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# NATIONAL SERVICE MESSAGE BROUGHT HOME TO ST. JOHN BY ELOQUENT SPEAKERS; WHAT CANADA EXPECTS OF EVERY PATRIOT

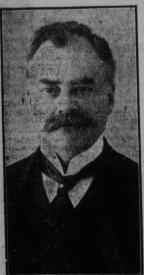
Hon. J. D. Hazen and R. B. Bennett Carry the Fiery Cross of Service WERNIA S Into the Maritime Provinces---Monster Audience in the Imperial Last Evening Heard the Issue Told of in No Uncertain Terms---What is Required of All Canadians if This Country is to Do Its Full Duty in Regard to the War.

# NATIONAL SERVICE CARDS MUST BE FILLED OUT OR IT MAY BE FOUND NECESSARY TO TAKE HARSHER MEASURES

ter of Marine and Fisheries, and R. B. Bennett, K. C., M. P., of National Service, at a great meeting at the Imperial Theatre ning. In an eloquent and forceful manner the two Canadian states distinguished sons of New Brunswick, brought home to the vast aue a complete realization of the present crisis confronting the Domin ion in common with other portions of the British Empire. The true significance of national service was impressed on every member of the huge gathring, the speakers ably outlining the pressing duty that the citizens of Canada owed to their country in connection with the gigantic struggle in hich the Empire is engaged for the cause of civilization.

Mr. Bennett's plain statement that if the national service movement was not a success "the resources of civilization were not exhausted" was ne of the outstanding features of the meeting, as it was undoubtedly indication of the policy of the administration of the country to bring in alsory legislation should the voluntary system prove a failure, and the interests of the Empire demand the more drastic step.

Last evening's meeting was a unique one in the history of gatherings in this city. It was a meeting peculiar to these momentous times. The ensiasm that characterized the meeting, the determination to co-operate in the m wement that seemed to pervade the gathering must have imessed the speakers that the citizenhood of St. John are alive to the needs of the moment and are prepared to strain every nerve in order to bring the war to a speedy and happy termination.



meeting in a body.

A pleasing feature of the meeting was the enthusiastic reception accorded to the returned soldiers who occupied seats on the platform. It was nevidence of the appreciation of the citizens generally of the valor of the citizens dead to the call of Empire and went forth to do their bit for king and country.

The meeting passed off without a hitch. Much of the credit for the sucens of New Brunswick in the

ister of Agriculture and he delivered one of the ablest addresses that has en heard by a local audience. The nister's commanding personality ete grasp of the whole subject, naid a magnificent tribute to the galiring line, to the efficiency of the British navy, and to all those engaged in the vadious branches of war work. The minister spoke of the proud part Empire, of the country's tremendous ions, and said that what had been ditions, and said that what had been at unplished augured well for the funce, which must of necessity see an ater results achieved. In the present struggle for liberty and justice as opposed to tyranny and uppression, he strongly ursed the people of the city and province to do everything in their power for the triumpo of the Allied cause.

Mr. Bennett fully sustained the enviable reputation he enjoys as one of the country's foremost orators. A stranger to the biggest portion of the (Continued un page 2)

# ARE WE WORTHY OF THIS?

4 Marsh St. St. John, N. B. Jan. 4th, 1917.

Major L. P. D. Tilley, Director National Service for N. B., St. John, N. B.

Dear Sir,-I received your very kind card of invitation Dear Sir,—I received your very kind card of invitation to be present this evening at the Imperial Theatre on the occasion when the Hon. J.D. Hazen and R. B. Bennett, K.C., M. P., Director General National Service, will address the gathering. How gladly would I accept and aid you in the great work, if I could. I am physically unfit to leave my room. The dread disease consumption has got me and soon No. 444743 will answer to the call up yonder. My strength is failing rapidly and it will be the "last post" for me in the near by-and-by.

May you have a grand meeting and may lasting victory come to our arms, and peace to our land.
Yours in the spirit of the fight.

To Major L. P. D. Tilley, D. G. for N. B.

# war to a speedy and happy termination. Yours in the spirit of the fight. GEORGE R. MANNING, Premier Clarke and the New Brunswick government, made a few approlice, he ison showed himself to be a brilliant speaker. Rapt attention followed the important remarks of the Competence of General of National Service Just what National Service means was explained by Mr. Bennett. It means the doing by the Canadian clitizen that work in connection with the war for which he is best fitted, The Director General divided the man power of Canada into three outstanding classes, the fighting, working and paying classes. He told his audience that service should never be measured by the magnitude of the task but by the necessity. He explained National FOR POSTMASTER GENERAL

the magnitude of the task but by the necessity. He explained National Service in its various ramifications. Mayor Hayes presided at the meeting and the City Cornet Band, that well known local musical organization, rendered most acceptably several patrictic selections under the direction of Bandmaster Waddington.

A number of prominent figures in the civil and military life of the city and provinces occupied seats on the platform, while representatives of the leading patriotic organizations occupied seats in the boxes. The members of the Y. W. P. A. attended the meeting in a body.

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# QUEENSBURY IN HALIFAX

# SOLDIERS ARE HOME AGAIN

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 4—About fifty passengers from England arrived here by steamer today, among them was Mrs. McC. Grant, wife of Lt.-Governor Grant of Nova Scotia.

Among those on board were Percy Sholto Douglas, the Marquis tof Queensbury, who is going to western Canada to look after some mining interests.

Runaway on Main Street.

Yesterday afternoon about 4.45 victook two horses owned by H. Drin 1811 ran away on Main strees, were at a mining interest and the content of the presentation, as the Swiss minister presented the official text received from Italy on Tuesday.

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# TORPEDOED RY U-BOAT

Big Cunard Liner, A Transport, Sunk in Mediterranean and 153 Men Missing.

London, Jan. 4.—The British transport Ivernia has been sunk, it was officially announced tonight. One hundred and fifty-three military officers and men are missing.

The Cunard liner Ivernia, a 14,278 ton steamer, has been for some time in the British government service as a transport, having at various times carried troops from Canada and between British ports and the Dardanelles. There has been nothing in recent reports regarding her movements. She was built in 1900.

Official Report.

