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## STILL AWAIT SIGNAL FOR GREAT CLASH ON THE WESTERN FRONT

### Artillery Pounds Away In Thunderous Duels and Airmen Are Everywhere

### British Have Made Marvelous Record in the Air During Early Days of March; Many Hun Machines Sent Hurling to Destruction

British front in France and Belgium, Tuesday, Mar. 12.—(By the Associated Press).—This has been another day of ideal fighting weather, but there has been no change in the situation. The British and German military machines—tuned to the finest pitch and probably as nearly perfect as it is possible to make them—are still awaiting the signal which will send them crashing against each other.

Meanwhile the artillery pounds away in thunderous duels at various points and aerial airmen are busy bombing, photographing and acting as eyes for the respective armies.

#### MARVELLOUS WORK BY AIRMEN.

The British airmen have been doing marvelous work recently. The first ten days of March, as a whole, have been among the best yet recorded for the service. During that period, in addition to a vast amount of reconnaissance and photography, the intrepid Britishers destroyed thirty-nine German airplanes and brought down forty others out of control, despite the fact that the first two or three days of the month were so stormy that aerial activity was virtually impossible. Against this total, fifteen British machines are reported missing.

Yesterday another fine record was made, but the official figures are not yet available. There have been many air battles and virtually all have occurred behind the German lines, which means that the British airmen have been destroying the aerial war vigorously into the enemy territory.

## GERMANS ARE ON THE MARCH INTO FINLAND

### Abo Occupied By A Strong Detachment—Advance Guard Also in Odessa

Petrograd, Mar. 13.—A strong German detachment is reported to have occupied Abo, on the coast of Finland west of Helsinki. The Germans immediately began to march into the interior of Finland.

The advance guards of the Germans are reported to have entered Odessa, the greatest Russian port on the Black Sea, and the centre of a great agricultural section. The German advance through Moldavia and Besarabia has been virtually unopposed.

#### An American View.

Boston, Mar. 14.—"It is significant that all the forces in this country opposed to sending Japanese troops into Korea are those that look to a pro-German or anti-British stand on other issues," said Brigadier-General John A. Johnson, commander of the department of the north, today in a statement on the Asiatic situation.

"Of course," he continued, "there are other considerations to be taken into account, but that the forces are opposed to it is one good reason, in my mind why we should be in a position to make a delicate situation. Russia is our friend and if the Allies go into Russia we should make it clear to her that we are in Germany there, but to protect our property there and our friends."

"Lieut.-Colonel Wm. V. Jackson, who has just returned from Russia, told me that he had talked with many of the more intelligent Russians of all parties and that without exception they feared Japanese intervention because of the possibility that it might crystallize public opinion in favor of the Germans."

#### German Uneasiness

Amsterdam, Mar. 13.—Some sections of the German press are becoming uneasy over developments in the Far East. The Frankfurter Zeitung considers that the breaking up of Russia into independent states is a bad policy for Germany, and urges the greatest tact and prudence be used in dealing with the border states so that they will not "in the future sign for a reunion with Russia and become so many thorns in Germany's side. The newspaper adds: "Clearly the Entente policy is to use the Japanese alliance to shove Germany out of Asiatic markets forever. Germany played their game by breaking up Russia. Germany now has no more hope than ever of being able to conduct a far eastern policy except in conjunction with Great Britain and Russia. That is why a weak Russia will not contribute to Germany's ultimate welfare."

#### The Aland Islands

London, Mar. 14.—The people of the Aland Islands have sent an appeal to the Finnish government and the German and Swedish monarchs asking that their wishes be considered before the final peace conference is held, citing the Copenhagen correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company. The request is made that a plebiscite be taken.

#### MISS FANNIE CONNELL

Many will learn with regret of the death of Miss Fannie Connell, formerly of Dorchester, which occurred yesterday afternoon at the residence of her cousin, Miss Nellie Connell, 409 Main street. The will take place tomorrow morning at 8.45.

