be going up to the front line to-morrow. Some of them will be playing games, others will be writing home, others will be attending divine service, but each in his own way will find a strengthening of his morale in the comradeship of his fellows beneath the symbol of the Red Triangle and the inspiration for which it stands."

Y. M. C. A. Playing Big Part

"All this is a thing which I cannot show on my charts. But it is also a thing which is going to turn the balance in our favor. Go back and tell the people at home that a dry soldier, concerned alone with military calculations, believes that the Y.M.C.A. is playing a far bigger part in winning the war than any mere civilian can recognize."

"I do not speak to you as a philanthropist. That is not my job. But I want to see the end of this horrible business, and if a soldier's words have any weight, tell those at home to help the Y.M.C.A. to carry on its work."

ENROLLING THE BOYS

This is enrollment week in New Brunswick for the Soldiers of the Soil. It is hoped that at least 1,000 boys between the ages of fifteen and nineteen will enroll under the banner of Food Production and gladly pledge themselves to assist in the great conflict against German aggression by working on the farms to provide food for the soldiers on the firing line. Lou Buckley, maritime Y. M. C. A. boys' work secretary, yesterday addressed large congregations at St. David's church in the morning and Main street Baptist church in the evening on the Soldiers of the Soil movement. He pointed out that all the things which the people are now enjoying they have because of the sacrifice of those who have gone before. He spoke of the great call of Canada today to have that same spirit of sacrifice so that liberty and peace may be handed down to the coming generations. He also referred to the leadership that has been lost by the death of so many young, promising men in the war, and pointed out that it was the duty of those at home to train up the younger boys to fill the places of those who have gone before.

POTATO GROWING MADE EASY

So great was the demand for the recently issued bulletin on Potato Cultivation, written and edited by the Dominion Horticulturist, that a popular edition of sixteen pages has been prepared and can be had free by addressing the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. As an aid to the potato grower, especially to the less experienced and the beginner, this bulletin, which is numbered 90, should prove invaluable. In plain, terse language practically all that it is necessary to know is told about the preparation of the soil, the subsequent planting and cultivation of the potato, the protection from insect and diseases and the digging and storing. A list is given of varieties recommended for different districts in every province. "Pa, what's a press counter?" "He's a man who knows more than he thinks other people ought to, my son."

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ON THE WEST FRONT



British handing out rations to German prisoners.—(Official photograph.)

ENGLAND'S IDEA IN THE GREAT WAR

Official Historian of Battle of Somme Tells New York of Britain's Achievements

New York, April 29—John Masfield, speaking at Aeolian Hall in what will probably be his last lecture before returning home, recounted what Great Britain had done in the European conflict, and spoke of that "idea of England for which men are dying along 2,000 miles of war." Of the present battle, fought largely over ground gained in the battle of the Somme, of which he, as official historian of that battle, knows every inch, he said: "I have no comfort for you. It is the fortune of war. Fortune is like that in war. People say, 'How comes it that your men were not there, that your reserves are not called in great numbers?' All we can know now is that the highest command does not believe this to be the decisive battle of the war. To decide battle may come this year or next."

SIR WILFRID'S TITLE

During the debate in the House of Commons the other day on titles, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said: "I accept a title. Why I accepted it, holding the views I do hold, would be going into a matter of history." The Ottawa Journal-Press (Conservative) asks: What was this "matter of history" which Sir Wilfrid implied, forcing a title upon him against his will? And then proceeds to answer it in this way: "Napoleon once said that all history was merely a lie agreed to, and while the following version of how the veteran Liberal chief came to be a knight was not given to the writer at the time, there is considerable reason to believe that it has much more merit than the great Frenchman attributed to history in general. This, at all events, is the version of how Sir Wilfrid got his title, as told to the writer by one who is in a position to know the truth."

