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ALLIED RESERVES RAPIDLY COMING UP TO LINE

Drive Meanwhile Continues; Allies Give More Ground

Paris, However, Looks for Early Check of Advance

French Withdraw To Outskirts of Soissons And On East Franco-British Line Pulls Back South Of St. Thiere—Americans Again Prove Their Mettle

There has been no let-up as yet in the German drive south from the Aisne, and both the French and the British have been forced to give further ground. Confidence is expressed in Paris, however, that the Allied reserves now rapidly coming up will soon turn the scale and stop the enemy advance.

Apparently the Germans already are being held in the centre of their advance, along the Vesle River, in the vicinity of Pismes, where the point of the German wedge has been rusted. The pressure on both the Allied flanks, however, has been such that both have been compelled to fall back.

On the west the French lines have been withdrawn to the easterly outskirts of Soissons, which town is about seven miles south of the nearest point of the battle line as it existed before the new German drive was begun on Monday. This considerably broadens to the west the front on which the enemy is advancing.

On the east the French-British line has been pulled back on above St. Thiere, northwest of Rheims, where it rested yesterday to the heights south and southeast of that town. This also has the effect of widening the front of the enemy thrust.

The bringing of Soissons into the battle area may indicate that the weight of the German blow has been shifted in its southwesterly direction and is being exerted along the railroad which leads to Paris from that town. The possibility of a trend of the enemy push being turned in this direction has been forecast by the commentators.

The Americans west of Mont Didier have further proved their worth by resisting another German counter-attack on a new position won by them yesterday when they drove to a depth of nearly a mile and captured the village of Canny. The Germans were repulsed in their second effort, as their first and suffered heavy losses.

ELL IN HAND, SAYS FOCH. Paris, May 29.—General Foch now has the situation well in hand and each troop is beginning to gain on the German advance forces in a solid step. No important line of communication is yet threatened by the advance the German Crown Prince.

Those on the scene declare it is not too much to say that another forty-eight hours will see the German drive definitely stopped. High praise is given the reserves for the perfect order in which they are coming into the fighting line.

The Man In The Street

Nice day for a drive. Huns may be enjoying their drive, but there will be a heavy bill to pay for the excursion. So far, the Kaiser has agreed to announce the date of the armistice in England.

According to the telephone company's report, the question "What time, please?" runs a close second to "When do you think the war will end?"

City physician has been fined \$150 for giving a chap four prescriptions for liquor. If the doctor charges \$25.00 for each prescription, don't kick; the court has fixed the rate.

A Hint for the Cooks. "Oh, yes," said the returned officer, "life at the front helps to develop a man's ingenuity. The cook for our mess ran out of baking powder, or whatever they use to make things rise, but he turned out a fine batch of raised biscuits for us just the same."

Both of which suggestions are respectfully referred to the investigating branch of the Housewives' League. British authorities are cutting down the allowance of material for soap manufacturers because the oils are needed for demomargarine. The chap who first said "You can't have your cake and eat it too" never thought his remark would be applied to a cake of soap.

The way the military Y. M. C. A. men meet those charges of the returned soldiers may indicate whether they are entitled to be considered a combatant branch of the service. Canny Courtenay Bay farmers who sold their farms when the last contract was signed collected large wads of money and then took their farms back, are ready to try it again when the next contract is signed.

Meatless Day. He pondered the bill of fare this morning and then asked the waiter what he could give him. The waiter handed him eggs, dirt, the latter replied, "only this is meatless day and we ain't got no eggs."

IN WALL STREET. New York, May 29.—Stocks were hesitant at the opening of today's operations, but soon developed a firmer tone on the renewed strength of the United States fleet. Midvale, Baldwin Locomotive, Marine preferred, oils and rails. Conspicuous in the latter group were Reading, Union Pacific, New Haven and St. Paul common and preferred. Interborough Consolidated preferred yielded one and one-quarter points on the passing of the dividend and Sumatra Tobacco followed its usual uncertain course, reacting two points. Liberty bonds were heavy, the 4 1/2's falling to the new low record of 97.14.

NEW POLICEMAN. John Pring was this morning sworn in as a member of the police force. He will be assigned to duty today. He was assigned to duty today. He will be assigned to duty today.

Paris, May 29.—The long range early bombardment of the German again early holding on, notwithstanding the great

Time With Allies In Duel To Death

Noted French Military Writer, Allowed Free Use of Pen, Discusses the Situation

Paris, May 29.—A noteworthy point in connection with the present great battle is the freedom allowed by military critics in their articles. Henri Bidou, for instance, is allowed to say in Le Journal this morning that he is "certainly distressing that it was 'certainly distressing that the enemy succeeded in recapturing in one day our conquests of 1917,' and admission which it is considered virtually certain that the previous censorship would not have passed."

The German success, he declares, is due to the enemy's ability to manoeuvre his reserves within the arc of the front in a way which admits of a crushing mass to be suddenly brought against any weak point. But the enemy's object, he points out, is not to recapture territory but to obtain such a victory as will end the war.

The Germans, M. Bidou recalls, found their effort in Picardy checked after they had engaged 111 divisions, while their second effort in Flanders cost the lives of 600,000 men. He argues that if the enemy had not pursued the logical course of following up these two partial successes, it is certainly because he is unable to do so owing to the terrific cost in men which is forcing him to place in line recruits born in the first half of the year 1900.

"It is a duel to the death," he concludes. "And every hour in which Germany fails to obtain the decision increases the imminence of her defeat."

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Roderick McNeill took place this morning from Messrs. Fitzpatrick's undertaking rooms to the Cathedral, where high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. W. L. Moore. Interment was made in the New Catholic cemetery.

THE LUMBER DRIVING. The St. John River Log Driving Company will begin lifting operations at the Douce boom this week. The Nashawak Pulp & Paper Company also is about to begin lifting operations at the mouth of the Nashawak. The scarcity of labor has not been felt much by the driving companies so far but probably will be as the season advances.

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More Hopeful As To Coal

Statement Made By F. P. Starr

Two officers from here in party on steamer just in. Majors Messereau and McLean Home—Sir John Gibson on the Steamer. A Canadian Atlantic Port, May 29.—A British steamer having on board 900 civilians and 100 officers, N. C. O's and men of the Canadian expeditionary force, arrived here this morning from an English port. Among the civilians passengers he Sir John Gibson, ex-lieutenant-governor of Ontario.

The reassuring announcement that the maritime provinces will receive this year the same allotment of anthracite as was received in the year ending March 31, 1917—Asks People to Be Patient and Urges Early Stocking of Soft Coal and Wood. The reassuring announcement that the maritime provinces will receive this year the same allotment of anthracite as was received in the year ending March 31, 1917—Asks People to Be Patient and Urges Early Stocking of Soft Coal and Wood.

Liquor case, a steward who drank the crew's grog. Captain A. Jensen, of a vessel in port, appeared in the police court this morning to answer a charge of supplying liquor to a member of his crew. The crewman, Andrew Jensen, was arrested yesterday on a charge of drunkenness and when asked where he procured the liquor he said that Captain Jensen gave it to him.

More Hebrews on the way to join legion. New York, May 29.—The fifth contingent of the Jewish Palestine Legion, consisting of 150 men, will leave here tomorrow for Nova Scotia to complete training before joining the other four contingents now fighting with the British in Palestine. The legionnaires will be joined by new recruits from Baltimore and Philadelphia.

Year in jail or hand out \$88. George Christensen, a sailor, was this morning fined \$88 on the two in jail on charges of drunkenness and violently resisting the police. Policeman Hogge testified before Judge Long that he found the prisoner intoxicated. He placed him under arrest. While he was endeavoring to take him to the station, the prisoner began to resist and at one time nearly fell overboard in his struggle to break away. He also tore a pair of hand-cuffs from the policeman and threw them overboard and also tore his raincoat. The witness said he valued the raincoat at \$25 and the handcuffs at \$8.50. The prisoner acknowledged his guilt and the said fine was struck against him.

Colonel Powell sets at rest rumors of meningitis cases. There are persistent rumors that several of the doctors and nurses and men in the military hospital are ill with spinal meningitis. Colonel A. H. H. Powell, acting G. O. C. of this military district, said this morning there was no foundation for the rumor. He said that they had two cases of spinal meningitis in the military hospital and that it was the only one man died from it, but the other case was well under hand and the patient was out of danger.

N. B. Apple crop. Fredericton, May 29.—The provincial horticultural department reports that in the apple growing district near Fredericton trees of such hardy varieties as Duchess, Wealthy, Alexander, Dudley, Fameuse and McIntosh are making a good show of blossoms. The Ben Davis, Gano and similar varieties were winter-killed to a considerable extent. The blossom in this section came two full weeks earlier than usual. From the Gagetown section of the St. John valley comes the report that there are good prospects for the apple crop.

