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HAIG'S FIERCE COUNTERS WIN GIVENCHY BACK--CAPTURES 800

ENEMY WEIGHT PUSHES BRITISH LINE 4 MILES

SPEED UP IN WAR WORK, U. S. SLOGAN

Nation Stirred to Core by Gravity of West Front Crisis.

ADVICE TO THE IRISH

New York Paper Says They Should Peacefully Accept Conscription.

New York, April 10.—Editorials in the morning newspapers here use Premier Lloyd George's speech, showing the gravity of the military situation and the necessity for additional manpower, for an appeal to Americans to speed up all war work, especially ships to transport troops.

America Is Stirred.

The World says:

"The daring frankness, characteristic of the great British leader, has not overstated facts. The bitterness, the gravity, the danger of the German attack have, as he said, stirred the resolution and determination of the American people as nothing until now had done."

The Herald says Premier Lloyd George does not underestimate the gravity of the crisis confronting the nations which fight civilization's battle against savagery. His warning runs along parallel lines with that of Major-General Leonard Wood to Americans: "We are only at the beginning. We can win this war, but it can only be won by the combined efforts of the men and women of America. We must all stand together, sacrificing, suffering, saying little, always patient."

Advice to Irishmen.

The Times says: "It is worth any Irishman's while who hopes some time to see the Irish people happy and contented to use all his powers of persuasion in favor of a peaceful acceptance of conscription.

The Tribune, arguing for the necessity of speed, says: "We have manpower to give almost without limit. Sending 5,000,000 or even 10,000,000 men to the battle line is an enterprise that involves technical difficulties only."

YOUNG MAN, HIT BY STREET CAR, SERIOUSLY HURT

Came From Behind One Car Directly Into Path of Another.

The son of a well-known local businessman was struck by a street car and seriously injured this morning on Dundas street, in front of the armories. The young man's condition is regarded as extremely critical. This afternoon he was still unconscious at Victoria Hospital.

He was riding his bicycle, following up a westbound car. Attempting to pass the car at Waterloo street, he turned to the left instead of turning to the right, and crashed into an eastbound Ridout street car in charge of Motorman A. Robinson and Conductor John Taylor. The motorman and conductor looked after the injured young man, calling Dr. Nelson George, who was on the scene in a few minutes, and summoning the police ambulance. The victim of the accident was removed to Victoria Hospital and his family was notified.

The father of the injured man is out of town and cannot be reached with a message, a feature of the case which is making the situation the more difficult for the other members of the family.

The bicycle was demolished as a result of the accident.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 42; lowest, 21.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 30; lowest, 23.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COLD.

Toronto, April 10—8 a.m.

Forecasts.

Strong northeast winds; fair and cold today and on Thursday.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	58	60	Clear
Calgary	66	38	Clear
Winnipeg	56	40	Cloudy
Port Arthur	36	20	Clear
Port Stanley	42	24	Clear
Toronto	40	23	Clear
Kingston	34	22	Fair
Ottawa	34	18	Fair
Montreal	34	20	Fair
Quebec	34	18	Clear

Weather Notes.

The high area is now over the Province of Quebec with undiminished intensity, while the Atlantic coast disturbance is dispersing over North Carolina and Virginia.

The weather is cold from Ontario eastward, and comparatively warm in the West.

EVERY FACTORY IN CITY USING HYDRO ELECTRIC MUST CLOSE DOWN ONE HOUR IN EVERY DAY

New Regulations Being Worked Out by Manager of Utilities Commission To Keep City Consumption of Power Within Limits Permitted by the Hydro Commission.

The City of London is on lighting rations today, and in a day or so all industries of the city may be on power rations.

This action is the result of the shortage of hydro. The power was shut off from Niagara four times this morning in half as many hours because the city was exceeding its load. Drastic measures are necessary that all may be treated equally.

This morning the lighting was curtailed. All domestic consumers had light up to 8:15. By that time Manager Buchanan guessed the city would have had its breakfast and that electric stoves and toasters would be shut off. He guessed wrong. There were a few late risers who faced the calamity of going without their toast. Manager Buchanan heard about it.

Turn About.

While the domestic consumers had the light, the downtown section was without it, and when it was shut off the domestics at 8:15 the downtown section received the power. At 10:45 until 12 Mrs. Housewife was given the power to run her electric sweeper, etc. During the noon hour the whole city was served. 1 to 3 the housewives scored again, and then the business section. Manager Buchanan has not figured out as yet the power saving.

In regard to the industrial regulations, which will affect every worker in plants operated by hydro, the city is being divided into eight zones. Each of these zones will be shut off one hour each day.

Can Work Other Hours.

From 7 to 8 a.m. the whole load can be taken care of. Four zones will be off in the morning and four in the afternoon up to 5 o'clock. Mr. Buchanan says those industries can make up their hour by working later or earlier if they wish. In this manner he hopes to get the city load down to its allotment of 6,800 horse-power.

The policy now being used in other places is to divide the city into six zones and have each zone close down one day a week. Mr. Buchanan discarded this for the hour system.

To make the power situation worse, the Hunt's new mill has started operations. It has a contract made with hydro when its old plant was purchased, and is now using 300 horse-power daily. Mr. Buchanan told the management that it would have to operate at nights. However, it showed wires from the Government calling for the fulfillment of orders, and also pointed out that its mill was full of Government wheat which is wanted for overseas immediately. In face of this there was nothing to do but to give power.

Must Conserve.

Mr. Buchanan stated to The Advertiser that to turn the city on full now 2,500 horse-power extra would be necessary. For this reason, he says, he is forced to keep urging the city to conserve.

Fuel Controller Magrath has issued an order that factories developing power from coal may, where feasible, be forced to use hydro. If such action was taken here it would mean a demand for 500 to 600 more horse-power. Mr. Buchanan believes that this order would be enforced only where there is an abundance of hydro power available while the industries continue to use coal.

MAN POWER BILL BOMBSHELL FOR BRITISH HOUSE

Heated Exchanges Between Lloyd George and the New Irish Chieftain.

London, April 10.—A political bombshell was thrown in the House of Commons yesterday by David Lloyd George, the prime minister, when he announced that conscription would be extended to Ireland, and that the Government intended to extend home rule to Ireland. The scenes in the House during the course of the premier's speech in reference to Ireland were dramatic, approving cheers and cries of protest arising from all parts of the House.

During the latter part of his speech the premier was frequently interrupted by angry Irish members. A test of strength soon developed, when Joseph Devlin, Nationalist, moved a motion to adjourn. The Government carried a closure on his motion, and then adjournment was defeated by an overwhelming vote.

No Signs of Conciliation.

Irish approval of the proposed measures was not foreshadowed by the attitude of the Nationalist leaders, nor did the Ulster faction show any signs of conciliation. John Dillon, the successor of John Redmond, denounced conscription. Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster leader, while approving conscription, objected to the introduction of home rule measure at this time. The House approved the introduction of the Government's man-power bill, 299 to 80, and it was announced that time for discussion of the bill had been extended until next Tuesday.

Lloyd George said the exclusion of Ireland could not be justified any longer, and the character of the war was as much Irish as English. Ireland, through her representatives, had approved the war and voted to commit the Empire to it. After reading a declaration of the Irish party, approving British participation in the war, the premier continued: "May I also refer to a speech delivered by the late John Redmond at Mansion House, Dublin, when he was addressing a recruiting meeting there. He said: 'The heart of Ireland has been profoundly moved by the spectacle of the heroism and sufferings of Belgium. The other day in London I met Cardinal Mercier, and I took the liberty of promising him then that Ireland would bring her arms and her strength to avenge Louvain and to uphold and defend the integrity and independence of Belgium.

Redmond's Tribute.

"'Belgium, Poland, Alsace-Lorraine and France. Those are words for the Irish people to think over. There never was a war in which higher and nobler issues were at stake. I have heard some people speak of this war as an English and not an Irish war. That is absolutely and definitely untrue. Ireland's highest imperial interests are at stake.'

"The fact that America is in this war is the best proof. There are more Irishmen in the United States than there are in Ireland. They are all subject to conscription. (Capt. W. A. Redmond, son of the late Irish leader, interrupted: 'Not by England!')

"Irishmen in Great Britain are subject to conscription and so are Irishmen in Canada. Mr. Redmond, in addressing this House on the military service bill in 1916, said:

"'Let me state what is my personal view on this matter of compulsion. I am content to take the phrase used by the

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Mitchell Private Has Escaped From Enemy In His Third Attempt

Horace Robinson Sends Word to His Parents That He Is Safe.

Stratford, April 10.—Pte. Horace M. Robinson of Mitchell, who was taken prisoner in Germany three years ago, has made his escape, according to official word to his parents this morning. This was his third attempt.

HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE FOR OXFORD FARMER

$8,000 Damage Done by Destruction of a Barn.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, April 10.—A fire loss which will probably reach $8,000 occurred about 4 o'clock this morning on the farm of John Wilson, West Oxford. A large barn, about 40 head of cattle, one horse, a pony and other contents were destroyed by a fire of unknown origin. A McKay, a neighbor, saw the fire from his bedroom window, but in a few minutes the whole building had been consumed. The fire had made so much progress when discovered, and the wind was so high, that nothing could be done in the way of rescue work. The loss is partly covered by insurance in the North and South Dorchester Farmers' Mutual.

AIRCRAFT PROGRAM OF U. S. IS WAY BEHIND

Washington, D. C., April 10.—The United States Government's aircraft program is characterized as "gravely disappointing" and a drastic reorganization of production machinery was recommended in a report by the Senate military committee today, which charges Government officials with misrepresenting the situation and misleading the public and with "procrastination" and "indecision."

The prospects for the future, the committee said, look more favorable and the production of the last few weeks promises to get the program under way to such an extent that a sufficient number of planes will be furnished later to meet all requirements of the troops in France.

CANADA'S WAR EXPENSE AMOUNTS TO $207,849,726

Ottawa, April 10.—Up to the end of February Canada's war expenditure on capital account totalled $207,849,726. For the month of February war expenditure was $19,494,711, as compared with $23,285,988 in February of last year.

SENATOR STONE STRICKEN.

Washington, D. C., April 10.—Senator Stone of Missouri, chairman of the foreign relations committee, was stricken with paralysis today while riding in a street car en route to his office in the Capitol.

The senator was removed to the Senate office building, where medical assistance was summoned, and later was taken to his home.

"HERE'S TO DEAR OLD TROTZKY!"



Advertiser Illustrations. —Passing Show.

HAIG'S LINE HOLDS WELL

With the British Forces in France, April 10.—The British this morning were holding strongly along the new battle line south of Armentieres, after a night of bitter fighting which was most intense about the all-important Givenchy Hill, on the right wing.

"On the Messines front the enemy's attack today was repulsed," Major-General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operation at the war office, announced this afternoon.

"The enemy has obtained no footing on the high ground anywhere."

"Armentieres," General Maurice went on, "is now little more than a heap of ruins, and its loss would not be a vital matter. It is not lost yet, and we hope it will not be, but it may be."

QUEBEC MOB SNIPED SOLDIERS, SAYS LEADER OF THE TROOPS; STRAY BULLETS CAUSE OF DEATHS

Major Rogers Says Machine Gun Was Not Turned Directly On Rioters.

Quebec, April 10.—Major G. B. Rogers, Toronto, who had charge of the militia in St. Rochs on the night of the riot, Monday, April 1, was the main witness today at the coroner's inquest into the death of the four civilians killed during the clash between the mob and the militia.

He explained that he had 1,180 men under his command that night, with ten machine guns stationed here and there throughout the riot zone.

He said only one of the machine guns was fired, and that was in St. Sauveur, near Bagot street, where the four civilians were killed. He says it worked barely a few seconds, and that about thirty-six bullets were fired from its muzzle.

Riot Act Was Read.

Witness also stated that the riot act was read about nine that night near the Jacques Cartier Market Place by Capt. Haigtins. He says Capt. Haigtins read the riot act by heart, both in French and English.

He said he had received orders to subdue the trouble as much as possible by the simple presence of the troops, and to fire among the crowd at the very latest possible moment, to prevent, if possible, any bloodshed. His special mission that night was to prevent the holding of Armand Lavergne's announced meeting and to prevent any groups from gathering.

Mob Fired on Troops.

Major Rogers then related how he saw the mob shoot against the military from house to house, from behind snowdrifts, from behind posts and also from hiding places, behind the calstand at the corner of St. Joseph, St. Valier and Bagot streets.

It was then, the riot growing to a high pitch of activity, that he himself ordered the machine gun brought to the fore, backed against a stone wall. He also ordered his men to fire the machine gun, but just a few seconds, enough to scare the mob away. He says the machine gun barked a mere second or two firing at the most 36 bullets.

Hit By Stray Bullets.

The major added that he was positive the machine gun hit no one, that all those who were hit were touched by stray bullets.

Questioned by Armand Lavergne, attorney for families of some of the victims, Major Rogers said that all the soldiers who helped quell the riots in Quebec City were draftees, none of them having seen fire at the front. He said that some of the officers, however, were men returned from the front.

Govt. Plans To Amend Military Service Act

Bill Is in Course of Making and Will Be Ready Shortly.

Ottawa, April 10.—Amendments to the military service act, it is understood are now under consideration by the Government. The full scope of the amendments, it is stated, has not yet been determined, but a bill is expected to be ready shortly.

AMERICAN HONOR-GUARD FOR THEIR MAJESTIES

London, April 10.—American soldiers acted as a guard of honor to King George and Queen Mary yesterday when their majesties inspected a certain works where thausands of hands are employed day and night. Their majesties conversed freely with officers and men and commented on their smart and soldier-like appearance.

Queen Mary, responding to a request for an autograph, used a sergeant's back as a writing pad while she wrote "Mary R., 1918." The King also added his autograph.

His majesty praised the American troops he had seen in France. In London City the King rode in a tank, greatly enjoying the rough going.

POWERFUL TEUTON FORCES PRESS THE BRITISH BACK IN FURIOUS FLANDERS FIGHT

SAMMIES REACH ZONE OF BATTLE

London, April 10.—American reinforcements have appeared in the British battle zone, says a dispatch from British headquarters in France to Reuter's, Limited. Their presence in the fighting line, the correspondent adds, should soon be felt.

THE WAR SITUATION

New German attacks today have carried the fighting in the great battle on the western front into Flanders, and extended the battlefront to a stretch of approximately 130 miles, from near the Belgian town of Ypres, in the north, to the vicinity of Coucy-le-Chateau, on the extreme French right.

Deep Salient Driven.

The fresh German blow, struck yesterday between La Bassee and Armentieres, has already driven a deep salient into the British lines between Armentieres, and the Armentieres region itself was reported under attack this morning. The infantry fighting is spreading to the northward, following a heavy bombardment by the German guns which extended as far as the Ypres-Comines Canal, just to the southeast of Ypres.

Armentieres Pocketed.

Armentieres, already near the tip of a sharp bend in the line, has now been further pocketed and seems in serious peril from converging attacks north and south. The British, however, are holding the line of the River Lys, to the southwest of the town, and at the latest reports had prevented an attempted crossing by the Germans at Bac St. Maur, four miles southwest of Armentieres, and another at Estaires, still further to the southwest.

The British Line.

From the vicinity of Estaires the British are holding the line of the River Lawe southward for a short distance, the front then curving in a southeasterly direction, and coupling up with the original line at or near Givenchy. The maximum depth of the German penetration was apparently about 4½ miles at Estaires. Givenchy, at one time in German hands during the attack, was retaken by the British in a counter thrust.

Depends on Givenchy.

The German effort on this new front, if it succeeds to no further extent than it apparently has so far, does not seem likely to have any greater effect than to compel modifications in the British line north of La Bassee Canal. If the British can continue to hold Givenchy, the front to the southward would hardly be disturbed and the direct effect of the drive on the greater battle to the south would be negligible.

British Well Placed.

There remains the possibility of the attack north of Armentieres developing further importance with relation to the Flanders line as a whole. The British are well placed on high ground at the salient points in this region, however, which they were not in the region south of Armentieres, the Germans holding the advantage of terrain there. The Germans seem to be concentrating their effort on the new Flanders operating, the fighting along the line of their great drive to the southward, which was halted before Amiens, having largely died down. Only local fighting, which had no appreciable effect on the situation, is reported along the British part of this front.

The French were more hotly engaged at one point, giving some ground in a heavy attack by the Germans near Lagnard-en-Santerre, but re-established their position in a counter-attack. No serious attempts appear to have been made by the Germans to advance at other points on the French front.

KHARKOV TAKEN BY THE GERMANS

The Farthest Point East Yet Reached by Invaders of Russia.

London, April 10.—The Bolshevik Government announces that it has received news that the Germans and Ukrainians have occupied Kharkov, according to a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd. Kharkov is 400 miles south of Moscow, and is the furthest point east yet reached by the Germans.

FATHER DIES AS SON ARRIVES AT HALIFAX

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Goderich, April 10.—The flag in the court house square is flying at half-mast for William McCreath, who died here this morning after a short illness. Mr. McCreath has been a resident of the town for over thirty years, and has been the caretaker of the court house for a number of years.

One sad incident in connection with his death is that his son, Pte. Harry, has arrived in Halifax, he being invalided home after seeing active service. The funeral arrangements are not completed on account of Pte. Harry's coming home.

Desperate Struggle Which Broke Out Yesterday In Belgium Extended This Morning By Germans, Who Attack From Armentieres to Messines.

ARMENTIERES IN A POCKET; FRENCH STOP HEAVY ASSAULTS

British Troops Standing On Line of Rivers Lawe and Lys—Battle Now Rages On a Front of Over Hundred Miles—Brilliant Feat of 55th Division.

London, April 10.—"In this morning's attack the enemy entered the British first line trenches between the Rivers Lys and Douve," said Major General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office today.

"The attack extended from Armentieres to Messines."

With the British Forces in France, April 10.—The Germans this morning extended the sector of yesterday's attack to the northward by launching a drive against the British between Armentieres and Messines.

800 GERMANS TAKEN.

Once yesterday and again last evening the Germans gained ground at Givenchy, but each time the British threw themselves so fiercely on the invaders that the latter were forced to withdraw, the last time leaving upwards of 800 prisoners behind them.

At its deepest point the German penetration is about four and a half miles.

FIERCE FIGHTING ALL NIGHT.

London, April 10.—In their new attack on the front north of the Somme battlefield, the Germans yesterday forced their way in to Givenchy, but the British recaptured the town, the war office announces.

Fierce fighting continued during last night on the front north of La Bassee Canal. The British troops are standing on the line of the Rivers Lawe and Lys, and are engaged in heavy fighting with the Germans at the river crossings at Estaires and Bac St. Mieur.

The 55th Division, which recaptured Givenchy, took 775 prisoners.

FRENCH COUNTER-ATTACK WINS.

Paris, April 10.—German troops last night delivered a heavy attack on the French lines near Hangar-en-Santerre, which was met by a French counter-attack, preventing the Germans from gaining any advantage, the war office announces.

West of Castel and west of Noyon, German efforts to advance failed.

GERMAN ATTACK EXTENDING.

London, April 10.—The German front of attack is extending today. Early this morning a bombardment was begun of the British positions from the Armentieres region as far north as the Ypres-Comines Canal. On the southern part of this front infantry fighting is reported to have begun.

The announcement follows:

"On the front north of La Bassee Canal, fierce fighting continued during the night. Our troops are holding the line of the rivers Lawe and Lys and are heavily engaged with the enemy at the river crossings at Estaires and Bac St. Maure.

Gallant Fifty-Fifth.

"On the southern flank of attack Givenchy, into which the enemy at one time forced his way, was recaptured later in the day by a successful counter-attack by the 55th division, which took 775 prisoners in this area.

"Early this morning the enemy opened a heavy bombardment of our positions east and north of Armentieres, as far as the Ypres-Com-

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"INSANE BLUNDER," IS O'CONNOR'S VIEW OF IRISH COMPULSION

San Francisco, April 10.—Application in Ireland of military conscription would be an "insane blunder," according to a cablegram sent to John Dillon by T. P. O'Connor, who is here today. The cablegram follows:

"I must at once record a solemn warning that conscription in Ireland will paralyze its friends and encourage its bitterest enemies in this country.

"This insane blunder would again render futile the best efforts of Irish leaders everywhere."

MUCH DAMAGE BY GALE ABOUT HAMILTON BAY

Hamilton, April 10.—The high wind of last night and this morning did thousands of dollars damage around Hamilton harbor. On the city front of the water, boathouses were swept away, roads and power poles washed out, and the bay covered with wreckage. The damage along the beach is also said to be very heavy.

NO APPROACH MADE BY RIBOT TO AUSTRIANS

Paris, April 10.—Former President Ribot said today that the French Government, of which he was the head at the time Count Czarnin asserts conversations concerning peace had been held between Austria-Hungary and France, never took, directly or through a neutral intermediary, any initiative in such a proceeding as the Austrian official communication asserts.

SOVIETS PROTEST OVER VLADIVOSTOK AFFAIR

Moscow, April 9.—A protest against the landing of Japanese armed forces at Vladivostok has been sent to the Japanese consul there by a committee representing the all-Siberian Soviets.

GRAND TRUNK BUSINESS SMASHED ALL RECORDS

Montreal, April 10.—The annual meeting of the G. T. R. Company will be held on April 25 in London. The annual report will show more business done during the last year than in any previous normal year in the history of the Grand Trunk. Last year the company handled 25,000,000 tons of freight, and livestock, the heaviest freight business done by the company in years.

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THREE TIMES LEFT DESTITUTE BY ACT OF CHINESE BANDITS

Thrilling Experiences of Mrs. Fiddler, Missionary.

The Bible and Missionary Conference under the auspices of the China Inland Mission, opened in the First Presbyterian Church yesterday at 2:30 p.m. At the evening session, Rev Dr. McTavish of Toronto, gave a Bible reading, followed by an interesting missionary message by Mrs. Fiddler of Liang Chaun, China.

"Words can never express what God has done in delivering me from death so many times, since I began my work in China," she said. "During the revolutions in the different provinces we were in constant terror, and many of our brave missionaries have laid down their lives for the great cause, that of spreading the gospel to heathen souls. Three times I have been left merely with what I stood in, and I have learnt that even the Bible may be taken from us. For three months I was without a Bible or New Testament and it was then that I was most thankful that I had learned many passages of Scripture by heart.

Chapel Was Looted.

"Just previous to one of the revolutions my husband had renovated a house which had been bought against much opposition from the natives, and converted into a chapel for the use of evangelistic services. A day after we had everything in perfect order the whole place was looted, and not a single article left in the building. We were away from this place some length of time, and when we returned we were received by the official of the place and a feast given in our honor, and the mission was the scene of much rejoicing. The natives had called us foreign devils when we had fled for safety a few months before, but at the feast, instead of the usual cards, tricks and amusements, they were content with singing hymns that we chose.

"The hair-breath escapes from death are too many to tell in so short a time," said Mrs. Fiddler, "but I thank God for having spared me to speak here tonight.

Need Is Great.

"The field for laborers in missionary work is broad and the need is urgent, and without funds it is hard to carry on the good work, but I am pleased to see the keen interest taken in missionary work here," concluded Mrs. Fiddler.

At the afternoon session a Bible reading was given by Rev. H. W. Frost, home director for Canada and the United States of the China Inland Mission, and a missionary message was given by Miss Standen of Kaifing, China. Miss Standen will speak at other sessions of the conference.

A Bible reading and address constitute the program of each session. This afternoon Rev. Dr. McTavish of Toronto, will give an address.

GLANWORTH VESTRY MEETING.

GLANWORTH, April 9.—At the vestry meeting of Christ Church, Glanworth, Jas. Lewis was elected clergyman's warden, and Hedley Fisher people's warden. Charles Shore and Wm. Brandish are sidesmen for the year; Madison Fisher, Jun., and Clarence Wilson, auditors. The lay delegate will be Madison Fisher, Sr., with Jas. Bradish substitute.

MOTHER GAVE THIS DELICATE CHILD VINOL

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VETERANS WILL GO TO COUNCIL IN BODY TO PROTEST ACTION

Object To Cutting Off Soldiers' Insurance.

LABOR PARTY SUPPORTS

Question Discussed at Meeting Tuesday Night—Canvassers To Be Honored.

A deputation from the Independent Labor Party was present at the Great War Veterans' meeting last night and soldiers' insurance was discussed.

J. F. Thompson, one of the delegates, claimed that when a soldier's policy lapses he should not need a medical examination, as a man after serving from one to four years on active service was not as physically fit as before he enlisted.

He pointed out that the man who enlists now should be entitled to the city insurance, as he is serving his country the same as a man who enlisted before conscription.

Ald. Ashplant also pointed out these facts, and said that it would have been much better if the council had left the soldiers' insurance as it was before.

Lieut.-Col. Coles, president of the Great War Veterans, approved of the protest against cutting off municipal insurance from those who join the army now, that the Independent Labor party is putting before the city council Monday night. A resolution was passed that the Great War Veterans will go in a body to the city hall on Monday night and speakers will support the protest.

The report of the canvassing committee for the new memorial home was given by Sig. C. E. Capewell, who was in charge of the campaign. The report shows that a grand total of $382 was collected during the canvass.

A vote of thanks was given to Sig. Capewell and Capt. Warburton for conducting the canvass, which was so successful.

Sergt. Pocock was appointed to the building committee.

The association agreed to have the members' fees paid every three months instead of every month, as has been the rule.

The members of the Great War Veterans will present Sig. Capewell and Capt. Warburton with small gifts as a remembrance, and also to show that the association was pleased with the way these two men conducted the canvass campaign.

A resolution of sympathy was passed and will be forwarded to Mrs. and Mr. Thomas Nickle regarding the death of their son.

TWENTY-THREE FROM DISTRICT TO REACH LONDON ON THURSDAY

Seven Londoners Are in Party Which Has Just Landed.

The Soldiers' Aid Commission has been notified that a party of 23 district men will arrive in this city some time on Thursday. Included in the party are local soldiers. The men arrived at port of disembarkation on Tuesday.

The following list was received by the Soldiers' Aid Commission: W. H. Griffin, 410 Hamilton road, London; H. Millward, 427 Pall Mall street, London; E. O. Munday, R. R. No. 6, London; A. Scott, 73 Anderson avenue, London; W. McBride, 69 Palmer avenue, London; F. Berry, St. Thomas; T. S. Brown, Burlington; L. Clarke, Columbus, O.; J. W. Cole, Norwich; G. A. Dale, Stratford; F. W. Hoare, Stratford; W. Livingston, Barrie; W. Mansfield, Toronto; J. H. Peace, Galt; E. E. Perell, St. Marys; W. Ruddy, Springfield; J. Ryan, Petust, Mich.; F. W. Smith, St. Thomas; W. J. Squire, Newton; M. G. Whan, Orillia; T. J. White, Ingersoll; G. S. White, Port Perry.

E. Forrest, 514 Talbot street, this city, has been diverted to Toronto for treatment.

The following will arrive with the party who have no Canadian address: C. J. Boland, H. Ingham, J. Backalchuk, W. J. Howard, J. J. Jones and R. Buchanan.

NO GAS MAY BE USED FOR ADVERTISING OR ORNAMENTAL LIGHTING

New Regulations Received Here—In Effect From April 1.

The new regulations governing the use of gas, recently issued by Dominion Fuel Controller Magrath, have been in force since April 1, and the City Gas Company has official notification to this effect. A letter containing the information and a copy of the order was received yesterday from R. C. Harris, Ontario fuel administrator, by J. M. H. Young, superintendent of the City Gas Company. Chief Williams has as yet no communication regarding the enforcement of the new restrictions, he says. Following is a copy of the regulations:

1. No purchaser or consumer of gas produced from coal within the Province of Ontario shall use gas for advertising purposes or for ornamental lighting, including the lighting of windows and other display lighting.

2. No purchaser or consumer of gas produced from coal within the Province of Ontario shall use such gas for lighting the interior of buildings during the hours in which such buildings are not open for business, provided that during such hours such lighting may be used as shall be necessary to protect the buildings.

3. Any person violating any of these regulations shall on summary conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding five hundred dollars, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or both fine and imprisonment.

These regulations shall be in force and effect from and after the first day of April, 1918.

MEASLES AGAIN LEAD LIST OF CONTAGIONS

There were six deaths in London in March from infectious diseases out of 218 cases, according to the report presented to the board of health. Measles led with 89, mumps 36, chickenpox 28, scarlet fever 18, diphtheria 12. The latter caused three deaths and tuberculosis the other three.

During the month the board's two nurses made 362 visits.

Dr. C. S. Tamlin reported 20 applications from citizens who wish to keep pigs. The city has not as yet passed a bylaw allowing this. The majority of these are on the outskirts of the city. There was some discussion of confining the area.

Former Assistant Sanitary Inspector J. W. Scott was appointed to assist James Lutman at $800 a year. He has assisted in the work for the past three years.

Dr. Tamlin reported the majority of the dairies in good condition. All are complaining over the labor shortage. The dairymen are so persistent in their statement that they are not making a dollar out of their business that Dr. Tamlin was inclined to believe there was something in it.

The matter of appointing a nurse for contagious diseases was laid over until the next meeting because of the absence of Dr. Hill.

TICKET OFFICE AT WATFORD ROBBED; ROBERTS WAS NEAR

Amount Taken $40; Jack Had $37.

STRANGE COINCIDENCES

Police Knew He Had Officer's Uniform and Carried Guns.

When Jack Roberts has money in his clothes look for the cracked safe, the rifled till or the empty cash register!

This is a maxim for police officers who have come in contact with "Young Jesse James," as he has been pleased to call himself.

Fact No. 1—The Grand Trunk ticket office at Watford was robbed of some $40 in ones, twos and other small bills.

Fact No. 2.—Jack Roberts was arrested two days after with about $37 in small bills about his person.

Deduction.—Jack Roberts was in the vicinity of Watford shortly before his arrest. He does not work. He has no bank account. He who runs may read.

Two and Two Make Four.

No more definite evidence against the young man now under remand in Toronto for various desperado acts, has been obtained in connection with the Watford robbery, but Detective Egelton said last night that it was not difficult to put two and two together.

The long watch for Roberts following his escape from Toronto officers kept the London officers up a good many nights. When the bird had flown from Toronto they were aware that he had stolen an officer's uniform, and until 2 o'clock on the morning of his escape they waited for his return. But he left the train before it reached London. Since that time he has been flitting around the country, with his movements reported to the police every few days, and reports coming closer to the hour of his appearance each time.

Wild Boasts.

Roberts was known to boast that if the police came after him there would be the finest little massacre of policemen that was ever staged in Ontario. At one time he flourished two revolvers and said that he would spread the forms of all the London detectives over the scenery. No doubt he hoped the moving picture men would be along but when the officers swooped down on him the other morning the stage was not set to his liking. He had the man and was unwilling to use it, but the weapon slipped from his hand not at all in accordance with the procedure of the movie thrillers.

A Dangerous Man.

The London police regard Roberts as a dangerous man, because he, like most of those characters, appears to have "a screw loose." He would shoot or destroy from mere bravado, and he requires no instruction in the ways of crookdom.

It is not likely that an attempt to connect Roberts with the Watford theft will be made. After the Toronto police have dealt with him, he may be tried on the charge off robbing and setting fire to the Northway store at Ingersoll.

DIZZINESS, CONSTIPATION

bad taste in the mouth, despondency or "the blues," and other miserable ailments call attention to the liver. It is torpid. Take Hood's Pills—they rouse the liver and relieve all liver ills. They are the old and favorite family cathartic. Purely vegetable. Gentle and thorough. 25c. All druggists.

THIS MAN HAD SUFFERED FOR FIFTEEN YEARS

Rodd Delighted With the Way Tanlac Is Overcoming His Trouble.

"When a man has suffered as long as I have, and had about given up hope of ever getting well, to find relief at last through taking a medicine within the reach of everybody, sounds almost miraculous, but that's what has happened in my case," recently said Frank J. Rodd, of 322 Parliament street, Toronto, an employee of the British Forging Company.

"I believe that for fifteen years," continued Mr. Rodd, "I had the worst case of stomach trouble anybody ever had. My appetite was gone, nothing tasted right, and the little I forced down soured, and I was constantly belching up gas and acid water. I could not eat meat at all, and many a time after a few mouthfuls of food I would turn deathly sick and vomit up everything I had eaten, and I would have to skip two or three meals before I could eat anything else. Gas pressed around my heart and made it act so strangely that I became alarmed. I would actually get numb all over, my eyes would blur as if I was going blind, I felt like I was paralyzed, and would be in such agony I couldn't move or hardly speak. My head ached like it would split and my sufferings were almost more than I could bear.

"I tried about everything I could hear of, but nothing helped me, and, finally, hearing so much about Tanlac, I decided to try it. I am on my third bottle and my relief is something wonderful. My appetite has returned. I can eat meat or anything else and relish every mouthful. I never have a touch of my old trouble, gas has stopped forming, and I have never had one of those awful spells with my heart since I started on my first bottle. I am stronger and better in every way, and am so delighted with the way Tanlac is straightening me out that I want everybody to know it."

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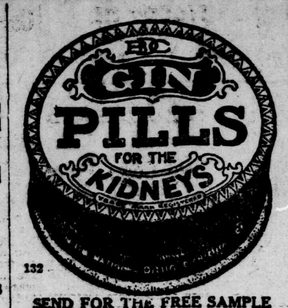
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TWO HUNDRED MORE WAR BADGES GIVEN

Many London Men Included in List.