The text of the announcement reads

# IS RECEIVED IN GERMANY

Puts an End to Peace Chances Probably, but

Berlin, Jan. 4, via London, Jan. 5.—
The offical text of the Entente reply to the peace proposals has been finally received by the American embassy by the roundabout route of Washington and Copenhagen. It will be presented by Ambassador Gerard to the foreign office this afternoon. There is no urgency with respect to the presentation, as the Swiss minister presented the official text received from Italy on Tuesday.

London War Office Makes Statement to This Effect — Berlin Says Dobrudia Cleared of Russians and Roumanians Except Narrow Strip of Land.

BRITISH SUCCESSFULLY RAID ENEMY TRENCHES NORTHEAST OF ARRAS AND NEAR WYTSCH-AETE-FRENCH DISPERSE GERMANS NORTH OF FONTENOY-VIOLENT ARTILLERY DUELS AT SEVERAL POINTS IN FRANCE.

Except for a narrow strip of land projecting into the Danube marshes toward the Moldavian town of Galatz, all of Dobrudja has been cleared by the Teutonic Allies of Russian and Roumanian troops. After the fall of Matchin and Jijila the defenders began a retreat across the Danube toward Braila, and according to Berlin a force of Russian rear guards on the peninsula projecting toward Galatz comprises the only Entente troops now in Roumania between the Danube river and the

The text of the announcement reads as follows:

"The Ivernia was sunk by an enemy submarine in the Mediterranean on January 1 during bad weather, and while carrying troops. At present four military officers and 146 men are missing.

"The casualties among the Ivernia's officers and crew are not yet definitely known, but hopes are entertained that the onty omeers of the shriminssing are the surgeon and chief engineer."

A supplementary report issued by the Admiralty says that thirty-three of the crew of the Ivernia and 120 men are missing.

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Entente troops now in Roumania between the Danube river and an engagements between the spile continuing their invasion of the country from the south and west, although along the front of Field Marshal Von Mackensen in the former region they are meeting with strong resistance at various points from the Russian and Roumanian tracks.

Russians Gain Point.

In the wooded Carpathians the Russians took of German attempt against British trenches east of Armentieres was put down with losses to the attackers.

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# CHRISTIANITY

Some Think Door Not Entirely Closed.

Pope Benedict Hopes Particurrounding the murder of Miss Mazle Colbert, a well known artist's model, in her apartments in Philadelphia last

Washington, Jan. 4—Private letters from the Vatican, received by Dr. A. Palmiert, of the Library of Congress, a recognized writer on ecclesiastical subjects, announce that Pope Benedict XV., is about to appoint a commission of four cardinals to renew a movement begun by Pope Leo XIII. and abandoned by Pope Pius X., looking to a reunion of Christianity, and the cultivation of friendly relations with the Anglican church. A public announcement on the subject from Rome is expected shortly.

Anglicans Medium?

Dr. Palmiert sald tonight that the new movement, as outlined in his advices, will be directed particularly toward the establishment of a reunion of the Russian church and the Papacy, and to a thorough re-examination in to the validity of Anglican or Episcopal ordinations, which was settled in the negative in a papal bill, "apostolical sed"s," by Pope Leo X.

The friendship of the Anglican church is appreciated by Rome, for she may be as a link of union between Roman Catholicism and Russian Orthodoxy.

St. John Schooner Ashore.

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Presentation in Customs.

# PHILADELPHIA MYSTERY ENDED BY SUICIDE

man, Anglican and Russian

Saturday night is believed by the police to have been solved tonight by the suicide, in an Atlantic hotel, of Bernard W. Lewis, the wealthy son of Wenman A. Lewis, a retired multimillionaire coal operator of Pitts-

Runaway on Main Street.

Yesterday afternoon about of cicick two horses owned by H. Driscoil ran away on Main street. The horses were attached to a sloven loaded with fron. The moise of the iron apparently frightened them.

They were stoped on Mill street by the ald of Police Constable Thomas McFarlane. Horiver of the team, Charles Hodgins, escaped injury.

Longshoreman injured.

Arnold Ladee, a longshoreman, while employed on one of the freighters of the two that the annual meeting of the company will be held on February 12. Clow the Hooding at the west Side, fells. Annual made that the annual meeting of the company will be held on February 12. Clow the Hooding at the West Side, fells. We was removed to the General Public Hospital.

A Happy Reunion.

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The men who are retiring from the Customs.

The men who are retiring from the Customs of R. Ward of the schooner is 272 tons and owned by Mr. Smith and there was born at Russian Orthodoxy.

The late Lieut-Col. MacLeod was born at Russian Orthodoxy.

The late Lieut-Col.

# NATIONAL SERVICE MESSAGE BROUGHT

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The Fighting Man.

Experience had proven that the men (Continued on page 3)



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### Those Who "Knock."

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There had been criticism of the method adopted to get this inventory and nearly every person thought they knew more about how it should have been done than the government, but he thought that if some of the gentlemen who were criticizing the premier and the government would change places with Sir Robert for only one day they would cease to write editorials and sit themselves down in sack-cloth and ashes to repent.

Another purpose of the National Service Board was to study the natural resources of the country and bring out some of the potentialities which were lying undeveloped all round us.

ound us.
Thrift Necessary.

Thrift Necessary.

Another gospel which they were preaching was against waste. The citizens of this country had wasted altogether too much and a propaganda for saving would be one of the features of the national service work.

Thrift was another one of the planks in the national service platform, plain old-fashioned thrift, where a man lived on a little less than he earned. He advised the audience to invest in war bonds and thus keep the money in the country and have the interest on the debt paid in Canada.