Help from Vancouver. A kindly disposed resident of Vancouver has sent to Mayor Hayes a prescription which he believes would be of value in treating smallpox. Learning that St. John is suffering from a visitation of the disease, F. W. Shaw, M. P., who says he is a doctor of forty years' experience, has enclosed the prescription which he enclosed, has been used by him with great success in treating smallpox in malignant forms, and also for appendicitis, and never has lost a single patient when the medicine was used. He is satisfied that it would be equally effective for smallpox.

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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

STERLING ACTS AND PICTURES

Gem Has Rich New Bill for Tonight - Four Vaudeville Numbers, Pathe News and "The Surf Girl"

The Gem has an outstanding bill of features for tonight in an all new programme. There are four superior vaudeville acts, a merry mélange of comedy, music, jokes and general specialty entertainment. Then there is the Pathe News Weekly with motion pictures of recent big happenings and, finally, "The Surf Girl," two reels of refreshing comedy among the alluring scenes on the sands. Tonight at 7:15 and 8:45. A big show. Come.

THIS WEEK'S BILL AT OPERA HOUSE MEETS MUCH FAVOR

The Opera House vaudeville programme of this week is meeting with much favor. It is so varied and has so much good clean refined entertainment - just the right kind of a show that pleases everybody. Every act on the bill is of the same high standard and class that one sees in the leading theatres in the big cities at high prices. Music lovers find that the vocal offering by Gertrude Long and Spencer Ward is a rare musical treat, one that comes but seldom, while the comedy features by Jenks and Allen and Shapiro and Lemons keep the audience in tears of laughter at every performance. For a fast acrobatic act, the Young Ladell Trio are in a class by themselves. The five vaudeville features and the Vitagraph serial "Vengeance and the Woman," tonight at 7:30 and 9:15 tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. People's popular prices.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN, WALLACE REID AND KATHLYN WILLIAMS AT IMPERIAL TONIGHT

The mid-week bill at Imperial promises to be equally interesting as the opening programme. Charlie Chaplin's wonderful success, "A Dog's Life," will be repeated this evening for the last time and the new features will be "The Thing We Love," a Hum plot story with Wallace Reid and Kathlyn Williams, also the British Official Weekly. Eight reels of remarkable filmed entertainment with the usual good music thrown in.

SUBURBAN TRAINS WILL BE HELD NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT In response to a large number of enquiries from suburban residents concerning the lateness of the train on the C. P. R. and Government railways next Tuesday evening when the Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. F., music-spectacle takes place in the Imperial, it is announced that courteous arrangements have been made by the C. P. R. people and similar good news is confidently expected on the Government line. The train will be held on the C. P. R. until 11 o'clock but the hour for the Government railway is not yet announced but will be made known later.

TICKETS FOR LOCAL SHOW CAN BE HAD AT IMPERIAL The Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. F., have a ticket booth established at the Imperial lobby where the exchange of advance tickets for reserved seats for next Tuesday's affair is going on. The plans are already well marked up and choice locations are getting scarce. Tickets outright may be purchased now, the advance tickets not being necessary.

MY UNMARRIED WIFE The attraction "Bluebird Day" at the Gaiety Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday will be "My Unmarried Wife" starring Carmel Myers in an unconventional drama of excitement, mystery and adventure in six acts. Those who like thrills with their photoplaying will get them a plenty in this unusual entertainment. King Baggett and his nestor comedians will supply the laughs in a rattling good comedy entitled "111 Pix 'Em." Remember there are two complete shows each night, the first starting at 7:30 and the second at 9 o'clock.

SIXTEEN IN INSANE ASYLUM DIE IN FIRE, OTHERS ARE MISSING Columbia, S. C., May 28—Fire early today destroyed a ward in the State Hospital for the Insane, resulting in the burning to death of at least sixteen patients. Eleven other patients are missing and five were badly burned, one of whom afterward died.

Frederickton Soldier Wounded. Frederickton, May 28—Col. W. J. Osborne today received a letter from his son, Gunner Gordon Osborne, with a Canadian heavy battery in France. He has been wounded slightly in the head, but was still with his battery. His brother, Capt. Hubert P. Osborne, lost his life while serving with the royal flying corps.

Death of Albert Brannen. Frederickton, May 28—Albert Brannen died today aged forty-two. Death resulted from blood poisoning from a slight injury received some weeks ago. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Shortill, one son and one daughter, also his mother and three brothers, all of Devon, and two sisters, Mrs. Kenneth McLagan and Miss Minnie Brannen, of Devon.

Big Guns at Work. Paris, May 28—Paris was again under bombardment by the big German guns. Examination of the shells indicates that new guns are being used. Larger shells are being employed than formerly, the calibre of the guns being 9 1/2 inches. About 130,000,000 cubic feet of standing timber have been disposed of in the United Kingdom for felling, and this quantity is being added to daily.

LOCAL NEWS

Iceless days cost more. Buy ice. Watch Amdur's announcement in tomorrow's Times.

Wanted woman to work by day. Apply Box O 58, care Times.

FOR SALE Ladies' summer coat, new; size 38. Apply 174 Waterloo. 8-80.

Watch Amdur's announcement in tomorrow's Times.

C. P. R. SUBURBAN. On Saturday, June 1st, the suburban for Wolford due to leave city at 6:30 P. M. will be held until 10:15 P. M. 5-1.

One dollar goes two in value at Basen's, 14-18 Charlotte street. No branches.

Read Amdur's announcement in Thursday's Times.

Don't forget Arnold's auction sale at 79 Ludlow street tonight at 8:30-6-1

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St. John Co. W. C. T. U. will meet in Fairville Baptist church Thursday, May 30, 3 o'clock.

Amdur's announcement in Thursday's Times will be of much interest to you.

TEA AND SALE Girls' Branch Soldiers' Comforts, Limited, tea and sale of fancy work, St. John Art Club, Thursday, June 6. Tickets 25 cents.

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UNORGANIZED WORKERS Take notice! There will be a meeting of all organized and unorganized workers of the city, Trades and Labor Council, Friday evening at 8 o'clock sharp, Oddfellows' Hall, Union street.

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PERSONALS Mansell T. O'Neill of Main street, a student at Dalhousie University, returned from Halifax last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scovil of Seely street and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holland motored to Loch Lomond to spend Sunday at Mr. Scovil's old home there.

Dr. C. C. Jones, chancellor of the University of New Brunswick, is in the city. D. A. Macdonald of Antigonish is at the Royal.

Miss Blanche Cliff has returned after spending several months in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peters announce the engagement of their daughter, Annie Elinor, to Murray Latham, the wedding to take place on June 5.

Arbitration on Wages. Ottawa, May 28—Employees are granted employees of the Hull Electric Railway Company and the Hull Light and Power Company by a majority award of the board of conciliation. Geo. Kelly of Ottawa, representing the company, has filed a minority report which has not been made public.

Priority in Fuel. Washington, May 28—Under a policy agreed upon yesterday by the priorities board of the war industries board, fuel priority will be granted manufacturers of newspaper paper upon application accompanied by proof that the plant applying is entitled to priority.

Duke and Duchess to Visit Quebec. Quebec, May 28—Reports are being made to the governor-general's headquarters in the city, in view of the visit of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire to Quebec in a few weeks. Their visit is for a rest more than anything else.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS SEEBLEY—At 109 Pitt street, on May 29, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Seeley, a daughter.

DEATHS HATCH—In Toronto, on the 29th inst., Cadet Arthur Vernon Hatch, aged twenty-three years, son of Willoughby and Annie Hatch. Funeral from Trinity Church Thursday, Service at 9 P. M.

BOWES—At the General Public Hospital, this city, May 26, Allen Bowes, leaving his wife and seven children. Funeral from his residence, 72 Smythe street, today's service at 2:30.

IN MEMORIAM STEPHENS—In loving memory of Lillian Stephens, who departed this life on May 29, 1918. Darling Lillian she has left us. Left us, yes, for evermore; But we hope to meet our loved one On that bright and happy shore.

MOTHER AND SISTER MARY. PRIDDLE—In loving memory of Walter M. Priddle, who died May 29, 1918. You are not forgotten, Walter dear, As long as life and memory last, The happy hours we once enjoyed, How sweet their memory still. Thy death has left a vacant place The world can never fill.

MOTHER. WORDEN—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Annie S. Worden, who died May 29, 1918. When a mother breathes her last farewell, The blow is more than words can tell; This earth's quite another place Without the smile of a mother's face.