## Women and Children Crushed To Death As Huns Raid Paris

### Sixty-Six Die in Panic as They Crowd To Subway for Refuge; Victims Total Hundred or More

Paris, Mar. 14.—The official statement on Monday night's air raid says: "The number of victims of the bombardment is now known. In Paris twenty-nine were killed and fifty injured; in the suburbs five were killed and twenty-five injured. Unfortunately, to these must be added sixty-six others who were crushed to death by a crowd in a panic at the entrance to the Metrogopolis subway station, where they were seeking refuge. These last victims of German barbarism are almost entirely women and children. The hospital was damaged seriously by bombs which killed six and injured seven. "The points where the bombs fell, both in Paris and in the immediate neighborhood, were not very numerous as a large number of enemy machines were forced to retreat before the artillery barrage. They dropped projectiles in suburban districts for a great distance from Paris.

"During the raid four German aviators were brought down within our lines. Three of these were of the Gotha type, while the fourth was an ordinary two-seater. One of the Gotha machines was destroyed by fire and the pilot and crew were not injured. Two policemen were killed and three injured in the raid. One of the German police-men was awarded the military medal."

## Would Have Appointment Of Police Magistrate Given Into City's Hands

### Commissioner McLellan Gives Notice of Motion and Makes Statement as to Reasons—Grants For Travelers' Aid And Catholic Girls' Guild Applied For

Matters of importance were dealt with at a committee meeting of the common council this morning. Commissioner McLellan gave notice of motion to place the appointment of the magistrate in the hands of the city. A communication was read from Messrs. Barnhill, Dewey & Sanford saying that on behalf of the Booth Fisheries Co., Ltd., they desired to notify the city that they had accepted the offer made by them. The matter of issuing deeds to Fred Belyea for lots 3 and 8 in West St. John was also discussed.

#### FOR PREVENTION OF FOOD WASTE

### Canada Food Board Makes Important Announcement of Course of Action

Ottawa, Mar. 14.—The following official statement was issued this morning by the Canada food board: "Waste of any food or food products resulting from carelessness, manner of storage, or any other avoidable cause, is now illegal and subject to penalty. Municipalities are obliged to enforce this regulation within their respective municipal limits. An order-in-council has been passed embodying these provisions which were recommended by the Canada food board and recommended to the cabinet council by the minister of agriculture.

#### WEATHER REPORT

Issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

#### WEATHER REPORT

Synopsis.—The depression mentioned yesterday is now centered in the Ohio Valley, causing snow and rain in the peninsula of Ontario. Elsewhere in Canada fair weather prevails.

#### WEATHER REPORT

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North Shore—Fair and moderately cold today, snow on Friday, turning locally to sleet.

#### WEATHER REPORT

Maritime—Winds becoming strong to moderate local gales easterly, snow and rain tonight and on Friday.

#### WEATHER REPORT

Washington—Rain and warmer tonight. Friday, generally fair and somewhat colder, fresh to strong east to south winds, shifting to west and northwest Friday.

## Another Zeppelin Across; 5 People In Hartlepool Killed

### Raider's Bombs Fall Mostly Into Sea; Two British Aviators Fight Five of Enemy Over North Sea and Bring Down Two

London, Mar. 14.—In an air raid last night it dropped four bombs on Hartlepool. Six dwellings were demolished there, and thirty were damaged. Five persons were killed and nine injured. The following official statement was issued today: "Only one airship crossed the coast last night. It dropped four bombs on Hartlepool. The raider, which was operating at a great altitude, remained over and only a few minutes after the remainder of its bombs appear to have fallen into the sea.

## FIRST CAUCUS OF OPPOSITION

### Party Members In Conference In Fredericton

Fredericton, Mar. 14.—The opposition members held their first caucus of the session at noon.

## SOME LABOR MATTERS

### Delegation Presents Resolutions to Government—Jordan Sanitarium Estimates This Year About the Same as Last

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## WILL TAKE THE DUTCH SHIPS

### Holland Government Not Moving Fast Enough

London, Mar. 14.—Because of the long delay in the negotiations with Holland over Dutch ships in Allied ports and the slowness of the Dutch government to act in this respect, Great Britain and the United States have reached an agreement to end the negotiations and take over all such ships next week for the use of the Allies.

## RESOLUTIONS BY THE FARMERS

### They're Against Daylight Saving—Want Guaranteed Price For Pork—Food Controller Condemned

Fredericton, N. B., Mar. 14.—The Farmers' and Dairyman's Association this morning heard addresses by W. R. Reek and J. H. Gridale.