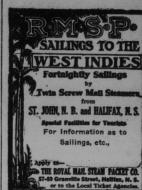
Another thing was the after the war problems and the National Service Board expected to have the necessary information about the natural resources of the country to be able to intelligently take care of the men who

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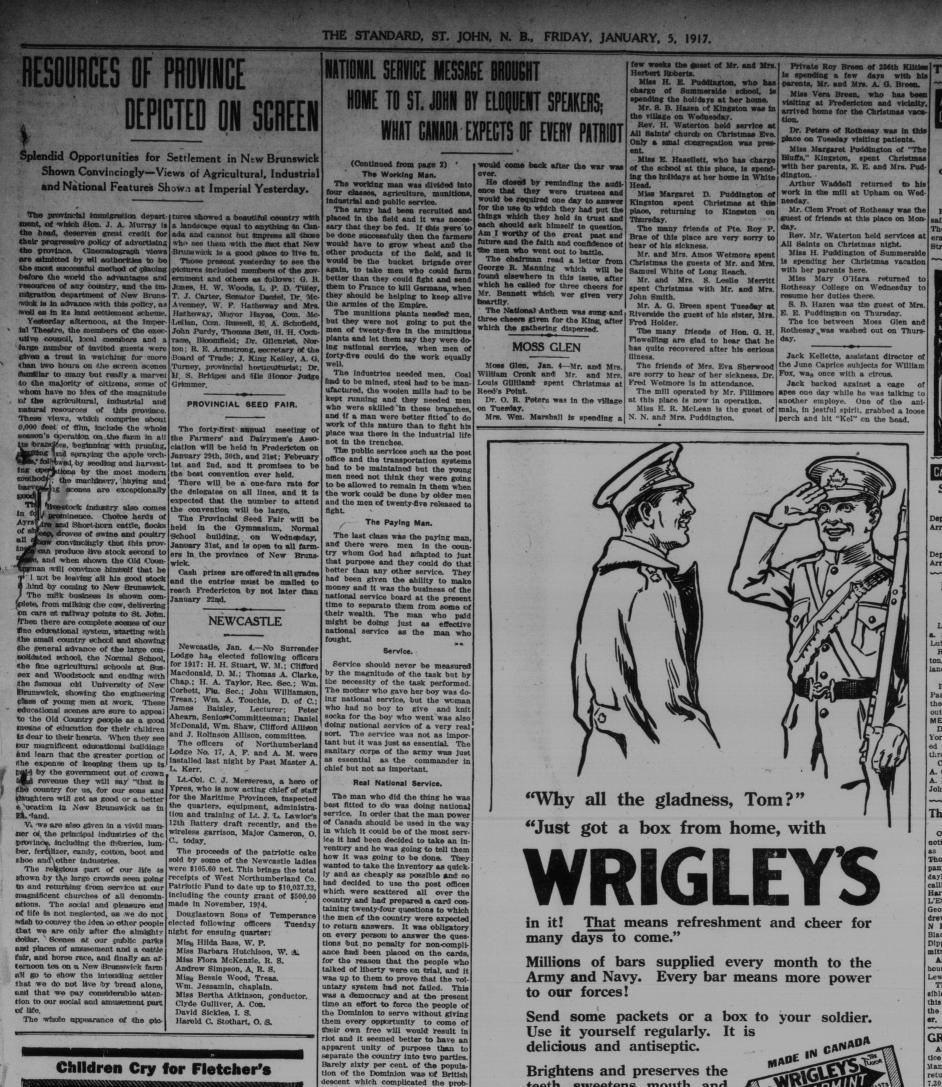
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value to the country and the Empire engaged in raising wheat to feed other fighting men than he could possibly be in the trenches. And this is but one illustrative case.

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It has been found that for the suc- The supplying of men to fill the sadly cessful prosecution of this war it is necessary to divide the men of Canada into at least three classes: First, the fighting men, which embraces all numarried, physically fit Canadians between the ages of 19 and 25, it having been established that the men between those ages are best calculated to withstand the headships of transit. essful prosecution of this war it is depleted ranks of the boys on the firto withstand the hardships of trench warfare. Such young men are not do ing the best National Service unless | The New Brunswick Gvernment is they are in khaki, fighting for their to be heartily commended for its ac-

tion yesterday, in appointing a non-The second class embraces men partisan and well qualified commis-ngaged in the great necessary industries of the country, the agriculthe Workman's Compensation Acts of turists who produce from the fields Ontario and Nova Scotia with a view the material with which the soldiers to their application to conditions in are fed the skilled workmen of the this province. Since the adoption of the mines. These men will probably Brunswick, which at the time of its he found to be older than the first framing, was one of the most advanced named class, and correctly so, for men pieces of legislation on the statute of fighting age, unless highly special-books of any province, conditions ized workmen whose services are of have changed so that it is necessar, particular value, cannot be said to be that the measure should be revised doing their full duty while they are and, possibly, improved. To secur filling a position, even in a munition information on which to base such implant, which could be as well filled provement is the function of the com-

f less value in the fighting lines.

The third class, and one to whose important duty will be expected to ex responsibilities Mr. Bennett drew particular attention, is composed of the man who cannot fight, cannot make munitions or serve in equally valuable capacity in the development of the basic industries of the country, but to whom has been given the gift of wealth, the ability to make money. Unable to perform National Service in the other lines mantional this man. in the other lines mentioned this man should pay, and it will be the busi-LARKIN—Suddenly, in this city, on the 4th inst., George M. Larkin in the skriteth year of his age, leaving hig wife, five sone and one daughter to mourn.

Notice of funeral later, he does not evade or escape his re-

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enlistment inseparate from the voluntary system of raising armies. These mistakes have not been confined to Canada, hence it is that it had been found necessary to take four divisions of British soldiers out of the trenches in France and Flanders and return them to Britain, there to do more valuable work in the munition plants, the shipyards, the mines, or other basic industries of the country.

By National Service it is hoped to prevent a recurrence of such mistakes and to direct the energy of each willing Canadian into the channels where the best results can be secured from his labor. For instance, a scientific farmer who on a western Canadian farm can raise 8,000 bushels to the confidence of the men who have forsaken their divil vocations and have donned in few play and a cutoflitical and religious life of England after the war will be the influence of the women. The woman suffrage question in England is settled by the strength and grandeur of women's settled by the strength and grandeur of women's services to the national electors are less criticism, or for condemnation impolled solely by political and religious life of England after the war will be the influence of the women. The woman suffrage question in England is settled by the strength and grandeur of women's services to the nation. When the matter comes to a vote an overwhelming majority will record itself in favor of puting women on the national electors are less criticism, or for condemnation impolates is work and to direct the energy of each within the boundaries is work and to political and religious life of England after the war will be the influence of the women. The woman strifteness to the work when the mast will probably state the war will be the influence of the women. The woman striftenes of the women and england after the war will be the influence of the women. The woman strifteness to the work of the women of the matter the work of the work of the women. The woman striftenes of the women of the antional electors are less criticism, or fo dian farm can raise 8,000 bushels of wheat in the year is of much more value to the country and the Empire or of the noble women who college resources, gathering their stu-

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An athletic meet was held between two lof the Bible classes at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday, the Otters and the Rovers, which was won by the Rovers, 25 to 21. The following events were run off: Running broad jump, Otters 1st, Rovers 2nd and 3rd; potato race, three men each against time, Otters won, 1.25 3-5; pull ups, Rovers 1st and 3rd, Otters 2nd; standing broad jump, Rovers 1st and 2nd, Otters 3rd; five men relay race, two laps against time, Otters won, time 1.45 4-5.