FAMILY. CARD OF THANKS Mrs. Thomas Sparks, Sat St. John, and family, wish to thank their many friends for kindness shown them in their recent sad bereavement, also for floral offerings.

LOSS OF APPETITE

Most Successfully Treated by Taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Loss of appetite is accompanied by loss of vitality, which is serious. It is common in the spring because at this time the blood is impure and impoverished and fails to give the digestive organs what is absolutely necessary for the proper performance of their functions. Hood's Sarsaparilla, the old reliable all-the-year-round medicine, is especially useful in the spring. Get it from your druggist today. By purifying and enriching the blood and giving vitality, vigor and tone, it is wonderfully successful in the treatment of loss of appetite and the other ailments prevalent at this time. It is not simply a spring medicine—it is the best spring medicine. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the rich red blood the digestive organs need.

HOLD OUT AGAINST M. S. A.

Twenty Young Men of Gaiety District Ready to Resist

Wakefield, Que., May 28—High up in the Laurentian mountains, well provisioned, well clothed and armed to the teeth, twenty young men of the Gaiety district are setting a defiance to the military service act. They are mostly shanty men, all familiar with the rough mountainous district, and they are said to be encamped in a most remote and roadless region. So bold have they become that recently some of them came out to nearby villages to obtain provisions and even went so far as openly to say that they were heavily armed and prepared to combat with any force.

INSTRUCTORS OFF TO CAMP SUSSEX

About twenty of the instructors of the depot battalion left this morning for Camp Sussex to join the draft of the battalion which went under canvas last evening. Captain Heron of military headquarters said this morning that the magnificent showing that the men of the depot are making on parade is largely due to the efficient manner in which these instructors are handling the men. Every instructor is a returned soldier and all have been under shell fire. The remainder of the battalion will not leave for Sussex for about ten days. The draft which went up yesterday is composed chiefly of raw recruits and it is the intention of the officers of the unit to give these men a little extra training before the battalion is assembled again.

BISHOP'S MESSAGE TO NIAGARA SYNOD.

Hamilton, Ont., May 28—Scoring "peace propaganda" as the most dangerous weapon in the hands of Germany, Bishop Clark at the opening session of the 44th annual meeting of the Niagara Anglican synod this morning, delivered an inspiring message of which the dominant note was "carry on." "While Germany with her hands murder and destroys, with her voice she invites parleys. This is not the time to talk peace but to strive for victory," said His Lordship. Regarding efforts which are likely to be made at the next session of parliament to establish a divorce court for Canada, he said: "The Church of England in Canada, while recognizing judicial separation among her members, in certain cases regards marriage as indissoluble."

Dearer Coal in Montreal. Montreal, May 28—Hon. Alphonse Racine, fuel controller for Montreal, today confirmed the statement of dealers that as a result of the new freight rates in the United States coal will be raised fifty cents a ton in price.

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WALTER GILBERT

Alone. YOU don't know this girl perhaps. But suppose you did and she came to you for advice! What would you say? Till yesterday her husband, young and vigorous, had lovingly encouraged her small extravagances and boasted laughingly that his income was ample and growing. He worked with might and main to "gather the fruits of success for his fair trinity at home"—and was succeeding. But death, swift and relentless, had without warning cut down his guard, and the three he loved more than his own life were now at bay to the world—alone. If she had come to you for advice—that, briefly, would have been her story. Her faith was strong. Her husband, she knew, would not leave her with the children to face a financial situation for which there was no solution. Yet when she attempted to calculate the income she would receive from the savings he had left, a panic of fear overcame her. "The greatest and hardest of her duties now was the one she knew the least about." Perhaps someone dependent and depending upon you, is destined some day to be left alone—at bay to the world. This is so serious, so appalling a situation that its very contemplation makes thinking men turn cold with apprehension. That is why we have written "Her Way Out"—to make you realize how serious is the situation which may overtake those for whom you believe no sacrifice or effort is too great. If, in addition—without the use of technical language or confusing terms—it provides a solution for the dilemma, surely that is another point in its favor, is it not? We will be pleased to send you a copy of "Her Way Out," free. The coupon below is provided for your convenience. Fill it in and mail it to-day, or a note or postcard will do as well.

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New Rivetting Record. Belfast, May 28—(via Reuter's Limited)—A new rivetting record was made at Queen's Island on Tuesday by John Lowry who drove 7,841 rivets in nine hours. He also established a record for an hour with 922 rivets.

DON'T BUY BOOKS It only costs a few cents to rent the new ones from Woman's Exchange Library, 128 Union street.

TO LET—Heated apartment, central. 'Phone 789.

Don't Forget That the Cheapest Place in town to buy your Ladies' or Men's Suits is on Wall St. Call and see for yourself.

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WHEN A MAN BUYS A WATCH The man whose time is worth the most is the man who is most particular about the watch he carries. Accurate timekeeping, of course, comes first, but that is not enough. He wants convenience in size and shape, beauty in style and appearance. He carries a watch in keeping with life today—not one that served a departed generation. Howard, Hamilton, Waltham and Decatur Watches are made to satisfy such men. They are all a man desires as timepieces—accurate, durable and handsome. Prices are most reasonable. You are cordially invited to come in and inspect them.

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NEARLY \$50,000,000 MORE THAN WAS ASKED FOR Washington, May 28—Final figures on the second American Red Cross \$100,000,000 war mercy fund still were incomplete late last night, but on the face of latest returns the fund was oversubscribed \$48,833,467.

EMERY WHEEL BURSTS; YOUNG WORKMAN KILLED. Montreal, May 28—Struck by a piece of an emery wheel that burst in the shops of the Armstrong Whitworth Company at Longueuil yesterday, George Guimond, nineteen years old, died within a few minutes. The fragment perforated his lungs.

HOMB FOR BURIAL. The body of Cadet Arthur Vernon Hatch, who died in Toronto recently, was brought to the city at noon today on the Montreal train, and was taken to the home of his parents, 28 Paidock street. The funeral will take place from Trinity church on Thursday afternoon.

BASEBALL. St. Matthew's baseball team defeated a team from Victoria street Baptist church in Portland Place last evening by a score of 16 to 4. The batteries were: Treacrin and Aklerley for the winners; Pameley and Beckett for the losers.

Forest Fires. Haileybury, Ont., May 28—Indications are that forest fires of considerable size are raging along Lake Temiskaming in Quebec.

Graduate Nurses. Ottawa, May 28—Among nurses graduating from St. Luke's Hospital is Miss Daisy E. Goodyear of Grand Falls, Newfoundland. From Water street Miss Annie Milne is a graduate.

On a Fishing Trip YOU NEED SNAP It removes fishy, gamey smells from the hands, and keeps the skin smooth and soft.



# POOR DOCUMENT

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### THE AISNE BATTLE

The Allied armies would be forced by superior numbers to recede before the first terrific onslaught of the Germans in their renewed offensive was not unexpected. The real source of anxiety was and is the question whether Gen. Foch could throw in reserves in time to prevent the enemy advance from assuming the proportions of an important victory. Today's news is more reassuring on this point, for while the enemy made a gain of seven miles at one point of his advance on the Aisne front in the last two days, we are assured that the Allies retired in such good order as to be able to take practically all their supplies with them, and to take up prepared positions of great strength. To this information is added the following from Paris under today's date:

"General Foch now has the situation well in hand, and French troops are beginning to gain on the German advanced forces in a contest of speed. No important line of communication is yet threatened by the advance of the German Crown Prince."

Of course the battle has only fairly begun, but the same cable adds:

"Those on the scene declare it is not too much to say that another forty-eight hours will see the German drive definitely stopped. High praise is given the French reserves for the perfect order in which they are coming into the fighting line."

The Associated Press says that the German offensive made only slight progress yesterday, although, "seeing the heavy masses opposed to them, the Allies gave way in the centre, and in some places the enemy crossed both the Aisne and the Vesle." As usual the Germans attacked in greatly superior force. One report says they were ten to one. It is clear that the British and French were outnumbered, and everything therefore depends on the facility and speed with which their reserves can be thrown into the scale. It is a great relief to be told that "no important line of communication is yet threatened." Unless today's early cables are entirely misleading the German military machine will again fail to attain its objective. It is a fortunate thing that the four British divisions mentioned as operating with the French are seasoned veterans whose previous record is one of splendid bravery and traditional bulldog tenacity.