C. KYLE TO MONTREAL

C. Kyle, who for the past three years has been master mechanic of the Atlantic Division of the Canadian Pacific Railway, stationed here, has been transferred to Montreal. Mr. Kyle, who has spent thirty-five years in the service of the C. P. R., will receive a splendid promotion in his transfer to the Canadian metropolis. Owing to the fact that the war has caused a severe drain on the mechanical staff of the C. P. R., the company has decided to train a number of raw hands to become master mechanics of the Atlantic division. Mr. Kyle is one of the best known men in the mechanical department of the C. P. R.

SLANDERS ARE KEENLY FELT

Praise From Gen. McDougall For Character of Forestry Corps

Ottawa, April 29—Sir Robert Borden has received from Sir Edward Kemp, minister of overseas military forces of Canada, a copy of a letter from Brigadier-General Alexander McDougall, director-general of timber operations, dealing with the discipline of the Canadian forestry corps. The letter states: "In continuation of my report on the operations of the Canadian forestry corps, I wish to draw your attention to the general good behavior of the men, and the deep resentment that we feel against the slanders attacks levelled at the men of the Canadian overseas forces in certain quarters of Canada. Good Behavior Shown. "When it is considered that the great majority of the men under my command have had very little opportunity for military training, either here or in Canada, prior to going out to work with the different forestry companies, their magnificent discipline and behavior is a matter of which all Canadians can be justifiably proud. Many of these men have left families at home, and are looking forward to rejoining them at the end of the war."

FIFTY BRITISH M. P.'S OVER 70 YEARS OLD

London, March 30—(Associated Press Correspondence)—The House of Commons now contains fifty members who are more than seventy years of age. Of these, three are eighty or over. An interesting feature of the membership of the House of Commons is the large number of pairs of brothers who have seats. There are fourteen of these pairs, including one case of twins, Major A. C. Morrison-Bell and Colonel E. F. Morrison-Bell. Among the other pairs of brothers are Sir F. E. Smith, the attorney general, and Harold Smith, member for Warrington; Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade, and Lord Hugh Cecil; James W. Lowther, speaker of the House, and Major-General Henry C. Lowther. A case of father and son both members of the House is found in Sir Walter Runciman, member for Hartlepool, and Walter Runciman, member for Dewsbury.

CANADIAN PACIFIC CHANGE IN SERVICE Effective April 28, 1918 (DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY) ATLANTIC DAYLIGHT TIME Lv. West St. John, 7.45 a.m. Ar. St. Stephen, 12.45 p.m. Lv. St. Stephen, 2.10 p.m. Ar. West St. John, 7.20 p.m. N. R. DesBrisay, D.P.A., C.P.R., St. John, N. B. 5-5

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HER UNBORN CHILD

MOST WIDELY ENDORSED PLAY OF THE YEAR

CANADIAN CENSOR ENDORSES THIS MORAL PLAY

Montreal Ministers Endorsement

The Methodist Union of Montreal Montreal, April 4, 1918. Through the kindness of Mrs. B. C. Paxton I have been able to see the play entitled "Her Unborn Child." From the first to the last moment my attention was held and my interest increased until the plot unfolded. It is one of the most impressive productions that I have ever witnessed and cannot fail to do good. It is most timely in its lessons when dangerous teachings are being propagated regarding birth control. It teaches the sacredness of life, the sacredness of motherhood, the sacredness of sex relationships. It seeks to promote a greater confidence and fellowship between parents and children and to impress the necessity of self-control during the most susceptible and critical period in the lives of young people. I hope that arrangements can be made to have the play produced in every city and town in the Dominion. (Signed) E. I. HART.

Calvary Church, 4201 Dorchester Street, Montreal, April 2, 1918. To Whom It May Concern— It is with pleasure that I take the opportunity of commending the play "Her Unborn Child" which I have seen in this city and taken friends to witness during the past week or ten days. The subject treated is a difficult one to stage, but it has done in a truly successful fashion. There is not a trace of indecency from first to last. In these days when the stage is becoming so powerful to enforce moral lessons, its presentation throughout the Dominion can do but good. Mrs. Paxton has given herself to the task of propaganda with the ardour of a crusader, and every lover of Canada should be thankful that the subject is in hands that are so capable. (Signed) T. W. DAVIDSON, Minister of Calvary Congregational Church.