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# AND MR. BENNETT WELL RECEIVED

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Some New Men to Taken On.

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The City Council yesterday had before the minimum of the council of

The death took place yesterday morning of William Kirk, a respected resident of Lower Cove, aged \$2 years. He is survived by his wife, two sons and four daughters: John, manager of the Cullinen Transfer Co, and William that Littled States Mrs. Catherine. the Culturen Transfer Co, and Whates in the United States; Mrs. Catherine Ritchie, Mrs. Fred Quinlan, Mrs. Rich-ard Fitzgerald and Miss Alice at home. The funeral will take place from his late residence, 292 Germain street, to-morrow afternoon at 2,30 o'clock.

Mrs. Ann McLean. half-sister, Miss Mildred McLean, Mrs McLean had a large number of friend who heard of her death with great re

gret. The funeral will take place at Cumberland Bay tomorrow afternoon. Miss Annie England. Tabusinac, Jan. 4.—Many friends learned with deep regret of the death recently at her home in Gaythorne, of Miss Annie England, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John England, after three

am accident which made it always necessary for her to move about with the aid of crutches. By daily duties and by her bright, cheerful manner and unselfish life she had endeared herself to her many friends Truly of her can it be said "She hath done is what she could."

Besides her age?

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place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, Main street, Fairville. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Townshend and interment was made

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esterday.
The Earl and Countess of Ashburn ham came in from Fredericton yester day and are staying at the Royal. Miss Kate McGaffigan, of the Boston School of Dramatic Art, after spend-ing the holiday with her father and sister in Summer street, has returned

o Boston.
T. J. Carter, M.L.A., of Andover, is in the city a guest at the Victoria Ho-

is in the city.

Hon. J. B. M. Baxter reached the city on the Montreal express yesterday from Fredericton.

Hon. Geo. J. Clarke is in the city, a guest at the Royal Hotel, Hon. J. A. Murray, Hon. B. Frank

## BORN.

HEAGERTY—On Tuesday, Jan. 2nd, to Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Heagerty, of (Montreal and Quebec papers please

BARTON—At Port Richmond, Staten Island, N. Y., Dec. 24, 1916, Har-riet, beloved wife of Robert Barton, formerly of this city.

TRITES—In this city, on January 4, Maud Louise, eldest daughter of the late John Starr Trites, of Moncton,

Besides her aged parents she is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Levi Elms and Mrs. J. E. Pratt of Melrose, Mass.: Mrs. Alfred Stymiest of Price Settlement and Mrs. Albert Stewart of Gaythorne, also two brothers, John and Everett of Gaythorne.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Oliver B. Cougle took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, on the 3rd instant, Bernard Nelson, in the S8th year of his age, leaving one son and two daughters to mourn.

Funeral from residence of his sisterin-law. Miss Teresa Morris, Loch Lomond Road, Friday afternoon, at 2.30. Friends invited to attend. Coaches leave King Square at 1.45. COHOLAN—At his residence, 557 Main street, on the 3rd inst., John Coholan, in the 87th year of his age, leaving one son and two daughters leaving one son and two daughters.

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Miss Dorothy Dooham of Frederic-ton, who has been visiting friends in the city, has returned home.

Herbert O'Neill, who has been spending the holiday season at his former home here has returned to

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LADY ABERDEEN ENTERTAINED.

A visit was paid by Lady Aberdeen to both the Local Red Cross and the Provincial Red Cross at the depot on Chapman Hill, yesterday morning. This was the first Red Cross depot which all the work done here. She was received by Mrs. J. A. MoAvity, the president. She saw all the facilities for packing and the cutting out rooms and complimented the ladies on the excellent order and system. She, as well as Miss Thompson, who accompanted her was especially interested in the comfort bags, a sample of which was presented to them. Lady Aberdeen was one of the chief organizers of the City of Dubbin Hospital, known as the castle Hospital, and has been actively engaged in promoting Red Cross depot Lady Aberdeen, accompanied by Mrs. Rich-Tom the Red Cross depot Lady Aberdeen, accompanied by Mrs. Rich-Tom the Red Cross depot Lady Aberdeen, accompanied by Mrs. Rich-Tom the Red Cross depot Lady Aberdeen, accompanied by Mrs. Rich-Tom the Red Cross depot Lady Aberdeen, accompanied by Mrs. Rich-Tom the Red Cross depot Lady Aberdeen, accompanied by Mrs. Rich-Tom the Red Cross work.

A visit was paid by Lady Aberdeen to the Free Kindergarten Mrs. W. C. Matthews spicke, and for the Women's Suffrage Mrs. R. Hooper. May of Ashburnham, General MicLean, Col. Guthrie, Col. D'Algie and Officers of the 165th, Major Cornbett, Hon. Wm. and Mrs. Pugsley.

UNITED MISSIONARY MEETING.

At the Germain Street Institute the annual meeting of the United Women's Missionary Societies was held were applied to them. Lady Aberdeen was very large and a most satisfactory collection was taken up for the work of the Children's Aid.

In place of the Rev. A. L. Flemming, who was to speak on his work in Baffin Land, Mrs. Flemming gave an account of her husband's labors in those icy regions. She described the fact that part of Mr. Flemming's work the Collection was to speak on his work in the red the speak of national service should be account of the chilar and told of the fact that part of Mr. Flemming's work the fact that part of Mr.

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gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

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Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World and on the Stage---Favorites and What They Say and Do.

The Unique.

To the children's way of thinking at least, the principal features at the Unique yesterday were Charlie Chapfin in "The Vagabond" and the second episode of the series "Grant, The Police Reporter." "The Vagabond" has been seen before, but those who attended the Unique theatre yesterday certainly did enjoy a good hearty taugh from the antics of Charlie and his big love romance. There was a unified extraction of the series.

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"Have you had any experience with children?" she asked one of the applicants for the position.
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No. 2. Why are teeth like verbs? No. 3. Why are deaf people like Dutch cheese?