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### Guilford Castle was attacked unsuccessfully by a submarine in the British Channel on March 10. This was officially announced today.

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## BOSTON SEES CHEAPER FISH AS RESULT OF AGREEMENT

Boston, Mar. 14.—An increase in the supply of fresh fish in New England, with consequent reduction in prices, was predicted today by Boston fish dealers, as a result of the agreement between Canada and the United States. They also believe that the provision of the agreement which will allow Canadian fishermen to put into American ports, will greatly augment the depleted fleet bringing fish to Boston.

## MRS. JAMES S. BAILEY

Mrs. Janet E. Bailey, wife of James S. Bailey, of Kingsclear, died this morning. She is survived by her husband, one son, Frank, one brother, William Edgar, of Kingsclear, and four sisters, Mrs. John Gilman and Miss Belle Edgar, of Fredericton, and Mrs. A. W. Fleming of Woodstock.

## UNDER THE M. S. A.

Sub-Inspector Frank L. Phillips of the Dominion police left this morning for Edmonton. He took with him Sgt. William Litterick, who has been detailed to that district.

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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

"STRONGHEART" AT OPERA HOUSE MAR. 20-21

Annual Performance in Aid of Orphans—Excellent Play

THE "DEVIL STONE," WITH FARRAR, CONCLUDES TONIGHT

Geraldine Farrar, noted grand opera star and scenic notable, will conclude her pictorial appearances in "The Devil Stone" at the Imperial tonight.

OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT: ALL NEW TOMORROW

Lovers of the poetry of motion as exemplified in the art of dancing should see that splendid dancing feature at the Opera House this evening.

BILLY BURKE AT IMPERIAL TOMORROW

Untraded girls looking for work are often faced with the question as to whether a "companion" position with some wealthy old lady would not be the best thing they could find.

IMPORTANT

The disrupted train service has kept back the Gem's feature picture, "Man's Woman" again. It should be here for tomorrow.

RECENT DEATHS

Miss Laura Hanson, daughter of Mrs. Moore of Hammond street, Bangor, died on Monday in the Eastern Maine General Hospital, following an operation.

MADDOX WANTS INVENTORY OF RAILROADS SUPPLIES

Washington, Mar. 14.—Railroads were ordered today by Director General McAdoo to make an inventory of materials and supplies on hand Dec. 31, 1915.

HUNGARY TO GET OIL FIELDS OF ROUMANIA

Amsterdam, Mar. 14.—The Deutsche Tages Zeitung, of Berlin, prints a Vienna despatch to the effect that the Roumanian oil fields will be ceded territorially to Hungary.

NONE OPPOSE BILL TO LEGALIZE BOXING IN NEW YORK STATE

Albany, N. Y., Mar. 14.—No opposition to the McCue bill to legalize boxing in the state was heard at the hearing on the measure before the assembly judiciary committee today.

READING FEATURE AT N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE OPENING

New York, Mar. 14.—(Wall street)—Reading was the striking feature of the uncertain opening of today's stock market, advancing three points in the first half hour.

Stoic a Little Coal To Warm His Kiddies; Goes To Jail For Ten Days

Montreal, Mar. 14.—Joseph Chandel stole thirty-five pounds of coal, valued at \$1.50, as he said he had five children and no fuel with which to keep them warm.

CONDENSED NEWS

Vancouver defeated Seattle in a hockey match last night, in Vancouver, one to nothing. The Bank of England rate remains unchanged.

AMHERST HOLDS THE MCELLEAN CUP

Amherst, N. S., Mar. 14.—Amherst successfully defended the McEllan Cup last evening by defeating the New Glasgow curlers with ten points to spare.

WAR NOTES

According to official Italian statements, Italy's war expenses to January amounted to \$8,000,000,000 lire.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

QUINLAN—On Mar. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Quinlan, a daughter.

DEATHS

ALLEN—This morning in the General Public Hospital, William Charles Allen, of 261 Wentworth street, leaving his wife, three sons and two daughters to mourn.

IN MEMORIAM

ANN—In loving memory of Ann Mahoney, who departed this life March 14, 1915.