NOTE:—As the Lyric has been taken over for this engagement by Mr. George F. Driscoll, the regular season passes will not be recognized.

CONVINCING EVIDENCE

Vancouver, B. C., June 29. Mr. George L. Driscoll, His Majesty's Theatre, Montreal, P. Q. Dear Sir—"Her Unborn Child," now playing in this city, is best play of season. Title is bold but play is moral and highly approved. Nothing of an offensive character appears in the play. CHAS. E. JONES, License Inspector.

To the President of the Y. W. C. T. U. Montreal, April 14, 1918. Toronto, Ont.

It is with great pleasure that I add my testimony of appreciation to the many others that have been published re the play "Her Unborn Child" which has recently been so splendidly put on in our city. Mrs. Paxton is to be congratulated on being so successful in introducing a subject in such a delicate, though convincing way, which has so long been ignored by our educationalists. While the cast is an excellent one, and the attention of the audience is held spell-bound by the intensely interesting plot, the lesson of the solemn duty of motherhood and of manly honor, is also conveyed in a way to leave a lasting impression. All young people of either sex should hear this play, which would impress them as neither book, lecture or sermon could do, towards building up a strong, pure manhood and womanhood. (Signed) DOROTHY M. SPROULE.

MR. JOHN H. ROBERTS

of Montreal, President of The Canadian Vigilance Association, by whose desire "Her Unborn Child" was produced and played in Montreal for four weeks recently, will be present at the opening performance tonight and deliver a short address. Mr. Roberts is known throughout Canada as one of our foremost reformers and a fearless campaigner against social wrongs.

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London, April 29—The Military Cross has been awarded to the following Canadians: Lieut. Benjamin Richard Allen, finding wire uncut, blew up a portion and attempted to make his way through the remainder and was severely wounded. Lieut. John James Campbell, belonging to Galt, was returning one night from outposts when a shell killed one signaller and wounded another. Lieut. Campbell carried the man over a mile of shell-swept area. Lieut. Angus Johnstone Cameron went through a barrage, rescuing five wounded and recovering five bodies. Lieut. Arthur Cooper, cavalry, his covering party covered approach to main body so successfully that the enemy received no warning. Lieut. Arthur Justin Cowan traversed a barrage and recovered a wounded Sergeant. Lieut. Alexander George Donald attacked and captured a machine gun, killing the whole crew, also the personnel of a bombing post, and destroyed two occupied dugouts, finally withdrawing his party safely. Lieut. Percy Gilman, although wounded and gassed, worked a machine gun under intense fire until it was clogged with mud from repeated burying. He then withdrew 200 yards, cleaned the gun and returned to his position, remaining there all night. Capt. Sydney M. Johnson located gaps in the enemy's wire and led a party with great fearlessness, capturing six. Lieut. Allen Leslie, belonging to Owen