No. 4. How many sides are there to a tree?

No. 5. Why is sympathy like blindman's buff?

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And whereas the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council has considered the provisions of the said act with reference to the system of progressive tax-ation and has received a large number of protests against such system:

It is therefore ordered that the said system of progressive taxation be not put in force during the present year, and whereas the following rules and regulations are deemed necessary to carry the said act into effect, the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council hereby make and ordain the same, namely:

1. Each city, town and municipality ordered to be assessed shall pay to the treasurer of "The Canadian Patriotic Fund" at Ottawa on or before the 1st day of March next, three-training the present year, in the lieutenant-Governor-in-Council hereby make and ordain the same, namely:

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GOVT. AS PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK'S
PAYMENT TO THE PATRIOTIC FUND FOR '17

WILLIES Faid Direct to the Treasurer of the Fund at Ottaws
—Sinit John City's Share is \$150,000—To Be Raised
Either By Assessment or Bond Issue.

At yellowing therefore, season of the State Powerfully control the Provincial Government and amounts to be levide on the Issue of the Royal Control of the Assessment of the State Powerfull (Issue the State Powerfull) (Issue the

Extracts from "The Saint John City Assessment Act of 1909."

32. The Assessors shall ascertain, as nearly as pos sible, the particulars of the real estate, the personal property, and the income of any person who has not brought in a statement in accordance with their notice and as required by this law, and shall make an estimate thereof at the true value and amount, to the best of their information and belief; and such estimate shall be conclusive upon all persons who have not filed their statements in due time, unless they can show a reasonable excuse for the omission.

37. Every person, who wilfully or without lawful excuse, refuses, neglects or omits to fill up, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, any schedule or form as required by any district commissioner, or refuses, neglects or omits to sign and return the same as herinbefore required, or makes, signs, delivers or returns, or causes to be made, signed, delivered or returned any false or incorrect answer or statement as to any matter called for by such schedule or form, or refuses or neglects or omits to answer verbally any question which, within the scope of his duties, may be asked by any district commissioner upon any subject as to which As the courses will be short those any district commissioner is authorized to inquire shall, for every such neglect, refusal, omission, act or default, be liable to a penalty not exceeding FORTY DOLLARS.

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38. In case any person knowingly makes any false or incorrect entry, allegation, or answer, or gives any false or incorrect information in the sworn statement required to be made under this Act, or answers untruly to any question present as much as possible.

The only expenses you will incur

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The sole head of a family, or any male over 15 properly asked of him under this Act, every such person
shall, on complaint of any assessor or any ratepayer, be
liable to a penalty of not more than TWO HUNDXED
DOLLARS, recoverable on summary conviction.

The only expenses you will incur
are for board and your railway fare
at reduced rate. Purchase a single
first-class Ticket and secure a Standard Certificate from the Ticket Agent.

43. No person shall have an abatement unless he has filed with the assessors the statement under oath within the time required; nor shall the Common Council in any such case, sustain an appeal from the judgment of the Assessors, unless they shall be satisfied that there was good cause why the statement was not filed in due time as herein provided.

# Beer

has earned its reputation as the world's greatest food beverage. Its nutritive qualities promote health; its pleasant flavor satisfies, and its mildness encourages temperance.

Drink Ready's Pale Ale

# PURITS

Milled especially for particular cooksthose who want

BETTER BREAD"



Boys

**Wanted** 

Apply

T. S. SIMMS & Co. Ltd.

WANTED-CHOPPERS to cut

Wilson Box Co., Ltd.

A SECOND CLASS TEACHER WANTED for School District No. 5. Apply to A. A. Morrell, secretary, Hat-field Pt., R. R. No. 1, Kings Co., stat-

WANTED—Third class teacher for School District No. 5, Parish of Grand Pails. Apply, stating salary, to Perley J. Hitchcock, secretary, R. R. No. 1, Grand Falls, N. B.

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TEACHER WANTED for School Dis-

rict No. 5, River de Chute, Carleton Co. Apply stating salary, W. J. Miller,

dairy at Primecrest Farms, Primecrest, N. B. 'Phone West 373.

WANTED-Spruce logs delivered at

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word each insertion. Discount of 33 1-3 on advertisements running one week or longer if paid in ad

### AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS WANTED-Salesmen \$50 per week, selling one-hand egg-beater. Sample and terms 25c. Money refunded if unsatisfactory. Collette Mfg. Company, Collingwood, Ont.

### HORSES FOR SALE

Six good working horses, each Glenwood, Kings Co. A bargain for

SAVOY CONSTRUCTION CO., LTD., Glenwood, Kings Co., N. B.

POITS, Real Estate Broker, Auctioneer and Appraiser. All kinds of outside sales attended Large salesroom for the receipt of mer-

# WANTED

Men and Women to Attend Short Courses in Agriculture

Free Courses in Agriculture

New Brunswick during the months of February and March 1917, as follows: AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL, SUGSEX,

February 5th to 9th, inclusive. CHEESE AND BUTTER MAKERS COURSE, February 12th to 24th, inclusive.

AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL, WOODSTOCK, March 12th to 16th, inclusive.

March 19th to 23rd, inclusive.

The aim will be to make each course as practical as possible and also meet local conditions. This, it is hoped, will go far to in-sure a full attendance.

The only expenses you will incur are for board and your railway fare at reduced rate. Purchase a single First-class Ticket and secure a Standard Certificate from the Ticket Agent. Railway fares amounting to \$2.00 or over will be refunded by the Department of Agriculture.

As each course will be adapted to meet the conditions of the section of the province in which it is held, separate programmes, for the different courses are being prepared.

Write J. W. Mitchell. Department of Agriculture, Fredericton, N. B., for application form, further information and a programme of the course you purpose attending.

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acres and erect a house worth \$300.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction
in case of rough, scrubby or stony and. Live stock
may be substituted for cultivation under certain
conditions. a course in which they are interested.

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W. W.\*CORY, C. M. G.

Deputy of the Minister of Interior.

N. B. - Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. - 6533.

OF AGRICULTURE, HON. J. A. MURRAY, Minister.



NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Notice is hereby given that the light on the Foul Ground, St. John Harbor, gas buoy, is not burning.