Over two hundred names are contained in the tenth list issued by military district headquarters of men to whom war service badges have been sent. Briefly, the class A badges are issued to those who have served at the front, the class B to those who have served in England, class C to those who have served in Canada, and class D to those who have tried to enlist and have been refused because of physical unfitness. The list follows:

Capt. L. A. LaPierre, Galt, A; Lieut. E. B. Gaudier, 385 Waterloo street, London, A; Lieut. H. K. Black, Guelph, A; James Keating, Galt, D; A. W. Cole, Woodstock, D; M. H. Riddle, St. Thomas, D; R. Green, 165 Horton street, London, D; Thomas Pinnegar, Galt, D; B. J. Medaind, 381 Ontario street, London, A and B; A. F. Moore, 407 Pall Mall street, London, A and B; J. Menzie, Stratford, A and B; J. H. Nicholls, Woodstock, A and B; B. Pell, Sarnia, A and B; T. Whitehead, Guelph, B; C. Clarke, Goderich, B; C. R. Morphy, Listowel, A; J. R. Newton, Windsor, A; J. R. Platt, Goderich, A; Capt. A. M. Dillon, 10 Marley Place, London, A; Lieut. D. S. Gregory, Windsor, A; F. G. Harris, Sarnia, A and B; H. J. Jacomb, Windsor, B; J. Hill, 22 Linwood street, London, B; T. K. Griffiths, 95 Smith street, London, B; J. A. Habkirk, Brussels, B; F. Featherstone, 17 McDonald avenue, London, B; G. W. Dobson, 631 Central avenue, London, B; R. P. Cox, R. R. No. 3, Brussels, B; J. W. Cunliffe, 130 Emery street, London, B; W. N. Cady, St. Thomas, B; A. J. Chapman, Walkerville, B; A. Coventry, St. Thomas, B; S. Brown, 642 Dufferin avenue, London, B; A. J. Burnett, 366 Ottaway avenue, London, B; Lieut. J. B. Gourlay, Victoria Hospital, London, A; A. Bachley, St. Thomas, A; D. S. Whyte, Windsor, A; H. Hunt, 494 Ada street, Chelsea Green, London, B; J. M. Patterson, Chatham, B; A. A. Poland, Welland, B; J. Nadin, Stratford, B; George McCracken, Glencoe P. O., B; F. Morris, Stratford, B; J. H. Marshall, Walkerville, B; R. Lisley, Stratford, B; A. Dick, Galt, A and B; J. Hutchison, Galt, A and B; W. H. Marshall, Stratford, A and B; Lieut.-Col. R. I. Towers, Sarnia, A; F. J. C. Lewis, 352 Salisbury street, London, C; A. S. Langdon, 703 York street, London, C; J. Lecky, Goderich, C; Lieut. T. O. Malloy, 402 Lundas street, London, A; Lieut. T. A. Loughrey, 312 Hyman street, London, A; F. Taylor, 456 Talbot street, London, A and B; F. M. Seale, 381 St. James street, London, A and B; F. E. Player, Detroit, Mich., A and B; C. H. Marsh, 86 Wharncliffe road, London, A and B; M. Matheson, R. R. No. 4, Ripley, A and B; H. B. Martin, Chicago, A and B; G. Mann, Guelph, A and B; S. Hughes, Windsor, A and B; W. H. Frederick, West Lorne, Ont., A and B; J. Farrington, Windsor, Ont., A and B; R. H. Everest, Preston, A and B; T. H. Evans, No. 1 S. S. Company, London, A and B; J. L. Dickinson, 68 High street, London, A and B; H. Drummond, Galt, A and B; C. Dunn, 832 Elias street, London, A and B; P. Dougherty, Kingsville, A and B; W. L. Lewis, Stratford, A and B; E. Bass, Galt, A; Walter Hodge, Guelph, A; C. C. Brown, 207 Queen's avenue, London, A and B; W. Wanless, Sandwich, D; F. H. Smith, Cargill, D; E. J. Porte, 74 Westmoreland street, London, D; R. H. Payne, 117 York street, London, D; P. K. Hambly, Whitley, D; E. G. Ellis, Sarnia, D; J. D Cusolito, 133 John street, London, B; T. B. Corbett, Galt, A and B; F. G. 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Why People Feel Depressed in the Cold Weather

Why is tiredness and languor so prevalent just now? A physician explained that the cold of winter drives blood from the surface of the body to the liver. Normally one-fourth of the whole blood supply is in the liver, and when more blood is accumulated in that organ everything goes wrong.

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ANOTHER COMMUNITY CHORUS MEETING FOR THURSDAY THIS WEEK

Idea Originated at Band Concert In Rochester, N. Y.

The second meeting of the community chorus will be held on Thursday evening at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium. This is something new for London, but it has been in vogue for some time in many American cities. A few years since one of the prominent musicians of Rochester, N. Y., on the occasion of a band concert in one of the parks of that city mounted the bandstand and requested that those assembled sing some patriotic hymns, which met with a hearty response. He then asked for volunteers who could form themselves into a chorus and meet weekly to sing old-time songs. The idea that anybody could sing took root at once, and the singing fever has since that time become contagious, spreading to various parts of the United States. Now it has reached London, and on Thursday evening all citizens are invited to meet and sing old-time songs and patriotic music under the direction of A. D. Jordan.

There is no fee, no trying of voices, no music to buy, unless individuals wish to buy it. Gladstone Paul, 'cellist, and Bandsman Sidney Johns, tenor, will entertain with instrumental and vocal numbers.

GARBAGE REPORT IS SENT TO COUNCIL BY THE BOARD OF WORKS

The report of the special garbage committee which recommended that Superintendent Walker be relieved of all road duties that he might improve the present garbage system, was the main theme of conversation at the meeting of the board of works last night.

Ald. Keene, who first asked for the dismissal of Paving Superintendent Hunter, saw in the move the creation of a soft job for Mr. Hunter. He wanted Mr. Walker left at the road work. He said that no matter how little work was going on, Mr. Brazier would keep the men busy if they were left on the job.

Mr. Brazier wanted to know if the alderman meant that he was creating soft jobs. The discussion was lengthy. It was pointed out that it was on the mayor's suggestion that Mr. Walker was relieved of other duties. Finally the committee accepted the garbage report in full and sent it on to the council.

Ridout street residents near the bridge want the city to take some steps to protect their property at the rear, which is yearly being carried away bit by bit by the river. It was pointed out that if the city took steps without a petition it could be held responsible. It was suggested that if a petition was presented the city might make it a dump for certain materials, and thereby remedy conditions.

It was decided to allow the sign painter who wanted to improve the Federal Square to erect his signs there for $100.

Several other minor matters were disposed of.

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Satin Skirt in grey with novelty stripe, shirred at waist, bustle drapery, fancy pockets finishing front of skirt. Price $16.50

Black Silk Skirt with novelty satin stripe, of white, green and burgundy, new bustle drapery, pleated across front. Price $18.75

Brown Satin Skirt with novelty stripe of black and white, stripe running around, shirred to smart yoke, finished with button trimmings. Price $16.50

Taffeta Silk Skirt shirred at waist, patch pocket trimming front, in navy or black. Price $6.75

Serge Skirts in navy or black, from ..... $5.95, $7.50, $10.00 to $15.00

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AT JEWELRY COUNTER.

Nightshirts, Caps, Socks---Sale Thursday

Mill Samples and Other Clearing Lots

Whether a man comes in to select his own haberdashery or asks his women folks to shop for him, he can feel sure that he will get furnishings of the right qualities, right styles and at right prices. Tomorrow we have a number of charming lines to offer, in some cases at less than half their value—a clearing of broken ranges and square-up stocks, together with a purchase of traveler's samples of Lisle and Cotton Socks. These will be worth an early effort, as quantities are limited.

Special Sale of Men's and Boys' Caps, 50c Ea.



Men's and Boys' Caps for Thursday, a real bargain, many broken lines, including tweeds in a variety of shades, all spring and summer caps, some lined, some unlined—motor caps in real leather, gabardine and waterproof in black or tan shade, poplins with elastic band made to fit any head. All are worth double, and in many cases more than double the sale price; sizes 6½ to 7⅜. Thursday ..... 50c each

Small Boys' Hats, 50c Thursday

A clearance of broken lines of Hats for the little lad, tweeds and velvets, a few dozen only, smart styles, extra good quality, worth twice what we ask. The tweeds are green and grey, the velvets maroon. Early buyers will find these hats to be worth coming for; sizes 6 to 6⅞. Sale price ..... 50c each

Men's Sample Socks 25c Pair



Thursday we will clear out several dozen pairs of Sample Socks for men in cotton and lisle. The shades are greys, champagne, white and black. The quality is extra good, and they are worth much more than we ask. Men will find it to their advantage to select a few pairs of these Thursday. Price ..... 25c pair

Men's Nightshirts $1.00 Each

About seven dozen only of these Nightshirts to clear on Thursday, flannelette and twill cotton, some have collars and some V-neck style; the qualities of these are good; the lines are broken, and so we make a clean-up; the flannelette are in blue and pink stripes, the cotton are plain white; sizes 15 to 17. All one price Thursday ..... $1.00 each



Boys' Black Straw Sailors

The Black Straw Hats for the small boy (girl, too,) are here, two very neat shapes of fine-quality straw, snap brim or the turndown all around style; sizes 6⅛ to 6¾. Prices, each ..... $1.50 and $1.75

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DR. E. E. BRAITHWAITE NEW PRESIDENT OF CONGREGATIONALISTS

Conference Being Held in First Church Here.

Dr. E. E. Braithwaite, president of the Western University has been elected president, for the coming year, of the Western Association of Congregational Churches, in session today in the First Congregational Church. The other members of the new executive are: Secretary, Rev. A. J. Orr, Elcho (re-elected); treasurer, Rev. F. Sanders, Burford (re-elected); registrar, Rev. E. J. Warren, Embro; Home Mission representative, Rev. W. D. Spence, Guelph; chairman on credentials, Rev. W. E. Gilroy of Hamilton.

Seventeen churches of Western Ontario were represented at the convention up to noon today. The forenoon session was devoted largely to an inspirational address on "The Holy Spirit and the Christian Ministry," delivered by Rev. G. A. Mackenzie, formerly of this city, and now of Stratford, followed by an interesting discussion.

An outstanding feature of the whole convention was the address this afternoon on "The Church in Canadian Life," by Rev. W. E. Gilroy of Hamilton, chairman of the Congregational Union of Canada.

Luncheon was served at the noon hour in the basement of the church by the ladies of the congregation of the First Church.

CALL FOR CAVALRY FROM THIS DISTRICT

"Steel-Armed" Men Wanted Urgently For Service.

For the first time in many months, recruits are now being called for to join the service as steel-armed cavalrymen.

Instructions received at military district headquarters today, state that volunteers are urgently needed for that branch of the army, and an appeal is being made to secure the men at once.

Many men have been recruited in this district for the various regiments of mounted rifles, but few if any have gone to the front from here as steel-armed cavalry, armed with lances and swords. The men recruited will be trained under the supervision of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, and will, it is presumed here, be used in shock tactics.

Major C. O. Fairbank, who is directing recruiting efforts throughout the district, will have charge of securing the men for the steel-armed cavalry units.

FALL CAUSES DEATH.

Ottawa, April 10.—Victor V. Rogers, one of Ottawa's leading businessmen, died at his home last night of injuries which he received when he slipped while boarding a street car. He struck his head on the pavement but, while dazed, was able to proceed to his home at Rockliffe on another street car. Shortly after his arrival at home, he lapsed into unconsciousness and died while in that condition.

YEAR FOR SINN FEINER.

New York, April 10.—Thomas Welsh, convicted Monday of violating the trading with the enemy act by bringing into this country a communication from Sinn Fein leaders in Ireland to their agents in the United States, was today sentenced to a year and a day in the Atlanta Penitentiary by Federal Judge Hand.

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LOCAL NEWS

MOTHER'S CLUB MEETING. — The Rectory Street Mother's Club will meet on Thursday evening at 8 p.m., the speaker being Rev. J. H. Boyd.

FOUR MORE CAUGHT.—Four more civilians will become soldiers as a result of the arrests made on Monday by the police in their search for draft-evaders.

TO DISCUSS INCREASED FARES. —No. 1 committee of the city council will meet on Thursday night to discuss with the street railway officials the question of increasing the street car fares.

PERMITS TOTAL $18,805.—The building activity continues in the city. Already 34 building permits have been taken out this month for a total of $18,805. This is quite an increase over last month.

ODDFELLOWS VISITING. — The Independent Order of Oddfellows, Dominion Lodge and the Forest City Lodge, will visit Eureka Lodge Tuesday evening, April 9, and give the first degree to a class of candidates.

ELECT JURY TRIAL.—John W. Summers and Edward Ings, each charged with the theft of a number of motor car wheels from a bonded C. P. R. car, were brought before Judge Macbeth yesterday. Each elected trial by jury and pleaded not guilty. They were granted bail until their trials at the June sessions.

ROADS COMMISSION MEETING.—A meeting of the suburban roads commission will be held at the County Buildings at 8 o'clock this evening. The members of the commission will discuss the repairs and construction needed on the highways within the prescribed area. Some argument may arise as to the city's share in the maintenance of the roads in the area.

SOLDIERS MAY HELP.—Permits may now be issued to officers and other ranks not actively employed to proceed to the United States in uniform. Canadian officers, non-commissioned officers and men are assisting with the Liberty Loan campaign now in progress there, and where their assistance may be required they may be given permits to cross the border without arms, camp orders state today.

FOR NEW GARRISON UNIT.—The work of examining the members of No. 1 Special Service Company to ascertain their fitness for the new garrison unit to be established here, was begun by the medical boards today. Those who are placed in Categories B and C will be posted to the garrison unit, those, if any, who are rated A, will be transferred to combatant units for overseas service, and those in E will be discharged.

FROM SOUP TO NUTS.—A playlet entitled "From Soup to Savory" was staged by the Monday Night Club at Cronyn Memorial Sunday schol on Monday evening. The scene of the play is laid in a kitchen. Miss B. Childs was the cook, Miss Hook was the general kitchen maid, and Miss I. Colerick played the part of lady's maid. Rev. G. Q. Warner gave a violin selection, which was well received. Mrs. R. R. McBride sang a solo which pleased the audience. All present expressed their appreciation of the entertainment.

CONFERENCE CONTINUES.—The China Inland Mission conference, of which two sessions were held yesterday, was resumed this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church, the program including a missionary address by Miss M. E. Standen, on furlough from China, and a Bible reading by Rev. Dr. McTavish of Grosvenor Street Presbyterian Church, Toronto. This evening, Rev. F. A. Steven of this city will tell the story of the China Inland Mission, and Rev. W. J. Southam, rector of All Saints', Toronto, will give the Bible reading.

DOING GOOD WORK.—The car shops patriotic fund, of which Superintendent T. Treleaven is the president, has been doing some good work, the members assert. There has been $3,128.98 collected to date, $1,805.65 of which has been expended on Christmas presents for men overseas and relief work. Two hundred dollars was donated to the Western University unit on its departure. Charles Barratt is the secretary-treasurer of the fund. The managing committee is composed of the president and secretary-treasurer, with the following members: W. Barker, G. Barnaby, J. G. Spring and W. Hawken.

TAFT AND WALSH HEAD U. S. WAR LABOR BOARD

Washington, D. C., April 10.—Creation of a national war labor board to adjust all labor disputes during the period of the war has been proclaimed by President Wilson with its members the same men who recently framed the labor policy of the Government for the war period. The board is headed by former President Taft, selected by employers and Frank P. Walsh, selected by employees, representing the public.

ATTEMPTED ESCAPE, BUT WAS CAPTURED BY GERMAN GUARDS

Flight Sub-Lieut. A. G. Beattie Writes Parents.

IN SAME CAMP AS PERRY

Well and Happy, But Would Much Rather Be Fighting.

Flight Sub-Lieut. A. G. Beattie, who is a prisoner of war in Germany, has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Beattie, Mandaumin, telling of his efforts to escape from the Landshut Camp, and the fact that, as a result, he had been confined in prison fourteen days. Flight Lieut. Beattie took his officers' training course in London, and went overseas with the 149th (Lambton) Battalion, where he was transferred to the aviation branch of the service. About Christmas time he was reported missing, and it was several weeks before the good news reached his parents that he was alive and well and a prisoner of war at Landshut, the camp in which Flight Lieut. Perry, formerly of The Advertiser editorial staff, was about that time.

The section of the letter, written on February 12, in which Lieut. Beattie tells of his efforts to escape, has been deleted with leadpencil by the censor, but so imperfectly that the words written below can be made out. Portions of a former letter received at his home had been painted out with black paint.



FLIGHT SUB-LIEUT. A. G. BEATTIE. *Advertiser Illustrations.*

The letter is as follows:

"You may not have heard from me for some time. Owing to the fact that I, with two others, escaped from camp, and was captured, becoming occupants of cells in the prison here, I have had no opportunity of writing. I escaped on January 28, and have spent 14 days in prison. During that time, I had lots of time to think and read. I read a great many novels, and tried to think out what I should do after the war. I am thinking that if the war ends soon, I may buy a few Horned Dorsets to bring home with me from England, providing, of course, that I can spare the money. For the money which I require here, I can draw checks on my bank in England. I expect from appearances that my 20th birthday, March 25, will be spent here in camp. There is little to write, except that I am well and happy, although I should much rather be fighting."

The young flight lieutenant is a grandson of Adam Nichol of Westminster, and has many friends and relatives in the city and vicinity.

MOSCOW SAYS GERMANS WILL EVACUATE GROUND TAKEN FROM RUSSIANS

Moscow, April 9.—The department of foreign affairs says that Germany will evacuate all the territory captured in the recent advance, as well as some taken before the Brest-Litovsk peace negotiations. Thus the Narva and Pskov districts, the Mohilev government and other territory, will be restored to Russia.

Belgian Volunteers For Active Service; Brother Is Prisoner

Joseph Denys Was Born Near Ypres and Is Shipbuilder.

Among the men which arrived this morning from British-Canadian Recruiting Mission was Joseph Denys, a Belgian, who has enlisted in the Canadian army.

He was born ten miles from Ypres in the year 1888, and has been living in New Orleans for the past twelve years, where he has been employed at a ship builder.

He has a brother a prisoner in Germany, who was captured at the beginning of the war. His father and mother are living in Belgium.

Mr. Denys was placed in Category A.2, and sent to the Canadian Engineers.

MOTHERS' CLUBS

NEED OF FLOWER GARDENS.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ealing Mothers' Club was held on Tuesday evening with an exceptionally large attendance. The speaker for the occasion was Miss Yeates, the new principal of the Ealing School. Miss Yeates explained to the mothers the needs of the school in an interesting way. A flower garden and a kindergarten school were two of the most important things needed there just at present, and Miss Yeates expressed the hope that the pupils would have a fine garden this summer. That punctuality and exactness should be taught the child from the earliest stage was pointed out by Miss Yeates.

At the close of the meeting, the teachers of the Ealing School were entertained at a dainty supper served by the club. Miss Phoenix and Miss Lancaster sang in a charming manner and responded to encores. Miss Bragg delighted everyone with instrumental solos.

CARE OF THE TEETH.

Dr. Fuller was the speaker of the evening at the Empress Avenue Mothers' Club, held last evening in the school, his subject being the care of the teeth. He emphasized the importance from a health standpoint of keeping children's teeth in good condition. An excellent musical program followed, Miss Lawes favoring the members with a piano solo, and little Miss Asterbrook giving a violin solo.

FOR PRISONERS' FUND.

The concert held last evening by the Wortley Road Mothers' Club for the war prisoners' fund was an undoubted success. Many were present to hear the excellent program, which included vocal solos by Mrs. Young, Mrs. Logan, Miss Winnifred Richmond, little Miss Hazel Shang and Mr. Barr, as well as an instrumental duet by the Misses Longland and Moloff, a piano duet by Miss Scott and Wm. Allan, a piano duet by Miss Scott and Phyllis Harding, an instrumental solo by Milson Ward, and readings by Miss Elsie Poure, Miss Helen Baker and Miss J. Doan.

PERILS OF YOUNG GIRLS.

Mrs. F. W. Hughes gave an interesting talk on "Evils That Menace Young Girls" at the monthly meeting of the Boyle Memorial Mothers' Club, held in the school on Tuesday evening. The greatest guard a young girl can have, she said, is the knowledge of conditions, and this knowledge should be imparted by the girl's mother. The greatest confidence should exist between the mother and daughter, that when in perplexity the daughter will come to the mother, but if no confidence exists between the two, the young girl goes elsewhere. Young girls should dress quietly and in keeping with their station, love of dress often being the ruination of the young girl, said the speaker. Mrs. Hughes advocated the knowledge of housekeeping and homemaking, so that when a girl is called upon to fulfil these duties she is able to do so capably. Although there is not much chance for the young girls who are engaged in clerical work or in stores during the day to acquire much knowledge of housekeeping, the technical schools always give a very practical course in this line. Mrs. Hughes concluded her interesting talk by reading Longfellow's poem "Maidenhood."

Mrs. McGuire delighted the club by singing a couple of spring songs in charming manner. A letter was read acknowledging $10 received by the Children's Aid Society.

PROGRAM OF ARTISTIC MERIT GIVEN IN AID OF PRISONERS' FUND

Music-Lovers Enjoy Treat at Home of Mrs. R. Brown.

A program of rare artistic merit was enjoyed by the many music lovers who last evening attended the musicale given by Mrs. Randle Brown in her home at 25 Marley Place, on behalf of the Woman's Music Club, for the benefit of the Byron Sanatorium for Tuberculous Soliders.

The hostess herself met all expenses of the entertainment, consequently the total proceeds go to the club's fund for furnishing a ward in the new infirmary. In addition to this a beautiful basket of flowers, donated by Miss West for the purpose, brought $5 sold by auction at the close of the evening, Mr. Carrie proving himself most capable in the role of auctioneer.

Miss Dorinda Abbott, contralto; Geo. C. Carrie, tenor; Rev. G. Quinton Warner, 'cellist, and Miss Frances Marr, pianist, of Ridgetown, provided the delightful program. Mrs. Lyster, Miss Minnie Raymond and Charles Percy playing admirable accompaniments.

Miss Abbott's perfect enunciation and intonation, her command of the art of shading, and the artistic feeling she infused into the interpretation of her numbers, made each most enjoyable. These included the air, "Lungi dal caro bene" (Sesch), the Bohemian "Cradle Song" (Smetana), "Allah" (Chadwick), the last grouped with "The Boat Song" (Ware), both especially well adapted to her voice.

Mr. Carrie sang first with splendid dramatic effort, "O Paradise" from "La Africaine" (Meyerbeer), choosing for his second appearance a group including "Caro Mio Ben" (Giordani), given a most appealing interpretation; a charming Scotch number, "The Lass o' Killean" by Stickles, and a joyous bit, a "Spring Song" by Andrew. By special request he added the old Welsh number, "All Through the Night," in which, as fully as in any of his other numbers, the fine qualities of his voice and his artistic temperament were revealed.

Rev. G. Quinton Warner, whose ability as a 'cellist makes him a marked acquisition in London musical circles, contributed a Notturno by Goltermann, and Berceuse by Suter. Though his tone is not big, it is of exceptionally melodious quality, and he plays with ease, suavity and much expressiveness.

Style and brilliancy marked the playing of Miss Frances Marr, a young musician of much promise. Her numbers were a Macdowell "Etude," and the 6th Hungarian Rhapsody (Liszt), the last done with captivating rhythm.

Dainty refreshments were served after the program. —A MINOR.

DOG MUST DIE

Owner Agrees to Do Away With Vicious Animal.

Mrs. John Ebbets, Manor Park, appeared before Squire Chittick at the court house today, charged with keeping a vicious dog.

The information was laid by William Floyd, father of the boy who was bitten by the dog on March 31. Mrs. Ebbets agreed to pay the costs of the court, the physician's bill for medical attendance and to destroy the dog. With this understanding no penalty was imposed.

22 VOLUNTEERS OF 26 PASS PHYSICAL TEST FOR A2 CLASS

Most of Them Come From Across Border.

Twenty-six volunteers reported for service at the local mobilization centre on Tuesday. Eighteen of these were sent by the British-Canadian Recruiting Mission.

Eleven volunteers came from Detroit; five from Cleveland; seven from Windsor; one from Bay City; one from Columbus, and one from London.

Twenty-two men were placed in category A2, two in B2, and two were found unfit for service, and placed in category E.

Five men who were apprehended under the military service act appeared before the medical board Tuesday.

The following is a list of Tuesday's volunteers:

F. Johnson, 63rd Battery, G. A. Gauthier, unfit, F. A. Butcher, 63rd Battery, Wm. T. Hayes, unfit, Jos. Rodgers, Construction, all of Windsor; Thos. Glover, Service Corps, London; H. L. McWilliams, 63rd Battery, Columbus; L. C. Mills, W. C. Jones, W. Johns, Wm. Langton, C. E., all of Cleveland; Charles Magrane, 63rd Battery, B. K. Saunders, W. O. R., A. E. Reilly, C. E., F. Sullivan, W. O. R., F. Martin, W. O. R., Jos. Stephens, Construction, Jos. Martin, W. O. R., Wm. Conroy, C. E., B. Holloway, C. E., D. S. Symington, W. O. R., D. R. Mahanna, W. O. R., all of Detroit; M. Richardson, C. E., Bay City; D. K. Forsyth, 63rd Battery, Cleveland; G. L. McBurney, 63rd Battery and F. E. Johnson, 63rd Battery, Windsor.

YOAKUM THE NOTORIOUS CAUGHT AGAIN; ESCAPED FROM JACKSON PRISON

German Caught Here, Only Three Days in Penitentiary, But Back In Tolls.

Harvey Yoakum, alias James B. Howard, gunman and forger, who escaped from Jackson prison some months ago, has been arrested in Philadelphia according to information received by city detectives.

Yoakum was arrested in a Park avenue rooming-house last November by local detectives. During the struggle in connection with his arrest Yoakum drew a large calibre automatic pistol from his pocket, and was about to fire at the officers when he was overpowered and handcuffed.

Yoakum waived extradition proceedings and returned to Detroit, with detectives who came to this city for him. A sentence of five years was imposed in the Detroit court on charges of embezzlement and burglary. Yoakum escaped from the Jackson prison three days after his arrival there, and was taken only a few days ago in Philadelphia.

STEEL PLATES EASIER FOR CANADIAN BUYERS

In its summary of the iron, steel, metal and machinery markets for week ending April 6, Canadian Machinery and Manufacturing News, Toronto, makes the following observations:

The easier levels which have been looked for in prices of steel plates to Canadian buyers have taken definite form this week. Plates, ¼ to ⅝ inch, are now listed at $9 per hundred, being a drop from the $10 mark. Heads and tank plates have also followed this lead and are selling at a dollar off. Slight fluctuations are also noted in some of the non-ferrous lines, and as a result slightly lower prices are given. Supplies are not arriving in any faster order. This refers especially to the tin situation. Although certain prices are quoted for tin they are not adhered to, for the reason that the seller of tin is almost in a position to name his own price and pick the sale he desires.

United States mills are crowded with orders apart from the Government work, which has precedence over everything else. An estimate places this volume of business at twelve million tons. Just what amount of it is still to be regarded as real business is problematical, as much of it has been on the books at the rolling mills for months. Indications are for an improvement in the supply of the basic metals as outputs by actual performance of iron ore and coke are showing a steady improvement.

United States is preparing to turn to the concrete oil tanker to solve the problem of dealing with the carrying of oil for supplying its merchant and war fleet, and work is under way on the construction of a number of these poured-to-order boats.

Business is brisk in the machine tool trade. There are some Ontario inquiries about equipment for plants that will handle the larger shells, the 9.2. Dealers in machine tools are not keen to take on any more stock just now as their sheds are well filled. Unless they see a ready sale they are not quick to buy. Business remains good in supplies, there having been an exceptionally heavy run on high-speed goods.

TWO LONDON CASUALTIES

One Wounded in Battle and Other Is Ill.

Two Londoners' names appear in the latest casualty lists.

J. F. Campbell, 339 Dundas street, is reported wounded. W. Cordrey, 204 Adelaide street, Ill.

ONE LONE DRUNK

Magistrate Had an Easy Time at Today's Court.

One lone drunk was all Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon had to deal with in police court this morning. This particular individual appeared this morning for the fourteenth time in the past year, on each occasion being charged with intoxication. A fine of $50 and costs or one month in jail was imposed. The time in jail was taken, as the prisoner was without the necessary funds.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

Liverpool, April 10.—Closing prices today were:

British 5 per cent loan	94⅜
British 4½ per cent loan	100⅞
Consols, for money	54⅝
Atchison, com.	87
Baltimore & Ohio	54½
Canadian Pacific	159
Chesapeake & Ohio	58½
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	50
De Beers	12¾
Denver & Rio Grande	5
Erie, com.	19
Erie, 1st pfd.	31
Grand Trunk	8½
Illinois Central	100
Louisville & Nashville	118
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	6¾
New York Central	73
Norfolk & Western	109
Ontario & Western	21
Pennsylvania Railway	46½
Rand Mines	2⅝
Reading Railway	24
Southern Railway	24
Southern Pacific	87
Union Pacific	125
United States Steel	95

GRAIN.

Chicago, April 10.—Close: Corn—No. 2 yellow, $1 80; No. 3 yellow, $1 65@1 77; No. 4 yellow, $1 60@1 64.

Oats—No. 3 white, 92¾@93½c; standard, 92¾@93½c.

Rye—Nominal.

Barley—$1 40@1 85.

Timothy—$5@8.

Clover—$20@31.

PROVISIONS.

Chicago, April 10.—Close: Pork—Nominal.

Lard—$25 90.

Ribs—$23 62@24 12.

COTTON.

Liverpool, April 10.—Cotton Futures closed barely steady. New contracts: April, 25.04d; May, 24.74d; June, 24.52d; July, 24.31d; August, 24.10d. Old contracts (fixed prices): April, 23.57d; April and May, 23.49d; May and June, 23.41d; June and July, 23.33d.

Casualty Message Comes as Mother Is Reading Son's Letter

Pathetic Incident in Connection With Chatham Soldier's Death.

CHATHAM, April 9.—Pte. Frederick S. Bone died in No. 3 Canadian stationary hospital at Boulogne on April 4, from gunshot wound in the head, his father, Thomas Bone of 47 Delaware avenue, was officially advised today. He went over with the 186th Kent Battalion. A pathetic incident in connection with the case is that in the morning mail today his mother received a cheerful letter stating that he was well and happy. While she was reading the letter the telegram announcing his death came. Pte. Bone was a member of Holy Trinity Church and choir, and was widely known and esteemed. Besides his parents he leaves one brother.

W. J. Taylor, of Murray street was notified today that his son, Lieutenant Wm. W. Taylor, is in the hospital at Etaples with gunshot wounds in the neck and right arm. Some time ago he was awarded the Military Cross and the decoration was received by his parents a few days ago.

LITTLE GIRL STRUCK BY MOTOR CAR HAS HEAD AND ARM CUT

Running off the sidewalk at the corner of Adelaide and Dundas streets last night, the little daughter of William Bragg, 659½ Marshall street came in front of a motor car driven by A. W. White and was knocked down. The child's head and arm were cut, but the injuries are said to be not serious.

Onlookers say the accident was altogether unavoidable.

GIRLS' CLUB CHEERS UP SOLDIERS AT BYRON

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the Byron Sanatorium on Tuesday, when the Y. W. C. A. Empire Club (the girls of the McClary Manufacturing Company) entertained the boys.

Col. Gartshore, as chairman, spoke a few appropriate words. A bright and lively program was then given. The solos by Ballantyne McCulloch, James Stewart and Mr. Lindsay, and a reading by Miss Ruth Tanner, were greatly appreciated. Several good songs were given by the girls, the boys joining in heartily. Mr. McGuinness, a returned veteran, sang "Auld Lang Syne" excellently.

The object of the McClary girls is to cheer up the boys, and in this way they do their bit.

EXCELLENT PROGRAM CLOSES THE SEASON

McClary's foundry employees enjoyed the last concert of the season under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. today. R. P. Liddle of the Y. M. C. A. had prepared an excellent program, which he introduced with a brief address.

Signaller W. E. Capewell gave a short address on the work of the Y. M. C. A. in the various military camps. He also gave an account of the work of the Great War Veterans Association. R. Hudson, who has been touring the United States in the interest of the Y. M. C. A., gave a short talk on the work of the association. Solos were given by Bandsman Sidney Johns and Pte. G. C. Mathews of the W. O. R. Corp. A. R. Bennett gave a couple of recitations, and Corp. G. Scott officiated at the piano.

The employees expressed their appreciation of the work of R. P. Liddle and the Y. M. C. A.

COLLINGWOOD CO. HAS AGREEMENT WITH MEN

Ottawa, April 10.—The labor department announces that an agreement has been concluded between the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company, Limited, and its boilermakers, iron shipbuilders, etc.

The agreement which has been drawn up and signed provides for a nine-hour day throughout the week, a five-hour day on Saturday and increased pay on holidays. There is also a schedule of wages applicable to the different trades involved. In his report to the minister of labor, the chairman of the board comments on the friendly spirit which prevailed during the negotiations.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

DEATH OF ANDREW BEATTIE.