Sound, was blown out of a dugout with his battery commander and wounded in the face. He refused to withdraw, his fine example maintaining the men's morale during intense shelling. Lieut. Henry Lord, Central Ontario, during an intense bombardment when three officers had become casualties, controlled the remaining men. The enemy was met with a steady fire and driven off. Capt. Terrance Newcomen, Dragons, commanding two rifle parties, engaged the enemy singlehanded, killing several. Lieut. Pryce Phillips reconnoitered enemy's position two nights and raided a house occupied by the enemy. Lieut. Harold Ray Simpson volunteered to lead raiding party, securing three prisoners and valuable identification. Lieut. Alexander West, Engineers, constructed a bridge under severe fire, enabling the troops to open an attack. Lieut. Ronald Wheatley personally overpowered a listening post, cleared one hundred yards of trench, capturing six. Lieut. Richard Pierce Williams repaired a railway track and left the line open during heavy barrage. Brigadier Frederick Lumsden, formerly staff officer with Canadians, is awarded third bar to D. S. O. Capt. F. E. Brown, Dublin Fusiliers and Flying Corps, formerly with Canadian Infantry, is awarded Military Cross for two gallant air attacks, followed by a third attack, although his engine was running badly and threatening to bring him down. Lieut. Jack Victor Sorsoliel, Flying Corps, Toronto, is gassed for Military Cross. He engaged with three other patrols of ten, and was attacked by another machine which he brought to earth, also driving down a machine in flames. Major D. A. MacRae and Lieut. J. L. White, C. Burgener and W. E. Catter are gassed flying officers. Majors W. G. Moorhouse, S. W. Watson, M. A. Scott, Capt. J. G. White, Machine Guns, are gassed Lieut.-Cols. commanding machine battalions. Lieut. F. P. Brennan, Army Service, is transferred to the Naval Air. A new prisoner is 14,751, G. Stodgell.



GERMANS INVENT AN INVISIBLE GAS Have Commenced Its Use On the Western Battlefield — 20,000 Wounded Return to Ranks

Amsterdam, April 29—Speaking before the main committee of the Reichstag, Lieut.-General von Stein, Prussian minister of war and state, said that 20,000 men wounded in the battle on the western front have returned to their regiments, according to German newspapers received here. He inferred from the small number of Americans captured that not many Americans had as yet been sent to the front line. Gustav Noske, Socialist, said that the number of Americans on the western front appeared, according to the latest reports, not as small as the minister represented. General von Stein, resuming, said that

gas fighting is not a development of this war, but had been used earlier in position warfare. "Our new powder develops carbonic oxide gas," he said. "We organized the employment of this gas and the enemy soon followed. Thanks to our excellent gas-masks, the success of extensive

enemy gas attacks in the Somme battle amounted to but little. An Invisible Gas. "After the development of the gas attack gas shells made their appearance. We now are manufacturing an invisible gas. The enemy has not caught up to which give absolutely certain protection. Our losses through the effects of gas

have been slight. The statements relative to the terrors of gas fighting have been greatly exaggerated. The majority of gas poisoning cases in the hospitals are doing well and there will be no permanent injury to the men's health to fear. Our experts have made masks which give absolutely certain protection. "No country will agree to renounce

the use of gas. "It is, therefore, necessary for the experts to labor continuously to keep us ahead. "Our tanks are superior to the enemy's, particularly in speed. No proposal has been received from an enemy government to restrict aerial attacks to fortified towns and we cannot one-sidedly undertake such obligations."

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PORT NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BASEBALL

National League.

At Brooklyn: R. H. E.
New York 201000000—3 6 1
Brooklyn 01010111—5 9 2
Batteries—Anderson and McCarty; Heney and Miller.

At Pittsburgh: R. H. E.
Pittsburgh 000000004—4 9 1
Pittsburgh 000002000—2 8 3
Batteries—Bressler and Wingo; Samuels and Schmidt.

At Boston: R. H. E.
Boston 120000001—4 7 1
Boston 000000000—1 5 3
Batteries—Hog and Burns; Ragan and Henry, Traggessor.

At Chicago: R. H. E.
Chicago 00010003000—4 8 2
Chicago 02000011000—5 8 6
Batteries—Horstman, Meadows and Jonzales; Tyler and Kilmer, Elliott.

American League—Saturday.

At New York: R. H. E.
Washington 000100000—1 5 3
New York 010000001—2 5 4
Batteries—Shaw and Almsmith; Russell and Hannah.

At Detroit: R. H. E.
Cleveland 000000001—3 8 2
Detroit 00200000000—2 8 2
Batteries—Covelskie and O'Neill; Ames and Stangor.

At Boston: R. H. E.
Boston 000202000—4 9 1
Boston 000000100—1 7 1
Batteries—Bush and Agnew; Myers, Gans and McAvoy.