CARDS OF THANKS

George Reed and family wish to thank all friends for great kindness, also for floral offerings received during recent bereavement.

LOCAL NEWS

Watch for special low prices at the corner Union and Sydney.

Sold out to D. Bassen, 14-16-18 Charlotte street, the stock of A. J. Russell, Main street.

Watch for special announcement in tomorrow's Times for bargains at the corner Union and Sydney.

An assortment of ladies gun metal and patent boots, laced or buttoned, at Steel's Shoe Store, 621 Main street, for \$8.85 a pair.

Remember the stock of A. J. Russell, Main street, has been sold to D. Bassen, and Bassen is selling it to the people at old prices at 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches.

The McLaughlin automobile display opens today, showrooms 144 Union street. It will be worth your while to see these 1915 models.

ST. JOHN ART CLUB The monthly meeting of the St. John Art Club will be held this Thursday evening in the studio, Peel street. Lecture by Edward A. Smith.

Regular meeting of the John Trades & Labor Council Friday night, Oddfellows Hall. Business of importance, 8-16.

ST. PATRICK'S TEA AND SALE Don't miss the opportunity to purchase your shamrock buttonhole at the Canoe Club tea to be held in the Discharge Depot by Royal Standard Chapter on Saturday, March 18. Tickets 25 cents; to be had from members of chapter and Misses Gray & Ritchey.

Y. W. P. A. Capt. Best of Y. M. C. A. will address the Y. W. P. A. at their meeting in Veterans' rooms, Union street, 8 o'clock tonight.

SONS OF ENGLAND NOTICE Owing to the sudden death of Brother William Allen the social evening arranged for tomorrow evening in Portland Lodge is postponed indefinitely.

NOTICE I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by my wife, Cassie Ellis.

TAXING OF PROFITS. Ottawa, Mar. 14.—The whole question of profit taxation, it is understood, was raised today at a private conference between the government and a delegation representing the Canadian Manufacturers Association.

WHAT ABOUT REDUCING YOUR GROCERY BILL?

Read This List of Cash Prices for Friday and Saturday:

- EXTRAS—These goods have damaged labels, otherwise they are good. 50c. bottle Eng. Malt Vinegar, 25c. bottle Pangan Pickles, 10c. bottle Holbrook's Sauce, 17c. 2c. bottle Packard's Russett and Tan Shoe Dressing for 15c.

OLEOMARGARINE

Only 33c. lb., 10 lb. boxes, 32c. lb.

SUGAR

- 2 lb. pkge., 20c.; 10 lb. bag, 97c. 5 lb. pkge., 49c.; 20 lb. bag, \$1.93 2 lbs. Pulverized Sugar, 23c. 18c. tumbler Pure Rasp. Jam, 15c. 25c. jar Pure Rasp. Jam, 22c. 50c. jar Orange Marmalade, 14c. 20c. tin Lombard Plums, 15c. 20c. tin Grated Pineapple, 14c. 40c. tin Sliced Peas, 35c. 20c. tin Sliced Peaches, 21c. 40c. tin Cressa Peaches, 35c. 20c. cake Baker's Chocolate, 20c. 1 lb. White Moss Coconut, 31c. 25c. bottle P. O. Vanilla, 21c. 12c. bottle Eagle Vanilla, 9c. Apples—N. S. Baldwins, 33c. pk. 1 lb. Soy Beans, 23c. 15c. pkge. Macaroni for 12c. 15c. Koyal Jelly Tablet, 10c. 1 lb. block Pure Lard, 33c. 1 lb. tin Crisco for 32c. 1 1/2 lb. tin Crisco for 47c. 24 lb. bag New War Flour, \$1.59 Golden Dates, Only 9c. pkge.

FISH

- 1 lb. pkge. Cod Bits, 12 1/2c. 1 lb. pkge. Starr Cod, 17c. 15c. pkge. Shredded Cod, 12 1/2c. Epicure Herring, 27c. lb. 25c. Asst. Sardines, 15c. tin 40c. Boneless Sardines, 25c. tin 35c. tin Tunny Fish, 25c. 27c. tin Salmon, 22c. Lobsters (flat tins), 29c. 25c. tin Shrimps, Only 19c. 25c. tin Pat Herring in Sauce, 21c. 20c. tin Kipperd Herring, 21c. 30c. tin Mackerel in Sauce, 25c. 35c. tin Fresh Mackerel, Only 31c.