Andrew Beattie, a lifelong resident of Westminster township, died at his home on concession 3, yesterday. He was in his 62nd year. Besides his wife he leaves four sons and three daughters, Robert at home, James of Westminster, Andrew of Whitebear, Saskatchewan, William of Perry, Saskatchewan, Misses Clara and Edith at home and Mrs. Muriel Tanner, of London. The funeral will be held on Friday to Pond Mills Cemetery.

BURIED AT MT. PLEASANT.

The funeral of Mabel Gertrude Featherstone, who died on Sunday at the family residence, 17 MacDonald avenue, after a short illness with pneumonia, was held from the residence of her aunt, Mrs. J. Gardner, 149 Central avenue, on Tuesday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. Canon Sage of St. George's Church. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The pallbearers were returned men, who saw service with the 18th Battalion in France. Sergt. S. Bali, Major Bullen, Ptes. J. Murphy, M. Noble, G. Turner, F. Smith.

Mrs. Featherstone is survived by her husband, Frederick Featherstone, of the postoffice staff this city, who was in France with the 18th Battalion; one son, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gardner; two sisters and two brothers, Harold in France, and Reginald in Egypt. She was a member of the Returned Soldiers' Chapter, I. O. D. E.

DEATH OF ANDREW BEATTIE.

The death of Andrew Beattie, aged 62 years, a well-known Westminster Township farmer, occurred Tuesday at the family residence, lot 9, concession 3, Westminster Township.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lillian Beattie, three daughters and four sons: Mrs. M. Tanner of this city, Miss Clara Beattie and Miss Edith at home; William of Percy Sask.; Andrew of White Bear, Sask.; James of Westminster, and Robert at home.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon. The services will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Crawford. Interment will be made at Pond Mills Cemetery.

DEATH OF MRS. GILES.

Mrs. Gertrude Giles, aged 26 years, died Tuesday at her late residence, 865 Lovett street, after an attack of pneumonia. She is survived by her husband, Rundle Giles of this city. The funeral cortege will leave the residence Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The service will be conducted in Hyde Park Presbyterian Church at 2:30 by Rev. James MacKay, of New St. James' Presbyterian Church. Interment will be made at Hyde Park Cemetery.

MGR. STAGNI CONCLUDES HIS TERM IN CANADA

OTTAWA, April 9.—It is officially announced that Mgr. Stagni, apostolic delegate of the holy see in Canada, has concluded his term of office here. Until his successor is named by Rome the office will be filled by Mgr. Filippi, secretary to the apostolic delegate.

Mgr. Stagni has been seven years in Ottawa. His departure will take place within the next few weeks.

BRIDGE CAUGHT FIRE.—Firemen were called to the Grand Trunk Railway bridge on Wortley road at 1:15 o'clock this afternoon. Sparks from a passing locomotive ignited the wooden understructure. The blaze was quickly extinguished. The damage was negligible.

WONDERFUL ARE MOTOR GUN MEN OF CANADIANS

Fighting in the Great Somme Battle Proves Their Splendid Stuff.

MANY HEROIC DEEDS

Thrilling Stories Sent by War Correspondent From British Front.

WAR CORRESPONDENTS' HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Friday.—Two little incidents in fighting south of Amiens-Millers-Carbonnel road show what splendid stuff the men of the Canadian Motor Machine Gun Brigade are made of. Under cover of the edge of a large wood near Moreuil, a young Nova Scotia officer had carefully placed the two machine guns under his command so they could sweep the fringes of a larger wood to the left, in which he knew the German cavalry was concentrating. Down in the valley a ding-dong fight between British and Hun infantry was going on, both sides having dug themselves shallow trenches.

Trapped the Germans.

A dip in the ground enabled him to see the enemy movements hidden in the Imperial battalions. He watched the Germans slowly and laboriously drag pieces of some kind of artillery into the little redoubt they had built in their rear, three sides of which were in perfect range for his guns. After an hour's hard work the Germans got two large trench mortars of a new type that fires five rounds a minute, mounted for action, and started bringing up ammunition. He could plainly see the German captain and an under officer sighting the guns, when he decided it was time for action. Suddenly both the Canadian machine guns ripped out bells of death. Every man in the Hun redoubt was killed or wounded, and the trench mortars were so badly smashed that the enemy did not attempt to remove the remnants during the night. Next morning the machine guns caught the Uhlans they had been waiting for, as they attempted to come out of the wood, and drove them back disorganized.

Many Heroic Deeds.

In the desperate encounters which took place in the woods and sunken roads of the Somme there were many heroic deeds done. One which stands out prominently was that of a young Toronto dispatch rider of the Canadian machine guns. One of the battery officers going to visit his advanced posts in a side car misjudged the position of the constantly changing line. To the consternation of the Canadian gunners he charged by them, and in spite of warning shouts went dashing around a curve in the road into full view of the enemy only 200 yards away. The car was riddled with bullets and officer and driver, both wounded, rolled into safety of the roadside ditch, sheltered from the Huns, also in full view of their comrades. The dispatch rider mounted his own machine and drove down the road to the rescue, while machine guns concentrated their fire on the nearest section of the enemy line. He gained the ditch and found the officer with his right arm useless. Under a hail of lead he helped him to the road and was himself wounded in the left arm

Made Their Escape.

Sprawling around, each using his undamaged arm, they managed to right the motorcycle. The rider mounted the saddle and the officer clasping his legs around him used his good left hand to steer with. The rider with his undamaged right hand started the engine. Although they had many close shaves and the cycle was hit, they got back safely. Later a gunner crawled out and rescued the driver of the side car.

One Canadian gun crew in Hamel had a quick-witted Yukon corporal in command. They were quietly sitting in a partly wrecked house well screened from view, when a strangely dressed man came cautiously along the road. He had on a British cap and puttees, but an old brown civilian coat. The corporal, jumping out from cover, quickly yelled, "Spreichen sie Deutsch" the only German he knew. The surprised man let out a guttural "Yas" and found the Yukoner's gun covering him. He turned out to be a prisoner of war escaped from a labor camp behind our own lines, and was within 200 yards of escaping with valuable information.

LISTOWEL MAN WILL START TOY FACTORY AT FALKIRK SHORTLY

Plant of George McDonald Will Employ Number of Hands.

AILSA CRAIG, April 9.—George A. McDonald of Listowel is opening a factory at Falkirk, three miles from here, for the manufacture of toys. He expects to have everything going in full operation in a very short time. Mr. McDonald has made a close study of toy manufacturing for some time, and has now samples of toys which are very attractive. Exhibits will be made of these at Toronto, London, St. Thomas and several other cities. The toys he has so far are all well made and very strongly built, such as ambulances, gas tank cars, speedsters, autos, rockers, etc. Falkirk is Mr. McDonald's home town. Dan McDonald, his father, is a buyer of lumber for the Adam Beck Company of London.

The death occurred on Sunday of William E. Easton, aged 75, at his home here after a lingering illness. Until a few years ago he was a grain buyer, but retired from business about ten years ago. Besides his widow he leaves five daughters, Mrs. Birkell and Mrs. A. Hird of Brantford, Mrs. J. Richards of Chatham, Miss Jean, teacher at Ingersoll, and Mrs. S. Pride of this town; also one son, Capt. Geo. S. Easton, chaplain of the Y. M. C. A. camps in France. The funeral, which was private, was held this afternoon to Nairn Cemetery.

HIGHWAYS MINISTER AT ST. THOMAS TODAY

ST. THOMAS, April 9.—W. A. McLean, minister of highways, will be here on Wednesday afternoon to go thoroughly into the question of good roads with the council. He will, it is expected, give the councillors all details of what will be required in connection with the program for connecting up the town and rural highways. He will also take up the question of determining what main city roadways are to be designated for suburban highways. Under the proposed improvements St. Thomas will be connected splendidly with the important roads. The Government will defray 60 per cent of the cost.

WANTS HALL REPAIRED.

At No. 2 committee meeting last night, Ald. Moorhead asked that something be done to put the east end hall in some kind o frepair. The committee had looked over the building, and found that in some instances the woodwork has broken away from the glass in the windows. Provision had been made in the estimates for repairs, and Building Inspector Piper will bring in a report at the next meeting of the committee. This building was gone over last year by Chairman J. M. Moore and Ald. Moorhead, who reported that it needed attention.

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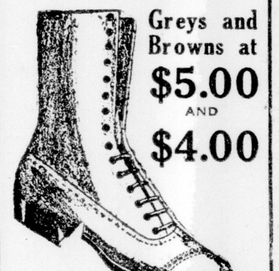
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IRISH PRELATES OUT AGAINST CONSCRIPTION

Dublin, April 10.—The Irish Catholic bishops' committee at a meeting held yesterday, which was presided over by Cardinal Logue, passed by a unanimous vote a resolution protesting against conscription in Ireland, and declaring that to enforce conscription without the consent of the Irish people would inevitably end in defeating its own purpose.

"What between mismanagement and mischief making," said the resolution, "this country already has been desperately upset and it would be a fatal mistake surpassing the worst blunder of the past four years, to furnish a telling plea for desperate courses by an attempt to enforce conscription."

The bishops attending the meeting included some who have supported recognition of the Government's attitude in the war."

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The annual election of officers for the Askin Street Church Epworth League was held on Monday, April 9. The following are the officers for the year: President, Bert Childs; first vice-president, Miss Mabel Howson; second vice-president, Miss Bessie Dobbyn; third vice-president, Miss Clara Mitchell; fourth vice-president, F. Kilbourne; fifth vice-president, Miss Mabel Gregory; corresponding secretary, Miss Gladys Wanless; recording secretary, Charles Moore; treasurer, F. Vanstone; pianist, Miss Verna Dobbyn; representative to local union, Miss B. Clark.

With this executive at their head the young people expect to do great things and intend making the coming year the best in their history.

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WILL BE HOME SOON.

EMBRO, April 9.—In a letter just received from Pte. Jerry Coulson by his parents he states that he expects to be sent home in a month or six weeks. He has been ill for some time in England. Mrs. Graham McKay has a letter from her son, Pte. Stanley McKay, who was wounded in both legs and one arm recently, stating that he may be sent home shortly.

BURIAL IN LONDON.

DORCHESTER, April 9.—The funeral of John Mullen was held from the family residence, Dorchester, to St. Peter's Cemetery, London. Besides his wife he leaves seven children: John, the eldest, in Hamilton; Martin, Ed and Cliff, who have joined the colors; Mrs. Newell of Avon, and Aggie and Ambrose at home. He was for many years a resident of Dorchester.

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Daylight Saving Bill To Go Into Effect On April 15, Says Borden

Clocks Will Be Advanced One Hour at Midnight on Sunday.

OTTAWA, April 9.—Sir Robert Borden intimated tonight that Canada's daylight saving bill will go into effect on Monday, April 15. The bill, which is now before the Senate, will be put through its various stages this week and assented to. The necessary proclamation to bring the bill into effect will probably appear in the Canada Gazette on Saturday and the clocks will be advanced an hour at midnight on Sunday.

BRITISH DESTROYER IS LOST WITH CREW

Collision in Fog—All Hands Believed Drowned.

LONDON, April 9.—A British torpedo-boat destroyer sank last Thursday as the result of a collision, and all hands on board are believed to have been drowned, according to an admiralty statement issued tonight. The statement says:

"One of his majestys torpedoboat destroyers sank on the 4th instant as the result of a collision in the foggy weather. All hands are missing and it is presumed they were drowned."

TORONTO VETERANS TAR AN AMERICAN WHOM THEY SUSPECT

Force Him to Kiss a British Flag.

MAY HAVE BEEN HASTY

Pay No Heed to His Protestations and His Explanations.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TORONTO, April 9.—A party of great war veterans tonight tarred and forced Fred Spade, an American, to kiss the British flag. Spade had threatened, when rebuked by the wife of a returned soldier after he had compained of the conduct of her children, to slap her face.

Art Edmunds, professional boxer and wrestler, during the course of an impassioned address to a local branch last night, declared that Spade was a foreigner and a German. A score of veterans were ready then to follow Edmunds, but were held in check by Vice-President Perkins, who advised, securing the sanction of the executive before force was used to deal with the alien question.

The action follows the decision of Monday night's meeting of this branch, during which the Union Government was described as worthless, and the executive of the association as composed of pacifists for their conduct of the negotiations on the alien question with the cabinet. The upshot of the meeting was a resolution from the meeting to organize a body to decide the alien question, "Once for all."

The crowd went to the Spade home on Jersey avenue and dragged him out in spite of his assertions that he was an American, and his explanation of the affair, which he declared, had been exaggerated when given to the G. W. V. A.

WANT CANADA TO ADD FIVE SQUADRONS OF AIRCRAFT TO R. F. C.

Deputation Waits on War Committee to Urge Proposal.

OTTAWA, April 9.—Representing various aero clubs and military institutions in Canada, a delegation waited upon a number of members of the war committee of the cabinet in Hon. N. W. Rowell's office today, requesting that a wing, consisting of five squadrons of eighteen machines be added to the Royal Flying Corps from Canada. Col. W. Hamilton Merritt of the Canadian aviation fund, who headed the deputation, said it was proposed that the Dominion Government should present two of the squadrons, one to be composed of training machines for use at home, and the other of battle or scout planes to be sent to the front.

Mr. Rowell stated that the only objection to the proposal, if there was any objection, was that the Canadian Government might deem it advisable to make any expenditures on other branches of the service instead of making gifts to the imperial treasury.

BANDIT ROBS BANK IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

SASKATOON, Sask., April 9.—An unmasked bandit this afternoon held up the south branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce here and got away with between $3,000 and $4,000 in currency.

At the point of a revolver he backed the manager and staff into the rear of the office and held them at bay while he ransacked the cash drawer in the teller's cage. Backing up slowly he made his getaway from the bank and disappeared. The bandit was a man of about 25 years of age.

15 HORSES BURNED IN WINNIPEG STABLES

WINNIPEG, April 9.—Fifteen horses were burned in a fire which broke out at half-past three this afternoon in the stables of the City Dairy Company at the corner of Maryland street and Notre Dame avenue. The building was burned to the ground as was also an adjoining blacksmith shop. Although a heavy wind was blowing, the prompt arrival of the fire brigade prevented the spread of the fire.

PUBLISHING CASUALTIES

447 In Names Are In List From April 3 to 8.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Secretary of War Baker today cabled the war department to resume issuing casualty lists of the American expeditionary forces. All the lists which have accumulated since publication was stopped will be made public tonight.

Four hundred and forty-seven names appear on casualty lists for April 3 to 8, inclusive, made public tonight by the war department. On April 5th 121 names were reported. The combined lists show: Killed in action 18, died of wounds 11, captured 21, died of accident 4, died of disease 46, died (cause unknown) 3, severely wounded 103, and slightly wounded 241.

THE LATEST REPUBLIC

Kazan Announces Establishment of Independent Government.

LONDON, April 9.—Kazan Province, in Eastern European Russia, has been proclaimed an independent republic by the Congress of Peasants in that province, according to Reuter's Petrograd correspondent. The Council of People's Commissioners has been notified to this effect.

Kazan Province is in the Volga region, and its capital, Kazan, is situated on the Kazanka River, near the point of its confluence with the Volga, 430 miles east of Moscow. The population of more than 2,000,000 is over one-half Russian and more than one-fourth Tartar. Its area is 24,600 square miles.

WESTERN PREMIERS TO VISIT BATTLE FRONT

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Winnipeg, April 9.—Premier T. C. Norris of Manitoba and Premier W. M. Martin of Saskatchewan will visit England and the Canadian lines in France this summer. Both provincial governments have agreed as to propriety of such a trip. Alberta will also send a representative.

USE PARK FOR PRODUCTION.

INGERSOLL, April 9.—Citizens are arranging to join in the greater production campaign on a more extensive scale than last season. A big section of Victoria Park will again be utilized for production purposes, and other vacant property in the town obtained if possible.

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Details of Successful Mid-winter Trips Are Made Known.

BRAVE TERRIBLE WEATHER

Engage in Operations Against U-Boats Close to Enemy Bases.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—In the face of bitter winter gales, American submarines, primarily designed for operations off the home coasts, have crossed the Atlantic to engage in the common fight against German U-boats. They are now aiding Allied naval forces, as are American destroyers and American naval airmen, and they have been in the war zone for some months.

Secretary Daniels revealed the fact that the submarines had gone "over there" in his address at Cleveland last Saturday at a Liberty Loan campaign meeting, but gave no details. It is now possible, however, to tell for the first time of the midwinter passage of the boats across the seas in the face of the most severe weather known in years. In the perilous passages the best traditions of the service have been maintained.

No Disaster to Record.

The first submarines to leave got under way in early winter. The steps taken to get them across cannot be disclosed, but the fact that the department has no disaster to record is pointed to as proof of their sufficiency.

Officers and men of the submarines faced hard days as they put out. Cramped in narrow quarters and with storms in prospect, they steered to sea with complete confidence in themselves and their boats. A laconic report of uneventful voyages bore out that confidence. In mid-December others also got started.

Into 100-Mile Gale.

While it was fair on sailing day, ahead of the submarines a 100-mile gale was brewing. Into it they plowed, rolling and tumbling. Even when towlines parted in some cases, unknown to the tugs and accompanying craft, the submarines battled forward alone. A majority of them reached their destination under their own power, ready for duty.

Little has been said of the work of the British and French submarines in the U-boat hunt. They are playing a definite part, however, and lurking close to enemy bases. There have been encounters between submarines, reports of which read like fiction. The service has been described as a trying one, for which men of courage and daring are needed. It is in this work, presumably, that the American submarines are engaged.

PORT DOVER WILL BE TAKEN OVER BY GOVT. CARVELL INTIMATES

If G. T. R. Will Not Do Right, Others Will.

IMMENSE DEPUTATION

Order - in - Council Already Passed, Is His Impression.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

OTTAWA, April 9.—A practical assurance that Port Dover harbor would be taken over by the Government was given by Frank Carvell to an influential deputation which waited upon him today. Strong complaints were made that the Grand Trunk had not developed the harbor as it should have been developed, and as a result of the representations made the minister said: "I am fairly sure that an order-in-council has been passed by the Government practically retaking charge of the harbor of Port Dover, and if it has not already been passed I am pretty sure that it will be, and that everything that is necessary will be done for the adequate development of the harbor under the auspices of the public works department. We are going to see that the people of Ontario are in a position to receive from the harbor of Port Dover whatever benefits there are to be received, and," said he, "if the Grand Trunk won't develop the harbor as it should be developed and some one else will develop it, I see no reason why someone should not have the necessary power to carry out the work."

Large Area Interested.

The statement appeared to please the delegation, which represented the municipal councils and boards of trade of Port Dover, Simcoe, Waterford, Brantford, Paris, Hespeler, Kitchener, Waterloo and Elmira and was headed by Hon. W. Charlton, M.P., for Norfolk; Senator McCall, F. S. Scott of South Waterloo, W. F. Cockshutt of Brantford, W. D. Euler, M.P., and William Weichel, ex-M.P., respectively, for North Waterloo. Members of the deputation emphasized the need of complete development of the harbor.

Mr. Charlton declared that the Grand Trunk had been a dog in the manger and had held up progress in that portion of the province. He ventured the opinion that an expenditure of about $75,000 in repairs, etc., would suffice until after the war. The Lake Erie and Northern Railway would establish a ferry service, which would take care of freight which came into the district.

Minister Is Impressed.

The minister declared himself as being much impressed by the speeches. Nothing, he said, meant so much to the people of Canada as transportation.

"As to the attitude of the Grand Trunk Railway, I am satisfied that everything you say is correct." The minister then announced that the Government would take over the harbor and develop it, and that an amount had already been inserted in the supplementary estimates to repair the damage that had been caused by storms.

"As to the larger scheme, I only wish I were in a position to say 'yes' to you today," said Mr. Carvell, "and I would, were we living under ordinary conditions. But, you know, expenditures on new work must be restricted on account of the war. This year we are raising $8,000,000 or $9,600,000, while the ordinary revenue of Canada is $250,000,000.

"My first act when I assumed the portfolio of public works was to cancel a $1,000,000 breakwater contract for the city of St. John, near which I reside. I would like some additional information as to what the railway company (L. E. and N. Railway) are willing to do regarding ferry accommodation, because it is no use spending money on the harbor unless we get the business there. I will, then, consult the other ministers from Ontario and we will do something for you if we can raise the money. In June I intend to go up the lakes from Montreal to Fort William, and will certainly visit Port Dover."

CARRACAS IS FLOATED BY SARNIA WRECKERS

Halifax, April 10.—The steamer Carracas, which was driven ashore and sunk at the time of the Mont Blanc explosion in Halifax harbor, was floated yesterday by Capt. Reid of Sarnia, and J. P. Porter of Halifax. A cofferdam was built around the ship, and then she was pumped out. **The Carracas is 10,000 tons, and worth about $1,000,000.**

CANADIAN NORTHERN DEBT OF $78,000,000 FALLS DUE THIS YEAR

Hon. A. K. McLean Makes This Announcement to House.

OBJECT TO BLANK CHECKS

Bill to Amend Dominion Land Act Is Given Third Reading.

OTTAWA, April 9.—A general discussion of railway conditions in Canada based upon Hon. J. D. Reid's resolution, authorizing the Government to purchase railway equipment and to issue equipment notes, occurred in the Commons today. The minister assured the House that the adoption of this course had been made necessary by the war, and that the proposed bill would remain in force only for one year after the war.

Hon. A. K. MacLean made the interesting statement that the Canadian Northern Railway obligations, amounting to $78,000,000, would fall due this year. These would have to be met by the Government. The purchase by the Government for all the railways of equipment he deemed necessary under present conditions, because, if proper support were not given the railways, the commercial fabric of the country would fall down.

Against "Blank Checks."

Opposition members objected to the minister of railways being given what they described as "blank checks" for the purchase of equipment. Sir Wilfrid Laurier declaring that the resolution, as it stood, "would not do at all."

Dr. Reid subsequently moved an amendment, limiting the expenditures within any one year to $50,000,000, and Liberal members expressed the opinion that this was a big lump sum for the minister to spend on equipment in one year. After some further discussion the minister agreed to limit the period of operation of the bill to one year only. As amended the resolution was passed.

In committee of supply, militia department votes for salaries et cetera, exceeding $206,000, were passed. Major-General Mewburn promised a full statement as to the Government's policy on the second reading. This may be forthcoming tomorrow.

Third reading was given to the bill to amend the Dominion land act.

Supreme Court Tied Up.

When the House went into committee on the bill to amend the Supreme Court act, Hon. C. J. Doherty explained at some length the amendments which it was proposed to make to the act. At the conclusion of his explanation H. B. Morphy asked if the bill could not be printed in the form which the minister wished it to take. It was of such importance, he said, that the members should understand the effect of the proposed amendments, and at present they did not. The minister of justice said he had no desire to pass a measure without all the members thoroughly understanding it, but he said the Supreme Court today was actually being prevented from carrying on business because Judge Duff was not able to sit. His duties as central appeal court judge took all his time. He would be glad, the minister said, to have the matter settled today.

Mr. Morphy, however, was strongly opposed to discussing the amendments until they were submitted in printed form. He went on then to say that the minister of justice had declared all the members of the Supreme Court in the Province of Quebec were engaged on the tribunals under the military service act. He suggested that the members of the Supreme Court in Ottawa should assist Justice Duff and speed up the work of the central appeal court. When it was concluded the Supreme Court business could be transacted.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said it was not proper to order the printing of a bill as amended until the amendments had been passed. He opposed Mr. Morphy's suggestion.

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LEMONS BRING OUT THE HIDDEN BEAUTY



What girl or woman hasn't heard of lemon juice to remove complexion blemishes; to bleach the skin and to bring out the roses, the freshness and the hidden beauty? But lemon juice alone is acid, therefore irritating, and should be mixed with orchard white this way. Strain through a fine cloth the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing about three ounces of orchard white, then shake well and you have a whole quarter pint of skin and complexion lotion at about the cost one usually pays for a small jar of ordinary cold cream. Be sure to strain the lemon juice so no pulp gets into the bottle, then this lotion will remain pure and fresh for months. When applied daily to the face, neck, arms and hands it should help to bleach, clear, smoothen and beautify the skin.

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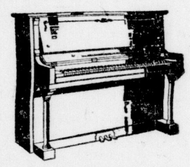
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There is no one thing so essential to health as good, pure blood. It has been said that fully 50 per cent of all disease is due to impure or bad blood. When you stop and think the blood reaches every part of your body, carrying in its healthful and life-giving properties when pure, it is easily understood that bad, impure blood, instead of giving health and happiness, carries disease to all parts of our system. Impure blood means numberless ills, some common and easily overcome; others deep-seated and obstinate, sapping our vitality, making us listless, heavy-footed, languid and without ambition.

How many times lately have you gotten up in the morning with that dark brown taste in your mouth, dull headache, sore and lame across the shoulders and back, each foot feeling as though it weighed a ton? Your greatest desire is to slip back to bed for "just fifteen minutes more," and you go, only to feel worse when you do get up. Why suffer longer? Why go on as you are now without "pep" or "jazz" or ambition, dragging out a dull, weary existence, hopelessly outclassed in mind and body by your full-blooded and active friends? Are not the joys and happiness in life for you, as well as anyone else?

Go to your druggist today and get a bottle of Parmint, double strength; take it home and add to it hot water and sugar, as directed in each package. Take a tablespoonful four times a day. Parmint, double strength, is in concentrated form; one ounce is sufficient to make full eight ounces of medicine when mixed with sugar and water. Parmint is an English formula, old-fashioned, but wonderfully effective in its action on the blood. You will feel better almost with the first dose, and by the time half a bottle is gone your appetite will surprise you, and you will feel the old-time "pep" and ambition coming back; in a few weeks you will be your real self again, eyes shining, face bright, step elastic, rich, red blood coursing through your veins with every heartbeat.

Caution: Parmint is a blood medicine and tonic. It is not a specific for blood poisoning, and is not recommended as such. If you have a deep-seated systemic blood disease, Parmint is not recommended to you.

The Bank of British North America

ESTABLISHED IN 1836

Incorporated by Royal Charter in 1840

PAID-UP CAPITAL, $4,866,666.66 RESERVE FUND, $3,017,333.33

Eighty-Second Annual Report and Balance Sheet

Report to the Directors of The Bank of British North America, Presented to the Proprietors at Their Eighty-Second Yearly General Meeting on Tuesday, March 5th, 1918.

The Court of Directors submit the accompanying Balance Sheet to 30th November, 1917.

The Profits for the Year, including $104,222.14 brought forward from 30th November, 1916, amount to $772,226.02 of which $194,666.66 was appropriated to an interim Dividend paid last October, leaving a balance of $577,559.36 out of which the Directors propose—

To declare a Dividend of 40s. 0d. per Share, payable, less Income Tax, on the 5th April next.

To pay the usual Bonus of Five per cent. to all the Staff, estimated to cost about $43,800.00, and also—

A Special War Bonus to those members of the Staff remaining on duty and of not less than six months' service to meet the increase in their necessary expenditure, estimated to cost about $34,066.66, and to carry forward $156,309.55.

The above Dividend will make a distribution of 8 per cent. for the year.

The Dividend Warrants will be remitted to the Proprietors on the 4th April next.

The Directors have made a Donation of $10,000 to the Halifax Relief Fund, and although the disaster did not occur until after the close of the Bank's financial year, they have included it in the Accounts now submitted.

During the year the following Branch and Sub-Branches have been closed :—Quesnel, B.C., Boucherville and Varennes, P.Q.

And a Branch has been opened at Kamsack, Sask.

The following appropriations from the Profit and Loss Account have been made for the benefit of the Staff :—

To the Officers' Widows and Orphans Fund	$ 9,456.29
" " Pension Fund	44,743.89
" " Life Insurance Fund	11,680.00

The following statement prepared by request of a Proprietor at the last Annual General Meeting shews the present distribution of the Bank's Capital :—

In Canada	533	Proprietors hold	6,356	Shares.
" Great Britain and Ireland	1,255	" "	12,993	"
" Elsewhere	67		651	"
	1,855		20,000	"

LONDON, 26th February, 1918.

The Bank of British North America
BALANCE SHEET, 30th NOVEMBER, 1917.

LIABILITIES

Capital—20,000 Shares of £50 each fully paid		$4,863,666.66
Reserve Fund		3,017,333.33
Dividends Declared and Unpaid		2,850.61
Profit and Loss Account		
Balance brought forward from 30th November, 1916	$332,955.46	
Dividend paid April, 1917	$194,666.66	
Bonus to Staff	34,066.66	
	228,733.32	
	104,222.14	
Net Profit for the year ending this date after deducting all current charges and providing for bad and doubtful debts	668,003.88	
	772,226.02	
Dividend paid October, 1917	194,666.66	
	577,559.36	
Deduct:		
Transferred to Bank Premises Account	$5,169.61	
Transferred to Officers' Widows and Orphans Fund	9,456.29	
Transferred to Officers' Life Insurance Fund	11,680.00	
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund	44,743.89	
Canadian Patriotic Fund	18,000.00	
Canadian War Tax on Circulation	43,666.66	
Halifax Relief Fund	10,000.00	
American Red Cross Fund	1,000.00	
	148,716.45	
Balance available for April Dividend		428,842.91
Notes of the Bank in Circulation		5,763,882.04
Deposits not Bearing Interest		18,223,720.63
Deposits Bearing Interest, (including Interest accrued to date)		40,800,087.12
Balances due to other Banks in Canada		44.04
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents in the United Kingdom and Foreign Countries		443,337.25
Bills Payable		2,200,107.80
Acceptances under Letters of Credit		803,651.65
Liabilities and Accounts not included in the Foregoing		1,127,319.19
		$77,682,843.23

ASSETS

Current Coin and Bullion	960,750.00	
Dominion Notes	5,079,117.00	
		6,039,867.00
Notes of other Banks		980,277.82
Cheques on other Banks		2,770,543.39
Balances due by other Banks in Canada		16,607.15
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada		2,388,353.47
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities not exceeding Market Value		6,350,000.00
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian—(including £300,000 Exchequer Bonds, £100,000 3½ per cent. War Loan. The War Stocks taken at cost)		3,570,334.69
Railway and other Bonds and Stocks		46,884.37
Call and Short Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks		2,607,013.55
Call and Short Loans elsewhere than in Canada		4,849,124.91
Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (*less* Rebate of Interest)		28,776,590.96
Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (*less* Rebate of Interest)		7,791,248.46
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit as per contra		803,651.65
Real Estate other than Bank Premises		29,038.65
Overdue Debts (estimated Loss provided for)		283,059.32
Bank premises at not more than Cost, Less Amounts Written off		2,374,639.83
Deposit with the Canadian Minister of Finance for the Purposes of the Circulation Redemption Fund—		
Cash		245,821.58
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserve		2,420,000.00
Other Assets and Accounts not included in the Foregoing		331,783.43
		$77,6[illegible]2,843.23

H. B. MACKENZIE, *General Manager.* E. A. HOARE, G. D. WHATMAN, *Directors.*

We have examined the above Balance Sheet with the Books in London and the Certified Returns from the Branches, and we report to the shareholders that we have obtained all the information and explanations we have required and that in our opinion, the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank. As required by Section 56, Clause 19, of the Bank Act of Canada, we visited the Chief Office (Montreal) of the Bank and checked the cash and verified the securities and found that they agreed with the entries in the books of the Bank with regard thereto. We further report that, in our opinion, the above Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shewn by the books and returns.

LONDON, 4th March, 1918. N. E. WATERHOUSE, FRANK S. PRICE, *Auditors.*

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Secrets of Health and Happiness

Uric Acid Not a Disease ---a Product of Elimination

By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG,
A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkin University.)



DR. HIRSHBERG

A "Constant Reader" writes me for the second time that he "has pains and aches and knows that they are due to uric acid in his blood."

Gently, patiently, though hopelessly, it seems, he was warned against the repetition of the silly, incorrect doctrine that any disease or symptom is caused by uric acid, which is as normal a thing as food or blood.

The "uric acid in the blood" nonsense is a typical example of German-like propaganda. It is proof that if enough voices, enough books, enough lectures and enough advertisements are worked repeatedly and loudly, the most absurd untruth will be accepted by the most intelligent as well as the majority as the truth.

Facts which show that the activities associated with uric acid are romantic and not real, have been shouted from these columns to millions of readers for several years. Yet scarcely a day passes that I do not fail to receive letters with the home-made decision that the sufferer's troubles are due to "acid" conditions and "uric acid" in particular.

Not a Disease Cause.

Uric acid is one of the waste products of albuminous digestion. Whenever proteins or other such victuals break up uric acid is formed.

The wear and tear of your own healthy flesh, no less than the fermentation and digestion of food, makes uric acid. The elimination of uric acid in the kidney fluids is a continuous and normal activity, which is usually increased with the ingestion of foods rich in nitrogen.

It is, therefore, not uric acid which is the source of joint disorders, fat accessions, high blood pressure, eczema, arterio-sclerosis or almost any other in which the flesh acquires, but any or many of the several protein excesses present in too much albuminous pabulum.

A protein law diet, one in which fleshy and fishy albuminous vegetative products are largely diminished assists the health of many with symptoms blamed upon "uric acid." This is because such a rich dietary places too great a stress upon the blood and other structures in a variety of ways not because of the "uric acid" goat.

Fools That Produce It.

The influence of uric acid in diseases credited to it was doubted by several physicians and research workers 20 years ago. Such, however, was the hold it had upon the world by dogmatic repetition that it was impossible until recently to uproot the error.