At St. Louis—St. Louis-Chicago game postponed, wet grounds.

Providence, R. I., April 27—(Exhibition)—Washington Americans, 8; Boston Nationals, 6.

National League—Sunday.

St. Louis 00000130—4 9 1
Cincinnati 100000001—2 12 8
Game called account rain.
Batteries—Sherell and Gonzales; Schneider and Allen.

At Chicago—Chicago-Pittsburgh game postponed, wet grounds.

American League—Sunday.

St. Louis, Mo., April 28—Collins and Jackson bunched two of the five hits off Sotheron, with a sacrifice fly in the ninth inning today and Chicago won from St. Louis 2 to 1. The score:

Chicago 000001001—2 5 2
St. Louis 000000100—1 6 0
Batteries—Faber and Schalk; Sotheron and Nunamaker.

At Detroit—Detroit-Cleveland game called in third inning, rain.

FOOTBALL.

Old Country Matches.

London, April 28—The following are the scores of the games played in the old country football league on Saturday:

Scottish War Cup—Rangers 1, Morton 2; Celtic 2, Clyde Bank 0.
London Combination—Arsenal 3, Brentford 1; Palace 2, Clapton 0; Fulham 3, Tottenham 0; Queens Park 4, Millwall 3; Westham 3, Chelsea 3.
Midland Subsidiary—Sheffield Wed 1, Grimsby 1.
Lancashire League—Stoke 1, Rochdale 2.

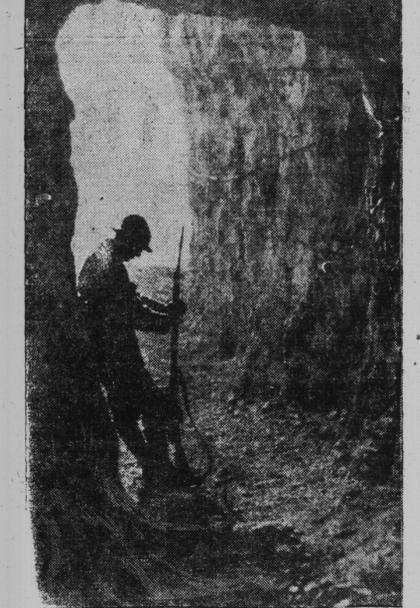
KENNEDY AFTER WILLARD-FULTON BOUT FOR MONTREAL

New York, April 29—George Kennedy of Montreal, who is in this city, is quoted in the Tribune this morning as saying that his mission is to secure the Willard-Fulton heavyweight bout for Montreal. The Montreal promoter is said to have declared that no real opposition could develop in the Canadian metropolis against such a championship battle, which might be made of any number of rounds up to forty-five, and that he will go west to confer with Willard and Colonel Miller, prepared to offer more for a match over a route to a decision to a finish than has yet been offered by the promoters in middle western cities which tolerate only a low limit of rounds.

CONSCRIPTING THE IDLE RICH

(Toronto Globe.)
Colonel Grasset, chief of police, is interpreting literally the order in council requiring every male person between sixteen and sixty years of age to be "regularly engaged in some useful occupation." His attitude will rarely jar many men who have regarded the edict as a rhetorical flourish, a device of the politicians to hoodwink the public into thinking they were doing something by ordering them to get something to do. Equally iconoclastic is Colonel Grasset's announcement that he intends to make

LONE SENTINEL IN ITALIAN PASS



the "idle rich" realize the blessings of toil. He says:

"We have already received the names of a number of people of means who have no useful occupation, and unless they obtain employment at once they will be in a quandary if Colonel Grasset suits the action to the word. The order in council does not define 'useful occupations,' but leaves this question to the police magistrate. In England a man pleaded for exemption before a military tribunal on the ground that his regular work, painting spots on rocking-horses, was one of national importance.