Will be relighted soon as possible,

J. C. CHESLEY,

Notice is hereby given that the light on the Bell Buoy-Boat, anchored off the Eastern end of Partridge Island is not burning. Will be relighted as soon as possible. 

HOTELS.

### PARK HOTEL.

American and Europea Rates: \$2,00, \$2,50 Electric Cars Pass Door. KING SQUARE, ST. JOHN, N. B

CLIFTON HOUSE

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Per Day REYNOLDS & FRITCH

'THE PRINCE WILLIAM" One of St. John's first-class hotels for transient and permanent guests. Special rates for permanent winter guests. American plan. Prince Wil-

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King Street, St. John's Leading Hotel, RAYMOND & DOHERTY CO., LTD.

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J. T. DUNLOP, Manager.
New and Up-to-date Sample Rooms in
Connection.

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Opposite Union Depot, St. John, N. B.
Refurnished and renovated, heated
by hot water, lighted by electricity,
hot and cold baths. Coaches in attendance at all trains and steamers. Electric cars pass the house, connecting
with all trains and steamers. Baggage to and from the station free.
W. H. McQUADE ...... Proprietor.

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### RICHARD SULLIVAN & COMPANY.

Wholesale Wine and Spirit Merchants,
Agents for
MACKIE'S WHITE HORSE CELLAR
SCOTCH WHISKEY,
LAWSON'S LIQUEUR SCOTCH
WHISKEY,
SIMPSON'S HOUSE OF LORDS
SCOTCH WHISKEY,
KING GEORGE IV. SCOTCH
WHISKEY,

WHISKEY,
AUK'S HEAD BASS ALE,
PABST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER
GEORGE SAYER COGNAC
BRANDIES
Bonded Stores, 4445 Dock Street.
Phone 839, male teacher for advanced depart-ment, Grand Harbor school, District No. 4. Apply at once, stating salary and experience, to D. W. Daggett, secretary to trustees.

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WILLIAM L. WILLIAMS SUccessors to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchants, 110 and 112 Prince William St. Established 1870. Write for family price list. MEN WANTED-To work in the

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Direct importers and dealers in all the leading brands of Wines and Liq-uors; we also carry in stock from the best houses in Canada, very Old Ryes, Wines, Ales and Stout, Imported and

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# DRINK HABIT CURE.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

RUBBER GOODS MENDED-HO water bottles, syringes, invalid rings, etc., patched and mended at Wasson's Cut-Rate Drug Store, 711 Main street

LARGE SLEIGHS for sleighing par-

VIOLINS, MANDOLINS and all string instruments and Bows

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SYDNEY GIBBS,

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"PATENTS and Trade-marks procured. Featherstonhaugh and Co., Palmer Building, St. John." NOTICE TO MARINERS.

W. Balley, the English, American and Swiss watch repairer, 138 Mill Street. Work guaranteed.

A. L. COODWIN

WHOLESALE FRUITS 36-38 Germain St. S. John, N. B.

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### NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

# QUOTATIONS IN THE ST. JOHN MARKET

Only a few changes have taken place in the prices of commodities during the past few days. Manitoba flour is 50c, per barrel dearer than a week ago, and Ontario 30c. American clear pork is quoted at lower prices. American onions have advanced slightly. Ocats are easier, but middlings are up \$1. Turpentine has increased five cents. Late wholesale and jobbing prices are here given:

di ocei i			
Sugar, standard	\$7.65	@	\$7.70
Rice		**	5.50
Tapioca	0.11	**	0.12
Beans-			
Yellow-eyed	7.00	41	7.10
White	7.00	44	7.10
Cornmeal, gran		**	7.50
Cream of Tartar	0.42	**	0.43
Currants, cleaned	0.00	44	0.21
Molasses	0.62	44	0.63
Peas, split, bags	6.75	**	7.00
Barley, pot, bags	5.50	**	5.60
Raisins-			
Choice, seeded	0.1114	16	0.17
Paney seeded			0.0

Sait, Liverpool, per			
sack, ex store	1.25	**	1
Soda, bicarb	3.20		3
Flours			
Manitoba	0.00	**	10
Ontario	0.00	**	.9
Oatmeal, standard	0.00	**	9
Oatmeal, rolled	0.00	**	8
Cornmeal, bags	2.50	44	2
Canned Go	ods.		
Beef-			
0	200	**	-

Canned Go	ods.		
Beef-			
Corned 1s	3.00	**	3.
Corned 2s	0.00	**	7.
Beans-			
Baked	2.40	**	2.1
String		**	1.
Clams	5.00	**	
Corn		**	1.
Herring, kippered			5.
Oysters-			
18	1.70	44	1.
28		**	2.
Pineapple-			
Sliced	2.40	44	2.
Grated		41	2
Peas			1.4
Peaches, 2s		15	2.0
Peaches, 3s			2.
Plums, Lombard			1.
Raspberries	2.70	**	2.

Pinks	0.00	44	
Cohoes	0.00	**	
Red Spring	10.00		10
Tomatoes	2.35	**	
Strawberries	2.50	**	
Provision	ns.		
Pork, Can. mess	38.00	**	3
Pork, Am. clear	39.50	**	4
Beef, Am. plate	32.75	. 44	3
Lard, pure			
Lard, comp., tubs	0.18		

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Lard, comp.,	tubs		0.18		0.181/4
	Meat	s. E	tic.		
Beef-					
Country			0.08	**	0.10
Butchers'			0.11	**	0.14
Western .			0.14		0.20
Eggs, case			0.40		0.45
Eggs, fresh			0.45		0.55
Cheese, Can.			0.25	44	0.251/2
Turkey, per	lb		0.30	**	0.35
Lamb			0.15	**	0.18
Pork				**.	0.16
Veal			0.08	**	0.12
Mutton			0.08	**	9.12
Butter-					
Tub			0.30	**	0.36
Roll			0.34	44	0.42
Chickens, per	r lb.		0.00	**	0.25
Potatoes, bbl			0.00	46	2.50
	-	Fish			