Researches made recently by Drs. Mendel and Wardell and others prove that tea, coffee, cocoa, soups and broths increase the amount of uric acid. Like nitrogenous rations, these change more or less into uric acid which contains nitrogen and allied products. More of it than usual is then found in the kidney fluids. Coffee or broths are excreted through the kidneys in much the same way as ammonia-like salts called uric acid and urea. It is the caffeine in the coffee and substances similar in character in soups, tea and cocoa which appear to augment the output of uric acid.

Hereafter be slow to believe that uric acid, which is always present in man, causes damage or disease due to something more difficult to discover.

Answers to Health Questions

M. M. G. Q.—Can ammoniated mercury ointment be purchased at any drug store?

A.—You can purchase ammoniated mercury at any drug store.

T. R. Q.—What will keep my hair light?

A.—In order to keep your hair light let it be uncovered as much as possible. Use no soaps on it. Wash and shampoo once every week.

M. W. S. Q.—What is the cause and cure of a coated tongue?

A.—A coated tongue may mean various things. It isn't a local condition, but from the tissues in general. Avoid sweets, starches, tobacco and all seasoning. Fast a day a week and take a seidlitz powder every morning.

M. M. K., London, Ont. Q.—How do pinworms affect a person?

A.—They are sometimes present without symptoms or they may cause itching.

AMARILLY, London, Ont.—Q.: Will you please tell me what to do for gas on the stomach?

A. For gas on the stomach try either of the following in a little water every four hours:

Salol	2½ grains
Bicarbonate of soda	10 grains
Bismuth subnitrate	5 grains

BRUNETTE, Stratford, Ont.—Q.—Kindly advise something harmless to make the hair on face adhere to the skin so as to make it less conspicuous.

A.—Try a little of the following when needed:

Calcium sulphide	2 parts
Zinc oxide	1 part
Starch	1 part

When you are ready to use this make a paste with water and apply to the parts. Let it remain on the skin for about five minutes, and then wipe off gently with a soft cloth.

A. M., London, Ont.—Q.: How can I develop the bust?

A. It is better to leave these delicate tissues alone as cancers, tumorous growths and other maladies might result.

Dr. Hirshberg will answer questions for readers of this paper on medical, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. He cannot always undertake to prescribe or offer advice for individual cases. Where the subject is not of general interest letters will be answered personally, if a stamped and addressed envelope is inclosed. Address ALL INQUIRIES to Dr. L. K. Hirshberg, care this office.

Arsenic, though a deadly and cumulative poison, is an excellent drug in the right place and dosage.

DIARY OF A FASHION MODEL

BY GRACE THORNCLIFFE.

She Learns Why the "Three-Tiered Skirt" Is Especially Becoming to Tall Girls.

At 4 o'clock this afternoon, Miss Chandler appeared "in our midst," all excited over the fact that someone was giving a dinner that night, and that she had "nothing to wear." She pleaded with Madame to fit her out in a smart frock. Madame scolded her for waiting until the last minute, as usual, and then told me to bring out a half-dozen of the prettiest models.

We tried them on Miss Chandler, but since most of them had been made to fit Julie and me, they were much too small for her. There was one, however, that had been fitted on Marianne, a semi-evening gown of sea-green chiffon. Fortunately, it looked very well on Miss Chandler, who, like Snow White, has "hair as black as ebony, a skin as white as snow and lips as red as blood."



Dinner Frock of Green Chiffon.

A short, rippling peplum fell over the tunic skirt, making it three-tiered. Both

At first Madame was not altogether satisfied with the effect of the frock on Miss Chandler. She wasn't at all enthusiastic about the idea of letting her have that particular model, but finally, after calling upon Miss Westley to make a few minor alterations, decided that it was suited to Miss Chandler after all.

Nothing had to be done to the bodice; it was perfect. The foundation of the frock was of soft satin to match the tone of the chiffon. The corsage was drawn high under the arms and gathered softly about the waist. The overbodice was of chiffon with long, kimono sleeves. Bindings of green satin outlined the deep V-shaped neckline in front and the sleeves about the hands.

the underskirt and the tunic were boxpleated and finished with narrow bindings of the green satin. The edges of the peplum were also outlined with the same trimming.

Madame told Miss Chandler to hold the tunic up a trifle shorter.

"There, that's much better. You're tall enough to stand broken lines."

Then she told Miss Westley to cut two inches from the bottom of the tunic and to rebind it with satin.

Madame decided to change the girdle, which was a sash-like affair of green satin. After trying wide ribbons of every combination of colors, she finally chose a metallic brocade in green and silver. She had Miss Westley arrange it about the waist in soft folds and tie the ends in a stiff, little butterfly bow at the centre back. The effect was very pleasing, and Miss Chandler was delighted with the frock.

Miss Westley made the alterations on the gown in less than half an hour, and Madame handed the frock over to Miss Chandler, again scolding her for waiting until the "last horn blew," knowing all the while that it wouldn't do the least bit of good.

ADELE GARRISON'S NEW

REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

How Mother Graham Opened Her Heart to Madge.

My mother-in-law's sorrowful cry concerning her son found a mournful echo in my own heart. It brought back to me all the morbid thoughts I had had concerning Dicky's curious apathy toward the world war. But the woman at whose bedside I sat was old and weak with illness. I must shield that mother heart as far as lay within my power.

"Why, I don't think anything is the matter with Dicky," I said, trying to make my voice sound honest.

"Don't make matters worse by lying to shield him," she retorted with a touch of the old acerbity in her tone. Then, mournfully, "I'm not blind, Margaret, neither am I a fool. And you cannot go behind plain facts. The very life of our country, the existence of freedom the world over, is in deadly peril, and where is my son?"

Supreme and utter humiliation was in her tones. I didn't speak; I couldn't. And after a pause she answered her own question.

"Making illustrations for an aviation serial, drawing the figures of men of his own age and younger who are devoting their lives to the cause!"

Her tones were dripping with scorn, but there was also heartbreak in them. I cast wildly about for some excuse that I could offer for my absent husband. Before I could think of anything she turned her eyes compellingly on me.

"You must feel about this thing as I do," she asserted. "Have you ever talked with Richard about it?"

With her searching eyes upon me I couldn't evade a direct answer.

"What Did Richard Say?"

"Yes."

"What did he say to excuse himself?"

My face flushed painfully. How was I to tell this fiery old patriot that her son had made her support his excuse to me for not enlisting? But I was spared the necessity. My mother-in-law's eyes—keen as those of a lynx, in spite of her age and illness—saw my confusion and interpreted it rightly.

"I see," she said sadly. "He pleaded the necessity of taking care of me. What did you tell him?" Her last words were almost a snarl in their intensity.

There was no use deceiving her. I told the truth baldly.

"I told him that we had enough money put by in the bank for all your little needs, and that I would be only too glad to go back to my position and take care of you as I would have done my own little mother had she lived."

She put out her hand and clasped mine tightly.

"You're a good woman, Margaret," she said. "What did Richard say?"

"He was very angry at me." I faltered. "Indeed, he still is anything but himself. And he said that you wouldn't be willing to live upon my—bounty—as he expressed it."

Over my mother-in-law's face swept a remorseful expression.

A Final Word.

"I wonder!" she began, and then she put whatever thought she had behind her.

"Send Richard to me as soon as he comes home," she begged. "And now, Margaret, if you'll fix things a bit I'll try to go to sleep. Don't go for Agatha, you'd only subject yourself to another of her airs. Send Katie to tell her I want her to stay with me while I have my nap."

"Are you sure she won't annoy you with a recital of her grievances?" I asked, remembering the only too evident tantrum in which Cousin Agatha had left the room.

My mother-in-law's smile was grim.

"Not me!" she said. "I shall pretend to be asleep when she comes in, and she knows it's worth her stay here to rouse me on any such pretext as that. No Agatha knows very well on which side her bread is buttered. She'll go just as near the limit as she can, but you notice she's mighty careful not to overstep the line with me.

"Everything's all right now," Mother Graham commented a little later after I had made her as comfortable as possible. "Now kiss me, my dear, and then go and take a rest yourself."

She held my hand in her uninjured one after she had kissed me, and gazed into my eyes, a long, loving look such as I never before had received from my mother-in-law.

"I've been unjust to you, Margaret, many times," she said. "No, don't shake your head, you're generous, I know, but facts are facts. But I think you could find it in your heart to forgive me if you knew how proud and thankful I am that even if my son is shirking his duty to his country, his wife—my dear, dear daughter—is doing such yeoman service."

My answering kiss was blinded in a swift rush of tears. Tears of loving gratitude for the mother heart at last opened wide to me without reservation, but also tears of sorrowful bitterness against the man so beloved of us both.

Good Night Stories

By Blanche Silver

Illustrated by Gruelle.

PRIGGSY PIG'S ADVENTURES IN A NEW WORLD.

Of course, Priggsy Pig's world wasn't very large. Just a small yard fenced in with a rail fence. In the centre was a lovely mud hole, where Priggsy and his seven little brothers and sisters loved to wallow, and to one side stood a little roofed place where they slept at night.

Priggsy Pig's mamma often took them to the edge of the fence, but she always warned them of the dangers that lurked beyond.

Priggsy Pig couldn't see why she never allowed them to go beyond the rail fence, so one day, after a hard storm had blown a few rails down from the fence, making a nice hole between the rails, Priggsy Pig squeezed under and scooted across the field to visit the chicken yard.

All the chickens began to cackle and crow when they saw Priggsy's pink nose poked under the fence.

"Silly things!" grunted Priggsy Pig. "Don't you know who I am?"

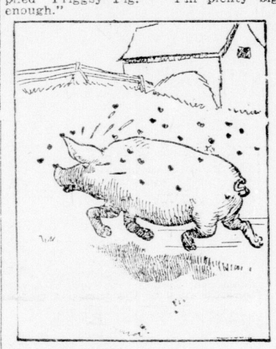
"Sure we do!" crowed Red Rooster. "And you'd better run back to the pen where you belong."

"Indeed!" grunted Priggsy Pig. "I'm plenty big enough, and I'm out to see the world."

Then he shook his little corkscrew tail and ran for the barn. Lucy, the old grey mule, resented his entrance into her stall, and with a loud "he-haw" she kicked at Priggsy Pig until he squealed.

"The barn's no place for pigs," exclaimed Lucy Mule. "Go back to the pen where you belong!"

"But I'm out to see the world," replied Priggsy Pig. "I'm plenty big enough."



Priggsy Scooted for Home.

"Then if you're big enough to see the world, you're big enough to keep yourself clean," neighed Lucy.

Priggsy Pig looked down at his dirty, muddy suit, and ran out into the sunlight.

In front of him stretched a long line of little houses on stilts. Priggsy Pig had never seen such funny little places before, so ran over to investigate them. He poked his nose under one, and something like a pin pricked him between his eyes. Priggsy Pig squealed, and raised his front feet and knocked over the little house.

A swarm of angry, yellow and black gentlemen, each holding a tiny sword, surrounded Priggsy Pig. They plunged their weapons into Priggsy's head until he squealed in pain.

"Bees!" cried Priggsy, and—too late—he remembered hearing his mamma say: "Stay away from those queer-looking houses."

Now he knew why.

Priggsy Pig scooted for home as fast as he could go, the bees like a dark cloud about him. He squeezed under the fence and jumped into the mud hole, where he lay until the angry bees departed.

"If little pigs disobey their mammas they must suffer the consequences," grunted Mamma Pig, as she applied wet mud to the bee stings.

Poor Priggsy Pig's face was swollen for several days, but he had learned a lesson, and he never again disobeyed his mamma.

No one ever heard him express a desire to see the outside world again. The pig pen was plenty large enough for him for Lucy Mule never came in to kick him, and the bees never bothered Mamma Pig and her family.

In 1869 there were in France 10,743 miles of railroad track; in 1912 there were 21,546 miles. Between 1869 and 1912 inland navigation increased 150 per cent, while the traffic of her mercantile marine had amazingly expanded. The tonnage entering French ports in 1869 is set down at 11,000,000 tons. In 1912 this had been increased to 53,000,000 tons.

Hot Water a Valuable Aid in Your Quest for Beauty

BY LUCREZIA BORI
The Famous Spanish Prima Donna



LUCREZIA BORI

After all, the question of beauty is one that must be solved by the individual. You can subject two beings to the same series of lectures on art, for example. They will hear and see the same thing and probably pass the same examinations, but the resultant benefits will be widely different. In other words, it depends almost entirely upon you whether the suggestions given in these articles will aid you to improve your appearance.

In many instances the treatment recommended may seem almost absurdly simple, and for this reason you hesitate about giving them a fair trial. Don't think that because a treatment doesn't cost money it will not cure. So, when hot water is suggested as one of the greatest of beautifiers, test its power before you condemn so simple an agent.

For Your Complexion.

Many defects of the complexion are due to negligence in properly cleansing the skin. It is ruinous to the skin to go to bed without removing the dust and dirt with have collected in the pores. The results of clogged pores are blackheads and pimples.

Hot water is an excellent remedy for a blotched skin. Instead of dashing the hot water on the face, dip towels into it and apply them. Use two at a time. Place one over the forehead and another over the chin and cheeks. Next cleanse the skin with pure soap. Rinse and dry the face thoroughly and apply a good skin food. The following is very good:

Swet oil of almonds...	2 ounces
Orange flower water...	2 ounces
White wax	2 drams
Oil of sweet orange...	1 dram
Spermaceti	2 drams

Half fill a saucepan with boiling water. Stand a jam jar in this. Shred the wax and spermaceti into the jar. Let it dissolve. Heat almond oil and add to the wax. Heat orange flower water; add it slowly, stirring the mixture quickly. Lift the jar out of the saucepan. Beat the mixture with a silver fork. Heat and add oil of sweet oranges. Whisk the cream until it is cold. Put it in pots and cover over with paraffin paper.

Its Other Uses.

If you allow a coating of the skin food to remain on the skin during the sleeping hours, remove it in the morning with a hot water bath. Apply the hot cloths again, then dash cold water on the face to reduce the pores to their normal size. It is well to add a little witch hazel or tincture of benzoin to the rinsing water.

Hot water taken internally will also aid in the process of obtaining a clear, healthy skin. Each morning, a half hour before breakfast, drink a glassful of hot water. The juice of half a lemon or a pinch of salt will make the water more palatable.

Hot water should be used to rinse the soap from the hair after a shampoo. Unless every particle of soap is removed the hair will be stiff and unmanageable instead of soft and fluffy. When the scalp is cleansed, attach the spray to the faucet and rinse with as hot water as can be comfortably borne.

Give the hot water treatment a fair trial. It will be a great aid in improving both your health and beauty.

WINIFRED BLACK

Writes About "Your 'Blind' Side."

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"I'll tell you how I got my subscription from him," said the elderly member of the Red Cross solicitation committee.

"I'm not young, and I'm not pretty, and everybody told me there wasn't even a chance of my getting a penny from him, but he belonged in my district and he was on my list, and I made up my mind that I'd get him somehow or other—and it was just as easy."

Then she told me how she managed it. It seems that Mr. Fullpurse isn't a very generous man. You can tell it by the way he takes a nickel out to pay his care fare. He hangs on to it till the last minute, and pinches it between his thumb and finger and looks sourly at the conductor and acts as if he thought somebody was getting the best of him when the conductor rings his little fare bell—so he really was a rather hard customer to approach.

But the middle-aged solicitor knew his wife, and the wife was always telling how she wished she had an automobile of her own, but her husband had a bit of prejudice against them.

He wouldn't even ride in a neighbor's motor car, if he could help it—and he usually could, for he's one of those persons who isn't apt to call up the doctor for something to allay a fever caused by the excitement of too many pressing invitations for his society.

He says that machines are dangerous and they're extravagant, and they're senseless and they lead to evil ways.

How She "Worked."

Whether he means gasoline or new fur robes or braid on the chauffeur's cap by "evil ways," no one has yet been able to make out—but the elderly solicitor didn't care anything about what he meant. She knew what she meant all right, and she started out to explain it to him—in her own sweet, feminine way.

She made an appointment with him for 10 o'clock in the morning, and she took pains to arrive at ten minutes past 10.

"I'm sorry to be late," she said. "I could have been on time, I suppose, but I simply wouldn't get into that crazy automobile my daughter is always running around in.

"I suppose I'm hopelessly old-fashioned, but I can't get over the idea that there is something not quite respectable about those honking, tooting, skidding, sliding motor cars. And besides, they're so extravagant, I feel that in this day of economy it's really wicked to use one.

"I know you'll think I'm very silly to feel so. Everybody laughs at me for it, but I can't help it."

By that time Mr. Fullpurse was hers to command. And before she left his office he gave her a check for twice the amount she had even dared to hope for, all because she was such a nice, sensible woman, and he thought it was his duty to encourage her in her nice, sensible ways.

I wonder if Mr. Fullpurse has the faintest idea that he has allowed a prejudice to get such possession of him that anyone can slip up on his blind side and do almost anything in the world with him, so long as they lug the prejudice along as a kind of camouflage.

I know a man who will give you his time, his attention, his serious consideration, and sometimes even his money, for any cause whatsoever, so long as you pretend to wonder how such a young man can carry such great responsibility so easily.

Can It Be?

Of course, he isn't a young man at all. If he were, he wouldn't want to be taken for one.

Three different persons have had something to say to me about children this last week, and isn't it strange they all wanted to borrow money before we were through with the conversation? Wasn't it odd they should all choose the same subject? I wonder if it's possible that I——

Why, no, of course not. My eyes are always perfectly wide open, even to my own foibles and failings.

KITCHEN ECONOMIES

BY ISOBEL BRANDS
OF THE APPLECROFT EXPERIMENT STATION.

There is at least one advantage in our sugarless days—for the first time many children have learned to enjoy the flavor of food without the addition of sugar.

There is a false idea that children need quantities of sugar in addition to the sugar content of the foods they eat. Cooked fruit, cereals and puddings are too often given them with an extra sprinkling of sugar when there is absolutely no need of it, and the consequences are disastrous to the teeth and digestion to the child. One of the best dietetic things which every mother can now do is to bring out the flavor of the cereals and other foods they eat so that they will positively dislike to add sugar to it.

"What is a good menu for the children at the chief meal of the day?" is a frequent inquiry now that so many favorite dishes have had to be cut off the bill of fare because of their high cost. Here are some suggestions:

Soft-boiled egg, mashed vegetables (either potatoes, carrots, turnips or parsnips), a green vegetable, such as cooked spinach, celery or onions, and a stewed fruit.

Mashed beans, tomatoes and baked custard.

Cream soup, peanut butter sandwiches and baked bananas.

Fish with white sauce, boiled rice and gingerbread.

Baked macaroni, boiled beets, oatmeal crackers and cocoa or fresh milk.

Barley soup, nut graham bread, green peas and rice pudding.

Creamed chicken, baked potato, stewed celery and orange gelatine.

Baked lentils, sweet potatoes, apple sauce and crackers.

Food should be baked as much as possible, both because most baked foods are especially digestible, and also because baking makes a dish more attractive. A raw banana is positively injurious, even though children seem to have an inordinate fondness for the fruit, but a child of eight or ten could eat two baked bananas without any injurious effects.

Custards, junket, cornstarch pudding and gelatines should be used frequently. They make attractive puddings, and almost all children like them. They are good food for the growing child, and are wholesome as well.

For additional suggestions on food for children write Isobel Brands directly, addressing her at the Applecroft Experiment Station, Greenlawn, N.Y., and inclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope for a personal reply.

Recently I heard a neighbor boast that there had been no cake or pie in her household since the war began, in spite of the fact that there were several small boys in the house, with the small boy's normal appetite for such things.

For a moment I felt like commending her patriotism, but I changed my point of view, when I remembered that only the day before I had seen two of these self-same little boys gorging themselves with penny candy which they bought from an open cart.

We do not literally have to foreswear all cake. All we need do is to use sparingly the rich ingredients that are needed for more important uses. Following are a number of economical cake recipes:

Butterless, Eggless, Milkless Cake.

1 cupful of unsweetened apple sauce.
½ cupful of melted shortening.
1 cupful of sugar.
1 teaspoonful of soda.
1 cupful of chopped, seeded raisins.
2 cupfuls of flour.
½ teaspoonful of nutmeg.
¾ teaspoonful of salt.
1 teaspoonful of cinnamon.
¼ teaspoonful of ground cloves.

Mix the ingredients in the order given and beat well. Pour the mixture into a loaf pan and bake it for one hour in a slow oven.

One Egg Lemon Cake.

¼ cupful of shortening.
1 cupful of sugar.
½ cupful of milk.
1½ cupfuls of flour.
2½ teaspoonfuls of baking powder.
1 egg.
Grated rind of ½ lemon.

Cream the shortening and sugar and add the beaten egg; then add the milk, flour, baking powder and lemon rind. Beat the mixture well. Bake it in layer cake pans about 20 minutes.

Eggless Chocolate Cake.

1 cupful of sugar.
1 cupful of sour milk.
2 tablespoonfuls of cocoa.
1 teaspoonful of vanilla.
½ cupful of shortening.
¼ teaspoonful of salt.
1 teaspoonful of soda.
2 cupfuls of flour.

Cream the shortening and sugar. Then add the cocoa, vanilla and salt. Add the soda to the sour milk and add that alternately to the first mixture with the flour. Bake the cake in layers in a moderate oven.

Gingerbread.

¼ cupful of shortening.
1 cupful of dark molasses.
½ cupful of boiling water.
2 cupfuls of white flour.
1 teaspoonful of soda.
½ teaspoonful each of salt and cinnamon.
1½ teaspoonfuls of ginger.

Mix the shortening, molasses and water, then add the dry ingredients, which have been sifted together. Beat all well. Bake the mixture either in greased muffin pans for about 20 minutes in a moderate oven, or in a shallow loaf pan for 25 minutes.

Economical Angel Cake.

2 egg whites.
1½ cupfuls of flour.
1 cupful of sugar.
3 teaspoonfuls of baking powder.
½ teaspoonful of almond extract.
Melted butter and milk.

Break the egg whites into a measuring cup, add enough melted butter to half-fill the cup, then enough milk to fill the cup. Mix all and sift the flour, baking powder and sugar. Combine the two mixtures, and the extract and beat all for five minutes. Bake the mixture in a shallow pan for one-half hour or in muffin tins for 20 minutes in a moderate oven.

Eggless Brownies.

1-3 cupful of shortening.
1-3 cupful of sugar.
1-3 cupful of molasses.
1 cupful of flour.
¾ cupful of chopped nut meats.
1 beaten egg.
½ teaspoonful of baking powder.
2 teaspoonful of vanilla.

Cream the shortening, add the molasses, then the beaten egg. Next add the dry ingredients, sifted together and the chocolate and the flavor. Drop the mixture from a spoon on a greased pan. Bake it about 12 minutes in a moderate oven.

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To-morrow's HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

THURSDAY, APRIL 11.

From the sidereal positions of this day it would seem that radical changes are imminent. There is much testimony for constructive activity, removals and journeys, and these should be crowned with success if they are carefully handled, and provided they relate to the realm of business. Venus being under some slight affliction does not encourage these changes and wide detractures in affairs of the home circle, or in affectional matters, nor are the artistic or amusement professions prospered; likewise those in employment should act conservatively. The unusual and unconventional dominate the day, and the mind will be aided to be alert, creative and original. Inventions and research will be advanced. The emotions and appetites will be under strong stimulus, but should be governed.

Those whose birthday it is may expect an eventful year, but should guard their positions if in employment. A child born on this day will be original and progressive, but should learn thrift.

The Origin of Famous Sayings

EDMUND WALLER. 1605—1687.

Go, lovely rose!
Tell her that wastes her time and me
That now she knows,
When I resemble her to thee,
How sweet and fair she seems to be.
—Go, Lovely Rose.

HEART BEAT SO FAST COULD NOT SLEEP

HAD TO SIT UP IN BED

Heart trouble has of late years become very prevalent. Sometimes a pain catches you in the region of the heart, now and then your heart skips beats, palpitates, throbs, or beats with such rapidity and violence you think it will burst. You have weak and dizzy spells, are nervous, irritable and depressed, and if you attempt to walk upstairs or any distance you get all out of breath.

There is no other remedy will do you so much good, restore your heart to a natural condition, build up your strength, and give you back vigor and vitality, as Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

Mrs. A. Russell, Niagara Falls, Ont., writes: "At nights I could not sleep, and had to sit up in bed, my heart would beat so fast.

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TURN DARK HAIR WITH SAGE TEA

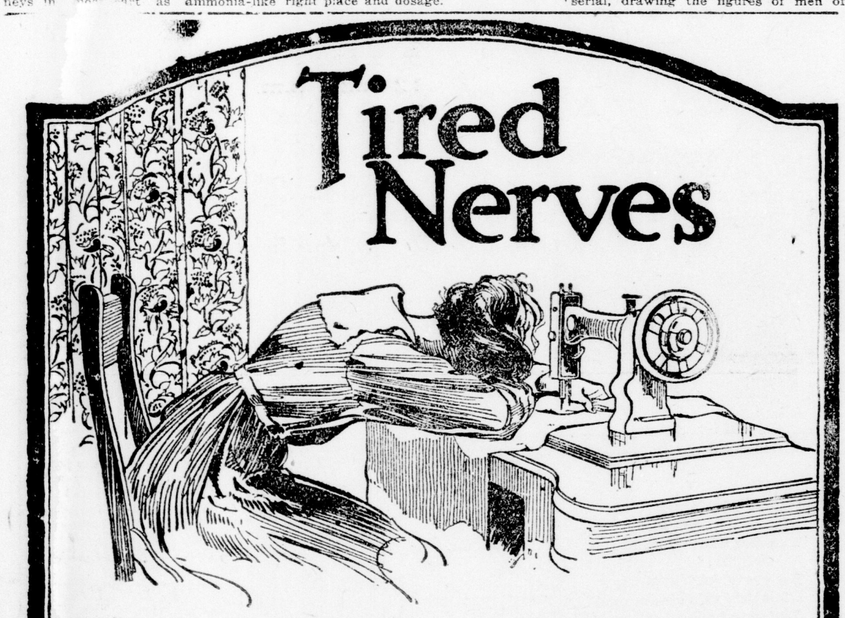
Grandma Kept Her Locks Dark, Glossy and Youthful With a Simple Mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening grey, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the grey hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance, which is so attractive. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite for those who desire a more youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

How To Make a Real Wrinkle Remover

In these days of cleverly advertised "beautifiers" and "rejuvenators" it is hard for a woman to believe she can make a simple home remedy for the removal of wrinkles which will do her much more good than the average made preparation. There's nothing in the world so effective for erasing or preventing wrinkles, age marks, bagginess of cheeks and chin, as a simple and harmless solution made by dissolving an ounce of pure powdered saxolite in a half pint of witch hazel. These ingredients of course can be had at any drug store. Use the mixture daily for a while as a refreshing wash lotion. The quick and satisfactory results will surprise you. Even the first application produces very marked improvement. The wrinkles are less in evidence and the face has a firm, "solid," comfortable feeling. Soon you will look considerably less than your age.—Advt.



TIRED out after sewing! What a common experience, whether the work is done by hand or machine. It is not so much on account of the muscular exertion as because of the strain on the eyes.

You feel tired because the nerves are exhausted. The optic nerve, which controls sight, is extremely sensitive, and when in constant use consumes nerve force at a tremendous rate. If the nervous system is not in good, healthy condition this strain is more than you can stand, and you have headaches, and feel all tired out.

Many people feel the same way after a shopping tour, from riding on a train, or doing any work which requires the continued use and focussing of the eyes. Many are wearing glasses when what they really need is a nerve restorative, such as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, to build up the exhausted nervous system.

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Three Minute Journeys

By TEMPLE MANNING

Where Men Live in Houses That Have No Walls

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On the Pacific side of the Isthmus of Panama—partly in the Republic of Panama and extending into Colombia—live the Chocoes Indians. They are a most industrious people, spending their days outdoors planting and caring for their crops, and hunting and fishing during the dry season, and weaving baskets, ropes and hammocks, carving dishes, stools and mortars out of tree trunks indoors during the rainy season. That they're an honest as well as a fresh-air loving people is evidenced by the fact that their houses are built without walls.

The floor is raised about eight feet from the ground on palm posts, which extend through it to bear the roof above. The floor is made of the split trunks of another species of palm, and the roof is thatched with palm fibre. The kitchen is merely a hearth built in the corner least exposed to the prevailing winds—just a square frame filled with clay, with a few large stones on which to set the pots.



A Chocoes Dwelling.

The family sleep on the floor, which is always kept scrupulously clean. Through cracks in the floor long sticks are thrust into the earth beneath, and on these is stretched mosquito netting to keep the pests from disturbing the family's rest.

As the floor is raised so high above the earth there must be provided some way to enter the house, though there are no walls. In a tropical forest it is unwise to have too easy a method of entrance into one's house, because snakes and other unwelcome things may take a fancy to pay a visit. The Chocoes solve their problem by providing a log that projects through a hole in the floor, and as this log is movable and is notched on only one side, it can be turned over to discourage the dogs, who like to come in with the family, and be removed when there is danger of chance unwelcome visitors during rest hours.

Also in this honest country, the log when removed or turned with the notches down, serves as a sign that the family is away. Then the human visitor passes by and waits for another occasion to pay his respects to the family.

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GOOD NIGHT TO THE KNIGHTS.

THE CANADIAN baron will soon be as extinct as the dodo. Hereditary titles were relegated to the museum of curiosities through the order-in-council introduced in the House of Commons on Monday by Sir Robert Borden and concurred in by all shades of opinion and politics, while the ordinary honors by which a man is permitted to place "Sir" before his name are to be handed out sparingly, if at all.

Canadians perhaps never before expressed such universal agreement on any great question. The country hates class distinctions in the abstract, and leaders of thought have been compelled to trim their opinions to the gale. The Borden Government's career has been marked as a period when titles were freely bestowed, among them a number of hereditary honors, which beyond all doubt created an official aristocracy that was distasteful to a democratic people. But the tendency was quickly curbed, and the latest action will be effective in wiping out all hereditary titles.

The Liberal party should be especially proud of Parliament's action. For many years the abolition of titles was a plank in the party's platform, and Liberal statesmen for many years consistently refused even to accept knighthood. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, it is believed, refused knighthood many times, until the party dropped the plank and the unwritten law against the acceptance of titles was waived. For many years Liberalism found itself pitted against the titled gentlemen of the Family Compact. To label a man with a decoration of class was odious to the party. The agitation against titles has been renewed since war began, public opinion speaking loudly for an end to the orgy in which the Government was indulging its friends.

Canada is the first British dominion to suggest to the mother country that the well-intentioned honoring of her sons by marks of caste should be discontinued. It is not likely that Britain will be offended, either, because the agitation against lords and dukes has burned there more hotly even than in Canada. In fact there are those who will prophesy that Canada's action will be quickly reflected in other parts of the empire, and who will go so far as to suggest that within ten years hereditary titles will be abolished in the British Isles. This would be a tremendous contribution to the democracy of the race. It would go far toward unifying the British, and to removing the suggestion of caste which the colonial citizen frequently associates with the old countryman.

Canada's anti-title requests will be forwarded to the motherland by His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire. Will the document come as the death warrant of all royal honors, save those given for meritorious military service? We are inclined to believe that as an omen the action of the Canadian Parliament will be seen the world over. It may even penetrate to Germany.

BANISH POVERTY.

"WITHOUT the poor it would be a gloomy world," said a minister in Toronto some while ago. That may be all very true, though the devil quotes such truth oftentimes to the blocking of reform. It is almost like saying that whatever is is right, which doubtless is true in some metaphysical sense.

The blessing of poverty is a note that ought to be touched with a soft pedal. It may be conceded that a rich man enters with remarkable difficulty into the kingdom of heaven, especially a food profiteer or government grafter. We like, however, the golden mean in possessions, the broad, temperate zone between the roses and raptures of torrid wealth on the one hand and the arctic circle of poverty on the other. And should we clamor for millions to be kept for ever poor that mercy and pity may be meted unto them? Let us all be middle class, and Bolshevism will be without a reason of being.

It is said that formerly in Switzerland opinion held that the household which numbered among its inmates an idiot child was to be accounted blest by Providence. The ways of Providence are mysterious indeed, and its dispensations just, but the modern world in its realism looks such a gift horse as idiocy or penury in the mouth. Our aim should be to banish poverty and to make a too uneven distribution of means and opportunity a state of things forgotten.

CADE AND LENINE.

WE HAVE war poets in plenty, but few with a dramatic sense. What an opportunity presents itself for a dramatic treatment of the Russian revolution and its tragedy. A playful satire would also find ample comic relief in the vagaries and foibles of the Bolshevik leaders and their miscellaneous rag-tag following. Thomas Hardy wrote a monumental drama on the Napoleonic war. Can some one rise to the theme of Russia?

Perhaps it is too close up and too confused. But Russia seems in a way remote enough. Its huge happenings are like the cloudy movements of a dream. If it is uncomprehended, it may be said that Shakespeare in depicting the wars of the Roses and Jack Cade's rebellion had no very scientific understanding of those matters. He knew human nature, however, and we may presume that Russians are human, and that if a real poet set to work on their tragi-comedy, he could make a piece of art even if not an historical treatise.