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QUARTER MILLION TAKEN IN PLAYERS

New York, April 28—With seventy-odd ball players either in the national service or having received the official notification of their draft subject to momentary call, the National and American Leagues have lost nearly a quarter of a million dollars' worth of major league talent. A conservative estimate of this loss is \$201,700, although if the real figures could be obtained the deficit would be greater.

According to this announcement, the Chicago Cubs are the heaviest sufferers, having paid upwards of \$90,000 for Alexander and Kilmer. Estimates of the losses to other clubs caused by the draft are as follows: Red Sox, \$15,000; Athletics, \$12,000; Braves, \$12,000; Tigers, \$8,000; Reds, \$8,000; Yanks, \$7,500; White Sox, \$7,500; Giants, \$7,000; Cards, \$7,500; Senators, \$6,000; Browns, \$6,000; Phillies, \$6,000 and Pirates, \$6,000. The Giants' \$7,000 represents minor leaguers the team secured at draft prices last year. Benny Knuff is likely to be called at any time, being in Class 1A.

STILL VOTING ON ITINERANCY

Methodists Undecided on the Change They Desire
(Toronto Globe.)
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TODAY AND TUESDAY
EDNA GOODRICH, "REPUTATION"
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ors. The returns of the voting on the subject received up to April 15 record 9,286 in favor of the present time limit and 4,049 in favor of some change. Of the 2,088 circuits and missions, only 1,294 have sent in reports, leaving 859 still to be heard from. Those reporting indicate an official membership of 24,284 and 18,105 were present when the vote was taken.

The changes suggested are numerous, the most popular being the removal of the time limit, a four-year term with the privilege of remaining from year to year, as in the Basis of Union. Other suggestions range from three to twelve years as a time limit, while some would keep their pastor for a life term.

Rev. Dr. T. Albert Moore, secretary of the General Conference, who is handling the vote, says it is difficult to arrive at a conclusion as to the value of the vote. One report states that all voted for the continuance of the present limit and at the same time voted unanimously for the memorial to General Conference to change the present law so as to allow for the keeping of a minister for a second term of four years.

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LOCAL NEWS

A PRESENTATION

E. R. Higgins having joined the Siege Battery, the employees of A. Gilmor & Co., on Saturday, presented to him a case of pipes and a shaving set, with an expression of their warmest regards.

AROOSTOOK POTATOES

Potatoes were selling at \$2 per barrel in Carleton Thursday, according to reports received at the Bangor & Aroostook office today.

A PLUMBING MATTER

Taylor & Sweeney were reported for having inadequate plumbing in a house managed by them in Britain street. They said that a plumber had been engaged, but was not yet finished. His Honor gave them until next week.

THE CHILDREN SANG

Yesterday being the fourth Sunday in the month, the Sunday school choir sang at the evening service in St. Philip's church. A large congregation was delighted with the freshly young voices blended in sweet music. Rev. R. H. W. Pinkett, the pastor, spoke words of counsel and of warning to the young people.

FREDERICTON PRICES

Market prices at Fredericton on Saturday were: Eggs, 35c; butter, 35c; beef, 14c; pork, 28c; to 30c; potatoes, \$2.50 per barrel; carrots, \$1.50; turnips, 50c; honey, 85c per dozen, or 50c per bottle; young pigs, 5c each.

REGIMENT FOR HALIFAX

Halifax, like other military headquarters in Canada, is to have a garrison regiment and its strength is to be 2,000. It will be part of the Canadian expeditionary force, but will be for home guard duty. The new regiment is expected to absorb all the special service units and in addition all such members of the militia units as are willing to enter the service and come under the military service act.

HAS JOINED THE ENGINEERS

Norbert T. Foley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Foley of East St. John, left in the Royal Bank of Canada North End branch, has joined the Canadian Engineers. After receiving several recommendations from friends and relatives he left Saturday evening for St. John's, Quebec, where he will join his unit. Mr. Foley, who is of a kind and pleasing disposition, made a host of friends and acquaintances, whose best wishes will follow him throughout his military life.