Kippered, boxes 0.00	**	0.90
Haddock 0.00	**	0.08
Halibut 0.16	**	0.20
Fruits, Etc.		
Almonds 0.21	"	0.22
Bananas 2.00		3.00
Walnuts 0.15		0.17
Dates, new 0.00	**	0.12
Filberts 0.17	*	0.18
Lemons 0.00	**	4.50
Calif. Oranges 3.50	**	4.00
Canadian Onions 3.00	**	3.25
American Onions 4.50	44	4.75
Peanuts, roasted 0.10	**	0.15
Oats, Feed, Etc.		
Oats, per bushel 0.74	**	0.76
Oats, car lots, bush. 0.70	**	0.75
Bran, car lots, bags 34.00	**	35.00
Hay, car lots, ton 14.00	**	14.50
Hay, per ton, sm. lots 16.00	**	17.00
Middlings, sm. lots 39.00		40.00

Hay, per ton, sm. lots	16.00		17.00
Middlings, sm. lots	39.00	**	40.00
Oils, Et	c.		
Lard Oil	0.00		1.20
*Royalite	0.00	**	0.134
*Premier motor gaso-			
line	0.00		0.304
*Palacine			0.16
Turpentine	0.00	**	0.78
-By barrel, \$2 ch	arged		

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line	0.00 .		0.3014
*Palacine			0.16
Turpentine	0.00	**	0.78
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Hides, Skins	s, Etc.		-
Hides	0.19	**	0.20
Calfskins		44	0.30
Lambskins	1.50	46	2.00
Wool, washed	0.47	**	0.50
Wool, unwashed	0.32	**	0.34
Tallow	0.061/2	"	0.071/2

NEWS SUMMARY.

(McDougall & Cowans.)

New York, Jan. 4—Bank of England rate unchanged at six per cent.

Fate of senate resolution approving president Wilson's peace note in doubt and long debate and fight are in prospect in the senate.

Stated in London that reply to Wilson's mote will indicate only possible preliminaries upon which Allies will consent to enter peace negotiations.

Iron and steel trade reviews optimistic on prospect for coming year.

D. J. & CO.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—In Toronto Railway circles it is not thought likely that there will be any fight for control this year at the annual meeting of the company, which has been announced for February 7.

If the opposition which has developed towards the present management have any plans they are not known here, and it is not believed that there is any time now before the annual meeting to formulate any campaign.

WINNIPEG WHEAT CLOSE.

May 1894

RUMOR AUSTRIA WILL ASK SEPARATE PEACE

of Factor in Wall Street Yesterday Than Expected

tactor than was expected when the ecent advance started.
E. & C. RANDOLPH.

### MONTREAL SALES (McDOUGALL & COWANS.)

Morning. Montreal, Thursday, Jan. 4th-Steamships Com.—100 @ 37%, 17 2 37%, 75 @ 37½, 100 @ 37¼. Steamships Pfd.—90 @ 93, 50 @

92½.

Steel Canada Com.—50 @ 71½, 12
@ 71, 710 @ 70½, 100 @ 70¼, 50 @
70¾, 15 @ 70¾, 225 @ 70, 100 @ 69¾
375 @ 69¾, 300 @ 70½, 210 @ 70, 45
@ 70¼, 386 @ 69¾, 20 @ 6958, 50 @
70, 100 @ 69, 180 @ 68¾,
Dom. Iron Com.—450 @ 71, 400
# 71¼, 25 @ 71½, 75 @ 71½, 25 @ 71¾
35 @ 71½, 50 @ 70¾, 175 @ 70¾
575 @ 70½, 1,225 @ 70¾, 25 @ 70¾
425 @ 70.
Can. Cement Ptd.—66 @ 96.

Can. Cement Pfd.—66 @ 95.

@ 671/2.
Shawinigan—10 @ 130.
Civic Power-120 @ 82.
Dom. War Loan-9,000 @ 981/4.
New War Loan-500 @ 98%, 200 @
981/2, 25,000 @ 981/4.
Can. Car Com 65 @ 4616. 55 @ 40
5 @ 46b, 50 @ 45¾, 65 @ 45.
Can. Car Pfd.—170 @ 88, 100 @ 89
135 @ 881/8, 75 @ 881/4, 15 @ 881/2.
Toronto Ry50 @ 78.

Detroit United-10 @ 128.
Smelting-85 @ 331/4, 155 @ 35, 9
@ 341/2.
Laurentide Pulp-10 @ 195.
Wayagamack-50 @ 97.
Riordon-15 @ 12734, 115 @ 127. 2
@ 126%.
Ontario Stool 50 G 24

General Electric—25 @ 113.

Sloaters, boxes 0.75 "	0.95	Scotta—140 @ 126, 125 @ 123½, 35 @ 123. Quebec Ry.—50 @ 35, 550 @ 34¾,
Medium 0.00 "	7.50	100 @ 35.
Small 5.50 "	5.75	Spanish River Com25 @ 169, 25
innan haddies 0.08 "	0.10	@ 1691/2, 180 @ 70.
Herring—		Brompton-200 @ 6214. 25 @ 6238,
Gr. Manan, bbls 6.00 "	6.75	55 @ 6214, 125 @ 62, 150 @ 611/2, 50

@ 61.	Afternoon				
Steamships		@	371/2.	10	

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ı	37, 10 @ 371/8.
ı	Steamships Pfd.—25 @ 921/2.
į	Steel Canada-10 @ 59, 95 @ 68%
i	300 @ 6914, 75 @ 681/2, 60 @ 6734, 25
	@ 68, 160 @ 68, 125 @ 671/2, 35 @
	6734.

	67%.	
	Dom. Iron Com.—115 @ 70, 200	@
ı	6934, 350 @ 6934, 235 @ 69, 135	@
ı	6834, 25 @ 6812, 385 @ 6914, 235 @ 6	69,
i	210 @ 68%, 50 @ 68%, 225 @ 68, 1	25
ı	@ 68%, 125 @ 68%.	
	Civic Power-12 @ 82, 10 @ 81	1/2.

00 @ 81%.
Dom. War Loan+-2,000 @ 98%.
Can. Car Com.--25 @ 44, 10 @ 43%.
Can. Car Pfd.--120 @ 88, 10 @ 87,

Scotia-20 @ 123, 45 @ 122, 35

Quebec Ry.—275 @ 34%.
Dom. Bridze—50 @ 168.
Tram Power—24 @ 40.
Brompton—65 @ 61, 150 @ 61½, 50

Can. Loco.—25 @ 58. NO FIGHT LIKELY THIS
YEAR IN TORONTO RAILWAY.