There are still differences of opinion as to whether the Aisne drive is the major operation in this offensive, or whether a still heavier attack will be launched against some other portion of the line; but one of last night's cables from Paris states that "the military critics now consider that the idea that the German offensive launched between Soissons and Rheims is a diversion must be abandoned." In other words, they think the heaviest fighting will be confined to this front. London is not so sure of this. The attempt to gain ground in the Ypres sector, however, proved a costly failure. The Allied line there has been completely restored.

Everything depends upon the mobility and magnitude of the Allied reserves. Unbounded confidence in General Foch is freely expressed in Paris, and the London press, while admitting that the Germans have gained an initial success, is not at all pessimistic in the tone of its comment. The great battle will continue for days, and the element of uncertainty in the whole situation is the size and strength of the Allied reserves.

The explanation of the success attending the German drive is their superiority in numbers. There could be no more convincing argument in favor of sending more men as rapidly as possible from the United States and Canada to reinforce the Allies.

Mr. Newton Wylie, formerly of the Toronto Globe staff, who has just returned from England, where he was sent as a member of a joint prohibition mission, expresses the opinion that nationwide prohibition in the United Kingdom is inevitable.

The medical congress in Hamilton, Ontario, favors a permanent advisory committee on public health laws, composed of a federal director of public health and the chief health officers of the provinces.

Following the recent controversy in Ottawa the city council has appointed a special committee to consider the advisability of entering into negotiations with the Ottawa Electric Light Company and the Ottawa Gas Company for the purchase of a list of properties. That committee met and decided to seek a conference with representatives of the companies. In other words, Ottawa wants to get out of the clutches of public utilities companies through the medium of public ownership. The city's experience, like that of so many other cities, has been very unsatisfactory, and it is seeking a drastic remedy.

American troops in Picardy have captured a village and held it against counter attacks. They are warning up to their work.

The British siren are doing increasingly effective work in destroying enemy machines and bombing enemy positions.

### LIGHTER VEIN

Something was the matter with the stop signal bell of the Toronto trolley on the corner had to whistle to the motorman that trip—one whistle to stop, one whistle to go ahead. At one place the car made a long stop and some of the passengers began to get uneasy. One sought the rear platform and found the conductor eating a frugal luncheon. "Say, how long are we going to stand here? What are we waiting for?" asked the passenger.

The conductor swallowed hard and was understood to reply: "Looky here, I ain't got nothin' but dry crackers for my lunch. An' you'll hatter wait till I get 'em swallowed good before I ain whistle."

Wife (In London Opinion)—The butcher refused to give me any meat until I showed him the meat card; so I put out the whole pack—registration card, sugar card, meat card, and butter card—and I said to him: "You cut and I'll deal."

Not an Unusual Speech. "Young Gabbler made quite a long speech at the club football last night."

"What was he talking about?" "He didn't say."

Exchanging Bonds. "We accept Liberty Bonds at their full value for all goods."

These words appeared in the window of a wholesale liquor house. We have often wondered what the height of dampness might be, having tried various things, but there it is: Exchange a Liberty Bond for booze—Detroit Times.

Objection. Former Mayor Mitchell of New York was talking at a dinner about office-seekers.

"A good man had just died," he said, "and I'm sure that an office-seeker came after his job."

"Yes, sir, thought the dead man hadn't been buried, and this office-seeker came to me and said, breathlessly: 'Mr. Mayor, do you mind my objection to my being put in poor Tom Smith's place?'"

"Why, no," said I. "Why, no, I see no objection, if the undertaker doesn't."

Had Her Place. An old lady was being shown over a country seat in North Wales which is famous for its fine pictures. One of these was a portrait of "Nell Gwyn, after Sir Peter Lely." The old dame gazed at this picture for some time.

"So that's the hussy, is it?" she remarked, presently. "But I always thought it was King Charles she was after."

Judges' Opinions. Medical Officer (posting man to Labor battalion)—Do you think you are fit for the Vesle?"

Hard Case—Well, sir, some of the best judges have thought so.

DOCTOR MELVIN'S WORK. Dr. G. G. Melvin, medical officer, and the statement that he has asked for leave of absence is frequent results, as an increase of work due to the smallpox situation, the board of health has appointed Dr. W. L. Ellis to replace Dr. Melvin of the outside work, but the medical health officer is going on with his regular duties as usual.

### Colds Settled In the Kidneys

Lumbago, Backache and Rheumatism Was the Result—Now Enthusiastic Over Cure Obtained

Chatterton, Ont., May 27.—The kidneys are extremely sensitive to sudden changes of temperature, and much pain and suffering is frequent results, as all who have had attacks of lumbago and rheumatism know.

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## NEWS NOTES ABOUT PROMINENT BAPTISTS

(Maritime Baptist.)

Rev. J. B. Harvey has resigned as pastor at Brown's Flat.

Rev. I. M. Baird, now of New London, Conn., has been enjoying a visit to the Annapolis Valley. He will be remembered as pastor of the Temple Church, Yarmouth. He is a graduate of Acadia, 1902.

The Bear River church, taking into consideration the present high cost of living, has raised the salary of its pastor, Rev. F. H. Bone, to \$1200.

Major Eric MacDonald, son of Major (Rev.) J. H. MacDonald, continues to win fresh laurels at the front. Recent dispatches tell of the bestowal of the Military Cross for gallant action upon the field of battle. Some time ago he received the coveted D. S. O.

There is happiness in the paragon at the Range. Of course there was happiness before, but there has been a decided increase. It's a boy. Our congratulations to Pastor and Mrs. Lieutenant D. C. Kane will labor during the vacation at Riley Brook, Victoria County.

Rev. A. M. McNitch has been engaged in special meetings for the last nine weeks at Smith Cove, Deep Brook, and Clementsport. Our records tell of a splendid spirit of revival. Pastor McNitch has received word that his son, Rev. J. B. McNitch, who served in the Canadian Expeditionary Force, has received a commission in the imperial army. Some time ago he was awarded a medal for bravery on the field.

Rev. L. D. Mome, for some time one of our missionaries in India, and later pastor of the Wolfville Baptist church, is now pastor of the Memorial Baptist church of Cornwall, N. Y.

We have received word that Captain (Rev.) W. F. Parker, C. F., has been seriously wounded in the knee, and is now in hospital at Etaples. No particulars are yet at hand.

All will be interested in the work of our denomination will hear with deep regret of the death of Rev. P. S. McGregor, which occurred at his home in Chester Basin, last Friday. Mr. McGregor gave over forty years of successful ministry to the Baptist ministry.

Rev. F. E. Bishop has tendered his resignation to the church at Dartmouth after nearly seven years of successful service. The resignation has been accepted with much reluctance. Mr. Bishop has accepted a call to the Presbyterian field and will begin his work there June 1.

Dr. Cutten has been granted leave of absence from his duties as president of Acadia University until the first of October in order that he may assist the Halifax Relief Commission. He will have general charge of the rehabilitation department.

Maritime men are filling a large place in the Baptist work in Montreal. At Westmount, Mr. O. C. Wallace, the dean of the Baptist ministers on the island, continues to make his influence felt far beyond the limits of his own congregation. The Olivet church has closed a very successful year under the leadership of Rev. F. L. O'Grady. The receipts for the year totalled \$10,860, of which nearly \$2,000 were for missionary purposes. The old First church continues to prosper under the leadership of Rev. M. F. McCutcheon. In a recent Sunday School canvass were baptized, some of whom had been adherents of the church for years, but had failed hitherto to take this important step.

### RECENT DEATHS

Word was received in the city yesterday of the death of William White of Fall River, Mass., a former resident of St. John. He was a printer by trade. Frank H. White of this city is a brother.

The death is announced in Middleton, N. S., of George L. Hamington, formerly a hotel man of Point du Chene, Sydney and Truro. He was sixty-eight years old.

WEST SIDE S. C. A. The West Side Field Comforts Association held its annual business meeting last night. The recording secretary reported that \$3,800 had been raised during the year and more than 900 individuals parcels had been sent to the boys at the front. The following officers for the coming year were elected—President, Mrs. E. A. Young; vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Smith; second vice-president, Mrs. George H. Waring; recording secretary, Mrs. T. Morrissey; corresponding secretary, Miss Marian Mahony; convener of committees, Mrs. V. Woodrow; Mrs. Horace Tapley; Mrs. S. M. Sewell; treasurer, Mrs. W. B. Knight; auditor, Miss Helen Clark and Miss Hortense Woodrow.

Good Templars Meeting. W. Davis, of Montreal, member of the National Council, I. O. G. T. E. N. Stockford, national secretary; J. S. Simpson, national superintendent of juvenile work; and Rev. A. L. Peckoff addressed a meeting in Temple Hall last evening in the interests of the Good Templar movement.