KING'S LAW SCHOOL

The students of King's College Law School here are almost through the course for the year and preparations are already being made for sending the graduating men to Windsor to receive their degrees of B. C. L. Among those who are in the graduating class this year are W. E. McMonagle, Edward P. O'Toole, S. Carton and R. Stephenson. The last examination will be written this evening on wills, lecturer Judge Armstrong, and encensia will be at Windsor on Thursday, May 2.

DOGS AND CATS

A member of the Animal Rescue League writes:—"A few days ago I noticed an article in the paper advising the killing of stray dogs that would damage our war gardens. This should most certainly be done. I am glad the next day preparations are being made to put out the stray dogs and cats. But let them be put out of the way mercifully. I suggest putting the matter in the hands of the S. P. C. A."

BOYS CHARGED WITH THEFT OF TUB OF BUTTER

Man Who Bought 31 Pounds From Them for \$9 Out His Money

Two juveniles, previous offenders both, were before the magistrate this morning in the juvenile court on charges of stealing a tub containing thirty-one pounds of butter from the market on Saturday and selling it for a little more than \$9 in a Brussels street store. The detectives located the butter and confiscated it, and as the boys had no money, it was presumed that all the proceeds have been spent and the buyer is out his money. The boys were remanded until Wednesday morning. One boy was charged with not giving a satisfactory account of himself, and was sent below.

EIGHT IN COURT ON DRUNKENNESS CHARGE

A holiday assortment of inebriates were lined up before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning, when no fewer than eight prisoners were present on drunkenness charges. They were all fined \$8, although several were told they were liable to \$200 fine for having liquor in possession. They were all sent below. Two paid their fines this morning. A man and a woman, both of them Italians, were charged with a serious offence. They were remanded.

MONCTON SOLDIER WOUNDED

Moncton, N. B., April 29—Mrs. Jennie Lockhart has received word that her husband, Pte. Claude Eugene Lockhart, has been wounded and admitted to the 12th Field Ambulance, suffering with gunshot wound in the left leg. He is a son of William Lockhart of Moncton and has been in France about eighteen months. Commissioner W. J. Richards of the Salvation Army will visit Moncton tonight and open a Young People's Hall. He will be accompanied by Brigadier Frank Morris of Toronto, Major and Mrs. Barr, Esquignat Best and Esquignat Squarebriggs.

JUST LIKE NEW BRUNSWICK

The Bureau of Markets of the United States Department of Agriculture, says: Estimates tell of 1,800,000 pounds of potatoes still unsold in the United States. Experts are agreed that only great efforts and moderate retail prices will move them. Many people in the United States will eat potatoes three times a day, if they are offered plentifully and the price is kept within their reach. To hold back potatoes now means grave danger of a demoralized market later on, or else millions of pounds lost as human food.

VACCINATE ALL THE PEOPLE IN CARLETON AND IN LANCASTER

Precautionary Measure Because of Smallpox Cases Recently Discovered

Preparations for the vaccination of all persons residing in West St. John and Lancaster are being completed by the board of health of the city and county, under authority of the provincial board of health. This is a precautionary measure due to the fact that these districts were more or less exposed to the disease by patients now in the isolation hospital before the onset of their illness was learned. So far, as no cases have been found in other parts of the city, the general vaccination plan has not been ordered for any portion on the eastern side of the harbor.

For West St. John the work of vaccinating the residents has been assigned to Doctors F. L. Kenney, W. L. Ellis, R. G. Day and B. F. Johnson. In Lancaster this duty will be performed by Doctors Allingham, Morris and Conneau. In order to make the vaccination complete, the physicians will make a house-to-house visitation and each occupant will either have to show a certificate proving that he or she has been vaccinated recently or else bare the arm to the doctor. Those who prefer to have their own physician attend to the matter will be given an opportunity but will be required to report promptly with a certificate to show that they have fulfilled the instructions. It is more than fifteen years since such a step has been taken in St. John and at that time the whole city was vaccinated.