TOILET PAPER

3 rolls Carnation Brand, 25c. Union Hand Cleaner, 10c. tin

SOAPS

- 5 cakes Lenox Soap, 29c. 5 cakes Ivory Soap, 35c. 5 cakes Sunlight Soap, 35c. 5 cakes Gold Soap, 35c. 2 bottles Household Ammonia, 21c.

Gilbert's Grocery

LOCAL NEWS

SUMMONED HOME. J. E. Tigue of St. John, who has been attending the labor convention in Fredericton, was called home today by the serious illness of his wife.

FUNERALS. The funeral of Francis Bourque of Millford took place this morning. Interment was made in the Holy Cross cemetery.

The funeral of Francis V. Record took place yesterday afternoon from the parents' residence, Richmond street. Services were conducted by Rev. G. A. Kahring. Interment was made in Fernhill.

MAYOR TO ACT FOR HIM. Commissioner Wigmore expects to go to Ottawa Saturday and in case anything turns up during his absence he has asked Mayor Hayes to look after his department.

C. P. R. HELPS IN FOOD PRODUCTION. Montreal, Mar. 14.—In order to stimulate food production, the C. P. R. has sent out a notice urging all section foremen, station agents, etc., to cultivate vacant land along the right of way to be supplied to the employees without rent.

PERSONALS. The Misses Eliza and Mary Burke of Moncton are the guests of Miss Leta Woodrow, Delhi street.

R. W. W. Friel returned to the city today on the Maritime train.

LIEUTENANT GILMOUR, IN OFFICIAL LIST. Ottawa, Mar. 18.—Casualties: INFANTRY. Killed in Action. Lieut. A. Nicholson, Orwell Core, P. E. I.

Missing. Lieut. A. C. Gilmour, St. John, N. B.

III. J. D. McDonald, Sydney, N. S.; H. I. Taylor, East Apple River, N. S. RAILWAY TROOPS. III. A. McEwen, Inverville, N. S.

"SCRAPS OF PAPER." (St. Frederick E. Smith, K. C. M. P., Attorney-General of Great Britain, in Cartoons Magazine.)

I sometimes wonder, when I look back on the solemn mockery of the Hague convales, in which all nations, excepting Germany participated with honest solitude, what those German representatives said about us in their private conversation. We know they never had the slightest intention of paying any importance to any of them.

We thought we were formulating treaties as solemn as the ten commandments. Now we find that our treaties were not binding and when they are not binding they are obsolete.

Knowing this now we must teach these malefactors that there is a court which judges their actions, even though it may be slow in enforcing its judgment.

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The whole relation between states resolves itself into elemental anarchy unless the states are organized into a world government.

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GEM BILL VARIED AND GOOD ENTERTAINMENT

Patrons of the Gem were well entertained last night with "The Helms of the World," a five reel photo play in which Leslie Love played the principal part.

BOLO PASHA MUST DIE

Paris, Mar. 13.—(Delayed)—The appeal of Bolo Pasha from the sentence of death imposed by court martial for treason was rejected today by the court of revision, which confirmed the original judgment.

WOUNDED BRITISH OFFICERS ON ORCHARD LANDS IN STATE

New York, Mar. 14.—Nine disabled British army officers will arrive in New York soon to engage in the cultivation of orchard lands under the auspices of the imperial association for assisting disabled naval and military officers.

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NOTICE

Owing to the lateness of the Spring in the Maritime Provinces, and on account of other unforeseen difficulties, it has been decided that the Enrollment Week in connection with the Soldiers of the Soil Movement should be postponed from March, the 17th, till about the first week in April. Definite dates will be announced later.

This Notice is in lieu of the announcement of the Canada Food Board, which has appeared in the daily papers. Other Provincial papers are asked to copy.

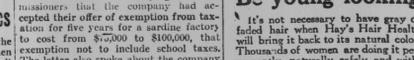
A. H. CHIPMAN, Provincial Supt. Soldiers of the Soil.