Miss Mary E. Bordenick, of Parrboro, N. S., and Oscar Carleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Carleton, Sussex, were united in marriage in Sussex on Saturday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. M. Rice.

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## FAMED BRITISH DIVISIONS ARE FACING THE HUNS

The 8th, 50th, 25th and 21st All Have Fine Record - Heavy Losses Suffered by Germans

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The main interest of the fighting men on this front naturally is centred for the moment on the German drive against the British and French in the Aisne region. The British divisions mentioned in today's official communication being in the line of attack—the 8th, 50th, 25th and 21st—have back of them a fine record for bravery as yet in the army.

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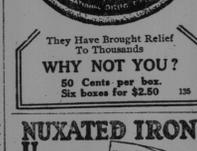
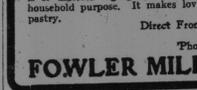
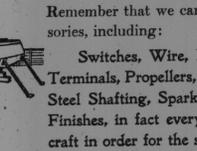
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#### War Garden Bulletin

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#### WATERING.

There is always the danger of watering vegetable crops over abundantly. Ontario has been fortunate this spring in the amount of natural watering that the gardens have received but this does not necessarily apply all over Canada. A city garden should never be watered in the heat of the sun. In any event, the water should be applied in a fine spray as it is possible to obtain. Force the water out the seeds, flatten the soil, expose the roots to the sun's rays and thus cause the wilting of the plants. The seeds are first breaking through, the ground should be gently watered in the evening with the watering can. The hose is destructive if used too soon after planting. It is necessary to stir the soil after each rain or watering in order to conserve the moisture.

Particular care must be taken in the watering of transplanted vegetables. It is a good plan to put a little water in the holes before the plants are put in them. Or, on the other hand, the watering may be done immediately after planting while the soil is loose. This will prevent the plants from wilting.

#### TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE SUN ON JUNE 8

Professors' Plans for Observing it at Green River, Wyoming

According to Director Edwin Brant Frost, of the Yerkes Observatory, the coming total eclipse of the sun here in Washington through parts of Oregon, Wyoming, and Idaho, across Colorado and Kansas and finally reaching Florida at about sunset. The duration of totality is two minutes, two seconds at the coast of Washington, and less than half that time in Florida.

The partial phase of the eclipse will be visible over the whole of the United States, at Chicago more than 75 per cent of the sun's face will be obscured by the moon. During the few minutes of totality, however, and then only, can observations be made of the mysterious corona which surrounds the sun and then plainly visible to the naked eye. It is variable in its extent and brilliancy, being connected with the activity of the sun in the eleven-year period of maximum sun-spots and solar prominences. The principal constituent of the intrinsic light of the corona is the gas coronium, which has been discovered in the sun at the eclipse of 1869 independently and simultaneously by Lockyer, of England, and Janssen, of France, was found twenty-seven years ago in 1869 in the crystals of the mineral celestine occurring in the Scandinavian peninsula.

Director Frost has recently written an article for Popular Astronomy in the interest of the fullest scientific utilization of the total eclipse of the sun, in which he calls the attention of astronomers and physicists at American institutions to the importance of observations they may be able to make if they are situated within some 300 miles of the line.

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#### UNFINISHED TOMB OF J. C. BENNETT

Owl 200 Feet High Was to Have Been His Mausoleum—Stanford White's Death Ended Work on It

In the studio of Andrew O'Connor, sculptor, at Paxton, Mass., there is a pencil drawing of a great owl mounted upon a high pedestal, and a simple model of the owl itself in clay. The two are all the work which at the time of Stanford White's death Mr. O'Connor had done toward a design for the tomb of James Gordon Bennett.

Mr. Bennett had commissioned Stanford White to design the tomb, and had given him specific directions. Mr. White had called in Mr. O'Connor, who was working with him at the time, to make the model for the owl, and the work had gone well under way. But when in June, 1905, Stanford White was killed, Mr. Bennett let the whole project of the owl tomb drop.

The enormous owl was to be not only James Gordon Bennett's monument but literally his tomb. It was to stand on the Bennett land in Washington Heights, a gigantic statue 200 feet high, of which about seventy-five feet was to be the height of the pedestal. As Mr. Bennett explained his idea to Mr. White, the owl was to be hollow, and was to contain his sarcophagus. Two steel chains were to be hung from the top of the owl's head, and midway in the monument Mr. Bennett's coffin was to be placed. Through the interior of the tomb a circular staircase was to ascend from the base of the owl to the top of the owl's head. The monument was to be open to the public. The material was to be glazed granite. The high ground on which it was to stand would have formed a suitable vantage point.

It was only a short time before Mr. White's death that Mr. Bennett gave him the commission. Like Sarah Bernhardt's in Pere la Chaise, Mr. Bennett's tomb was to be finished and set up at once, to be a monument to him and an arresting feature of the city's "scene" while he was still living.

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#### L. O. D. E. NATIONAL WORK

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Delegates representing some 500 chapters throughout the Dominion were present and Mrs. A. E. Gooderham, president, was in the chair.

#### ONE OF NATURE'S COMMON TRICKS

Acts just like a wireless message and "ouch" is the answer

Press an electric button and you form contract with a live wire which rings the bell. When your shoes press against your corns it pushes its sharp roots down upon a sensitive nerve and "ouch" you get a shock of pain.

Instead of trimming your corns, which merely makes them grow, just step into any drug store and ask for a quarter of an ounce of freezeone. This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. A few drops applied directly upon the tender, aching corn stops the soreness instantly, and soon the corn shrivels up out pain. This drug never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin.

#### AIR MEN'S WORK

London, May 28—Fifteen German airplanes have been destroyed by British aviators and three others driven down out of control, according to the British official communication on aviation issued tonight. The communication says also that five tons of bombs have been dropped on the Mannheim-Metz railway station.

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#### LOCAL NEWS

In the May circuit of the county court yesterday afternoon His Honor Judge Armstrong presiding, the case of the King vs. Leslie McKenzie was tried. The defendant was acquitted.

The Fairville Methodist church quarterly board held its fourth quarterly meeting last evening. Various reports of the year's work were read and all proved gratifying.

Major A. J. Markham of this city has been appointed lieutenant-colonel of the 8th Hussars, the militia cavalry organization of volunteers. Major Markham succeeds Lieut.-Colonel John A. McDougall, of McDougall's Settlement.

The play "Swords and Scissors" was repeated last evening in the Exmouth street Methodist church Sunday school room. The proceeds are to be devoted to the church fund.

A meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held yesterday afternoon in their rooms in the Orange hall, Germain street. A feature of the meeting was an informal talk by Chief Inspector Wilson.

In the police court yesterday afternoon evidence in the case showed that the physician had given four consecutive prescriptions to a young man, enabling the young man to procure liquor in a local drug store. Charles O'Connell, arrested yesterday afternoon about 9 o'clock for having liquor in his possession, was before the court and after some evidence was taken, was remanded.

#### MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

The Petrograd correspondent of the Daily Express of London says that a German ruler has been suggested for the Russian throne and that there is a movement for a revival of monarchy under the Kaiser's tutelage.

One Union Express Company for the United States was created by agreement between Director McAuliffe and the Adams, American, Well-Fargo and Southern companies.

Major W. D. Cowan, M. P., mayor of Regina, addressing the Halifax Rotary Club, said the development along the lines of the G. T. P. and the C. N. R. had reached the point where traffic would become profitable. There must be no politics in the handling of the railways, said the speaker. You have not been able to get politics out of your Intercolonial; we of the west will get it out for you pretty quick.

The body of a baby girl, aged about three years, was found at Meductic, on the St. John river, Monday by stream drivers.

Two residences in St. Martins were destroyed by fire last Thursday. The houses were owned by Joseph Burdell and Mr. Creamer. A barn adjoining the Burdell house containing hay, oats, buckwheat, wagons, mowers and other farm implements was also destroyed.

Mr. Burdell's aged mother was rescued from the burning house with difficulty. A boy seven years of age was caught in Moncton yesterday setting fire to a house. Several fires in the central part of the city of late were suspected of incendiary origin. He was taken to the police station, but was sent home to his parents and will be dealt with later.

It is not the intention to appoint an ambassador to Russia, says Mr. Balfour.

#### WOMEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR

IN SUMMER WEIGHTS

This New Underwear for the summer season comes from one of Canada's foremost knitting mills, and are most excellent undergarments in the point of fine yarns, good fitting characteristics, correct shaping and excellent wearing and service features.

We know of no better knit underwear anywhere for warm weather wear at the price. Some come sleeveless and knee length. Some with half sleeves, both light and medium weights. All beautifully elastic and of such good texture that women will declare them the best values they ever purchased at these prices.