LATE CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, April 28—Casualties:—

INFANTRY.

Wounded— R. McDonald, Dundas, P. E. I.; J. J. Crowley, Campbellton, N. B.; G. Derritt, Hampstead, N. B.; J. N. DeBow, Cornhill, N. B.; G. C. Hutchinson, Upper Musquodouin, N. S.; N. Letourneau, Campbellton, N. B.; A. McIsaac, Low Point, N. S.; J. M. Brown, Glassville, N. B.; R. H. Bertram, Halifax, B. Woods, Truro, N. S.; W. Jackson, Amherst, N. S.; E. Fogarty, Hazel Hill, N. S.

ENGINEERS.

Gassed. J. Scott, Sydney, N. S.

MACHINE GUN COMPANY.

Gassed. S. B. Gavel, Gavelton, N. S.

ARTILLERY.

Died of Wounds— E. A. Taylor, Charlottetown, P. E. I. T. E. Penny, Ficton, N. S.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Gassed. D. A. McPhie, Souris, P. E. I.

FUNERAL OF FATHER O'DONOVAN TOMORROW

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ton for treatment and there underwent an operation; eventually pneumonia developed and his death ensued.

After announcing the arrangements for the funeral, His Lordship referred to Father O'Donovan's life and work. He was, said Bishop LeBlanc, a well known priest who had labored on either side of the harbor for many years, in fact all his priestly life. He was not only well known but was held in the highest respect by all classes. He had the faculty of making friends and retaining their friendship. Even during his illness in the Boston hospital he was a comfort to his friends in the short time he was there and all about him felt very badly as well as the people at home, when it was realized that he could not recover.

Father O'Donovan, said His Lordship, had done a great work. He had labored faithfully for the spiritual welfare of his people as well as in material work for the church. His church and house and grounds were always kept in perfect condition and all were a credit not only to the parish but would be to any large city. He had always shown excellent taste. "We all realize," said Bishop LeBlanc in conclusion, "how great a loss to the church in the city and diocese. I trust that you will not forget him in your prayers."

Feeling References.

In St. Peter's church Father Costello spoke of Father O'Donovan's qualities as a friend, saying he was a friend in need to all, wealthy made no distinction. High and low, rich and poor, Catholic or non-Catholic, mattered not to this generous son of Erin. He alluded to his work in the Lord's vineyard, where he toiled without murmur. He exhorted the people to pray for the repose of his soul.

In Holy Trinity church Very Rev. J. J. Walsh, V. G., addressed his congregation regarding the great loss to the Catholic church in the death of Father O'Donovan. He referred to his works as a priest of God and asked his congregation to pray for the repose of his soul. Not only by his own was Father O'Donovan known, loved and respected, but by others not of his belief.

Rev. C. Collins of St. Rose's church, Fairville, spoke with feeling reference to the death of Father O'Donovan. He had known him for many years and had found him always a friend who had gained the respect and confidence of his people. Father O'Donovan's friends reached into the sphere of those outside his church as non-Catholic and Catholic alike were his friends. He spoke of the great work he had accomplished. He exhorted the people to pray for him.

In St. John the Baptist church, Broad street, Rev. F. J. McMurray said that the death of Father O'Donovan had taken from the people a true and beloved friend and from the church a pious and devoted priest. He also said that when the corner-stone of the St. John's church was laid, Father O'Donovan was given charge and while there he helped materially in clearing off the debt of the church and when he had left to take charge of the parish of the Assumption on the West Side a large part of the debt had been cleared away. Father O'Donovan would be much missed.

Rev. Father Healey, C. S. S. R., of St. Peter's parish, occupied the pulpit of the Assumption church yesterday morning. He paid a glowing tribute to Father O'Donovan, regarding his works among the people and exhorted the congregation to offer up their prayers for the repose of his soul.

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