WOULD HAVE APPOINTMENT OF POLICE MAGISTRATE GIVEN INTO CITY'S HANDS

(Continued from page 1) The case of Magistrate Ritchie, with reference to superannuation and salary. He said that Magistrate Ritchie frequently criticized the police department and by his remarks had done much to hurt the efficiency of the police force.

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E. CLINTON BRO

LOCAL NEWS

At the annual meeting of the New Brunswick Beekeepers Association last night at Fredericton, H. Peabody of Woodstock, was chosen president; Harry Armstrong of St. John is a director.

It was said yesterday that probably the port of St. John will handle in the vicinity of 200,000 tons of freight each month during the summer of 1918, much of it from the United States.

The three-masted schooner Hilda M. Stark, built in Annapolis, N. S., by the Annapolis Shipping Company, was successfully launched yesterday. She is coming to St. John to load.

Miss Doris Hickman, young daughter of C. B. Hickman, of Dorchester, was conveyed on a special train to Moncton from Netherwood College yesterday in a serious condition. She was to be operated on in Moncton hospital by Dr. Ferguson for peritonitis.

A young married woman was found in Hilyard's slip clinging to a cake of ice last night. She was found by Harry Brown and at the time was suffering intensely from the cold. She was treated by Dr. Mahoney and was progressing well last night. She lost a baby recently and this is supposed to have affected her mind temporarily.

Captain John R. Gale, O. C. A. company of the 21st battalion and a former teacher in the St. John High school, in a letter from the front makes an appeal for funds for the men of his company, many of whom are from New Brunswick. Contributions will be acknowledged by Captain Gale's sister, Alma N. Gale, 268 Main street, St. John.

An entertainment was given last evening in the Red Tangle room in the immigration building, West St. John. Boxing bouts between members of the 2nd Battalion and the Depot Battalion were featured. Other numbers included solo by Mrs. Murray Long and Mrs. Downey; dancing by little Miss Lorna Waring and short address by W. C. Cross and Major Morgan. A. M. McLeod presided.

At the annual meeting of the New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association last evening in Fredericton, A. G. Turner, reported membership of 100, total assets of \$1,000 and a balance of \$284.41 on hand. T. H. Estabrooks of St. John was elected honorary president; S. B. Hatheway, Kingsclear, president; F. Fawcett, Sackville, vice-president; A. G. Turner, secretary-treasurer; additional members of the executive, A. R. Gorham, Grey's Mills, and W. B. Gilman, Kingsclear.

LOCAL NEWS

Just arrived, a line of men's mahogany boots, at Steel's Shoe Store, 521 Main St. Smart Millinery—McLaughlin's, 42 King Square. 74281-3-15

Ladies' white buck boots, high or low heels, at Steel's Shoe Store, 521 Main St. Place your order for your made-to-order suit and overcoat for Easter early. A. Turner, out of high rent district, 410 Main.

Ladies' boots only \$2 a pair, at Steel's Shoe Store, 521 Main St. A man who can't afford to pay a high price for his spring suit or overcoat, would do well to call at Turner's, out-of-the-high-rent district, 440 Main street.

We bought A. J. Russell's stock, Main street. We bought it right and will sell it right to the people—D. Hasen, 14-16 Charlotte street. No branches. 8-15.

IMPORTANT MEETING. The Prohibition Law Enforcement League will meet at the Y. M. C. A. Monday, March 18, at 8 p. m. Important business to come before the meeting. All interested are urged to attend. By order, Rev. W. R. Robinson, President. 8-9-14-16

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### HOUSING REFORM.

At yesterday's meeting of the Associated Charities the housing question was discussed by ladies whose visitations take them into the wretched tenements which some people are compelled to dignify with the name of home. Consider a basement flat below the sidewalk level, where three rooms are too damp for use, and the tenants, herded in the other rooms, must pay rent for all. Or a tenement into the half of which the water pours whenever it rains. Or a miserable flat so cold that it cannot be made warm. Or an old wooden tenement with many tenants, good and bad, thrown together by their common poverty, with none of the privacy which is prized so much in a real home. Consider the effect on the health of the inmates and the children as well as bodies of the children. If we are to rear a healthy generation, physically, mentally and morally, we must give the children a chance. The housing problem is one of the great and pressing problems of the city. It is charged that some landlords make money out of the grim necessities of the poor. It is also charged that the man and woman who are raising a large family have exceptional difficulty in getting desirable tenements. But, worst of all, it is actually true that many families must live in houses whose owners should be compelled to make extensive repairs. It is true there are some families who would make a wreck of any tenement, but that cannot be made an excuse for wholesale disregard of housing conditions in general. The question must be faced fairly and courageously, and no haphazard method of dealing with the problem will bring the desired results. It is a community problem, to be dealt with by the citizens as a body.