Women's Combinations, 78c. — "Kitt-to-its" all soft fine yarns, two and one-half in short and no sleeves, lace trimmed knee. Sizes 34 to 38, 78c. per suit.

Women's Combinations, \$1.25 — Elastic rib knit, pure white yarns, soft and fine. This garment is full fashioned and made extra large throughout. Sizes 40 to 42 in. \$1.25 per suit.

Women's Bloomer Combinations, \$1.50—Merino finish, soft and fine, all flat stitched seams. Made with Dutch neck, short sleeves, knicker panties with elastic and satin ribbon finish. Sizes 34 to 38 in. \$1.50 per suit.

Women's Separate Vests and Panties—

Women's Vests—Good strong yarns, lace yoke, in short or no sleeves. Sizes 34 to 38 in. . . . 30c. each

Women's Vests—Porous knit, deep fancy yokes of lace with ribbon finish. Sizes 34 to 38 in. . . . 45c. to 60c. each

Women's Extra Out-size Vests—One knit, soft, pure white yarns; every garment full fashioned, in both short or no sleeves. Sizes 40 to 50 in. . . . 50c. to 75c. each

Women's Knit Panties—Two and one-half knit, deep lace trimming at knee. Medium size. . . . 65c.

Medium size. . . . 50c.

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London House. Head of King St.

#### METHODIST WOMEN MEET

St. Stephen, May 28—The thirty-third annual meeting of the N. B. and P. E. I. branch of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church was opened in the Methodist church here this afternoon with the president, Mrs. C. F. Sanford, of St. John, presiding. Sixty-six delegates answered at roll call. Several important committees were appointed.

An interesting memorial service was conducted by Miss C. E. Hart and Mrs. E. C. Hickson. During the year thirty-seven members have been removed by death. Mrs. G. M. Young of Fredericton, gave an interesting address on branch possibilities. During the session letters of greeting were received from the honorary president, Mrs. J. D. Chipman, of Toronto, and from Miss Harriet Stewart, a former active member of the branch now of Saskatchewan. Mrs. P. S. Enman, of Port Elgin, was appointed the representative to the conference to convene at Sackville on June 11. This evening a stirring address on Life Course was delivered by Miss Florence Bird, returned missionary. The sessions will close on Thursday evening.

#### CORNS? HAVE YOU ANY?

If so, you want to try Putnam's Corn Extract; it is not a cheap acid salt, but a genuine 25c. cure that does remove corns in twenty-four hours. Be sure and get "Putnam's Extract," 25c. at all dealers.

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Anyone who has ever suffered from boils knows how sick and miserable they make you feel.

When you think you are about cured of one, another seems ready to take its place and prolong your wretchedness. All the poulticing and lancing you may do will not cure them and stop more coming.

Boils are simply bad blood bursting out, and the bad blood must be made pure before the boils disappear.

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ARE YOU GOING TO MOVE, OR HAVE YOU A HOUSE OR FLAT TO RENT? This page of the TIMES is the city directory for the home seeker; and for the landlord who wants a tenant.

FLATS TO LET

TO LET—TWO SMALL FLATS, newly papered and cleaned, 34 Bridge street. 82292-6-5

FURNISHED ROOMS

FURNISHED ROOMS, 67 SEWELL street (6264 bell). 82295-4-5

FURNISHED FLATS

SMALL FURNISHED FLAT, APPLY Western House, Rodney street, West. 82293-6-5

AUTOS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—ONE FORD TOURING Car, One Ford Roadster, One Open-top Buick. Apply Main 1292-41, between 5 and 7 p. m. 82274-5-31

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—POSITION AS COOK BY woman. Apply 70 Woodville Road, West. 82294-6-2

ROOMS TO LET

FURNISHED BEDROOM, 89 ST. James, near Charlotte. 82213-6-4

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—SMALL WATCH, Enquire 18 Waterloo street. 82236-6-1

HORSES, ETC.

FOR SALE—GOOD COVERED EXPRESS Wagon. Call 2265-11. 82281-6-4

BOARDING

ROOMS, WITH OR WITHOUT Board, 178 Charlotte. 82281-6-4

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET—SELF-CONTAINED house, eight rooms, 400 Union street. 82143-6-11

STORES, BUILDINGS

SHOP TO LET WITH 3 ROOMS connecting, 116 Brussels, 82296-6-7

AUCTION

I am instructed to sell at Public Auction at 79 Ludlow street, Carleton, tonight at 7:30, and every night thereafter, large quantities of goods, consisting of...

TO PURCHASE

BOYS BICYCLE STATE PRICE, 20 Waterloo street. 82278-6-21

AGENTS WANTED

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WANTED

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED Auditor to put set of books in shape and audit them regularly. Address O 4, care Times. 82276-6-4

DRESSMAKING

CHILDREN'S, MISSES AND LADIES' Dresses, Suits and Coats. Owing to my increasing business I must have larger and more central quarters. Will be located at 71 Peters street, corner of Waterloo street, on after June 3rd. Madame Bunny, 50 Waterloo street. 82242-6-4

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We have splendid opportunities for a number of young women in new departments; also openings for several boys and young men. Apply T. S. SIMMS & CO., Limited t.f.

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USE THE WANT AD. WAY

WANTED—MALE HELP

Wanted An Edgeman for our Bonny River Saw Mill. Apply WILSON BOX CO. Limited FAIRVILLE

WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL to work in tea packing department. Apply C. H. McDonald, 55 Dock street. 82257-6-1

WOODSMEN

Wanted by Crown Land Department, experienced woodsmen to act as permanent Forest Rangers in Forest Service. Write for application forms and particulars to T. G. LOGGIE, Deputy Minister. Crown Land Office, Fredericton, N. B., May 27th, 1918. 82259-5-31.

PLACES IN COUNTRY

SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE WITH garden, near Camp Grounds, Red Head. Apply to Edmund Foster, Red Head, or Phone M 1625-31. 82282-6-5

WANTED—FIRST CLASS BLACKSMITH

Wanted—FIRST CLASS BLACKSMITH, good wages to right man. Marine Construction Co., Straight Shore. 82261-6-5

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FOUND—SMALL WATCH, Enquire 18 Waterloo street. 82236-6-1

WANTED—GOOD EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER

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WANTED—MAN AT CRYSTAL Creamery, 207 Charlotte. 82051-6-7

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ASHES REMOVED

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BEST PICTURES FROM YOUR... BEST PICTURES FROM YOUR...

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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET... (Quotations furnished by market...

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Am Car and Fly, Locomotive, Am Beet Sugar, etc.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

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Grocery Market

The following comment on the market... The following comment on the market...

Metal Market

(Hardware and Metal, May 25.)... The uncertainty of further supplies...

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Young men will find here plenty of Suits with Sport Coats...

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### Crop Outlook Holds Strong In All Canada

Insistent Demand for Power Machinery For Farms

Sask.'s Snow Blanket

Livestock High—Wool Clip Coming in Biggest in Last 20 Years —Oats and Flax About Finished Seeding

(By F. M. Chapman, Editor Farmers' Magazine.)

Crop conditions in Eastern Canada have steadily improved during the week of alternate rain and sunny weather. Growth in meadows and grain fields gives promise of a better than average crop. In western Canada, while considerable moisture has fallen, it has been in many parts of Saskatchewan in the nature of snow, which has caused some concern. Low temperatures in the Qu'Appelle and central districts have prevailed all the week, as low as 22 degrees occurring. That this will not seriously injure the wheat, B. T. Hutton, of the MacLean Publishing Co., writes The Financial Post today from Regina, and although there were heavy frosts at Regina and the Goose Lake districts, which may injure seed some, frosts in other parts will only retard growth. Three to eight inches of snow fell in Saskatchewan on Tuesday morning and welcome rains fell in Manitoba and Alberta. Certainly the snow will be the salvation of the situation in Saskatchewan, and we look for no serious results from the ten degrees of frost.

A despatch from the Department of Agriculture at Regina, says that: "Reports indicate eighty per cent. of the oat seeding is completed and about forty per cent. of the flax and barley. Frosts and snow general in province this week, but information too incomplete to make any estimate of damage. The C. N. R. reports show the whole wheat situation along their lines to be most promising, and the season fully two weeks ahead of last year."

Live stock prices remain firm. Many cattle are being taken to the farms for both short keep and for the season's grazing. Anything with meat on it is being greedily taken up by the butchers and packers, so that the prices during the late summer will have to be correspondingly good to enable these farmers to make a margin over their high purchase prices. The wool clip is beginning to come in. Alberta reports the highest clip in history, while the total wool clip for Canada this year will surpass the output of any year for the past twenty years.