Some of the ideas in Shakespeare's Jack Cade scenes seem to have been resurrected in Russia, with slight variations as to form of expression. One of Cade's men says of him that he "means to dress the commonwealth, and turn it, and set a new nap upon it." So Lenine promises a Russia turned inside out, a proletariat nap for the old bureaucratic. Another follower: "Well, I say it was never merry world in England since gentlemen came up. The nobility think scorn to go in leather aprons." George: "Nay, more, the King's council are no good workmen." John: "True, and yet it is said, 'Labor in thy vocation,' which is as much to say as let the magistrates be laboring men, and therefore should we be magistrates." They have turned magistrates in Russia, some of them. Any one can preside over a police court in Petrograd.

Cade (Lenine) promises that "the three-hooped pot shall have ten hoops" (that vodka shall not be quite so scarce); that "all the realm shall be in common"—short work of the banks and thrifty bourgeois property; "there shall be no money when I am king, and all shall worship me their lord." The amusing incongruity of a Utopian all-things-in-common with a king to be worshipped is realized in Russia, it seems. Lenine rules without parliament and with high-paid mercenary Red Guards, and if he is not worshipped yet, other worship has at any rate no place in his polity.

Cade's oration was received with applause in his day, and the wild cry raised by it was "the first thing we do, let's kill all the lawyers." They killed the military officers in Russia, but we do not hear very distinctly how the lawyers of Petrograd have been faring. Laws and lawyers are silent amidst gunshots, according to the old proverb, and we may feel fairly sure that there are healthier occupations than that of lawyer of the old regime at present in anarchic Russia. Her wocs are a tremendous theme.

CAN THEY NOT REMAIN?

ON ALL SIDES the hope is expressed that the men of the 1st contingent, now home on furlough, may be permitted to remain in Canada with their families. It may be too late for a successful agitation to this end, as many of the Toronto men have already returned, but the feeling is general that these few soldiers who have given such heroic and abundant services could well be spared. In fact it would be quite within the possibilities that a special recruiting appeal designed to secure men to take the places of the veterans would result in a quick response, and many times the number of men who were permitted to come to Canada.

One of the furlough men told of the capture of a Prussian guard early in the war. The Canadians had been in France only a short time, and when the Prussian was led through their ranks he said "It took more than thirty ships to bring you from Canada, but one boat will take all of you back." The returned man remarked that after more than three years of war this was literally true. While most of the men who went away have returned as casualties, their comrades who remained unwounded were only a remnant of the original strength. Their ranks will be further depleted when they return and again enter the trenches. They should be kept here as a living monument. They have done their part as Spartans. They are now with their wives and families, and it will be a terrible wrench when the time comes for a return to the borderlines of hell.

Some organization such as the Great War Veterans might give a lead in a campaign to have the original firsts kept in the country, certain of life and certain of their country's gratitude by release from further service. The furlough men will not conduct such an agitation. But it should be started.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

If there is an Irish solution, how many years will be required to effect it?

Britain's David always has a method of standing up to the Goliaths that must be faced.

London seems to be the one city in Ontario where the power situation has suddenly become acute.

Britain is throwing all her human resources into the fight when men of 51 are to be conscripted.

LET US GIVE THANKS!

[Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in Good Housekeeping.]

For the courage which comes when we call
While troubles like hailstones fall;
For the help that is somehow nigh
In the deepest night when we cry;
For the path that is certainly shown
When we pray in the dark alone,
Let us give thanks!

For the knowledge we gain if we wait
And bear all the buffets of fate;
For the vision that beautifies sight
If we look under wrong for the right;
For the gleam of the Ultimate Goal
That shines on each reverent soul,
Let us give thanks!

For the consciousness stirring in creeds
That love is the thing the world needs;
For the cry of the travailing earth
That is giving a new faith birth;
For the God we are learning to find
In the heart and the soul and the mind,
Let us give thanks!

For the growth of the spirit through pain,
Like a plant in the soil and the rain;
For the dropping of needless things
Which the sword of a sorrow brings;
For the meaning and purpose of life
Which dawns on us out of the strife,
Let us give thanks!

BYRON

BY ERIC ROSS GOULDING.

Byron fought in the war of Greek Independence and gave his life to help in her liberation in 1824. Surely some representative modern Greek poet, or man of letters, would be discharging a debt to the British peoples, and the Allies in general, if he were to identify himself with the present war for world liberation from the hideous menace of a pan-Government by means of German "Kultur." It is easy to imagine what the poets, orators, dramatists, artists and philosophers of the "Golden Age" of Pericles would have done in the early stages of this war. But there—— Pericles was not a Constantine and the Greece of today has no Demosthenes and no Aristides.

E. R. G.

Sad dreamer, brooding o'er thy chequered past,
Believing all the world plunged in black night
And men but slowly groping toward the light,
In what rare mould wert thou strange spirit cast?
What shadow dimmed thy soul and held thee fast?
Great lover-poet, swayed by passion's might,
Born-singer, faithful to the inner sight,
Whate'er may chance, our pride in thee shall last!

Ah, Byron, they who point at thee in scorn,
Forget that they were never poets born,
Whose souls burn fierce in some unearthly fire,
Whose hands strike full the golden-corded lyre.
Thine ill-writ page of life is gladly torn;
Greece called to thee—She was thy last desire!

LORD LEVERHULME ON THE MENACE OF A GERMAN PEACE

No Just Terms Can Be Got Till Germany Confesses Herself Beaten—Lancashire's Motto: "Hold Fast!"

(By Harold Begble in London Daily Chronicle.)

Liverpool, 1918.

"Would you," I asked, "go to a peace conference with Germany at the present time?"

Lord Leverhulme, long know as Sir William Lever, opened his eyes. "Before she is beaten?"

"The theory is—," I began.

"Never! Never! Why, is there a single man holding a responsible position who would suggest such a thing?"

"You mean that Germany in her present mood—"

"I mean that Germany in any mood, until she is beaten, is not to be trusted."

"But you know what the argument is: suppose we go to a peace conference, and suppose that Germany comes out from that conference in warlike mood, we should be able by the economic weapon to bring her to reason."

"You will never get Germany to entertain just peace terms until she is beaten. She might agree to terms which seemed just, which seemed as if they promised peace, but she would never honor her signature. I can imagine her delegates going out from such a conference shaking with laughter and hugging themselves with joy, because they had fooled the English. How can a man in his senses believe for a moment that Germany would keep her word? She has told us that treaties are not binding. She has said categorically that she would break a treaty that is not in her interest. She has not only said these things, she has done them. The greatest of all her crimes is this burglar morality which she has introduced into Europe. Would a business man trade with a firm which proclaimed German principles? Would it be safe to deal with such a state of mind? Nothing in the modern history of Europe is more menacing to the civilized life of democracy than this Germanic state of mind—this state of mind which repudiates treaties and dishonors a solemn word."

Change of Mind Necessary.

"But there are reasonable men in Germany."

"Many, but they don't control the Government."

"Don't you think that when peace is established and German democracy finds that it is ruined, don't you think that then the war caste will be broken and a new system of government will be set up?"

"That change will only come when Germany is convinced that war does not pay."

"Exactly. And the argument is that you can only bring home to Germany the fact of her economic ruin by establishing peace on the basis of a league of nations?"

"But you will never be able to dictate terms to Germany till she is beaten. The argument you mention is founded on the dangerous fallacy that because Germany is sick of this war she is sick of war in general. She isn't. I doubt if her Government is even sick of this war. You've read the speech of that old brigand Hertling. Is there any sign of repentance in that speech? Is it a chastened speech? Is it the speech of a statesman who wants disarmament and a league of nations? No! Germany is back in her mood of 1914. She believes she is winning the war. She believes she has won it now. And if we talk peace to her she has won it. Yes, Germany has won and England is beaten. Why, it would be better a thousand times that every man in England should be dead than that Germany should issue from this war with the feelings of a conqueror. You hear people use the phrase 'to the last man, and to the last shilling,' and you think it is only a bit of rhetoric; but to my mind it's the most solemn and absolute truth. I mean when I say it that it would in very truth be a million times better for the people of these islands to be dead, everyone of them, rather than live on as the serfs of triumphant Prussia."

Meaning of Hertling's Speech.

"We must hold fast, you mean, till Germany says she has had enough, never mind how long it may last?"

"Certainly. The salvation of the world depends upon it. We are back to 1914. We are confronted by a Germany which believes itself to be the lord of the nations. Russia is out, Roumania is out, Italy has received a hard blow. France and England are the only enemies left who remain to be crushed. Germany means to crush them before America gets into her stride. She believes she can crush them. All this talk of peace heartens her. She thinks that we are war-weary. She thinks she can endure longer than we can. She is flushed with triumph. She is absolutely cock-o-hoop. Why, look at Hertling's speech! Dare a man suggest that we should surrender Malta and Gibraltar, and all the rest of it, if he were not confident of victory? Think of the mere audacity of it! When have we ever used Malta and Gibraltar for the oppression of nations? Look at our colonies! They are free to all the Germans who choose to go there. Any German can go to our colonies and buy raw material or set up for himself in business. We have used the British Empire for the good of the human race. And this Germany, whose colonies are bolted and barred against mankind, who no sooner got Heligoland than she transformed it into a menace against England, whose whole spirit is tribal and selfish and arrogant, this Germany dare to speak of the British Empire as a danger to humanity! What hypocrisy, and what confidence! Why she was never in more truculent mood. It was never more necessary than it is now for England to hold fast. England with her Allies must go on fighting until Germany comes to her senses and realizes that free men really mean what they say when they declare that death is better than enslavement."

Our Rock of Defence.

"You think we can outlast Germany?"

"I'm perfectly sure of it. Our people are not so sheepish, but they are of sterner stuff. The population of this country is composed of wonderful material. All down the ages men have come to England out of other countries because they would not bow to tyranny. We have been the rock of defence to many thousands of fine spirits who could not breathe the air of autocracies. I believe our moral stamina has been enormously strengthened by these refugees. We have freedom in our blood. We feel that liberty is as necessary to us as air. When it is brought home to our people that this war is for freedom or slavery, you'll hear no talk of peace, no plausible suggestions for a conference: you'll hear nothing but the word passed from man to man, Hold Fast! I'm sure of this in Lancashire. The Lancashire spirit is never cowed and seldom daunted. You tell me that even our Bolsheviks of Yorkshire would fight to the last if Germany still dealt imperialistically with the nations at a peace conference. I believe that this is true of all England. Our only danger is that the pacifist suggests to Germany that timorous souls over here are looking for any other way out of this war than the way of victory. The more that suggestion gets abroad, the more cheerfully will Germany harden her heart. The only thing that can dismay the German Government is our resolute announcement that we'll fight, and go on fighting yes, if it takes us twenty years more, till Germany asks us for peace. That's the true Englishness of this war, and the sooner it's known in Germany the sooner the war will be over."

Next German Attack.

"You have no misgiving as to a German onslaught in the spring?"

"None whatever. All we've got to do is to dig our heels in. I should say that with machine guns, wire entanglements trenches and our overwhelming supply of shells, one man in defence is as good as three men in attack. I've no doubt we can break any mass attack the Germans may bring against us. We must dig our heels in, as the French did at Verdun; we must hold fast, as we have done before. We can outlive the German in food and we can outfight him. When he knows that he'll ask us for peace."

"And when he asks for peace, you'd admit him to the league of nations?"

"I'll trust Germany when I know she is convinced that war does not pay. Till then I would as soon think of trusting anything she says as I'd trust a forger or a thief. Out and away the most dreadful thing she has done is to shake men's confidence in contracts. That is a crime of the greatest magnitude. She is a confessed brigand. The moral law means nothing to her. She herself has proclaimed to all the world that she is above the moral law. She has introduced anarchy into the society of nations. She has pulled civilization to pieces. She has dragged the whole earth back to tribal barbarism. The very suggestion that we should dream of conferring with such a nation strikes me as madness. Germany herself has told us she is not to be trusted."

These views of Lord Leverhulme are quite general in Lancashire. There is no noticeable element of extreme pacifism among the workers. Every man I meet in the great industrial centres of Lancashire feels that it would be a confession of defeat to discuss peace with Germany in her present mood. I have discussed the matter with labor men holding advanced views, and they are as adamant as Lord Leverhulme.

It is important for the Liberals of Germany to realize that even those extreme pacifists in England who would welcome a conference as a way out of this horrible carnage and most bitter suffering are entirely convinced that no peace terms would satisfy British democracy which did not ensure the dethronement of the German war caste.

The one thing which silences the intellectual pacifist in England is the argument of Lord Leverhulme that Germany by her own word is not to be trusted. I do not think the Liberals of Germany can be aware of the tremendous force of this argument. It is the sole cause of all their suffering.

SUN LIFE KEEPS GROWING

THE results of operations for the year 1917 show a continuance of the notable expansion that has marked the career of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada. In Assets, Income, Surplus, New Business, and Total Business in Force substantial increases are recorded over the corresponding figures for previous years.

RESULTS FOR 1917

Assets at December 31st, 1917.	$90,160,174.00
Increase	7,211,178.00
Cash Income	19,288,997.00
Increase	789,866.00
New Assurances issued and *Paid for in Cash*	47,811,567.00
Increase	5,039,270.00
Assurances in Force at December 31st, 1917.	311,870,945.00
Increase	30,436,246.00
Profits paid or allotted to Policyholders	1,560,389.00
Increase	449,488.00
Profits paid or allotted to Policyholders, in past five years.	5,224,963.93
Total Payments to Policyholders, 1917.	3,840,245.00
Payments to Policyholders since organization	$69,094,816
Assets held for Policyholders	90,160,174
	$159,254,490
Premiums received since organization	153,361,226
Payments to Policyholders and Assets held for them exceed the premiums received by:	$5,893,264
Undivided surplus at December 31st, 1917, over all liabilities including capital	$8,550,761.00

THE COMPANY'S GROWTH

YEAR	INCOME	ASSETS	LIFE ASSURANCES IN FORCE
1872	$ 43,210.73	$ 96,461.05	$ 1,064,350.00
1887	477,410.68	1,312,504.48	10,873,777.69
1897	2,223,894.74	7,322,571.44	44,983,716.79
1907	6,249,228.25	26,458,595.15	111,135,694.58
1917	19,233,997.68	90,160,174.24	311,870,945.71

The Company takes this opportunity of thanking its policyholders and the public generally for the continued confidence and goodwill of which the above figures give such strong evidence.

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Ouch!

"A word to the wise is sufficient," said Hawk,
"Is a truth that an old saw endowers;
And maybe that's why an attorney will talk
To a jury for six solid hours."

Oh!

"The men in that building all live according to their convictions," said the native, as he pointe dto a large structure that was surrounded by a wall.

"What is it, a monastery or a theological institution? asked the visitor.

"Naw," replied the native. "That's the penitentiary."

No Joke.

You claim that you are dizzy
From hustling; but, dear me,
No fellow is as busy
As he pretends to be.

The Wise Fool.

"The bravest are the tenderest," quoted the Sage.

"Did you ever eat a game cock?" asked the Fool.

Truth.

Your head may ache from sun to sun,
When you are getting o'er a bun,
But there's no headache like the one
You get from butting in.

Bless Her Heart.

(Wilmington Journal-Republican)

We respectfully invite Luke McLuke's attention to a certain very practical fuel-conserving and congestion-relieving young lady, Miss Carrie Wood, of Clinton County.

Get the Hook!

Talking about fish stories, Patrolman Sturgeon arrested John Shrimp and Joseph Herring for drunkenness in Baltimore, Md., the other day. He told Magistrate Packard that they had been drinking like fish.

Lawyers.

For hours a lawyer has to blow,
When any case he pleads;
He is a man of words, I know,
Yet he's a man of deed.
—Luke McLuke.

And when those lawyers make us pay
Unreasonable bills,
We fully realize that they
Are men of quite strong wills.
—Newark Advocate.

Our Joe Miller Contest.

Maurice Thon claims that the oldest joke is the one about the Englishman, the Scotchman and the Irishman who were bragging about the complimentary names they had been called. The Englishman said that a man came up to him one day and called him William Gladstone. The Scotchman said that a man one day mistook him for Harry Lauder, and called him by that name. "That's nothing," said the Irishman. "I was standing on the street one day and a lady friend of mine came up to me and said, "Good Lord, you here?"

Famous Fronts.

Western
Shirt

——— Yard
——— Door
——— Seat
——— Page

Our Daily Special.

The human busy bee is too free with his stinger.

Luke McLuke Says.

The society girl who celebrates her nuptials has just as many battles later on as does the working girl who merely gets hitched.

A political party needs a statesman to sound the keynote. But it takes a precinct executive to deliver the votes.

The boss can always see if you are capable of doing a higher class of work and getting promotion. He watches the way you do the small jobs you are working on now.

There was a time when the devil was considered the most ornery, lowdown critter in all creation. But since a certain degenerate in Berlin, with a wrong-font arm, staged his kultur production, folks are beginning to regard Satan as a gentleman and a scholar.

A girl's face may be her fortune, but a wife's face is often her husband's misfortune.

A landlord is a pretty decent sort of a man, after all. He will often raise the rent when the tenant can't raise it.



Red-blooded men of courage are on the firing line—and there are many anaemic, weak, discouraged men and women left at home.

At this time of the year most people suffer from a condition often called Spring Fever. They feel tired, worn out, before the day is half through. They may have frequent headaches and sometimes "pimply" or pale skin.

Bloodless people, thin, anaemic people, those with pale cheeks and lips, who have a poor appetite and feel that tired, worn or feverish condition in the springtime of the year, should try the refreshing tonic powers of a good alterative and blood purifier. Such a one is extracted from Blood Root, Golden Seal and Stone Root, Queen's Root and Oregon Grape Root, made up with chemically pure glycerine and without the use of alcohol. This can be obtained in ready-to-use tablet form in fifty-cent vials, as druggists have sold it for fifty years as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a standard remedy that can be obtained in tablet or liquid form.

Windsor, Ont.—"Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and his 'Pleasant Pellets' are wonderful medicines for home use. I used to suffer with weak lungs, smothering spells and sick headaches, but since I have taken the above mentioned medicines these conditions have left me.

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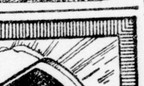
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SALTS IF KIDNEYS OR BLADDER BOTHER

Harmless to flush Kidneys and neutralize irritating acids.

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in voiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble.

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TO ST. THOMAS—†5:20, †*6:20, 7:20, *8:20, 9:20, *10:20, 11:20 a.m., 12:20, *1:20, 2:20, *3:20, 4:20, *5:20, 6:20, *7:20, 8:20, 9:20, *10:20, †11:20 p.m.

TO PORT STANLEY—†*6:20, *8:20, *10:20 a.m., *1:20, *3:20, *5:20, *7:20, *10:20 p.m.

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Apr. 20

PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Readers are invited to 'phone all news of this kind to the Society Editor. Phone 3670.

Under the auspices of the Overseas Chapter, I. O. D. E., the weekly khaki dance was given in the Masonic Temple last evening. Upwards of 200 couples spent a pleasant evening. The convening committee was comprised of Mrs. Galbraith, Mrs. Clinger, Mrs. Fitchett, and Mrs. Heard. The proceeds will be devoted to patriotic purposes.

Mrs. Arthur E. Freeland of Winnipeg is the guest of her sister, Miss Dewar, Victor street.

Miss Pauline Dudley has returned to Ottawa to resume her teaching duties after spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dudley, Thornton avenue.

Miss A. Blackwell and Miss Edith M. Whittaker have returned to the city, after spending a week in Hamilton, the guests of Mrs. Scott Murray, Mount Royal avenue.

Thomas Shaw is in Highgate attending the funeral of his cousin, Robert Gladstone.

Miss Mildred Roberts of Windsor avenue is visiting friends in Parkhill.

Rev. Dr. D. A. Armstrong of Paris is attending the Congregational conference in the First Church.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Miss Alberta Heritage, Hamilton road, yesterday, on the occasion of her birthday. An auto party had been arranged and on the return of the young people a dainty birthday supper was served.

Miss Murtel Nash of Hamilton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Haviland Nash, Parkview Apartments.

Rev. E. Warren of Embro is visiting in the city.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Caradoc County, at high noon Saturday, when Carrie Elizabeth, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Carruthers, was united in marriage to George Russell Lowthian, only son of George Lowthian, Esq., Caradoc. The bride was given away by her father, and was attended by Miss Mary Lowthian, sister of the groom. The bestman was Norman Carruthers, brother of the bride. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Peter Jamieson, Melbourne. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present. The bride was one of the most popular young ladies of Caradoc, and active in all branches of church. Mr. and Mrs. Lowthian left for an extended trip to United States, and on their return will reside at the farm of the groom in Caradoc.

Mrs. H. Bundy and little son, who have been on an extended visit to Miss Weston, Stanley street, have returned to their home in Detroit.

Ralph Decker of New York is a visitor in town.

BACKYARD GARDEN HINTS

(By The Girl With the Hoe.)

RESOURCEFULNESS IN GARDENING.

This cold weather is most discouraging to the backyard gardener. Every day he expects that the sun will come forth in all its strength and heat up the ground, so that he may set out the plants, so carefully tended indoors. Yet even as he waits every day seems colder, and the wintry blasts persist. Discouragement is bound to come if he waits—but why wait? Why let the weather get ahead of him? He wants to keep up with the market gardener, and yet he calmly waits while the market gardener presides over a flourishing vegetable garden, set out in coldframes, and smiles in a superior sort of way, while the backyard gardener chafes at the restrictions of the weatherman.

I didn't wait. I have a cold-frame, too. Oh, not the high-priced variety of the expert gardener, but just two storm windows, which were taken off the house a short time ago. They are raised from the ground by means of some old pieces of lumber patched together, indeed, but then just as serviceable as the finest cold-frame which money could buy. Why not try it, too? I have cabbage, lettuce, spinach, onion plants, etc., growing there, and in the cold weather, too. They are getting a splendid hardening off. I planted some seed in the frame also. It will come along a little later than the plants, but much earlier than that sown outdoors.

Gardening done properly on a small scale calls out the resources of the gardener. The extensive gardener is able to put out large sums of money to procure all the requisites of scientific gardening. But the small backyard gardener cannot have these things, which the other man considers so essential, and to compete with the other man he must resort to his wits. Each individual knows what he has to hand, and he must use his eyes. He must become so enthusiastic over gardening that when his storm windows are removed he sees cold-frames; when he is raking up old leaves and dead grass, or overturning sod, he realizes that nature has supplied him with an abundance of fertilizer. He may relegate coal ashes to the garbage heap, but wood ashes, never, for in this seemingly useless substance nature has stored some of her most valuable fertilizing substances. Corn-shoots will truly pop up under the influence of this fertilizer. Some very enterprising people even go so far as to bury all their garbage, such as potato peelings, bones and other animal and vegetable refuse, and allow it to fertilize the ground. This, however, is not advisable, unless it can be done in a very cleanly way, so that there are no particles of the refuse left above ground to attract flies. The fly pest would more than counteract any good received from the fertilizer thus obtained.

ADVERTISER PATTERNS



Ladies' Cover-All Apron.

2357—Here is a smart and attractive apron model in one-piece style, which closes at the front over the sleeve portions. Gingham, percale or seersucker are good for its development.

The pattern is cut in four sizes, small (32-34), medium (36-38), large (40-42), and extra large (44-46 inches bust measure. The medium size requires 5¼ yards of 36-inch material.

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NURSES' CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN THIS CITY

A convention of the Graduate Nurses of Ontario will be held in this city on April 26, for the purpose of discussing the improvement of the standing of nurses. Such a convention will be entirely new in the city and will undoubtedly cause great interest, not only among the nurses themselves, but among the citizens as well.

Women's Auxiliary Army Corps Popularly Known As the 'Waacs'

Whenever a great organization springs into existence, there is created, of necessity, a widespread interest in that event. But the real interest centres in the antecedents of that organization. What phases of public opinion and endeavor, what principles governing the intercourse of human beings, have crystallized themselves finally into this tangible form. These questions naturally arose when the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps (familiarly called the "Waacs") came into being.

It was January, 1917, when Lord Derby, at the women's service demonstration in Albert Hall, asked for women to do clerical work in the army. In February the official appeal was issued, and volunteers answered on every hand. Within less than a year these recruits are coming in at the rate of 10,000 a month. This immense body has been made "part and parcel" of the British army, working under its rules and regulations, and serving wherever duty calls without regard to danger.

Nothing so efficient could have sprung into existence suddenly. The service asked by the Government was that of support and substitution—replacing man power. All this required strenuous training, which was acquired in numberless voluntary organizations formed by women at the very beginning of the war. Most of these, either in whole or in part, have been merged into the "Waacs." Among them is the Women's Reserve Ambulance, which was so highly trained that at the time of the first zeppelin raid, these women were the first to reach the injured and give aid. Indeed, there was no work left for the regulars when they arrived.

There was also the Women Signallers' Territorial Corps, whose commander-in-chief was Mrs. E. J. Parker of Lord Kitchener. These women voluntarily trained themselves in every kind of signalling, semaphore flags, mechanical damps and heliograph. Map reading was also mastered. Through this course "wireless" for women in England was introduced, and one of its members holds an important post as teacher of wireless in a wireless telegraph college.

The Women's Legion was another antecedent of the "Waacs." Its members voluntarily organized to furnish cooks and waitresses for camps and secured 1,200 in one year. They also took over the cooking and serving in the first convalescent camp that employed women in those capacities. The Women's Volunteer Reserve and the Women's Auxiliary are two other forerunners of the "Waacs."

Small wonder it is that within less than a year after the formation of this branch of the army service there are women signallers in France doing such good work that the officer commanding signals is asking for thousands more. That the "Waacs" are an officially recognized arm of the army service fills every woman's heart with joy and pride. It is inspiring to contemplate the broad vision which leaped ahead far enough to see the need of service years before the Government could use that training. Patriots and heroines they are indeed, these workers.

Wherever the British army is needed there the "Waacs" are found. Efficiency follows wherever they tread, whether it be in England or just back of the firing line in France. Their work divides itself into five great classes. A large number serve as cooks and waitresses, and when one realizes that as many as sixty cooks are necessary in some camps one also realizes the service performed in releasing men, to say nothing of the greater economy in the use of foodstuffs.

Clerical work is another branch of service, but, in a way, the most interesting is the signallers' work. They alone of all the "Waacs" wear army badges. The "Hush Waacs" number about a dozen, and are connected with the censor's office. They are the linguists and can decode any messages, whether signalled or written. Another interesting work is that done by the drivers of motors and motor cycles.

The work known as "salvage" employs hundreds of workers who reclaim every kind of battle-field debris, converting it into something useful. Army boots, for example, are repaired to the number of 30,000 a week. One kind goes to the men in the trenches, another to the men on lines of communication, and a third to prisoners and convict laborers. When uppers are of no further use they are cut into [illegible] helmets, leather and cloth, equipments, rifles, horseshoes, spurs—everything is used by these capable women who work just back of the firing line. The postal service also employs large numbers of women to look after letters and parcels.

One kind of work handed over to the women will be appreciated wherever the call to the colors has been heard, and that is the care of the graves of those who have fallen. Many of these are on lonely spots by the roadside or in fields. All are to be plainly marked and planted with flowers. No one is more faithfully performed than this.

The bodily comforts of the "Waacs" are well looked after, and they find in the Y.W.C.A. the same friend that the men have found in the Y.M.C.A. The pay of the "Waacs" is that of the ordinary soldier (about 25 cents a day) [illegible] at the end of the year she receives a bonus of £5. Also she is allowed a fortnight's leave each year. All the officers are women, but, although their appointments are gazetted in the usual way, none of them holds a commission nor carriers a military title.

JIMMY COON STORIES

By Dr. Warren G. Partridge.

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JIMMY COON SUPPORTS A FAMILY OF EIGHTEEN.

You remember that Jimmy Coon was son fond of Carrie Coon, his mate, that he promised to support his mother-in-law, his father-in-law and their fourteen children; so there were eighteen people for poor little Jimmy Coon to provide for.

Well, Jimmy was a wonderful hunter and fisherman. You remember that he slept in the daytime and hunted all night. And Jimmy never before, in his life, hunted so hard so many hours.

And it was funny to see Jimmy Coon come back in the early morning with his load of frogs, fish, bird's eggs, persimmons, and black and green snakes hung around his neck; and his pockets stuffed full of grasshoppers, black crickets, beetles and white grubs.

Why Jimmy Coon looked like a peddler with so many packs on his back; and with all his pockets stuffed with good things to eat! And it was laughable to see Jimmy's mother-in-law at the breakfast table. She sat at the head of the table and she would say, "Now, Father Coon just pass your plate first, for I want you to have all these nice fresh eggs; for they will help your lame back! And I will take the frogs, for they look tender; and I need them because I haven't got my new false teeth yet.

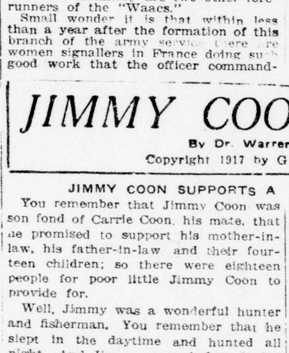
And now my dear children, you all help yourselves; and be lively, before everything is all eaten up. And you would have laughed to see the fourteen children jump up on the table and gobble everything up, before Jimmy Coon could get a single bite.

And poor Jimmy's Mate, Carrie, got only the wing of one grasshopper! And you know there isn't much nourishment in the wing of one grasshopper! And when Jimmy's mother-in-law was eating those tender frogs, she scolded Jimmy Coon, saying, "Jimmy, I wish you would be more careful in getting young, tender frogs. I have spoken to you many times about this matter. And I'll not stand for this any longer. Why, I know this Frog is an Uncle of Great-Grandfather Frog; for it's as tough as Jim Crow!"

And Jimmy's mother-in-law was so angry that she gave the frog in her mouth a sudden jerk, and it pulled out one of her two remaining teeth; and the tooth flew across the table, and hit poor Jimmy Coon in the eye! It hurt Jimmy terribly.

And his Mate, Carrie Coon took Jimmy Coon up to their bedroom in the attic, and put Jimmy to bed. And she wet her handkerchief in cool spring water, and laid it on his swollen left eye. And poor Jimmy Coon went to sleep, and dreamed of his boyhood home, in the Hemlock Apartments on Mirror Pond.

Tomorrow—A Terrible Accident Happened to the New Coon House.



Jimmy Coon looked like a peddler, with so many packs on his back.

RED CROSS AND C. W. C. A. COLUMN

They Can't Get Along Without Us.

At least it would seem so from this letter which has just come from C. W. C. A. headquarters in England. They had just received 85 boxes from London, and this is what the secretary, Mrs. Brown, says about them:

"What perfectly remarkable contributions! Really, looking at the lists in front of me, I cannot express to you my admiration of the wonderful work that has been kept up by the London, Ont., branch of our association. I cannot think where we should have been without you!"

Now, isn't that encouraging? Doesn't it make us all feel like sending those 85 boxes all over again? And we are going to do it, too.

Red Cross Lightning.

Here is another letter that must thrill every Red Cross worker, for she knows she has helped to put through this wonderful piece of work. It comes from Col. Hodgetts, our Red Cross commissioner overseas:

"On Sunday morning, March 24, one of our stationary hospitals situated near the battle area, rang up Boulogne Depot, saying they were doing casualty clearing station work, that they had 1,600 patients, with only 600 beds, and that they needed immediately 2,000 pairs pyjamas, 1,000 sheets, 500 pillows, 200 hot water bottles, 8,000 utility bags, sterilized surgical dressings, roller, triangular and many-tailed bandages, 1,000 flannel nightshirts, 1,000 dayshirts, 2,000 pairs socks, 1,000 bed socks, irrigating tins and rubber tubing, besides miscellaneous articles, such as biscuits, soup, cigarettes, soap, feeding cups, etc.

"Inside an hour five lorries loaded with these supplies had left Boulogne for the front, and everything delivered to the hospitals within eight hours of the request for help, despite the fact that the society's lorries were delivering supplies to every Canadian hospital in France.

"On Tuesday afternoon, March 26, there was not a single unfilled request on the society."

It Means More Work.

Isn't that magnificent? And aren't we glad that we have kept out Red Cross storerooms crammed ready for just such emergency calls? Can you imagine what the condition of those 1,600 wounded would have been with only 600 beds at their disposal, had the Red Cross Society not been standing behind them with their hands filled with everything needful?

Yes, this letter is a grand tribute to our work, and it is also a solemn warning. There will be many, many more just such emergency calls. We dare not allow them to come unanswered. We must not slacken our efforts. We must keep on sewing and knitting every spare moment, that our wounded may find us ready when they cry to us for help.

Our Latest Gift.

The C. W. C. A. shipped from Hyman Hall on April 2, thirty-one boxes, containing the following articles: 2,160 pairs of socks, 279 dayshirts, 1,250 towels, 6 sweaters, 15 caps and 1 muffler.

On the same date the Red Cross shipped as follows: 299 shirts, 597 suits pyjamas, 186 sheets, 770 pillowslips, 1,236 towels, 1,518 pairs of socks, 274 stretcher caps and 12 boxes of surgical supplies.

MARIAN KEITH,
Press Secretary.

Patriotic Western Ontario

Address All News for This Column to the Editor of the Women's Page.