### THE HIGHWAY ACT.

The bill concerning highways which Hon. Mr. Veniot presented in the legislature yesterday is in its general principles a notable and much needed advance on all former road legislation in this province. There will be of course difficulty in dividing the roads into trunk roads and branch roads, because of local demands, but after the policy has been adopted and inaugurated an adjustment of rival claims of different sections can be made by degrees until justice has been done to all. A most important change, long overdue, is that which gives the people of the parishes, along branch roads, the authority to elect their own supervisors, who must publish their accounts for the scrutiny of all their neighbors. This will be a guarantee that none of the road money will be wasted, any more than in the case with school money. The question of statute labor is also left with the people to decide. Perhaps it would be better to have no statute labor, but the bill leaves the decision with the people of each parish to be decided by vote. With the right kind of supervisor or even statute labor should produce fairly good results. So far as trunk roads are concerned, the bill gives the minister authority to appoint the supervisor, and as a good deal of permanent work will be done this is quite proper; but the supervisors must post their accounts just as in the case of those on branch roads, so that the people will know exactly what is done with the money. The great merit of the new measure is that it brings the administration of the roads department closer to the people. The bill also provides for the patrol system, which has proved so great a success wherever inaugurated, as for example in Maine. This reform has long been urged, and will prove of immense benefit. It is very desirable that the rule of the road be changed to conform with that in other parts of Canada and in the United States, where traffic turns to the right. The clauses providing for better protection of roads from destructive heavy traffic in spring are greatly in the interest of the taxpayer and user of the roads in summer. The increase in the property tax and poll tax to provide funds for road work will not involve hardship, for the ratepayers will get more than their money back in improved means of communication. Hon. Mr. Veniot invites criticism and will welcome suggestions in working out the details of the bill. It is a thoroughly progressive measure and a courageous attempt to give this province a system of good roads. The Foster government is redeeming its pledges and deserves the highest credit for sincerity as well as for a business-like grasp of public affairs. Hon. Mr. Veniot has not spared himself in his study of the road problem, and the result of his work is a tribute to his marked ability.

The Standard is highly pleased with Commissioner Stevens. This, however, does not dispose of the evidence given at the enquiry into Valley Railway affairs. That record stands, and the people are as competent as the commissioner to arrive at a verdict. Their verdict differs from that of the commissioner.

### A FAIR PROPOSITION.

"It is the opinion of this committee and we believe of citizens generally, that whatever may be said for or against the necessity for increased rates, existing legislation should not be modified in the interests of the Power company, until the interests of the city have been fully considered and guarded." This paragraph from the platform of the Committee of One Hundred will commend itself to every member of the legislature as the statement of a fair and reasonable proposition. The city gave the franchise under which the New Brunswick Power Company does business. It uses the city streets and derives its profits from the people in return for service rendered. Is the service adequate? Is not the company with its present rates getting a very large profit on the real amount of money invested? The people are convinced that it is, and they are also aware that the service is not adequate. The company's annual report lately issued shows a surplus after paying all interest and dividends, although the interest charge had been largely increased without any improvement in the service. Clearly, then, there should be no legislation empowering the company to increase rates until the interests of the city have been fully considered and guarded.

The capture of Odessa by the Germans ought to have some influence upon the deliberations at Moscow today. It may soon be the turn of Petrograd to witness the entry of German soldiers, if the Bolsheviks are permitted to continue their work of destroying Russia.

The opposition is making great headway at Fredericton. One has only to read the Standard to perceive that the "Fosterites" are mannikins, and Mr. Murray and his followers a galaxy of shining intellects almost wasted in the dull atmosphere of a provincial town.

The food board at Ottawa has thrown upon the municipalities the task of enforcing regulations to prevent waste of food. Will they have the courage to act? What about the waste of potatoes in New Brunswick?