The demand for farm machinery continues strong. Farmers are anxious to purchase all the tractors the firms have been able to ship to them.

Last week a circular was issued by some banks to their branches to help the farmers finance the purchase of tractors where 40 per cent. is paid in cash. The Ontario Department of Agriculture reports that the working of the tractors goes on far more smoothly this year than formerly.

While the fall wheat crop of Canada is down to the lowest in history, the United States reports a forecast of 960,000,000 bushels against a five year average of 408,000,000 bushels, with an average price of \$2.02 as against eighty-eight cents.

#### WHEN THEY WANT THE CORRECT TIME THEY CALL CENTRAL

In order to learn how many persons call central with a demand for "the correct time, please," a tally was kept in the central exchange in this city the other day and it was found that the total ran to 1,260, practically one-third of the number of subscribers. Persons leaving requests to be called in the morning totalled 125, but on some days the number ran to 150. The calls are timed for all the way from 8 to 8 o'clock a. m., and at the busiest hour, the work is so heavy that it has been necessary to assign a special operator to the task. The figures would indicate that there is a fine opening in St. John for an enterprising watch and clock salesman.



**COTTON MILLS PROSPER**  
At the sixteenth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Cornwall and York Cotton Mills Company, Ltd., held yesterday afternoon at the head office in Wall street, the complete board of directors were re-elected for the ensuing year. In the absence of the president, James F. Robertson, W. H. Thorne, vice-president, occupied the chair. Statements were presented for the year ending March 31, 1918. The report submitted for the year showed a profit of \$37,109, from which was written off for depreciation \$25,142, leaving \$8,967, to be added to the profit and loss.

The board of directors for the year are: James F. Robertson, president; W. H. Thorne, vice-president; James Manchester, P. P. Starr, W. J. Morrice, and A. O. Dawson, and A. Bruce, secretary-treasurer, the latter two of Montreal.

Acadia Seminary.  
The closing exercises of Acadia Seminary are in full swing. Of the twenty young ladies in the senior class, seven are New Brunswick girls. They are Ada Boyer, class president, Victoria; Agnes Belyea, Harland; Nellie Colpitts, Mapleton; Geraldine Field, Marysville; Jessie Vanwart, valdectorian, St. John; Lily Hazel Ellis, Mac's Bay.

## Be Fair to Your Dealer

AS a business man, your shoe dealer has only one object in life. That is to fill your requirements exactly—to thus make his store a more satisfactory place to shop.

Every minute of the day he is on the alert to obtain new and reliable merchandise, so that when you come into his store, you will have the best of everything at the lowest possible prices to choose from.

In addition to supplying your needs, he tries in every way possible to avoid misunderstanding, mistakes and annoyances. He sells you not only merchandise, but service.

For example: In Canada from coast to coast, there are approximately 10,000 dealers who sell shoes. They sell thousands and thousands of pairs of shoes each day. It would be surprising if among these thousands of business transactions some mistakes or misunderstandings did not occur.

Now then, when something goes wrong with your purchase, what is your attitude towards your dealer?

In most cases, of course, the basis of adjustment is evident, and most dealers in Canada are quite ready to give prompt attention to reasonable claims. That is the understanding on which all business should be done.

If you buy a suit and a seam rips or any other little thing goes wrong, you do not ask or desire a new suit, but merely have the trouble repaired.

Are you equally reasonable about shoes?

Do you make demands on your shoe dealers which in comparison with other business would be unreasonable or excessive?

Do you fully realize that footwear has to stand the roughest treatment of any wearing apparel, and is oftentimes subject to actual abuse and rough usage?

All reliable manufacturers stand fully behind their dealers in cases of reasonable claims arising from chance defects of workmanship and material. But if you force your dealer to make allowance for a claim that is unjust, he has to stand the loss.

Appreciate the fact that your retail shoe dealer wants your trade, and that he wants to have you consider his store a pleasant and satisfactory place to shop. He wants to be just, even at financial loss to himself. So the next time you have a complaint or a re-adjustment to bring to his attention, why not be sure that your claims are well founded and that what you ask him to do is reasonable.

Be fair to your dealer.

When you see the A. H. M. trade mark on a shoe, you know that not only is that mark an endorsement by the largest shoe concern in Canada, but that being the product of a highly organized industry, the shoe you are buying represents the utmost in value, style and wearing qualities which can be obtained at the price.

### AMES HOLDEN McCREADY

"Shoemakers to the Nation"



### City May Tax All Vehicles

Mayor Suggests Levy of Twenty Cents Per Cwt. on Cars and \$2 and \$3 on Horse Vehicles—\$2,500 for Commissioner's Car

It was forecasted by the mayor, yesterday, at the regular meeting of the common council, that the council would, in all probability, bring in a ruling this week whereby a tax of 20 cents per hundred pounds on all motor vehicles, owned in the city, be levied. The provincial government now levies a tax of 60 cents per 100 pounds, and the city will add, very likely, an additional 20 cents. This money, it is suggested, be placed in a separate fund for the maintenance and

improvement of those approaches to the city most used by motorists.

Commissioner McLellan introduced a motion asking for authority from the council to purchase an automobile for his own use in connection with the work of his department, the price to be limited to \$2,500. This notice was held over owing to the absence of Commissioner Fisher from the board.

A tender was received by the council for 80,000 superficial feet of merchantable deals from J. A. Gregory, at \$80 per thousand feet. The tender was referred to the commissioner of harbors, ferries and public lands and the engineer, with power to act.

Commissioner Bullock announced that no tenders had been received for birch timber and that it was extremely difficult to secure. Commissioner McLellan expressed the opinion that the council should at favorable moments contract for its anticipated supply of deals and other timber and thus secure the best prices possible.

Commissioner Hilyard moved that he be given permission to increase the wages of two of his employees twenty-five cents per day; they were chauffeurs, carpenters and blacksmiths and the increase would

boost their wages from \$2.50 to \$2.75 per day in some cases and from \$2.75 to \$3 per day in other cases. This was seconded by Commissioner McLellan and passed upon by council.

The matter of pool room licenses will be discussed in committee on Thursday. The mayor suggested that the council also consider the imposition of taxes of \$2 on all single teams and \$3 on double teams.

Andrew J. Mulochy, James McKinney and George Dunlavy were re-appointed port wardens.

The report of the committee of the whole, as already reported, was adopted.

#### RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS.

The annual meeting of the N. B. Railway Mail Clerks Association was held in their rooms, Market building, Sunday, the 26th inst., when the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: president, W. F. Griffith, St. John; first vice-president, H. R. Allen, Moncton; second vice-president, Z. Cowan, St. John; third vice-president, D. J. D'Aigle, Edmundston; secretary, W. J. Wood, St. John; assistant secretary, W. W. Frost, St. John; treasurer, W. E. Morris, St. John; executive committee, T. R. Jones, Campbellton; G. F. Enzor, St. Stephen;

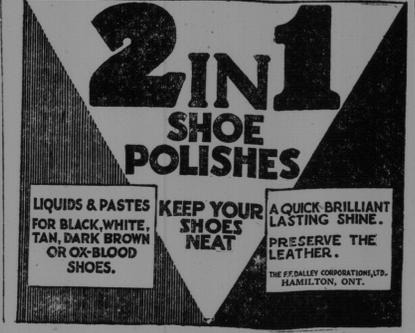
#### C. E. O'Reilly, St. John; O. C. Matthew Moncton; V. Ritchie, St. John.

#### A PUBLISHER'S GENEROSITY.

(Toronto Globe.)

J. Ross Robertson (publisher of the Toronto Telegraph) has added a check for \$11,000 to his benefactions to the Hospital for Sick Children, the total of his gifts being now half a million dollars. No Canadian has ever given more wholeheartedly or to a worthy cause than that which Mr. Robertson has made peculiarly his own.

## TO-DAY EVERYDAY AND



THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 1918

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

At The GAIETY In Fairville Wednesday and Thursday

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69,000 SEAMEN INSURED. Those Serving in U. S. Merchant Marine Carry War Risk Policies.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The extent to which officers and men in the merchant marine have enjoyed the benefits of war risk insurance is indicated by figures of his line of business carried by the government during the last year.

RAILWAY MEN WIN TUG OF WAR CONTEST. Almost 2,000 people crowded into St. Andrew's rink last evening to witness the class exhibition of the Y. M. C. I.,

GERMAN WOMEN IN U. S. REQUIRED TO REGISTER. German women in the United States are required to register with chiefs of police, or postmasters between June 11 and 26, under regulations issued by the department of justice.

7c The Kaiser is forcing us to pay more for everything that enters into the manufacture of Cigarettes.