HARROW.—The Oxley Woman's Missionary Society held its March meeting at the home of Mrs. F. L. Wright, the following yearly officers being elected: President, Mrs. T. A. Elliott; vice-president, Mrs. D'Arcy Bonner; recording secretary, Mrs. O. Boring; corresponding secretary, Miss Ethel Huffman; treasurer, Mrs. Roy Fox; organist, Mrs. Allen Howie; superintendent of systematic giving, Mrs. Erie Herdman; superintendent of Outlook, Mrs. Jos. Mallanby. The society reports a splendid financial year and starts upon its new year with bright prospects.

THAMESFORD.—At the meeting of the Red Cross Workers in the Foresters' Hall a summary of the work done in January, February and March was given. The number of meetings held was 13, with an average attendance of 31. The collections amounted to $130.28. The goods purchased amounted to $151.67, and $227 was spent on yarn. Goldpieces were presented to W. Young and L. Karn. The provision sale netted $45.85, and the traycloth donated by Miss Matheson, netted $10.65. The shipments to Hyman Hall contained 30 pairs of pyjamas, 13 sheets, 24 pillowslips, 71 towels, 11 trench towels, 144 pairs socks, and 6 stretcher caps, the total valued at $227.15.

KINGSVILLE.—At the semi-annual meeting of the Women's Patriotic League in the Red Cross rooms the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months: President, Mrs. Hoover; first vice-president, Mrs. McKenzie; second vice-president, Mrs. H. C. Layman; recording secretary, Mrs. T. J. Salmon; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. J. Green; treasurer, Mrs. William Copeland.

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

Many Requests.

Readers, asking for names of "lonelies," will please not grow impatient if they do not come to hand at once. About half a dozen requests are received to every name sent in, and Miss Grey is obliged to keep some of the kind-hearted ones waiting, until her list has been filled once again.

Girl in Mourning.

My Dear Miss Grey.—(1) What kind of material would make up nicely for a young girl in mourning?

(2) What is the meaning of the following names? Olga, Maud, Edna and Arthur?

(3) Does a girl have to pass entrance to train for a missionary, and where would you write for particulars?

Ans.—(1) Many pretty cotton, crepe and mercerized fabrics seen in the shops. A dull-finished silk is probably about as economical as any material for a good dress.

(2) Maud, battle-maid or heroine; Edna, pleasure; Arthur, high or noble.

(3) As a rule I believe missionary candidates are required to possess a matriculation certificate or a standing equivalent to that. There are training school's for Church of England, Presbyterian and Methodist missionary candidates in Toronto. Best consult the pastor of the church to which you belong.

Answer to Slippery.

Dear Miss Grey.—I am sorry I have been delayed in answering Slippery's letter, which appeared on the women's page some time ago, asking whereabouts of J. W., 802906, and if he is an Indian, also for a snapshot of him. He is an Indian lad. I would willingly send his photo in his uniform to Slippery if she will return it to me as she promised. I will leave my address with Miss Grey.

LONELY'S SISTER.

P.S.—I will let her know where he is when she writes, as I hear from him quite often. L. S.

Ans.—How about this, Slippery? Are you still desirous of having the photo?

DAILY BIBLE QUESTION CLUB

UNIFORM LESSON FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 1918.

ONE GOLDEN TEXT SUGGESTION.

[By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D.]

Jesus requires confession and loyalty. —Mark viii., 1-ix., 1.

Questions For Today.

8. Verses 15, 16.—As Jesus did not mean to reprove them for not taking bread, whether they were blameworthy or not, why did their consciences accuse them of neglect?

9. Why ought all who would be good to beware of pharisaical hypocrisy, ostentation, pride, passing the letter before the spirit, and of Herodian superstition?

10. Verses 17-18—What part does a clear conscience, an unselfish spirit, and a tender heart play in understanding the ways of God?

11. Verses 19-21—How many times in your life have you eaten all the food you could procure and were yet hungry, and how many times have you had plenty of food left after every meal? Then why do you worry?

Golden Text: If any man would come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me.—Mark, viii., 34.

SELF-DENIAL ESSENTIAL TO FOLLOWING CHRIST.

Just as self-denial is essential to self-conquest, so it is essential to following Christ. Those who are proud, puffed up, or desire the praise of men, those who seek to be estimated above what they deserve, as well as those who try to be Christians while following the fashions and vanities of the world, cannot possibly be followers of Christ. Their ideals of life are contrary to Christ's ideals. Men who are always thinking about their own interests, regardless of the interests of others, or who attempt to make profit at the expense of others, cannot at the same time be followers of the meek and lowly Jesus. The Christian life is a divine life, entirely contrary to the ideals and practices of the world.

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See Our Windows.

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Ladies' Parasols, gloria top, with tape edge, nicely cased, smart handles with agate tops and cord loops. Price $3.50

Ladies' Parasols, silk and wool cover with tape edge, neatly cased, black ebony handles with white bone ring or with ebony tops and cord loops. Price $4.00

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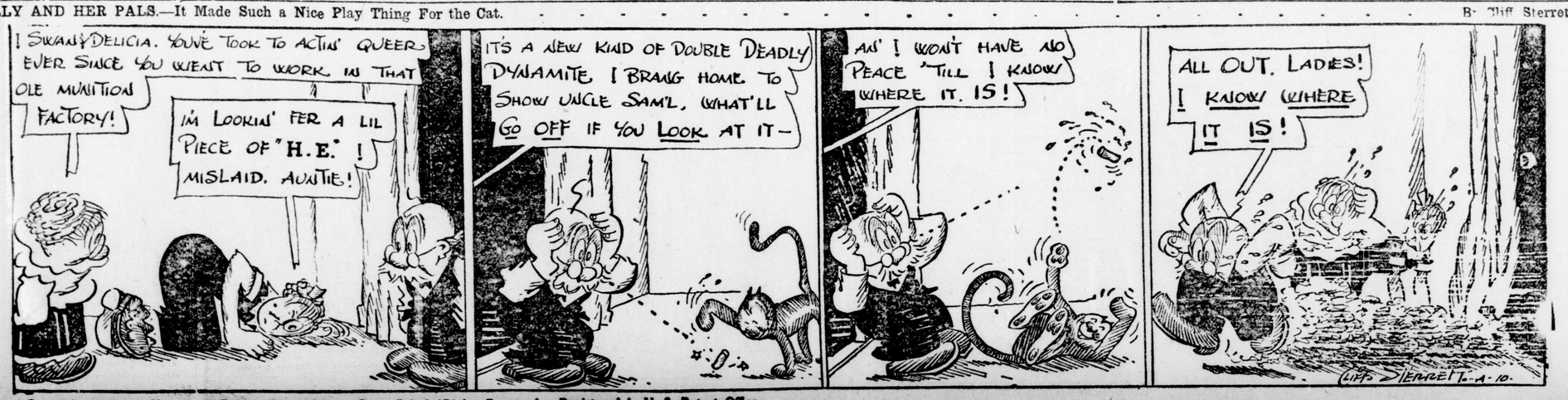
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POLLY AND HER PALS.—It Made Such a Nice Play Thing For the Cat. By Cliff Sterrett.



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Freddie's Tongue Too Nimble For Willard

Fulton Scores Knockout on Heavyweight in Badinage During Signing of Articles to Fight.

When he returned from Chicago where final articles were signed for the plasterer's fight with Willard, July 4, Fulton was wearing a broad smile and the glad habiliments with which he astonished the rustics in the Windy City. Frock coat, cane diamonds, striped trousers, all came through in good order and Fred says he proposes to keep them all working constantly. There were some simple-minded enough to expect that Fred and Jess would glare at each other and either refuse to speak or else give vent to emphatic expressions of opinion couched in decidedly lowbrow language. Nothing of the kind happened.

As Fulton wedged through the doorway, Willard jumped up and rushed across the room. Not to collide with his rival's jaw but to clasp his outstretched hand.

"How are you, Fred. What's the good word?" inquired Willard.

"It's fine, never better. How're you?" retorted Fulton.

"In the pink, in the pink," came back Jess.

"What is the reason for the dude clothes, and sakes alive, is that a cane with you?"

"Oh, these are my everyday clothes," replied the challenger. "You see, I am to get accustomed to them, so I'll feel comfortable when I am champion of the world."

This was the parting shot that ended the familiarities. Willard went back to his seat, whispering to Miller, "this bird will be wearing overalls again when I finish him." Anyway, he got a laugh from the colonel, who stopped the "bag punching" by pulling out a package of papers and passing them to the gladiators.

EIGHT "W'S" AWARDED VARSITY ATHLETES AT ANNUAL MEETING

Miss Mary McLean New Vice-President of Western "U" Athletic Association.

Eight "W's" were presented on Tuesday night at the annual meeting of the Western University Athletic Association in the university gym on Oxford street. Officers for 1919 were elected and the business affairs for the past season wound up.

Reports presented by the different officers showed that the association was well situated financially and had a good surplus on hand after meeting all accounts. The surplus will be invested in Victory Bonds.

Short of Men.

A striking feature brought out by the meeting, showing the real absence of men from the university lies in the election of a fair co-ed to the position of vice-president of the association. As the president is appointed by the faculty the senior officer to be elected is the vice-president. After giving themselves the once-over the student body came to the conclusion that the best man they could place in the vice-chair was a lady. Miss Mary McLean was elected vice-president for 1918-1919. Miss McLean, who is in the class of '19, is one of the most popular of the lady students at Western. She is a crack basketball player and was on the university squad in the Western University Girls' Basketball League during the past winter. Duncan McLean of the Y. M. C. A. junior basketball team is a brother.

The officers follow: President (to be appointed by the faculty); vice-president, Miss Mary McLean; athletic board, Miss Vera Swartz, Roy Kingswood and Art Smith.

Members of the rugby team who received the "W" were Tommy Murray, Wally Matthews, Simpson, Jimmy McGeough, "Doc" Cline, Fisher and Speirin.

Brief addresses were given by Dr. E. E. Braithwait, president of the Western, and K. P. R. Neville, faculty director of athletics.

BASEBALL RESULTS

EXHIBITION GAMES.

At Columbus—

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia Nationals—0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 3	5	12	2
Washington Americans—0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1	2	8	2

Oeschger, Mayor and Adams; Johnson, Ayers, Tingling and Ainsmith, Charity.

At Houston—

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago Nationals	7	15	2
Houston	4	10	0

Hendrix, Walker and Daly; Martina and Noyes.

At Forst Smith, Ark.—

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit Americans	15	22	4
Cincinnati Nationals	9	13	2

Jeffs, Hall and Yelle; Schneider and Wingo.

At Charlotte, N. C.—

	R.	H.	E.
New York Americans	1	3	2
Boston Nationals	0	7	0

Monroe, McGraw and Hanna; Crum, Murray and Henry.

EUCHRE POSTPONED.

The return euchre match between the London and St. Thomas Liberal clubs announced for Friday night has been postponed.

FIGHTING THE HUN; NOT PRIZE FIGHTING

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The first congressional effort to stop the Willard-Fulton fight was made today in a bill introduced in the House by Representative Blanton, Texas. The bill calls for a tax of $25 a person to all those who attend, and would also take 75 per cent of the promoters' gross profits on this and all other prize fights.

It's time we should do all our fighting on the other side of the water. Fight promoters should not now be allowed to make large profits when the Government is spending every dollar to win the war," Blanton said.

UNIFORM RULES LIKELY FOR 1919 STANLEY CUP

MONTREAL, April 9.—Uniform rules to govern world's hockey series of the future have been practically settled upon, so President Frank Calder of the National Hockey League announced today, following the recent visit here of Frank Patrick, the head of the Pacific Coast League.

President Patrick has consented to six-man hockey for the series, but with certain features of the Pacific Coast game retained, such as the offside pass and kicking the puck, although only within much restricted bounds.

PARIS BOWLING CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

PARIS, April 9.—The annual meeting of the Paris Lawn Bowling Club was held last night, and was largely attended by the followers of this summer pastime. The report of the treasurer showed the club to be in a flourishing condition. The secretary's report was a very comprehensive one, showing that during the season the club played eighteen friendly games, winning seven and losing eleven. During the season representatives of the club won the Seagram trophy at Kitchener, the Lalor trophy at Dunnville, and the Harris trophy at the Brant County tournament, besides being runners-up in several other competitions. Twelve new members were admitted to the roll last night, and it was decided to hold the usual club tournament on May 24.

The officers for the year were elected as follows: Honorary president, D. Burt; president, H. A. Crooks; vice-president, J. J. Flahiff; treasurer, O. H. Whitby; secretary, S. L. Smoke; assistant secretary, Robert Inkstater; grounds committee, James Sinclair, John Begg; delegate to international tournament at Buffalo, Robert Inkstater; delegate to O.B.A., F. Smoke; delegates to W.O.B.A., James Smiley, R. E. Haire.

W. J. ELLIOTT PRESIDENT OF INGERSOLL A. A. SOCIETY

INGERSOLL, April 9.—At the annual meeting of the Ingersoll Amateur Athletic Association the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. J. Elliott; vice-president, A. O. Parker; secretary, W. T. Carthew; executive committee, W. H. Beatty, W. Brett and C. A. Woodon; auditors, D. Cuthberton and G. C. Ellis.

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SPORT NOTES

The St. Louis Browns must be in shape for their regular big league performance. They're taking their annual spring wallopings at the hands of minor leaguers.

Since the war began the Berliner Tageblatt refuses to print major league box scores any longer.

President Baker is very popular in Philadelphia. The baseball citizens want to present him with the freedom of some other city.

"Big Bill" James, former leader of National League pitchers, blew in on the Braves at Miami the other day and discovered he had been suspended from organized baseball on account of his failure to report to the Boston club last season.

Now that Eddie Rousch, the National League hitting champion, has signed up with the Reds, Christy Mathewson's warriors are all set for their usual spring drive, ending about July 1.

Bill Clymer, manager of the Louisville club, says conditions are such in the minor leagues that no manager has the remotest idea of how his club will finish this year.

Clark Griffith will carry a small team this year. He took only 23 south and he is not yet through with the pruning knife.

The Detroits in their practice games are playing Dressen at first, Ellison in right, and Walker in centre.

The Cleveland Indians lost heavily through the draft and enlistments, but only two regulars were lost—First Baseman Harris, and Third Baseman Evans.

The St. Louis Cards have a promising left-handed pitcher in Bill Sherdell, who has been developed by Paddy Livingston.

John Hummel, once with the Brooklyns, and later with Buffalo, is trying to win an outfield position on the Sacramento team.

Boeckel, Evans, Milligan, Warner, Webb, Ray Miller and Blackell, all Pirates, have gone into the army.

Jack Onslow, released by the Giants several days ago, was regarded by John McGraw as the best backstop in the minors.

St. Simon, the great English sire of race horses, left 432 foals as the result of nearly twenty years in the stud. Of these 314 started in races and 191 of them were winners. They accounted for seventeen classic races, including two Derbys and four St. Ledgers. St. Simon led the list of winning sires six times in nine years prior to 1902, and in 1896 his offspring won $298,640 in purses and stakes.

Napoleon Lajoie's appeal to the National Commission to have his sale by Toronto to Brooklyn declared invalid by the National Commission will be watched with great interest, not only by Toronto fans, but by baseball followers all over the country. However, fan, the facts given out—there may be others that are being kept secret—the big Frenchman doesn't appear to have a chance to win his case. Sentiment doesn't count with the commission, and they will hand out their judgment under the laws of baseball. Lajoie did not treat the Toronto club fairly, and he could not expect them to hand him any favors. There was nothing wrong in selling him to the Dodgers, no more than there was in selling any other player.

With Toronto slated for a berth in the new International League, and a number of new players already signed to add to the present staff, the next thing the fans look for is to who will lead the Leafs. The public can rest assured that Messrs. McCaffery and Solman will give Toronto the best manager they can secure. There are many who would like the position, and evidently the owners are wasting no sleep over the matter. "Lena" Blackburne has been suggested by many fans, but much as President McCaffery would like to have this fellow in charge, the chances of securing him are very slim. "Blacky" is slated for a regular berth with the Cincinnati Reds. If he fails to make good, even then it is unlikely he would come back to the minors, as there are two or three teams in the majors who would like to have him and would refuse to waive.

HERZOG MAY PRESENT HIMSELF TO M'GRAW

Says He Will Go to Giants If Braves Don't Get Busy.

New York, April 9.—Charlie Herzog is in town, but so far has failed to renew acquaintance with President Hempstead of the Giants. Herzog declares that unless the Braves come to his terms he will camp right on the Giants' doorstep and present himself to McGraw for active service in next Tuesday's opening game at the Polo Grounds.

In the meantime the case rests right where it fell when Herzog took a run out on the Braves. It may be possible that the magnates have fixed up some sort of side agreement to cover the trade in case Herzog does insist in playing the prodigal at the Polo Grounds.

If he cared to stomach the resentment from manager and players his return would entail, Herzog could collect his $10,000 salary for doing nothing but warm the bench. That would be $3,000 less than he would receive at Boston. With an expired contract next fall he would be forced to seek seclusion or play in 1919 at a ridiculously low salary.

Boston needs Herzog, it is true, and needs him badly, but it is doubtful if in the end it would be the better policy to capitulate. Capitulation now spells a source of great trouble in the future. If Herzog puts one over other players cannot be blamed for attempting the same thing later on.

"Y" ATHLETES MAKE GOOD SHOWING DURING SEASON JUST CLOSED

Keen Enthusiasm Evinced by Boys of All Ages in Physical Work.

The season's activities at the Y. M. C. A. are just about over now, and a glance over the doings of the "Y" athletes shows that this season has been one of the best in the history of the physical department.

Wins World's Championship.

Walter Dutton won the individual championship in Class A division of the International Hexathlon, defeating Y. M. C. A.'s through the United States and Canada. This is one of the highest honors possible for any Y. M. C. A. to attain. Last year the juniors won the championship in their division, and stand a pretty good show of repeating again this season. Their results have been sent in to the headquarters at New York, but the results have not been announced yet.

Basketballers Good.

The basketball season was a good one. By their 40-20 defeated of Toronto on Saturday night the juniors have just about cinched the title for the second consecutive year, and the juveniles played through into the semi-finals before they were forced out of the running. The Class League had a fine series, and competition was keen all the way through.

Indoor baseball is now receiving the attention of the athletes. Leagues have not been organized, but Physical Director Halsdorff expects things going shortly. A camera club had also been formed, and the members go on hikes every Saturday afternoon. They are receiving instruction in handling the exposure, printing and developing.

Ready For Annual Entertainment.

Plans are being made for the annual gymnastic exhibition, which will be put on about the end of the month in the Auditorium. All classes participate in this, and the program will consist of physical drills, musical numbers, and one or two one-act sketches.

It is thought that the activities of the Y. M. C. A. will be considerably curtailed this summer, owing to many of the boys going to work in farms to aid greater production. A considerable number have already volunteered. It has not yet been decided if a summer camp will be held.

Resigning Director's Happy Smiles Mystify Youngsters at Y M C A.

Physical Instructor M. S. Halsdorff of the Y.M.C.A. staff is a happy man these days. Boys over at the "Y" say that they often see him seated in his office staring at the calendar. Sometimes, they say, he even gets up and does some reckoning on it, and after having solved his problem he sits down again with a happy smile.

Everybody who has seen him go through this performance has been greatly mystified. Sleuths and Sherlocks galore tried the same stunt in Mr. Halsdorff's absence, but failed to obtain a clue as to why that happy smile.

Mr. Halsdorff is leaving the city at the end of the month, and will return to his home in Albany, N.Y. It's not because he is leaving London that he smiles so joyfully.

This is what tickles the physical director:

Quite recently a son was born to Mrs. Halsdorff, who is in Albany, which Mr. Halsdorff has not yet seen. Hence his haste to get home, and the counting of the days until the end of the month.

During the summer Mr. Halsdorff will take a senior course in physical work. It is understood that his successor will not be appointed until the fall.

Knocking Down The Ten-Pins

CITY LEAGUE.

Has-Beens.				
Jones	190	158	195	543
Hunter	151	175	174	500
Lang	135	152	158	445
Smith	129	195	221	535
Sheere	175	156	180	511
Totals	780	826	928	2534
Marconis.				
D. Catanalo	192	166	191	549
J. Catalano	148	196	184	528
M. Sansone	188	194	177	559
P. Mascari	177	152	200	529
J. Casey	156	237	168	561
Totals	861	945	920	2726

PRO. HOCKEY NEXT YEAR UNCERTAIN, SAYS CALDER

President of National League Sees Game Affected by Calling "B" Men.

Montreal, April 9.—"It is doubtful whether there will be professional hockey either in the west or in the east next season," said President Calder of the N. H. L. today. "If the war should be continuing then, I think it is exceedingly doubtful whether either league will operate."

"The calling out of Class B will take many players from both organizations, and if another call was made, it would leave only a few aged veterans with whom it would be impossible to operate."

Bull Dog Starters For Ford Cars

Why fight a kick from a crank when you can get a Bull Dog? Demonstrations—Westman Machine Company, 226 Talbot Street, and London Engine Supply Company, 83-85 Dundas Street. zxv

KANSAS CITY SURPRISED

Thought All International League Players Free Agents.

KANSAS CITY, April 9.—Officials of the Kansas City club of the American Association expressed surprise today when informed of the protest of President J. J. McCaffery over the signing of Lalonge and Schultz of the Leafs, and declared that their understanding was all International League players had been bulletined as "free agents" two weeks ago.

John Savage, secretary of the club, said: "This matter, so far as we are concerned, rests entirely with the National Baseball Commission. Two weeks ago a bulletin was issued declaring all players of the old International League free agents, shortly after we received telegrams from Outfielder Schultze and Catcher Lalonge that they were in a position to sign with us, and we took them."

Manager Ganzel said he had signed the men only after having official information that the International League players were "free agents."

TIGERS PLANNING TO WORK DOUBLE STEALS WITH DRESSEN-COBB

Jennings Dopes It Out That Leo Can Aid in This.

DETROIT, April 9.—Ty Cobb is the greatest base stealer in the American League, yet the Tigers never pulled many double steals. The reason for this was that the club had no real fast men to precede or follow Ty on the bases. But this season, with Leo Dressen playing first, the team will have a fellow who is only a step behind the Georgian in speed, and who, in the minor leagues, hung up a great record of stolen bases.

Jennings will open the season with Dressen leading off, and therefore batting before Cobb. Leo is adept at getting on the bases, or at least was in the Association, through walks or hits. With him to lead the steal, and Cobb to draw the attention of the catcher from behind, the Tigers may outrank the Cleveland Indians as double stealers this season.

That Tandem Play.

Last year Chapman, Roth and Graney succeeded on several occasions in advancing a base in tandem formation. None of the men concerned in the play was exceedingly fast, but they were good enough to get by with the play. How much more certain then are Cobb and Dressen to pull the play successfully.

Looks Better Each Day.

Dressen is finding himself, after a month of practice, and looks better every day, both at the bat and in the field. He is hitting the ball hard and up to date has secured the most hits of any man on the team. His only weakness appears to be on ground balls, which bound close in to him, but according to Bert Ellison and Joe Finneran, who were teammates with him on the St. Paul club, he will prove an efficient fielder when the training camp stiffness wears off.

ONE GAME MORE?

London Juveniles Have It Coming to Them and Want to Play It, So There!

The Y.M.C.A. juvenile basketball team may play one more game before disbanding for the summer months. A series of home-and-home games were arranged with the St. Thomas "Y" youngsters, of which only one game was played. The locals have the return game on their side of the ledger, and Director Halsdorff is trying to arrange to bring the Saints up here some time during this week.

London is keen for the series to be completed.

TRAINING CAMP NOTES

HARRISON, Kas., April 9.—The Chicago White Sox and Kansas City Blues meet here today in the first of a series. The Chicagoans beat Oklahoma College at Norman, Okla., yesterday in a hard tussle, 6 to 4, frigid atmosphere hampering the pitchers. The Sox Seconds sank the Dallas Submarines, 9 to 3.

HOUSTON, Texas., April 9.—The Chicago Cubs were cocksure today they could break the hoodoo spell which Texas Leaguers wove about the champion White Sox. The Cubs and Houston Buffalos exhibit before the Camp Logan soldiers.

SPARTANBURG, S.C., April 9.—The losing streak of the Braves is over. They took their first victory of the spring season over the Yanks, winning 2 to 0. New York troops in camp here watched the game, which was called in the eighth inning on account of rain.



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To Deliver Liquor If Order Was Made Before April First

Technicalities Will Not Stand In Way Because of Congestion.

Toronto, April 9.—That common sense must rule where technicalities might result in evident unfairness is the opinion of the Ontario License Board in so far as the delivering of liquor ordered before the province went dry on April 1 is concerned. Liquor not shipped from Montreal before March 30, of course, cannot be brought into the province. However, there are cases where the liquor was ordered before that date for legitimate purposes, and has not yet been received by the purchasers. In some of these cases, it is believed the Montreal dealer forwarded the order to a Toronto export dealer and because of congestion the order was not filled.

Last week an order was issued by the license board that export warehouses would not be allowed to deliver liquor after April 1. However, Chairman Flavelle stated tonight that if the board was convinced that the liquor so ordered was for legitimate purposes it might permit delivery to be made because as far as the customer knew the liquor was delayed in transit.

WESTERN ONTARIO BRIEFS

CHATHAM.—Miss Florence Johnston of Thamesville has been appointed instructress of nurses at the training school of the General Hospital. Miss Fanazie, the superintendent, will devote her time entirely to executive work. Miss Johnston is a graduate of Grace Hospital, Detroit.

EMBRO.—Miss Eva Vannatter has left for Mount Elgin, where she has been engaged as school teacher.

ST. THOMAS.—City Analyst A. F. McLachlan has been appointed food inspector for the city by the assistant deputy minister, C. W. Taylor of Toronto.

EMBRO.—Major R. B. Ross, who came over recently in charge of a party of returned soldiers, is visiting at his home.

THORNDALE.—Miss I. E. Stanyer has returned to Wyoming to resume her duties as teacher, and Miss Robena Duffin has returned to her school at St. Catherines.

CARGILL.—Cows are fetching high prices in this district. At Mrs. Hall's sale $150 each was realized, and at James Cahoon's sale many brought $200 each. A large crowd attended the latter sale, and the proceeds exceeded $7,000.

GODERICH.—Miss Florence Smith has been awarded the Massey bursary of $100 at Toronto University in recognition of the high standing she took during her course.

Don't Spoil Your Hair By Washing It

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain mulsified cocoanut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh-looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.—Advt.

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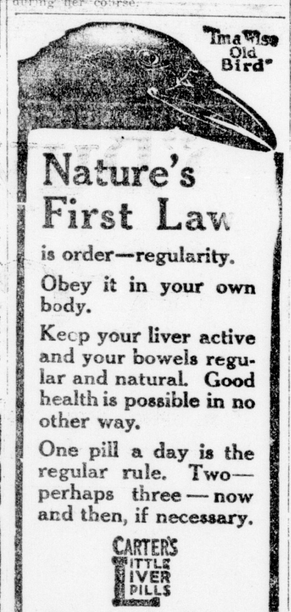
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DILLON DENOUNCES CONSCRIPTION FOR IRELAND WITH VIGOR

Premier Has Made Boldest Stroke of His Career.

UNIONISTS SUPPORT BILL

Gen. Foch's Authority Supercedes Versailles War Council.

LONDON, April 9.—David Lloyd George, the British prime minister, today made the boldest stroke of his career by coupling home rule for Ireland with the conscription of Irishmen.

This unexpected disclosure in an address by the premier in the House of Commons in presenting the new conscription bill to Parliament swept aside all interest in the details of the conscription scheme which already had been forecast by the newspapers.

The only subject talked of is how the Irish parties and their British sympathizers take to the new policy.

There was a test of strength in the House of Commons when Joseph Devlin, Nationalist, made a motion to adjourn. The Government then moved and carried closure on his motion after a brief debate by a vote of 310 to 85, and Mr. Devlin's motion was defeated by a vote of 323 to 80. A few pacifists voted with the Nationalists.

Depends on Proposals.

This preliminary vote means little. Everything depends on the nature of the proposal for self-government for Ireland to be adopted as the premier said, "without violent controversy."

The first impression was a skepticism as to whether the war cabinet could frame a measure which would stand that test, and the fear that the country might be plunged again into the old fury of the Irish quarrel, while fighting for its life against enemies outside its walls. It was because of this fear that the Asquith Government shelved the old home rule act and the Nationalists have blamed that shelving for the failure of more Irishmen to enlist.

Lloyd George, however, is daring enough to attempt to balance both debts by granting home rule and enforcing conscription.

Assailed by Irishmen.

The atmosphere in the House of Commons did not foreshadow success. From his first sentence on Ireland, the premier was assailed with what Reuter's correspondent describes as "running hostile comment from the Irish benches."

The Nationalist leader, John Dillon, who is more typical of the fiery, old-time Irish resister than his courtly predecessor, the late John Redmond, denounced conscription for Ireland heartily. Nor were there signs of conciliation from the Ulster factions. Irish Unionists met under the chairmanship of Sir Edward Carson and resolved to support conscription, but they were merely indorsing what has been one of the planks in their platform.

Public Feeling Strong.

It is felt generally that there is a greater and stronger force in the country than any operating in the House of Commons. That is public opinion, which, apparently demands that Irish questions shall not stand in the way of winning the war.

Lloyd George's speech revealed that the Irish convention had not reached any agreement and that the constructive work must be done by the cabinet, guided somewhat by Irish opinion as revealed in the debates of the convention.

The most important statement in the premier's speech apart from Ireland was that General Foch had been appointed supreme director of the strategy of the Allied armies on the western front, which is taken to mean that he has superseded the Versailles war council.

Many Interruptions.

Lloyd George approached the Irish question thus:

"When an emergency has arisen which makes it necessary to put men of 50 and boys of 18 in the army in the fight for liberty and independence (Joseph Devlin here interrupted)—and small nationalities. And especially as I am reminded it is a fight for liberty and independence and small nationalities, I am perfectly certain it is not possible to justify any longer the exclusion of Ireland."

John Dillon—You will not get any men from Ireland by compulsion, not a man.

"What is the position?" continued Lloyd George. "No home rule proposal ever submitted in this House proposed to deprive the Imperial Parliament of the power of dealing with all questions in relation to the army and navy. These invariably are in every home rule bill I have ever seen and are purely questions for the Imperial Parliament, so that I am no more claiming any national right than was ever claimed in this House. The defence of the realm act also was extended to Ireland.

It Is Ireland's War.

"The character of the quarrel in which we are engaged is just as much Irish as English. May I not say that it is more so. It is more Irish, Scotch and Welsh than it is even English. Ireland, through its representatives at the beginning of the war, assented to it. (Mr. Devlin here interjected: "Because it was a war for small nationalities.")

"Ireland, through its representatives, assented to the war, voted for the war, supported the war. Irish representatives and Ireland, through its representatives, without dissenting voice, committed the Empire to this war. They are as responsible for it as any part of the United Kingdom.

"If it were merely England's battle, the young men of Ireland might regard that fact with indifference, but it is not. They are just as much concerned as the young men of England. Therefore, it is proposed to extend conscription on the same conditions as in Great Britain.

Promise of Home Rule.

"As there is no machinery in existence and no register has as yet been completed in Ireland, it may take some weeks before active enrollments begin. As soon as arrangements are completed the Government will put the act into immediate operation. Meanwhile, we intend to invite Parliament to pass a measure for self-government for Ireland."

Sir Edward Carson said he regretted the question of conscription had been mixed up with home rule. He warned the Government that by introducing home rule they might be raising two agitations, one against home rule and another against conscription, both of which might affect the operation of the bill.

At the conclusion of Mr. Asquith's speech, Joseph Devlin moved an adjournment and warned the Government that it was entering upon a course of madness if it endeavored to enforce conscription on Ireland. Ireland, he said, never had been consulted on its being willing to pay this blood tax. If the Government would do justice to the Irish people, it would give them the free government of a free people.

U. S. STOPS TELEPHONE TALK INTO MEXICO

EL PASO, Texas, April 9.—Telephone communication between American and Mexican border towns is to be suspended for the period of the war, it was announced officially here today.

ROGERS' PAPER WANTS JUDGE DOHERTY'S SCALP

Winnipeg, April 9.—The Winnipeg Telegram, owned by Hon. Robert Rogers, referring to the rumored resignation of Minister of Justice Doherty, said tonight: "The rumor may be true, or it may not, but if it is not true, it ought to be."

PTE. NINHAM IS WOUNDED.

MUNCEY, April 9.—Mrs. E. Ninham has received notification that her son, Pte. Charles D. Ninham who went over with the 149th Battalion, is in No. 4 General Hospital, having been wounded in the head on March 29.

NIKOLAI LENINE ABOUT TO MAKE WAR ON JAPAN?

Makes Threatening Speech Regarding Landing at Vladivostok.

MOSCOW, Monday, April 8.—(By the Associated Press).—Nikolai Lenine, the Bolshevik premier, in a speech here today said that possibly Russia would have to declare war on Japan in connection with the landing of Japanese troops at Vladivostok.

STEADFAST GROWTH AND PROSPERITY

Highly Successful Annual Statement of Bank of British North America.

In view of the proposed incorporation with the Bank of Montreal, the annual statement of the Bank of British North America is of more than usual interest. A study of this statement, printed today, will show that this bank has maintained its customary strong position, and has also made a considerable increase in resources.

The total assets have increased approximately $10,000,000, an increase of almost fifteen per cent for the year. As in the case of other banks, this increase has been made possible by a net growth in deposits of $9,678,896, time deposits having increased $11,966,514, while demand deposits have decreased $2,287,618.