Toronto, Jan. 4.-In Toronto Rail-

# GREAT BRITAIN STILL

Recourse to About \$300,-

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	(McDOUGALL	& COT	VANS	.)
r	Oper	n High	Low	Close
	Am Beet Sug 991/2	991/2	95	953
8	Am Car Fy . 691/2	691/2	67	67
*	Am Loco 821/6	8234	7816	79
8	Am Sug 1211/2	113%	11116	11114
8	Am Smelt 1081/2	10836	105	1063
	Am Steel Fy 621/8			
	Am Woolen . 451/2			
8	Am Zinc 39	39.	37	37
	Am Tele 123%			
8	Anaconda 85	851/8	8234	831/
	A H and L Pfd 75			
9	Am Can 50%	51	49	495
4	Atchison 104%	10616	10476	1053
9	Balt and Ohio 841/4	- 841/4	84	84
1	Bald Loco 6114	6176	5916	598
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	Brook Rap Tr 81%			010
Υ,	Butto and Sun 49	401/	4614	461
D.	Calif Petrol . 24%	25	94	95
	CFI 47½	4834	4614	461
0	Ches and Ohio 65	6514	CA74	647
Ų	Chino 55 1/2	55 14	5954	523
	Cent Leath . 96%			
	Can Pac 164			

-	Detti Steel . 311	919	911	9
20	Brook Rap Tr 81%			
@1	Butte and Sup 49	491/4	461/2	
76	Calif Petrol . 24%	25	24	
55	CFI 471/2	4834	4616	
@	Ches and Ohio 65	651/8	64 7/8	
	Chino 551/2	55 1/2	525%	
6	Cent Leath . 96%			
	Can Pac 164			
1/01	Cons Gas 133	133	132	1
16.	Cruc Steel 66%	681/4	6334	
/31	Erie Com 33 %	341/4	33	
	Erie 1st Pfd . 481/2			
@	Gr Nor Pfd 117%			
	Good Rub 60			
	Gen Elect 1691/2	1691/2	167	1
	Gr Nor Ore . 37			
	Indus Alcohol 124			1
	Balt Gas 1221/2			
@	Inspira Cop . 59%	59 7/8	57%	
	Kans City Sou 251/2			
46,	Kenne Cop . 46%	46 %	45	
	Lehigh Val . 781/2			
89,	Louis and Nh 132%			
	Mer Mar Pfd . 871/2	871/2	831/4	
	Mex Petrol . 102			
	Miami Cop . 42	42	40%	
	Miss Pac 14%			

ì	Inspira Cop . 59 %	59 7/8	57%	575%	
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į	Louis and Nh 1323/8				
ı	Mer Mar Pfd . 871/2	871/2	831/4	851/4	
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i	Miss Pac 14% NY NH and H 52½	521/2	52	52	
ı	N Y Cent 10314	103%	103	103	
ı	Nor and West 135 %				
ı	Nor Pac 109 7/8				
į	Nat Lead 61%	6134	60	601/2	
ı	Nevada Cons 24%	2476	24	241/2	
3	Ont and West 28%	29	2834	2834	
1	Penn 56%				
į	Press Stl Car 77				
9	Reading Com 104	104	1011/2	102	
8	Repub Steel . 83%	831/2	791/4	79%	
	St Paul 92				
	Sou Pac 9734	9734	961/4	96%	
8	Sou Rail 331/8	331/8	31 1/8	31 1/8	
ı	Sloss 701/2				
	Studebaker 108%	108%	106	1061/2	
	Union Pac . 1461/2	146%	1441/8	1443/8	

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)

FINANCIAL PRESS.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)

Journal Commerce—"The suggestion obtrudes that there is a definite movement being engineered to prepare a basis for another drive against stocks when peace talk again becomes an intelligence."

Sun.—"There appears to be an underlying sentiment that in view of the great supply of investment funds the chances favor further appreciation in prices so long as there might be an absence of untoward developments."

BARLET—Staintoo rect, 41, matering, \$1.30.

FLOUR—Manittoba spring wheat patents, firsts, \$10: seconds, \$9.50; strong bakers, \$9.50; whether patents, should be set of \$8.50 straight rollers, \$8.50

# CHICAGO LIVE STOCK HAS AMPLE CREDIT! MARKET BREAKS RECORD!

British Loan - Will Have Handled During Year, or \$138,681,867 Greater Than

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Chicago, Jan. 4.—Wheat—No. 2 red, nominal; No. 3 red No. 2 hard, No. 3 hard, nominal.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 96 to 97; No. 4 yellow, 93 1-2 to 95 1-2; No. 4 white,

94 1-2 to 3-4.
Oats—No. 3 white, 53 3-4 to 56 3-4; standard, 55 1-2 to 56 3-4. Rye—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 1.35, Barley—90 to 1.28. Timothy—3.50 to 5.50.

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Whea	t.	
High.	Low.	Close.
an 1861/2	1801/2	1841/4
lar 154	14734	150
ept 1421/2	137%	1391/2
Corn		
an 99	9634	975%
lar 97%	951/2	96%
Oats		
an 58	5614	571/2
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Canada Car Pfd 85	861/2						
Canada Cement 67%	68						
Canada Cement Pfd 95	96						
Can. Cotton 55	56						
Civic Power 815%	82						
Crown Reserve 40							
Detroit United 1251/2	126						
Dom. Bridge	160						
Dom. Iron Pfd 95	98						
Dom. Iron Com 681/4	6854						
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NE day, when Mr. Jones returned with what his weekly toil had earned, he found his little wife in tears and mood not suited to her years. It seemed the cook had bade "adieu,"

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Another "Reform with Moremorning try it—get a mop; go through from cellar to the top, and I will venture you must see, the greater burdens fall on me." Now Mr. Jones was passing

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Victoria	42	46
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Calgary		11
Prince Albert	*18	*14
Saskatoon		*11
Moose Jaw	2	10
Regina	*13	11
Winnipeg	*18	6
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It manner in which Mr. Allan has discharged the duties of this very onerous position. In acknowledging the courteous and valuable assistance which Mr. Allan so readily extended to the executive and subordinate committees at all times, it would voice the gratification of its members that he will still be able to extend to them the benefit of his experience and ability."

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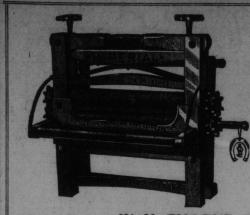
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