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	14 inch blades—Regular \$10.60.....	Sale Price, \$6.00 and \$7.00
	16 inch blades—Regular \$11.25.....	Sale Price, \$6.50 and \$7.50
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Also  
A small lot of assorted sizes at \$3.00 each while they last.

**LAWN ROLLERS**

Cast Iron—Two sections. Regular \$28.00..... Sale Price, \$20.00

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**LOCAL NEWS**

**GOING TO CONVENTION.**  
Joseph Kinella, of P. Kinella & Son, will go to Moncton tomorrow to attend a convention of monument dealers in that city.

**RECEIVED PROMOTION.**  
J. C. Macdonald, of Devon, has received word that his two sons, now serving at the front, have each been promoted to the rank of sergeant.

**GOOD FISHING.**  
Thomas Reynolds and Edward McGuire returned this morning from the headwaters of Nerepis, where they have been on a fishing trip. They caught fifteen dozen large trout.

**N. B. POWER CO. MEETING.**  
W. E. McGregor of the Harris Forbes Company, Boston, accompanied by Mr. Geary, of Providence, R. I., arrived in the city at noon today to attend a meeting of the New Brunswick Power Company.

**GIVEN A SHOWER.**  
Several of the members of the Victory Circle, West St. John, assembled last evening at the home of Miss Roberta Reading, Duke street, West End, and rendered her a novelty shower. Miss Reading is to be a principal in an interesting event in the near future.

**NOVELTY SHOWER.**  
Miss Florence M. Halpin, whose marriage is to take place early in June, was rendered a novelty shower last evening at the home of Miss Rose Phillips, 363 Main street. Miss Halpin received many dainty and useful gifts. About twenty-five girl friends were present and a most enjoyable evening spent by all.

**MORE EVIDENCE TAKEN.**  
The case against Maud Creighton, who is in custody on suspicion of stealing provisions from Mrs. McAleer, was continued in the police court today. Gertrude Laydon, Mr. and Mrs. McAleer and a man named Connell testified, after which the case was postponed until tomorrow.

**MOTHERS' BANQUET.**  
The closing banquet of the Mothers' Association of St. Mary's church was held at 6 o'clock last evening in the Sunday school room of the church. There was a programme of readings by Miss Tattam, solos by Miss Dibble and Miss Marjorie Lane and speeches by Miss Coleman, Mrs. Pike and Mrs. Baxter. During the evening a set of cut glass tumblers was presented to Miss G. Christ.

**WHOSE LITTLE BOY?**  
This morning as Rev. George Scott was walking along City road he met a lost boy, apparently about two and a half or three years old, and evidently well cared for. He was dressed in white knit rompers with blue sailor coat and cap. The coat had pearl buttons and the words H. M. S. Lion were on the cap. He has the looks and stockings of the little one who was taken to the Children's Aid Shelter, 110 Elliot Row, to be cared for till claimed.

**PAVING WORK.**  
The water and sewerage department has discovered some more work which must be done in Main street before the permanent paving is laid, and the men of that department still are engaged there, thus delaying the paving operation. In Union street a start has been made on the work of resetting the curbing preparatory to paving that street. As the water and sewerage department has some work to do there also and the city staff is waiting to complete Main street before tackling Union, it is uncertain when this will be completed.

**YOUNG GIRLS IN STREETS.**  
"There are more men in the docket this morning on a charge of drunkenness than faced me for the entire month of May last year," said Magistrate Ritchie when he took his seat in the police court this morning. Since Monday nine men have appeared to answer a charge of drunkenness and one for having liquor in his possession. Referring to conditions in St. John, the magistrate said that the immorality existing in St. John today was worse than ram. He said that it was surprising the number of young girls seen about the streets at night, and said he did not understand why the policemen did not stop them and ascertain why they were out and where they were going.

**PRESENTATION TO DEACONESS.**  
The Young Women's Welcome Circle of St. David's church met on Tuesday evening in the parlor of the church. After the usual sewing, games and music were enjoyed by the large number present. At the close Miss Anna Halliday presented to Miss Laird, the deaconess of the church, who has been their teacher for several months, a fine morocco bound Bible as a token of appreciation for the members of the class. Miss Laird thanked the girls, who feel deeply her departure from them. She goes from the cases with the good wishes of all and regret on her own part that she cannot remain with them. Before dispersing Auld Lang Syne and the national anthem were sung.

**PRIESTS GO TO NEW CHARGES; PURSE FOR FATHER COUGHLAN**

Rev. H. I. Coughlan left this morning for St. Martin's to enter upon his duties as parish priest. Last evening in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. I. there was a demonstration of his popularity when a substantial purse of gold was presented to him, the gift of personal friends. The presentation was made by Peter Lunney and Father Coughlan expressed his deep appreciation of the sentiments in the presentation speech and his thanks for the very fine gift. He has won a high place in the people's esteem, though but a few years in the priesthood, and has been particularly effective in his work among the men of the Cathedral. All will wish him well in his new work.

Rev. William Hannigan, formerly of St. Martin's, was in the city yesterday and left today for Petreville to take up his new duties as parish priest there.

**KILLED FIGHTING AGAINST GREAT ODDS; FOUR TO ONE**

Lieut. Robin L. Johnson's Death Reported by Major

GALLANT ST. JOHN OFFICER

Attacked in Air Over Lines by Quartette of German Scouts and Shot Down After a Stout Fight



LIEUT. ROBIN L. JOHNSON

The following letter was received yesterday by J. Carly Johnson, 101 King street east, regarding his eldest son, Lieut. Robin L. Johnson, who was reported missing on May 9.

Dear Mr. Johnson,—It is with the deepest regret that I have to advise you of the death in action yesterday of your son, Lieut. R. L. Johnson. While working over the lines observing the fire of our artillery his machine was attacked by four enemy scouts and, after a very stout fight on his part, shot down. The machine fell on the enemy side of the lines out of sight of ground observers. Those who saw the fight say there is little doubt that both pilot and observer were killed instantaneously by the fire from the enemy scouts.

His loss is indeed a blow to the squadron, as your son, though he had only been with us just over a month, with his knowledge of artillery and his stoutness of heart in the air, was rapidly becoming one of the most valuable pilots in the squadron. In the time I know too, every one will miss him very much. May I for myself and on behalf of all the officers of the squadron offer you our most heartfelt sympathy.

Yours sincerely,  
WILFRED H. SNOW,  
Major, No. 2 Squadron,  
Royal Air Force.

Lieutenant Johnson enlisted with the 4th Battery, Royal Field Artillery, in October, 1915, and went overseas with that unit. He was wounded at Vimy Ridge on June 8, 1917, and after recovering went to England and successfully passed for a commission in the royal air force and was gassed in November, 1917.

Prior to enlisting, Lieutenant Johnson was employed with the C. P. R. After graduating from McGill University in 1911 he took up transportation work and served through all the branches of the service and was rapidly advancing in his chosen profession when he heard the call to duty and enlisted. He was well known and a popular young man and the news of his death will be heard with keen regret.

He was twenty-nine years of age and is survived by his parents, four brothers and one sister. The brothers are C. Valin, Montreal; A. Bruce, in P. E. Island; Pte. Keith W., with a forestry battalion overseas; and Roland G., who went overseas with the 8th C. M. R. and after being wounded at Ypres returned home as an American citizen, attending the local high school.

**HAD NOT CHANCE TO EXAMINE JURY LIST; CASE POSTPONED**

The case of the King vs. Gordon and Whitman came up for trial in the county court this morning before His Honor Judge Armstrong. An array of jurors in addition to the original panel had been summoned, and as the list of those was presented to the counsel for the defence only in court, D. Mullin, K. C., said that he had no opportunity to examine the list of jurors, and asked a postponement in order that he might do so. He further objected that the list did not note the occupations of the jurors. His honor conceded the right of the counsel for the defence, and said that he would very reluctantly grant a postponement until the afternoon, L. F. D. Tilley, K. C., and B. L. Gerow are also appearing for the defence, and Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., and G. H. V. Belyea for the prosecution.

**THE VALUE OF A DOLLAR.**  
While every one has learned that the purchasing power of a dollar is not what it once was, Canadians have prided themselves that their dollar was worth at least as much as the currency of any other country. A citizen of the United States, now in the city was not so sure of this. When tendered some Canadian bills in exchange for U. S. currency, he regarded them suspiciously and asked: "Is the Canadian dollar worth as much as an American dollar?" The clerk patiently explained that it was.

**THE OCONOE.**  
Repairs are being made to the rudder of the river steamer Oconoe. She was expected back on her route this afternoon.

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