A comparison of this and last year's assets reveals changes in some of the items. Canadian municipal securities and British foreign and colonial public securities show a decrease of $2,703,958, which is accounted for by the large holdings of British treasury bills, appearing in 1916 statement, not being renewed and large holdings of 4½ per cent war loan being sold. The funds thus released have since been employed in this country, and the Dominion and Provincial Government securities have grown, roughly, from $1,000,000 to over $6,000,000, this bank having taken its proportion of all the short loans arranged by the minister of finance with the Bankers' Association.

Current loans in Canada show a notable increase of about $5,000,000, showing that this bank is also helping the mercantile interests of the country in their financing, which, owing to the high prices of commodities and labor, require considerable more funds to conduct their operations.

Profits earned for the year, after providing for all bad and doubtful debts, were $668,003, as against $546,346 in 1916, $328,595 in 1915, and dividends at a rate of 8 per cent have been maintained during the year.

Mr. E. A. Hoare, the chairman, in pointing out the above specific facts, also made comments of general interest to the Canadian public, congratulating this country upon the success of its third and fourth war loans, particularly the enthusiastic response to the latter. Mr. Hoare closed with a caution against reckless purchasing at present high prices, lest when the reaction came many should be caught with large stocks (bought at abnormally high prices) which they would have to realize on a falling market.

The usual generous appropriations were made on account of the various staff funds and Canadian patriotic fund and special donations were made to the Halifax relief fund and American Red Cross fund a bonus of 5 per cent was made to the staff, including members on active service, and a special war bonus of 5 per cent was also granted to all members of the staff now in the bank's service to compensate them for the increased cost of living.

TO SUFFER FROM HEADACHES

MAKES LIFE MISERABLE

Headaches seem to be habitual with many people. Some are seldom, if ever, free from it, suffering continually with the dull throbbings, the intense pain, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then over the whole head, varying in its severity by the cause which brings it on.

The varieties of headache most common are sick or bilious headache, nervous headache, headache from constipation, debility or indigestion and periodical and spasmodic headache, and undoubtedly the cause must be removed before permanent relief can be had.

Burdock Blood Bitters, that has been on the market for over 40 years, removes the cause of the headache, and not only does this, but also restores the entire system to healthy action and buoyant vigor.

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Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have dyspepsia. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps the stomach sweetened, and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless antacid is Pape's Diapepsin, which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it stops food souring and sets things straight, so gently and easily, that it is really astonishing. Your stomach will digest your meals if you keep acids neutralized.

CHAIRMAN OF BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CANADA IS DEAD

Charles F. Sise, Once "Jeff" Davis's Secretary.

HELPED FIT "ALABAMA"

Did Great Work In Development of Telephones In Dominion.

Montreal, April 9.—Charles F. Sise, chairman of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada, died this morning.

Charles Fleetford Sise was born in Portsmouth, N. H., U. S. A., on September 27, 1834, the sixth son of Edward Fleetford Sise, merchant and ship owner of Portsmouth, whose father, Edward Sise, came to the United States from Ireland in 1784.

After being educated in the United States, Mr. Sise went to sea, and was appointed captain before he was 21 years of age. After commanding vessels in the Atlantic, Pacific and Australian trade for several years, he took charge of his father's shipping and cotton business at New Orleans and Mobile. This shipping business was of a world-wide character, embracing extensive trade in all portions of the globe, and the firm issued its own coinage.

During the Crimean war he carried supplies to the troops, and was ill with fever in India during the mutiny.

Secretary to Jeff Davis.

The estate of his father-in-law adjoined that of Jefferson Davis, who became president of the Southern Confederacy, and on the outbreak of the civil war, Mr. Sise acted as private secretary to Mr. Davis, and was intrusted with im-



THE LATE CHARLES F. SISE.

portant and confidential missions for the Confederacy. He also engaged in running blockades, taking in arms and ammunition and taking out cotton from southern ports.

Assisted on "Alabama."

He took an important part in the fitting out of the famous cruiser Alabama, which subsequently played such havoc with northern shipping, and funds to pay for the vessel were sent to England in his personal charge.

After the civil war, Mr. Sise went to England as head of his father's Liverpool house. He lived next door but one to Gladstone, whom he knew intimately. Later he entered the fire insurance business, and returning to the United States, acted as agent for the Royal Insurance Company of Liverpool for New England. Some years later the Royal Canadian Insurance Company was formed, and Mr. Sise took over the management of their American business, with headquarters at Boston.

A Telephone Pioneer.

Among his associates in Boston at this time were a number of men financially interested in Alexander Graham Bell's telephone patents, and upon the formation of the American Bell Telephone Company they persuaded Mr. Sise, in 1879, to go to Canada and amalgamate the various companies which existed in Canada at that time, and organize the telephone business on a national basis. This was accomplished by the formation of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada, which was incorporated in 1880, and in the same year the head office of the company was moved from Toronto to Montreal.

Mr. Sise was at that time managing director, the president being the late Andrew Robertson. Upon the death of Mr. Robertson, in May, 1890, Mr. Sise became president, and held this office until February, 1915, when he resigned on account of advancing years, and became chairman of the board of directors. In the establishment of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada, and of its allied manufacturing interests, Mr. Sise was instrumental in investing $50,000,000 of capital and employing about 10,000 persons in business in Canada.

For 35 years (1880-1915) his time was wholly devoted to the establishment and development of the telephone in Canada. For this object he labored to place Canada in a foremost position with respect to universality of use and service of the telephone, until this country is now second only to the United States in the matter of telephone development.

Financial Connections.

Mr. Sise identified himself with other important business corporations of Canada, having been a director at various times of the Bell Telephone Company, the Wire and Cable Company, the Northern Electric and Manufacturing Company, the North American Telegraph Company, the Canadian Westinghouse Company, the North British and Mercantile Insurance Company, the Sincennes-McNaughton Line, the Nova Scotia Telephone Company and the New Brunswick Telephone Company, and many years ago of the Royal Electric Company of Montreal, of which he was at one time vice-president.

Mr. Sise was a member of the following clubs in Montreal: St. James' Club, Mount Royal Club, Montreal Club, Montreal Hunt, Forest and Stream Club, Montreal Jockey Club, the Algonquin Club in Boston, and the Rideau Club, Ottawa.

Mr. Sise's immediate home circle consists of Mrs. Sise and one daughter. His younger daughter is Mrs. A. E. Nash of Halifax, and his three sons, Charles F. Sise Jun., Edward F. Sise and Capt. Paul F. Sise, are married and living in Montreal.

TROTZKY GETS NEW JOB WITH THE BOLSHEVIKI

Moscow, April 9.—Leon Trotzky, former foreign minister, has been appointed joint minister of war and marine. He has been acting as minister of war since the Government was removed to Moscow.

London, April 10.—The Bolshevik Government, according to an announcement in the Izvestia, forwarded by Reuter's Petrograd correspondent, has consented to the nomination of Count Mirbach, former German minister to Greece, as German ambassador to Russia. Peace negotiations with the Ukrainian rada have been opened by the Russian Government.

FROST HAS BLACKENED CLOVER AND FALL WHEAT

WABASH, April 9.—A steady, warm rain is very badly needed in this district, as the ground is so dry that nothing will grow. Large fields of clover and fall wheat all over the township are withered and blackened by the heavy frosts, and some of the fields are being resown with spring wheat. A number of fields have been drilled with oats, and some of the farmers are still drawing in cornstalks that stood out all winter.

MAN POWER MEASURE NECESSARY, SAYS THE PRESS OF THE CAPITAL

But Irish Compulsion Is Held Dangerous by Some Papers.

MAY MEAN A REBELLION

Post Calls It Straight and Just Policy Toward the Irish People.

London, April 10.—Most of the morning newspapers agree with the principles of Premier Lloyd George's manpower appeal. There is no quarrel with it, but several papers declare there is need for caution.

The Daily Mail says, however, that the choice which is now being made is between victory and defeat, adding:

"No faintheartedness of the survivors must make the sacrifice of our dead in vain."

No Other Course.

There is no other course than that proposed, it adds, "as Russia has failed us and the U. S. has not been able to send us armies in time." The paper says that Irishmen cannot be excluded when men of 50 in England are being called up for service.

On the other hand the Daily News agrees that whatever steps will further the prosecution of the war, must be adopted, but says: "In striking a balance we must satisfy ourselves that the gain will be more than the loss." The paper then deals with the Irish proposal, which, it says, seems like "mid-summer madness," adding: "For every battalion it brings in it will mean the loss of two needed to hold in check an indignant people stung once more into open rebellion."

A Blunder, Says Chronicle.

The Daily Chronicle says: "Setting aside the views of extreme Nationalist and Unionist partisans, one may doubt whether there is a single one of those more centrally minded Irishmen who have worked so hard and so successfully for the triumph of the convention and the reunion of the Irish who does not recognize that the attempt to enact conscription at this juncture is a blunder and a catastrophe.

No Government measure, the Times declares, has ever had a background more grim or a justification more imperative. The Times adds: "We shall not attempt, especially in the light of the latest news from France, to prejudice the attitude which the Nationalist members may ultimately adopt toward this obvious measure of justice to the rest of the United Kingdom and to the Irishmen of Canada and the United States."

The Morning Post rejoices that the premier and his colleagues have resolved on a "straight, just and courageous policy" toward Ireland but says the proposal to introduce a measure of home rule in Ireland is unwise and unjust, as it is an attempt to conciliate the irreconcilables.

Premier Lloyd George, says the Daily Express, undoubtedly was voicing their opinion when he declared it was intolerable that young Irishmen should be left "to prosper and riot" when British manhood was mobilized for military service.

DISTRICT CASUALTIES

KILLED IN ACTION

CHATHAM.
Pte. Fred S. Bone.

WOUNDED

MUNCEY.
Pte. Chas. D. Ninham.
CHATHAM.
Lieut. Wm. W. Taylor.

WESTERN ONTARIO CASUALTIES.

Ottawa, April 10.—Last night's casualty list of 509 names reports 12 killed in action, 17 died of wounds, 3 died, 1 missing, 225 wounded, 45 gassed, and 6 ill. The names for Western Ontario follow:

Infantry.

Died of Wounds—928677 L. W. Youngs, Fergus, Ont.; 845269 A. I. Small, Arthur.

Wounded—551402 P. Heath, Tiverton, Ont.; 112100 J. F. Campbell, 339 Dundas street, London; 845056 C. D. Ninham, Muncey, Ont.; 213421 G. Lamb, Windsor; Lieut. J. S. Reaume, Windsor; 685515 M. W. Brooks, Nilestown, Ont.; 784874 W. McLean, Winona, Ont.; Lieut. E. Walker, Collingwood; 651784H J. B. Anderson, Southampton; 225396 W. D. Moody, Niagara Falls, Ont.

Gassed—681270 G. Q. Brie, Welland.

Ill—6882 W. Cordrey, 204 Adelaide street, London.

Medical Services.

Ill—Capt. John Carmichael, Collingwood.

Cavalry.

Wounded—550078 R. Mitchinson, Niagara Falls.

Machine Gun Company.

Killed in Action—174221 G. J. C. Begin, 24 Kensington avenue, Hamilton; 226112 J. Harding, 82 Glenwood avenue, London.

Wounded—190216 R. Brooks, Aylmer; 175033 C. Parsons, Vinemount, Ont.; 174927 J. Sheran, 55 Aikman avenue, Hamilton; 751089 C. C. Rohdenburg, Bridgeport, Ont.; 756731 W. W. Anderson, Simcoe.

Artillery.

Wounded—333803 D. M. Sutherland, Woodstock; 335038 C. Wright, Windsor; 406896 S. D. Tubb, Hamilton; 334807 W. S. Pearson, Guelph, Ont.

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Wounded—104218 Sergt. G. A. Evans, Caledon East.

Railway Troops.

Died of Wounds—2124861 T. J. Forgave, Glen Williams, Ont.

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WINDSOR, April 9.—Lieut. Stanley Reaume, son of Hon. Dr. J. O. Reaume, county registrar, has received slight wounds in action. Lieut. Reaume was the machine-gun officer of the 241st Battalion. He has served nearly three years at the front, seeing service for two years before he was appointed on the Scottish unit. He went to Valcartier with Lieut.-Col. Lamb in the corps of Guides, serving in France with with the Montreal Highlanders.



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BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

DIED.

BEATTIE—At his late residence, lot 9, con. 3, Westminster Township, on April 9, 1918, Andrew Beattie, beloved husband of Lillian Beattie, in his 62nd year.

Funeral from above address on Friday at 3 p.m., services at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Pond Mills Cemetery. 54u

GILES.—In this city on Tuesday, April 9, 1918, Gertrude, beloved wife of Rundle Giles (formerly Miss Gertrude Lewis of Hyde Park), in her 26th year.

Funeral will leave her late residence, 865 Lovett street, on Thursday, April 11, at 1, service in Hyde Park Presbyterian Church, at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Hyde Park Cemetery. 54u

HUTTON.—At the family residence, 269 Colborne street, on Tuesday, April 9, 1918, James Hutton, dearly beloved husband of Rebecca Hutton.

Funeral from the above address on Thursday, April 11th, at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. 53u

JELLY.—Suddenly, at Harrietsville, on Sunday, April 7, 1918, Matilda Jelly, beloved wife of the late John J. Jelly, in her 80th year.

Funeral from her late residence on Thursday, April 11; service at 9:30 a.m. Interment at Dorchester Union Cemetery. 53u

OLIVER.—At the family residence, Dorchester, on Tuesday, April 9, 1918, Mary Anne, dearly beloved wife of Wm. Oliver, in her 58th year.

Funeral Friday, April 12, from the above address at 3 o'clock, service at 2:30. Interment Dorchester Union Cemetery. 54u

In Memoriam.

STRONG.—In loving memory of William Strong, who died one year ago today, April 10, 1917.

His languid head is now at rest,
His thinkings and troubles are o'er,
His quiet, immoveable breast
Heaved by affliction no more.
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MEETINGS.

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TOMORROW MORNING.
Contents of Blacksmith Shop, 122 Fullarton Street.
Come to this large sale. Something of everything to make up a good blacksmith shop. List in last Saturday's papers. SALE AT 10 A.M.
C. N. COOPER, Auctioneer and Valuator, 258 Dundas Street. Phone 1332. b

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE
SATURDAY, APRIL 13

618 TALBOT STREET AND 122 CENTRAL AVENUE.

HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE UNDERSIGNED to offer for sale this very desirable property:

PARCEL NO. 1—House and lot, 48 feet 10 inches by 91 feet, known as 618 TALBOT STREET; two-story frame, in excellent repair, furnace and complete bathroom, gas, etc. Beautiful corner for a home.

PARCEL NO. 2—House and lot, 41 by 99 feet, known as 122 CENTRAL AVENUE; brick cottage, good repair, etc.

Both these parcels are well worth looking over; few minutes' walk from postoffice and market. Have been recently overhauled and are in good condition. Terms day of sale.

SALE ON PREMISES AT 2:30 P.M.

LONDON AND WESTERN TRUSTS COMPANY, 382 Richmond street, administrators.

C. N. COOPER, 258 Dundas street, auctioneer. 51c txv

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Burchett, late of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, widow, deceased

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to R. S. O., 1914, Chapter 121, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Mary Burchett, who died on or about the 11th day of November, 1917, at the City of London, are required to send by post prepaid, or to deliver to the Fidelity Trusts Company of Ontario, London, Ont., executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing, of their claims or demands, and statement of their account and the nature of the security (if any) held by them.

And take notice that after the 15th day of April, 1918, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for any assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim they shall not then have received notice.

Dated at London, this 8th day of March, 1918.

The Fidelity Trusts Company of Ontario, Dominion Savings Building, London, Ont., executors, by Purdom & Purdom, their solicitors.
Mar.11,25,Apl.10

Auction Sale of Valuable City Property

On Friday, April 12, 1918, at 4 o'clock p.m., the undersigned will offer for sale at the Empire (formerly Duke of York) Hotel, 625 Dundas stret, the equity in two desirable dwelling houses, viz., Nos. 758 and 760 Adelaide street.

These houses are desirably situated near Oxford street, convenient to North Belt and Oxford street car lines, the C. P. R. and military headquarters.

Each of these houses is subject to a mortgage for $1,600 at 6½ per cent interest, which has some time to run.

The properties will be offered en bloc, and if not sold will be put up separately.

Terms: Ten per cent at time of sale, balance over the amount of the mortgages in ten days. D. H. Porter, auctioneer. Ap.6,10

Auction Sale of Valuable City Property

The undersigned has received instructions from Mrs. Edith Edwards to offer for sale on the premises, on Friday, April 12, 1918, at 2 o'clock p.m., the following desirable dwelling houses, viz., Nos. 380, 382, 386 and 390 Glebe street, London. Also the vacant lot, 132x239 feet, in rear of same. This vacant land, being only 160 feet from Dundas street, is a most desirable site for factory, garage, etc.

All the above houses are well rented and in good condition. A good opportunity to invest in revenue-producing property.

The properties will be offered en bloc, and if not sold will be put up separately.

TERMS: Ten per cent at time of sale, balance within 10 days, or a portion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage. D. H. PORTER, Auctioneer, 110 Dundas street. Ap. 3, 6, 10.

TENDERS
For the Publication of Ontario Standard Notebook

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the envelope "Tender for Ontario Standard Notebook," will be received until noon of Thursday, April 18, 1918, for the publication of a standard notebook for a period of three years, to be computed from July 1, 1918.

Specifications, with all necessary information, will be furnished on application to the Department of Education after 10 a.m., on Thursday, April 11, 1918.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted check for $500, payable to the order of the undersigned, which will be forfeited if the successful tenderer declines to enter into a contract based on such tender, when called upon to do so. If a tender be not accepted the accompanying check will be returned.

The successful tenderer will be required to furnish a bond in satisfactory securities for the due observance and fulfillment of the terms and obligations of the contract. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement will not be paid for.

(Signed), G. HOWARD FERGUSON,
Acting Minister of Education.
Department of Education,
Toronto, April 9, 1918. b

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SWITCHES MADE, 453 HORTON street. Phone 6062.

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THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE responsible for any debts, except those contracted by myself, on and after this date.—H. Gowdridge. 53u

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PURDOM & PURDOM—DOMINION SAVINGS BUILDING First Floor, corner of Richmond and King streets.

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GRAYDON & GRAYDON, BARRISTERS, Bank British North America, 2 Market Square

U. A. BUCHNER, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, corner Talbot and Carling. Phone 93. Money to loan.

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POWERFUL TEUTON

ines Canal. Fighting is reported to have commenced on the southern portion of this front.

"On the British front south of the Somme there was local fighting yesterday evening at certain points, without changing the situation."

GERMANS DRIVE IN FLANDERS.

With the British Army in France, April 9.—(By the Associated Press.) — Another sector of the British theatre suddenly developed intense fighting today, when the Germans delivered a heavy attack over approximately an eleven-mile front between Givenchy and LaBassee and a point east of Fleurbaix, just below Armentieres. A Portuguese sector is included in the line involved.

East of Le Plantin and east of Petillon the enemy appeared to have gained a footing in advanced defences, according to the latest reports, and a fierce battle was raging all along the sector. Le Plantin is northwest of Givenchy and Petillon lies to the east of Laventie.

Holding at Givenchy.

At Givenchy and on the left of the front attacked, the Allies apparently are holding their ground in the very heavy fighting, which was reported to be especially bitter east of Festubert. The Portuguese were being supported by British troops.

The attack was preceded by a violent bombardment which began in the early morning and extended all along the front affected. Bethune, Estaire and other towns behind the British lines have been heavily shelled.

It is too early to say what relation this move has with the main German offensive farther south. Only time will tell whether it was undertaken as a diversion or whether Germany has any serious idea of pushing forward here.

BRITISH LINE BENDS NEAR NEUVE CHAPELLE.

LONDON, April 9.—In their new attack on the British line between La Bassee and Armentieres the Germans today gained ground in the neighborhood of Neuve Chapelle, Fauquissart and Cardonnerie farm, the official report from Field Marshal Haig tonight announces. The text of the statement reads:

"This morning, after an intense bombardment of our positions from La Bassee Canal to the neighborhood of Armentieres strong hostile forces attacked the British and Portuguese troops holding this sector of our front. Favored by a thick mist which made observation impossible, the enemy succeeded in forcing his way into the Allies' position in the neighborhood of Neuve Chapelle, Fauquissart and Cardonnerie farm.

Portuguese Retire.

"After heavy fighting lasting throughout the day, the enemy succeeded in forcing back the Portuguese troops in the centre and the British troops on the flanks of the line of the River Lys between Estaires and Bac St. Maur.

"We held our positions on both banks about Givenchy and Fleurbaix. At both these latter places there was heavy fighting, but the enemy was repulsed.

"Richesbourg-St. Vaast and Laventie have been taken by the enemy.

"Severe fighting is continuing on the whole of this front.

"South of Arras only minor engagements, in which were secured a few prisoners, have taken place during the day on the British front."

BERLIN REPORTS GAIN.

BERLIN, via London, April 9.—The war office this evening issued the following communication:

"North of La Bassee Canal we penetrated into English and Portuguese positions

"On both sides of the Somme there have been violent artillery duels.

"On the southern bank of the Oise we threw back the enemy across the Oise-Aisne Canal, between Coucy-le-Chateau and Branscourt."

ON THE FRENCH LINE.

PARIS, April 9.—The war office announcement tonight reads:

"North of Montdidier the enemy artillery, violently counter-shelled, bombarded our positions at several points in the region of Hangard-en-Santerre our fire prevented a German attack from debouching from his lines. We repulsed an enemy attack west of Noyon in the sector of Riermont.

"On the left bank of the Oise there was intermittent artillery action. Our batteries caught under their fire and dispersed enemy concentrations in the region of Coucy-le-Chateau."

Today's early report reads:

"There was great activity on the part of the artillery on both sides at numerous points along the front north of Montdidier and between Montdidier and Noyon. No infantry action occurred.

"On the left bank of the Oise there were intermittent bombardments. Advanced French troops, in conformity with orders which had been given, carried out a withdrawal to prepared positions southwest of the lower forest of Coucy and south of Coucy-le-Chateau. German troops were kept constantly under the French artillery fire and suffered heavy losses in the course of this operation.

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MANPOWER BILL

prime minister in his last speech, and I am prepared to say that I will stick at nothing which is calculated in order to win this war, and this is the view, I am certain, of the people of Ireland.'

"Then he was opposed to that particular bill, but he said that with him conscription was not a question of principle it was purely a question of necessity for the raising of men. I think the member for Mayo (Mr. Dillon) took substantially the same view in a speech which he delivered at the same time. The member said:

Quotes Dillon.

"'We are now engaged in discussing an important political proposal for the country. Like the member for Waterford (Mr. Redmond), I view the thing from the point of necessity and expediency, and in particular circumstances. I would not hesitate to support conscription tomorrow if I thought it was necessary to maintain liberty, and if there was no conscription we ran the risk of losing the war.'"

Mr. Dillon interrupted: "That was conditional on Ireland having the liberty to decide her own fate, and if Irish liberty were at stake, I certainly would not hesitate to support conscription."

A Warm Exchange.

"I do not want to enter into a controversy as to what my friend meant," continued the premier, "but that is what he conveyed to the House, and if he will take the trouble to read the speech he will see that is the case. Mr. Redmond himself, on the third reading, in delivering his speech, put it on the ground that we were fighting for small nationalities. ('He found that was not true,' was the interjection of Mr. Devlin).

"The honorable member never challenged the justice of the war; on the contrary, he supported it, voted for it, and supplies, and voted for the declaration of war."

"The premier is going too far," interrupted Mr. Dillon. "I never challenged the justice of the war; I believed in the justice of the war, and said so. I never voted for supplies, nor did anyone else in this House, for the vote was never taken. I never challenged the justice of the war, and I do not challenge it now. The premier is going too far when he says that, and most certainly I did vote for the war. I hold very strong opinions about the origin of the war."

A Just War.

"I am satisfied with the statements made by my honorable friend," continued Premier Lloyd George. "He supported the justice of the war. If he believed it was an unjust war he never would have voted for it. May I say so quite respectfully, and after a good deal of reflection and hesitation, because after all one does not want to propose anything to raise controversy and trouble when, heaven knows, we have as much trouble as we can possibly deal with. I would not do it unless I thought it was just after great reflection.

Irish View Illogical.

"It is indefensible that you should ask young men of eighteen years and married men of thirty-five and forty with families, and even up to fifty, in England, Scotland and Wales, and that you should compel them to fight for the freedom and independence of a small Catholic nationality in Europe, while the young men of twenty to twenty-five in Ireland are under no obligation to take up arms for a cause which is just as much theirs as ours. It is not merely illogical, it is unjust.

"There is such a thing as justice for Scotland, England and Wales and the emergency which Mr. Redmond contemplated and which I still respectfully suggest the member for Mayo, also contemplated, that we should not win this war without taking this measure, has arisen. President Wilson's dramatic decision in the last few days is the best proof, and there is a special emergency with regard to Ireland.

Irish Are Brave.

"Irish battalions and divisions, according to all testimony, have maintained the high honor and repute of their native land, and those battalions are sadly depleted, and they are now filled, or half filled, with Englishmen. If it were merely England's battle, the young men of Ireland might regard that fact with indifference, but it is not. They are just as much concerned as the young men of England.

"Therefore, we propose to extend the military service act to Ireland, under the same conditions as in England. As there is no machinery in existance, and as registry has not been completed in Ireland, it may take some weeks before actual enrollment beings. As soon as arrangements are complete the Government shall by an order-in-council put the act into immediate operation."

"A Declaration of War."

"That is a declaration of war against Ireland," interrupted Wm. O'Brien, Nationalist member for Cork, and Michael Flavin, member for Kerry, added: "And Irishmen all over the world."

"Without delay!" replied the premier, who continued: "Meanwhile we intend to invite parliament to pass a measure for self government for Ireland."

"You can keep it," said Alfred Byrne, Nationalist for Dublin.

"Let there be no misapprehension. Both questions will not hang together. Each must be taken on its merits," said the premier.

"You can keep both," replied Mr. Byrne.

"Well," said the premier, "if that is the view of home rule, it is a new view for Ireland."

"While Great Britain is fighting for national rights in Europe with all her reserves and strength, she is prepared to concede the same rights in her own sphere of government. The report of the remarkable convention which has been held in Ireland, and which has just brought its proceedings to termination, affords the British parliament another opportunity of approaching this vexed question with more hope of success."

Devlin Speaks.

Mr. Devlin interrupted the speaker on a point of order, saying: "This is not a matter of petty controversy; this is a matter of most vital importance to Ireland. My point of order is this, and you need not try to howl me down because I will not sit down. You may try Prussian methods in Ireland, but you do not crush us here.

"I want to know now on a point of order whether I am entitled to move that the House should report progress in dealing with the matter referring to conscription in Ireland until such time as a report of a national convention on conscription, and of an Irish government is presented to the House of Commons?"

The Speaker of the House: "The honorable member would be entitled to move an adjournment of debate during the course of the debate at the conclusion of the prime minister's speech, but he certainly could not put in a motion of that sort in the middle of the prime minister's speech."

"As I was saying," continued Lloyd George, "this convention has just terminated its labors. The cabinet, of course, has not had time to consider that report because it has only just arrived. I understand it is reported by a majority, and I fear the majority is not such as to justify the Government in saying that is represents a substantial agreement. That means that the Government must accept the responsibiity of submitting to Parliament, with such guidance as the convention's report affords, such proposals for the establishment of self-government in Ireland as they think just and which can, in their judgment, be carried without violent controversy.

A Home Rule Measure.

"We propose, therefore, at an early date, to introduce such a measure into the House of Commons and to pass it into a law with the least possible delay. When the young men of Ireland have been brought in large numbers in the fighting line, it is important that they should feel they are not fighting to etsablish a right and a principle abroad which is denied to the land in which they live.

"I ought to say that appeals which have been addressed to the dominions have produced a fine response. The dominions already have furnished the Empire with something like 1,000,000 magnificent fighting men, and they are each and all taking the necessary steps to send more.

"The proposals which I am submitting to the House, and to which I ask the House to give first reading, I hope it will be possible to get through the House this week. Time presses every day, and it is a matter of importance.

Drastic Bill Necessary.

"We regret having to propose such extremely drastic regulations which will injure so many trades, but, having regard to the emergency, I say that no Government could accept the responsibility of proposing less.

"If by any chance or mischance this colossal battle went against us, I do not say the war would be over any more than it was when Great Britain fought against another attempt at military dominancy when Napoleon, having overthrown the armies of Europe had the continent at his mercy.

"As long as we have a ship afloat we shall not accept a German peace. But if the battle is won, as I believe it will be, the doom of Prussianism is sealed. The enemy has attacked at the height of his strength. We have been deserted by one powerful ally, and another and more powerful ally is not yet ready to put forth one-tenth of his might.

"But, on the other hand, this battle must exhaust the German reserves. The enemy's last call must be thrown in before this battle is over, and America is only now putting in the first installment of her first call.

War Must Be Won Now.

"If we wish to avoid a war lasting for years, this battle must be won now, and to win it we must be ready to throw in all our resources. The men we propose taking today may well be the means of winning the decisive victory of the war, and these measures and with the promise of America we have no fear of the ultimate issue.

"We shall pass through many fluctuations of hope and despondency, perhaps, even in this battle. Let us go through the vicissitudes of this tremendous struggle with stout and steady hearts. We have had sad and critical days. In those days we had no ground for panic. We have had days when the outlook was brighter.

"Make no mistake, there is no cause yet for exultation, except in the valor of our troops. For a long time there will be cause, grave cause, for deep anxiety, and there will always be to the end cause for exertion and for sacrifice, and if these are given with the unstinted devotion with which our brave men in France are offering it, there will be cause for confidence in this country."

Most Critical Period.

"We have now entered the most critical period of the war. There is a lull in the storm, but the hurricane is not yet over. The fate of the Empire, of Europe and of liberty, may depend upon the success with which the last German attack is arrested and countered," he said.

In view of the critical period which had been reached, the Government proposed to submit to Parliament certain recommendations in order to assist the country and its Allies to weather the storm. He regretted to say that these proposals involved extreme sacrifices on the part of large classes of the population, and nothing would justify them except the most extreme necessity, and the fact that the nation was fighting for all which was essential and most secred to the national life.

It was the Government's purpose, the premier continued, to have a strict combing out of the essential industries. Men had been recruited from the munitions and mining industries, and a further 50,000 would be necessary from the latter.

In Some Cases 55 Years.

Transport and civil service would be called upon for more men. The age for military service would be raised to 50, and, in certain specified cases, might be increased to 55.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

LOCAL MARKET

Hay was scarce on the market today. Twelve loads were offered on the market Tuesday, and only a few loads reached the square this morning. The demand for hay is brisk and the price remains the same.

The live hog market remains the same, live hogs selling from $19 to $19.25 a cwt.

Butter is steady, creamery retailing at 55c a pound, and dairy pound rolls selling from 50c to 52c a pound. Eggs are firm.

Only six loads of oats have been offered on the market all week.

Straw is slow and the demand is poor.

Grain, Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt.	$2 80	to	$2 82
Grain, Bushel—			
Wheat, per bu.	2 10	to	2 12
Oats, per cwt	95 1-5	to	97 9-10
Vegetables—			
Celery, per doz	50	to	80
Cabbage, per doz	1 00	to	2 00
Home-grown potatoes, per bag	1 90	to	2 10
Rhubarb, dozen	1 00	to	1 00
Carrots, bu.	35	to	50
Parsnips, bu.	50	to	60
Radishes, doz bunches	50	to	50
Turnips, bu.	30	to	40
Onions, bu	1 00	to	1 00
Beets, per bu.	50	to	50
Hay and Straw—			
Hay, per ton	13 00	to	15 00
Straw, per ton	7 00	to	8 00
Dairy Products, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	55	to	55
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	50	to	52
Butter, crocks, lb.	48	to	49
Eggs, per dozen	45	to	45
Maple syrup, gal.	2 00	to	2 25
Dairy Produce, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	52	to	52
Butter, dairy, lb rolls	48	to	49
Butter, crocks, lb....	49	to	49
Eggs, crate lots, doz.	40	to	42
Eggs, basket lots, doz	40	to	42
Poultry, dressed, Retail—			
Chicken, lb.	33	to	35
Ducks, pound	25	to	28
Geese, pound	24	to	28
Turkeys, pound	33	to	35
Live Stock—			
Hogs, per cwt.	19 00	to	19 25
Fat sows, cwt.	16 25	to	16 50
Small pigs, pair......	15 00	to	18 00
Butchers' Meats—			
Dressed hogs, cwt....	26 00	to	26 00
Beef, per cwt.	16 00	to	20 00
Veal, per cwt.	20 00	to	23 00
Heifer beef, cwt.....	20 00	to	20 00
Lambs, per cwt.....	28 00	to	28 00
Hides and Wool—			
Wool, unwashed lb..	50	to	50
Wool, washed, lb.....	60	to	63
Calfskins, per lb.....	15	to	19
Country hides	8	to	9
City hides	9	to	10

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, April 10.—One feature at the Union stockyards this morning was the large number of immature calves arriving for sale. The Government inspectors would not allow them to be put on the market. The tendency of prices for calves was weaker. Cattle were generally steady and firm, while hogs dropped 20c. Receipts, 645 cattle, 715 calves, 1,121 hogs and 26 sheep.

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, $12@13; do, bulls, $9@10 50; butchers, choice, $10 75@11 75; do, medium, $9 50@10 50; do, common, $8 50@8 75; do, cows, choice, $9@10 50; do, medium, $8 75@9 25; do, canners, $5 75@6 25; do, bulls, $8 75@9; feeding steers, $8 75@10 50; stockers, choice, $8 50@9 75; do, light, $7@8; milkers, choice, each, $90@130; springers, choice, each, $90@130; choice veal calves, $15@16; do, medium, $10@12.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $13@15; bucks and culls, $7 50@11; lambs, $19 25@20 50.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $20; f. o. b., $19.

Montreal, April 10.—The offerings at the C. P. R. stockyards this morning were 50 cattle, 300 hogs, 25 lambs and 1,700 calves. Quotations:

Choice steers, $12@13; good, steers $10 50@11 75; choice butcher cows, $9@10 50; good cows, $7@9; butcher bulls, $8@10 50; canners, $5@6; calves, milk-fed, $7@14; some very choice at $15.

Spring lambs, $10@15 each.

Choice select hogs, off cars, $21@22; sows, $19@20.

Chicago, April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000; market firm; beeves, $10 35@15 85; stockers and feeders, $8 50@12 20; cows and heifers, $7@13 15; calves, $10 50 @16.

Hogs—Receipts, 31,000; market strong; light, $17 15@17 85; mixed, $16 95@17 85; heavy, $16 20@17 60; rough, $16 20@16 50; pigs, $18@17; bulk of sales at $17 25 @17 70.

Sheep—Receipts, 9,000; market steady; sheep, $12 50@17 75; lambs, native, $16 25@21.

East Buffalo, N.Y., April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 125; steady.

Calves—Receipts, 500 head; easier, at $7@16 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,000; strong; heavy, $18 35@18 50; mixed and yorkers, $18 40 @18 50; light yorkers $18@18 25; pigs, $17 75@18; roughs, $16@16 25; stags, $13 @14.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 800 head; steady and unchanged.

GRAIN.

Chicago, April 10.—Opening: Corn—May, $1 27¼.

Oats—May, 86¼c.

Chicago, April 10.—Corn gained a little in value today, aided by scattered buying preparatory to the change tomorrow, making commercial grades the standard grades, and removing the maximum price levels so far as new style transactions are concerned. Continued meagreness of receipts seemed also to give the bulls an advantage. Opening prices, which varied from unchanged figures to ⅛c higher, with May at $1 27¼@1 27⅜, were followed by maintenance of values slightly above yesterday's finish.

Favorable crop conditions eased the oats market; besides, there was no evidence of removal of seaboard demand. After opening at 86⅛@86¼c for May, prices reacted a trifle.

Winnipeg, April 10.—The market opened steady and without features.

Oats opened unchanged for May at 94⅛, and July at 91¼c.

May flax opened unchanged at $3 86, and July ½c up at $3 83½.

Inspections yesterday numbered 364 cars.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Chicago April 10.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Corn—				
May	$1 27¼	$1 27½	$1 27⅛	$1 27⅜
Oats—				
May	86⅛	87¼	86⅛	87⅛

CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Chicago, April 10.—

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Pork—				
May	$48 15	$48 50	$48 15	$48 40
Lard—				
May	25 85	26 00	25 85	26 00
Ribs—				
May	24 30	24 52	24 30	24 52

PROVISIONS.

Liverpool April 10.—Beef—Extra India mess, 370s.

Pork—Prime mess western, 330s.

Hams—Short cut, 137s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 152s; clear bellies, 160s; long clear middles, light, 160s; do, heavy, 159s; short clear backs, 157s; shoulders square, 128s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 149s 6d; American refined, in pails, 152s; do, in boxes, 150s.

OILS.

Liverpool, April 10.—Tallow—Australian (in London), 72s.

Turpentine Spirits—125s.

Rosin—Comon, 64s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined, 1s 6⅝d.

Linseed Oil—62s.

Cottonseed Oil—68s 6d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 2¾d.

London, April 10.—Calcutta linseed, £29 15s; linseed oil, 58s.

Sperm Oil—£54.

Petroleum—American refined, 1s 6½d; spirits, 1s 7½d.

Turpentine Spirits—124s 3d.

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, April 10.—Morning sales: Davidson, 5000 at 31¾; Dome Lake, 500 at 20, 2000 at 21; Dome Mines, 1000 at 870; Lake Shore, 500 at 40; McIntyre, 700 at 135; Imperial, 500 at 1½; Teck-Hughes, 500 at 52, 50 at 55; Adanac, 3000 at 8; Beaver, 500 at 27; Gifford, 1000 at 2⅝; Hargraves, 1000 at 7; Provincial, 500 at 51; Temiskaming, 500 at 28, 500 at 27¾, 1000 at 27½.

WALL STREET.

New York, April 10—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—The most noteworthy feature at the dull opening of today's stock market was the fractional gain in Erie preferred issues, based upon possibilities of early dividends. Marine preferred, Distillers and Sumatra Tobacco embraced the other strong and active shares at gains of large fractions to 1½ points. Included among the moderately heavy stocks were St. Paul preferred, Texas Company, Industrial Alcohol, American Car and American Can. Liberty bonds were irregular.

Noon.—Trading was curtailed by the storm which interrupted private wire communication with the Middle West, but upward progress was made later, especially in coppers and shippings. Gains of 1 to 2 points were registered by Inspiration and Chino, Marine preferred and Atlantic and Gulf. Distillers increased its early advance, and Corn Products and Enamelling were added to the prominent specialtise, but rails and seasoned industrials showed little change.

1:30 p.m.—Buying of shippings broadened in the afternoon, taking in American Shipbuilding at an advance of 5 points, and Pacific Mail at a 2-point gain. Rails also hardened on the 1-point rise in Canadian Pacific, but Steels held within contracted limits.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

New York, April 10.

	Open.	High.	Low.	1:30.
Trunk Lines and Grangers—				
Erie, com.	14¾	..	..	..
Erie, 1st pfd.......	29	29	28½	28½
Great Northern...	89	..	..	..
Great Western...	6	..	..	..
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Canadian Pacific.	135⅞	137	135⅞	137
Missouri Pacific..	21½	..	..	..
Northern Pacific..	84¾	..	..	..
Southern Pacific..	83⅛	..	..	..
Southern Railway	22	..	..	..
Southern Ry., pf.	58½	..	..	..
Union Pacific.....	119	119⅛	119	119⅛
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio.....	54½	54½	54¼	54½
Norfolk & West..	104¾	..	..	..
Ontario & West..	20	20	19½	19½
Pennsylvania	43⅞	44	43⅞	44
Reading Railway.	80⅛	80½	80	80½
Industrials—				
Allis-Chalmers ...	24¼	..	..	..
American Can....	41¾	41¾	41½	41¾
American Car....	78¼	78¾	78¼	78¼
Am. Smelters.....	71⅛	71⅝	71⅛	71⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel...	100½	100½	100⅜	100⅜
Baldwin Loco....	75⅝	76⅛	75¼	75¼
C. Leather, 1¼%.	65¾	65¾	65⅛	65¼
Corn Products....	36¼	36⅞	36¼	36⅝
Col. F. & I, 3%..	37¼	..	..	..
Distillers	42¾	43¾	42¾	43⅝
General Electric..	139	..	..	..
G. Northern Ore..	27	27	26⅞	26⅞
Ice Securities....	18⅝	18⅝	18½	18½
Marine, com......	25½	25⅞	25½	25⅞
Marine, pfd......	92⅝	94	92⅝	93½
Pacific Mail......	30¾	31¼	30¾	31¼
Studebaker	39	39	38½	38½
Virginia Chemical	42½	..	..	..
Westinghouse	40	..	..	..
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper.	64¼	64¾	64⅛	64½
Chino Copper.....	41½	42⅛	41½	41¾
Inspiration	48⅛	49⅜	48⅛	49⅛
Ray Consolidated.	24⅛	24¼	24⅛	24¼
Tennessee Copper	17¼	..	..	..
Utah Copper......	79⅝	80	79⅝	80
Oils—				
New Mexican.....	93	93½	93	93½
Texas Oil.......	143	..	..	..
Steels—				
Bethlehem Steel..	77½	77½	77⅜	77⅜
Crucible Steel....	62⅝	..	..	..
Lackawanna	77½	..	..	..
Republic Iron....	78	..	..	..
Railway Steel....	52½	..	..	..
U. S. Steel........	90⅛	90½	90⅛	90¼
Bonds—				
Anglo-French 5's.	90¾	91	90¾	90¾

Sales to 1 p.m., 113,100 shares.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]
Toronto, April 10.

	Asked.	Bid.
Am Cy..	32	29
do pfd.	..	52
Ames, c.	14½	..
do pfd.	50	..
Barcel...	9¾	9⅜
Brazilian	35½	35
B C Fish	50	49
Burt, p...	..	84¼
C Bread.	17	16
C Car...	25	24
do pfd.	69½	68½
Cement.	59¾	59
do pfd.	..	90
C S L..	42	41¼
do pfd.	77	76½
CG Elec.	103	101½
CLoco,p.	..	82½
C P R...	140	138
C Dairy.	..	30
do pfd.	..	67
ConLife	375	..
Coniagas.	325	300
C Smelt.	25	..
Con Gas.	144½	..
Cr Nest.	50	..
Canners.	24¼	..
Dome ..	850	825
D Steel..	61	60
Duluth..	41	..
La Rose.	63	60
Mackay.	76	75
do pfd.	..	62½
M Leaf.	..	93½
do pfd.	92¼	91¾
Monarch	43	39
do pfd.	80	..
N St Car	10½	9
do pfd.	35	34
Nipis'g.	860	845
NSSteel.	65	63
P Burt..	34	..
do pfd.	77¼	..
Penmans	75	73½
Petrol.	1437	1413
P Paper.	55	..
Riordon	119½	117¼
Russell..	58	50
do pfd.	..	69
Sawyer..	..	10
do pfd.	40	..
Span, p.	50	..

	Asked.	Bid.
St Ch, p.	57	..
Stl Can..	59½	59
do pfd.	..	89½
T Paper.	72	65
Tor Ry.	58	..
Tre'wey.	16½	15½
Tucketts	19	..
Tw City.	51	50
Win Ry.	48	..
Banks—		
Com'rce.	..	185
Dom ...	202	..
Hamil'n.	..	185
Imperial.	..	186
Montr'l.	210	..
NScotia	248	..
Ottawa	201	..
Royal ..	208	..
Stand ..	200	..
Toronto	..	187
Union..	..	146½
Loans, etc.—		
C Land.	148¼	..
C Perm.	162½	..
C Invest.	63	..
H Prov.	..	135
H & Erie, 20% pd	..	196
L Bank.	..	141
L & C..	126½	..
N Trust.	199	..
T Mort.	..	134
Bonds—		
C Bread.	90	..
C Loco..	94	..
Canners.	92½	..
D Iron..	87	..
Elec Dev	89¾	..
M L & P	30	..
Penmans	87	85
P Rico..	82	..
Ontario.	89	..
Quebec..	68¼	..
Rio Jan.	81¼	83
S Paulo.	80	..
Stl Can..	80	..
Stl Can..	91½	89½
War Loan,		
1925...	94	93¾
1931...	92¾	92½
1937...	92	91¾

OATS AND FLAX ARE LOWER AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, April 9.—Trading was extremely quiet today. Oats were fractionally lower, and flax made sharp breaks. The oats market seems to hang on to the transportation situation in the south, the demand being sufficient to absorb the offerings. Bright prospects for a good crop do not figure largely in determining prices as yet. Oats closed ⅜c lower for May and July. Barley closed unchanged. Flax closed 2¾c lower for May, and 2½c lower for July.

Futures were:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Oats—				
May	94¾	..	..	94⅛
July	91¾	..	..	91⅛
Barley—				
May	..	..	..	166¼
Flax—				
May	388	..	..	386
July	385	..	..	383

Cash grain:

Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 95⅝c; No. 3 Canadian western, 91⅝c; extra No. 1 feed, 90⅞c; No. 1 feed, 88⅝c.

Barley—No. 3 Canadian western, $1.65; No. 4 Canadian western, $1.60; rejected, $1.45; feed, $1.40.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., $3.86; No. 2 C.W., $3.80; No. 3 C.W., $3.61.

TORONTO.

Toronto, April 9.—Grain quotations are as follows:

Wheat—Ontario, No. 2 winter, $2.22, in store, Montreal; Manitoba, No. 1 northern, $2.23½, in store, Fort William; No. 2 northern, $2.20½; No. 3 northern, $2.17½.

Oats—Canada western, No. 2, 94¼c, in store, Fort William; No. 3 Canada western, 91⅝c, at lake ports for immediate shipment; Ontario, No. 2 white, 93@94c, outside; No. 3 white, 92@93c, outside.

Peas—No. 2, $3.60@3.70.

Rye—No. 2, $2.60.

Barley—$1.68@1.70, outside for malting.

Buckwheat—$1.83@1.85.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, April 9.—In sympathy with the easier feeling in the option markets for oats today, spot prices were reduced 1c per bushel, with carlots of No. 3 Canadian Western and extra No. 1 feed quoted at $1.06½ at the close.

Oats—Canadian Western, No. 3, $1.06½; extra No. 1 feed, $1.06½; No. 2 local white, $1.05½; No. 3 local white, $1.03.

FLOUR

Toronto, April 9.—Listed quotations at Toronto:

Flour—Manitoba, war quality, $11.10, bags; Ontario winter, war quality, $10.70, bags, seaboard.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $35.40 per ton; shorts, $40.40 per ton, on track, Toronto.

Montreal, April 9.—Spring wheat flour of the new Government standard was unchanged and business was quiet.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, new standard, $11.10@11.20.

Rolled Oats—Bags, 90 lbs., $5.60.

Bran—$35.40.

Shorts—$40.40.

Middlings—$48@50.

Moullie—$60@62.

Minneapolis, April 9.—Flour—Unchanged.

HAY

Montreal, April 9.—Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, $17.

A MARCONI DIVIDEND.

New York, April 10.—The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America today declared an initial dividend of 5 per cent.

MONEY.

London, April 10.—Bar silver, 45¼d per ounce.

Money, 3 per cent.

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New York, April 10.—Bar silver, 91⅝c per ounce.

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PATRICIA

"Cupid's Round-Up," starring Tom Mix, is the feature screen attraction at the Patricia Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The story of "Cupid's Round-Up" tells of two wealthy ranch owners who live side by side. Each has a child, one a boy and the other a girl. Almost in the cradle, these children are betrothed by their parents. Later the girl goes to Paris and the boy, after living some time on the ranch, goes to live with his father in a city in the middle west.

The girl returns and expects to find her fiance waiting for her. They are to be married in a month. At the last minute the young man, chafing under the prospects of marriage, decides to have one month's freedom and runs upstairs as the girl approaches, climbs out of the window and gets on the first train that leaves for anywhere west.

When the girl learns this, she, too, decides to spend her month of freedom as she wishes, and gets on the train to go to the ranch her father gave her. She takes her maid and the two change places, Helen becoming the maid.

At this time the stranger, Larry, gets employment at the ranch of a man named McGinnis, which was immediately next to the one owned by Helen, who is still posing as her maid.

A lively friendship had grown up between Larry and the supposed maid. After many trials and battles he returns east to marry Helen, and is delightfully surprised to find Helen was the girl with whom he had fallen in love.

In addition to "Cupid's Round-Up," Little Mary McAllister, the child star, will be seen in "Where Is My Mother?"

The vaudeville offering will be the Wyoming trio, expert rope tossers, lariat throwers and harmony singers. This act is a decided novelty, and is conceded to be the best of its kind on the road.

MAJESTIC

They met head-on in a turn on a lonely country road, and both cars stopped, with a sprintering of glass, in the play, "Betty Takes a Hand," starring Olive Thomas at the Majestic Theatre, today and Thursday.

This was Betty Marshall's introduction to James Bartlett, multi-millionaire politician, and the man who had once been her father's partner in a mining venture. Now Betty's father was a poor, while Barrett was rolling in wealth. Peter Marshall had vowed to his daughter that Jim Bartlett had swindled him. Then followed a far graver situation. Both machines were permanently disabled in an attempt to get them back on the road. It was fast becoming dark, and they were thirty miles from help.

After Bartlett had sent his chauffeur for help, Betty, without disclosing her identity, took charge of the situation, and a never-to-be-forgotten night followed for the pair in a mountain canyon. The child's resourcefulness won the heart of the old millionaire, and he ended by offering her $50,000 to marry his son Tom, who had but recently run away from home.

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CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mann and Mrs. Mills of Lambeth wish to thank their friends for the kind expressions of sympathy and floral offerings during their recent bereavement. b

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PENSION LONG DELAYED

Mrs. A. Peterson of 763 Grey street, whose husband returned from France over a year ago, and has been totally disabled since, has received her first pension payment from the Government. Mrs. Peterson has had no money, with the exception of the patriotic grant, since last June, until she received the pension this week. After her husband was discharged in June, 1917, she endeavored to have her case considered by the Government. Her husband was permanently disabled and she applied for a pension. After months of waiting, she applied to the Great War Veterans' Association secretary, J. W. Cunliffe, who took hold of her case, with the result that she has received her first payment on the pension.

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We do not wait until the season is nearly over to offer you bargains in Ready-to-Wear. We offer startling price reductions on the season's newest merchandise. Remember these prices are for one day only, Thursday, April 11.

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PRESBYTERIAN BANQUET

Need of Educational Work Is Emphasized by the Speakers.

The spirit of comradeship and the enthusiasm, exhibited at the Father and Son banquet by Presbyterians at St. Andrew's Church Tuesday evening, promised well for the success of the movement in this denomination.

A resolution of sympathy was extended to Canon and Mrs. Tucker by the assembly.

Captain Forgie, the speaker of the evening, held the audience with a recital of the deeds of valor performed by Canadians in France. Referring to the anniversary of Vimy Ridge he mentioned the name of Everett Fallis, son of Rev. R. J. Fallis, who was at one time stationed at Wellington Street Methodist Church here.

A Brave Deed.

Everett Fallis, who was only a lad, was killed in the battle of Vimy Ridge after he had performed a brave deed for which he would have received the V. C. It was in the neighborhood of Hill 145 at Vimy Ridge. There was one spot that the Germans were still occupying with a machine gun. Fallis realizing that this was the last section of the Ridge to capture, called for a number of volunteer bombers. He led the men over the top in the face of the German fire. The Germans were routed and the machine gun captured and carried back to the Canadian trench. Fallis, who was the only one of the number to return without being wounded, after returning to his position in the trench stepped upon the firing platform to size up the ground. He was looking for something else that called for rich red blooded manhood to achieve. While in this position a German sniper shot him and he fell back in the trench dead. The speaker paid a high tribute to Fallis and men of his type who lived the principles of Christ in the front line trenches.

Denies Charges.

Referring to the statement of some men that the soldiers in the trenches live a life that is not of the best, Capt. Forgie said that some of the finest followers of Christ who have ever lived during the last two decades have gone to the trenches, where they lived lives that were true to Christ. Some men failed, he admitted, but by far the vast majority come through with colors flying.

Christianity is no longer looked upon as something weak or effiminate and good for weaklings only. Rather is it a strong visible spirit, befitting the Canadians who have responded so nobly to their country's call.

Sheltered Comrade.

Another lad whose name the speaker would not divulge was eulogized for the spirit of self-sacrifice and manhood he had shown in France. Once this lad was with three others carrying a wounded comrade to a dressing station. They had to cross a spot that Fritz was shelling briskly. His three companions sought shelter, but this lad, displaying the spirit of his Master, sheltered the wounded man with his own body. He was wounded several times, but remained at his post. When the firing ceased he carried his comrade on for nearly 1,000 yards before getting any help. As the result of this he is in the hospital.

This act was the result of his early training, the speaker asserted. It is in with the idea of giving everybody in Canada similar training that this father and son movement is being carried on. It is a significant fact that this campaign is being promulgated at a time when the nation needs men of the highest type. The fathers are eager to do their part in the development of the boys, and he was sure that the boys appreciated this action on the part of the fathers.

Need of Education.

Referring again to the great need of education, Capt. Forgie said he was sorry to see that England had neglected the educational needs of the boys in order to carry on the war. This fact had been noted in a German paper, he said, adding that the Germans were not doing it. As necessary as the war work is, the education of the boy is just as important. The time is not far distant when boys will continue their education until the age of 16 and 18 years. Those whose parents cannot afford to keep them from work so long will be paid in order that they may take advantage of the education, he hoped.

Speaking of the need of production, he said that no one realized the help that the boys could be during the coming summer.

The boys were urged to do their utmost along this line.

The work among the boys that is being carried on under the Canadian standard efficiency test program was eulogized by the speaker. Imperfections there were in the program, he admitted, but the United States had copied the program as a whole for work along similar lines.

That London is the leading city in the world in the boys' movement was again emphasized by the speaker. Tribute was paid to R. G. Davis for the part he had played in the movement.

Willard D. Beamer introduced the toast list. The toast to the King was responded to by singing the National Anthem. The toast to "Our Dads" was proposed by Willard Beamer, Jr., in a suitable speech. E. E. Reid responded, also proposing the toast to "Our Lads."

Toast to Ladies.

Wendell Hughes proposed the toast to the "Ladies," expressing appreciation of the banquet they had prepared for the "boys."

Mrs. John Morrison, president of the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's, replied. The ladies were glad to be of assistance in this movement that will mean so much to the country's future.

Lorne McKellar proposed the C. S. E. Y. program and the boys' work, to which Capt. Forgie replied.

A resolution in support of the boys' work among the Presbyterian churches was passed by the meeting.

Solos were rendered by E. Crawford. George Lethbridge, at the piano, led the boys in several songs that produced a spirit of good fellowship. The sing-song ended with an impromptu composition that went something like this:

"Dickie, Dickie Davis,
Come and save us."

The boys sang as only boys can sing.

Capt. A. W. Forgie is one of the National Boys' Work secretaries for Canada. He is at present in charge of the committee revising the C. S. E. program.

A vote of thanks to speakers and others taking part in the program was moved by P. T. Robinson.

TWO SUDDEN DEATHS IN HENSALL DISTRICT

HENSALL, April 9.—Death came very suddenly to William Steick, aged 60, at his home near Zurich on Sunday morning. While sitting at breakfast he was taken ill and died a few minutes later from heart weakness.

On Sunday morning Miss Hattie Dignan, aged 60, who resided four miles west of Hensall, was found dead in her bedroom. She had apparently just arisen when stricken with heart trouble, as she was leaning against her bed. She was apparently in her usual health when sheretired the previous evening.

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CANADIAN MAKERS OF TRACTORS DON'T APPROVE FREE ENTRY

Say Government Action Has Caused Hardship.

Arthur W. White, president of George White & Sons, who has been attending several meetings of the manufacturers recently, has given out the following statement in connection with the removal of duty from American tractors:

"At the several meetings held by the manufacturers and distributors of tractors, and the different conferences with the Government, matters pertaining to this industry in Canada have been fully discussed, and the manufacturers welcome any enactment of Parliament as a war measure that will in any way assist in winning the war. It was found, however, that the action in placing steam and gas tractors on the free list meant a great loss to a number of Canadian manufacturers, owing to the fact that tractors have been made and are being made and assembled from materials purchased in Canada at a price higher than, and in some cases double, the United States fixed price for the same materials. The Canadian manufacturers felt that it would be impossible for them to compete with the United States manufacturers under these conditions, and asked the Government what redress they could look for.

"Recognizing the seriousness of the situation, an order-in-council was passed giving the manufacturers a draw-back of 99 per cent of the duty on all materials entering into the construction of tractors built since December 1, 1917. The manufacturers pointed out that most of the raw materials used in the output of tractors for 1918 had already been purchased by them in 1917, and to a great extent purchased in Canada, and irrespective of the draw-back on duty there would be a heavy loss to Canadian manufacturers.

Principle Wrong.

"It was further pointed out to the Government that as a general policy the draw-back on duty would inaugurate a principle that would only have a bad effect on Canadian manufacturers in Canada, owing to the fact that to obtain the draw-back it would force Canadian manufacturers to purchase their raw materials in the United States. The tractor and farm machinery men have behind them a long line of industries, and sell directly to the final consumer. This long line of industries manufacture fabricated and raw materials entering into the construction of this machinery, and all of these industries would be affected.

"The manufacturers were of the opinion that the Government should have consulted with the Canadian industries interested, and had them advised as to the situation before taking this drastic measure, which will mean only one thing—that the Canadian manufacturers will have to stop making tractors, or go to the United States, where they can purchase their raw materials at the United States fixed price, and manufacture and ship tractors into Canada.

Another Complaint.

"It was also argued that it was due to the Canadian manufacturers that the Government should have asked them to quote on tractors before going to Detroit and purchasing a thousand Ford tractors. The Government stated that these tractors were purchased at cost, and they were selling them at cost to the farmers. The manufacturers pointed out that as a war measure, if it would aid production, they would have no objections, but that as an incentive to increase the industry in Canada it was very poor policy, as no manufacturer could expect to compete in a legitimate business against a Government which was buying tractors at cost and selling them at cost.

Raw Material Duties.

"There seems to be a great lack of information among the general public in connection with the customs duty on farm machinery and the raw materials entering into the construction of the same. A great many of the users of farm machinery will be surprised to learn that 80 per cent of the materials entering into the construction of farm machinery are dutiable from 32½ to 42½ per cent.

"In the general discussion at the different meetings it was pointed out that the amount of duty paid by each farmer on a tractor would be only a small contribution to the fund necessary to carry on the war, that truly as many tractors would have been purchased without removal of the duty, and that the farmers had not been taxed as the industries had, and that, figuring on an individual case where the duty on a tractor was $300, the life of the tractor ten years, it simply meant $30 per year that the farmer would be paying as a war tax.

"The best of good feeling existed at the different conferences, the manufacturers recognizing the difficult position of the Government and the great necessity for production, and showing a willingness to assist in every way possible. The Government, however, promised that no further tariff changes would take place without investigation into the situation, and a consultation with the manufacturers interested."

Flames Threatened To Sweep Buildings At the Fair Grounds

Loss About $5,000 in Spectacular Fire in Horticultural Building.

Fire, which may have started from a carelessly thrown match, gutted the southern section of the horticultural building at the Western Fair grounds yesterday afternoon, causing a loss of about $5,000. For a time it was feared the flames would spread both ways and destroy many other buildings. The blaze had made great headway before being noticed, and when the department arrived, was spreading rapidly. Half a dozen streams well directed soon checked the spread, but the interior continued to burn fiercely for some time. The roof of a house on Ontario street caught, and this had to be looked after also. A hole was burned in the roof, but the damage will not be heavy. The burned building was occupied by the officers of the units quartered at the park as offices, and many papers and records were destroyed. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

CONGREGATIONALISTS OF DISTRICT MEETING HERE

The spring meeting of the Western Association of Congregational Churches is being held in the First Congregational Church and at yesterday's session addresses were given by Rev. G. A. McKenzie, of Stratford, and Rev. M. Kelly, of Speedside.

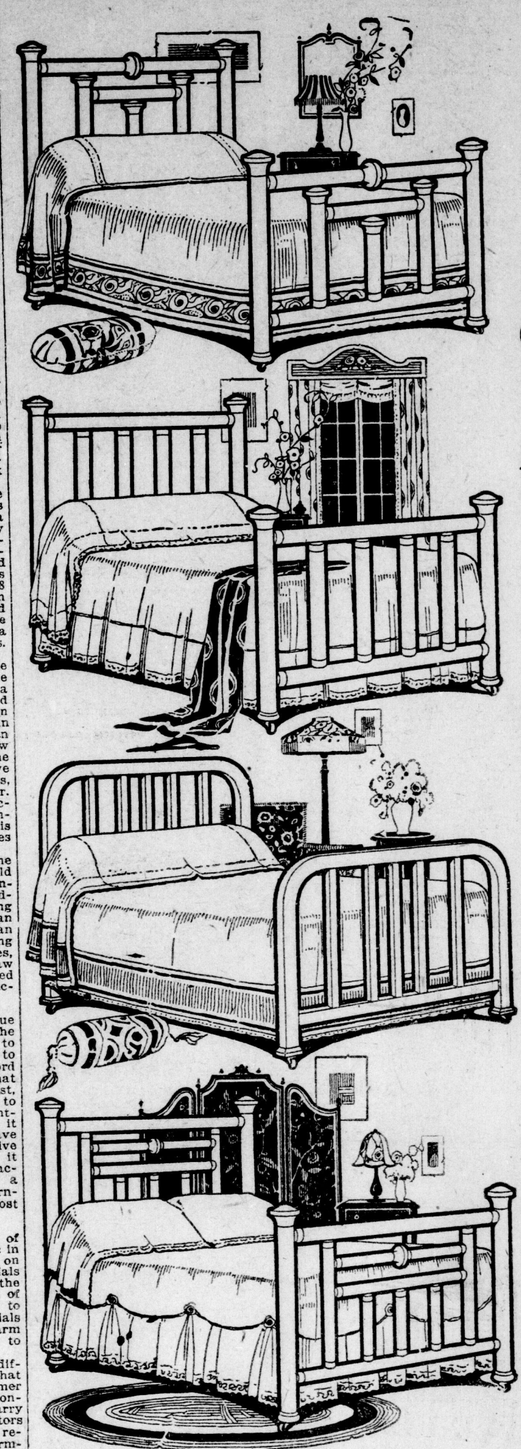
At the close of the session last night some excitement was caused when smoke was discovered pouring upstairs from the basement. Investigation showed that the overcoat of the caretaker, D. Carter, which had been left near the furnace was blazing. It is supposed that a spark flew out and ignited the coat. It was completely destroyed.

At today's sessions addresses will be given by E. G. Warren, of Embro, and Rev. W. E. Gilroy. At the evening meeting President Braithwaite of the Western University will discuss "After the War Problems."

President, Rev. W. D. Spence, Guelph; secretary, Rev. A. J. Orr, Wellandsport; treasurer, Rev. S. Sanders, Burford; registrar, Rev. D. A. Armstrong, Paris; H. and M. representative, Rev. W. H. A. Claris, church credentials, Rev. W. E. Gilroy, Hamilton.

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Landlord Refused to Rent to Soldier's Wife.

"The soldier's wife has no easy time in London," according to Mrs. Draper, 1035 York street, who Monday received word that her husband had been killed overseas. She had been searching for a house. She located one suitable, but when the landlord discovered that her husband was a soldier he refused to accept her as a tenant.

"While the soldier's wife was promised that she would be well looked after, such is not the case," Mrs. Draper asserts. She has no complaint against the Government, but rather deplores the lack of sisterhood on the part of other women of the city.

MILITARY CHANGES

Majors J. L. Youngs and C. W. Thompson of No. 1 Special Service Company have been appointed to act permanently as field officers of the day for the London camps. The duties will be performed alternately. Major Thompson commencing Wednesday, April 10.

Camp orders also announce the following military changes:

The undermentioned officers, having arrived in Canada from overseas, are attached with effect from dates shown:

Hon. Capt. Eric Mark Insley, for disposal of A. G.; February 23, 1918.

Major John Garnet Hunt, for disposal of A. G.; February 23, 1918.

Capt. Malcolm Douglas McTaggart, for disposal of A. G.; March 12, 1918.

Major George Carleton Hale, on leave of absence until May 23, 1918.

Lieut. Francis Nicholas Murphy, M. C., on leave of absence until June 12, 1918.

Hon. Capt. George Lionel Money, for disposal of the A. G.; February 27, 1918.

Lieut. John Cecil Carling, M. C., on leave of absence until June 6, 1918.

Lieut. Harold Linton Mitchell, on leave of absence until April 27, 1918.

Lieut. Frederick Henry Greenlees, on leave of absence until May 6, 1918.

Capt. Charles Roy Walsh, for disposal of the A. G.; February 27, 1918.

Major John Cameron Wilson, for disposal of the A. G.; February 27, 1918.

Capt. Harold St. Claire Wismer, for disposal of A. G.; February 20, 1918.

Lieut. Jack Ardagh Kingsmill, on leave of absence until April 27, 1918.

Capt. Rill Hillier, for disposal of A. G.; January 25, 1918.

Lieut. Geoffrey A. Wheable, on leave of absence until April 26, 1918.

Lieut. Joseph Henry Warburton, for further medical treatment; March 31, 1918.

District orders contain the following:

Army Medical Corps.

To be provisional lieutenant (supernumerary), Roy Gordon Brain, gentleman; January 4, 1918.

To be nursing sister (supernumerary), Eva Clare Matthews; February 8, 1918.

Canadian Army Dental Corps.

To be lieutenant (supernumerary), Kenneth Berry, gentleman; February 18, 1918.

Cadet Services.

The honorable the minister of militia and defence has been pleased to approve the following appointments to cadet corps: In District No. 1, Corps No. 102, A Company, S. Henderson, company leader, and J. C. Paterson, half-company leader.

C. E. F. Reserve of Officers.

To Be Lieutenant—Lieut. Arthur Wesley Crawford, M. M., 2nd Divisional Signal Corps, March 21, 1918; Lieut. Frederick Benjamin James, 160th Battalion, March 27, 1918.

Major Charles Ephriam Livingstone is transferred to the active list, March 8, 1918.

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