Germany is pressing steadily eastward. That will at least give more time for the Americans to get their armies and air squadrons transported to the western front, where the war is to be won.

The submarines got eighteen British vessels last week. Of these fifteen were over 1,600 tons. Ship-production must be speeded up to meet a critical situation.

### MUST RETALIATE ON THE GERMANS

#### Allies Should Meet Foe's Industrial Weapons With Their Commercial

London, Mar. 13.—The Evening Standard says: "Germany is to have free commercial access from Russian territory to Persia and Afghanistan, also a perfectly free hand for exploiting the rich coal and ore deposits of Spitzbergen. In Armenia she secures through Turkey control of the great oil fields of the Caspian. The German Eagle already holds in its talons a greater part of the mineral wealth of Europe, from Germany and Belgium to Galicia and Poland. What reason prevents the Allies from securing Spitzbergen against the enemy and also indulging in a policy of economic retaliation? The Evening Standard has for months urged that the Allies, who hold the greater part of the world's raw material supply, coaling stations and waterways, should use this powerful weapon to the full, yet, through some panderer, not only is the weapon not used, but our doctrinaire politicians demand that it shall under no circumstances be employed. "It is well known that President Wilson looks forward to an ideal state of affairs, in which economic warfare shall go to the same lumber room as militarism, but that presupposes a reformed Germany. If Germany adopts, as she is doing, a policy of naked plunder, it would seem imperative that no scruple, however lofty its inspiration, should stand in the way of self-defence. U. S. Favors Boycott. "Business men in America are rapidly coming to the view that the economic weapon must be used against Germany, if only in the first instance as a threat, but a threat that, in certain circumstances, will be carried into effect. President Wilson's eventual conversion to that view. At the same time it is well to remember that a realization of Germany's tremendous scheme of economic aggression is subject to a military decision that will be arrived at some day on the western front."

Lord Crewe has decided to sell further portions of his Cheshire estates, including farms and other portions at Sandbach, Warrington, Sproston and Bunbury.

The Chicago Vacant Lot Association hopes to see a quarter of a million food producing gardens in the Windy City this year.

## HAMBURG-BAGDAD NO LONGER SLOGAN

### German Enmity of Britain Transferred to United States—Latest Dream in Berlin

The Hague, Mar. 14.—Since the British captured Bagdad and Jerusalem the tendency of Germany's projects for expansion has changed its direction. The cry "from Hamburg to Bagdad" has lost its enchantment; Paul Rohrbach's ideas are gaining importance. His slogan "Drang nach Osten" sees in Persia and Afghanistan possibilities for German economic expansion which were never dreamed of in the days when Russia stood up. The oil fields of South Russia, with areas of territory where cotton and cereals could be grown, are being regarded as most important in helping to prepare complete independence from America. The intense enmity felt against Great Britain is now directed against the United States. The German optimists believe even in the possibility of German-British-Japanese commercial cooperation in Asia. The idea that England will connect Egypt with India by the formation of a new Arabian kingdom, a Jewish Palestine and by Mesopotamia, no longer creates fear, as many

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Most of the misery and ill-health the humanity is burdened with arise from disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels. If you are feeling out of sorts, hat pains in the stomach, especially after eating, bilious spells, headaches, sea sickness, coated tongue, salivary or mucus complexion, specks floating before eyes, you should take a few boxes of Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills and note the change. Miss Ida Hogan, Dunrobin, Ont. writes: "For over five years I have suffered great agony from pains in my stomach. I tried several remedies, but got no relief until a friend advised me to take Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills. I started with two vials, and before I had one quite used I found much relief. I continued until I used four vials, and they have completely cured me. This was fourteen months ago, and I have not had the slightest return since. The best praise I can give them is not enough." Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills are 25c. a vial at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

German politicians are convinced that their unity of interests will bring England and Germany together some day, to combat America's economic expansion. A Liberal German politician, said to me, "England will like us as a neighbor in Africa, better than a France weakened by this war."

The opinion is gaining currency generally, that this war will accentuate the situation as it existed before 1914, and that the militarized nations will have to carry the burden of armaments as great as before this war. This growing opinion explains why the thought is no longer expressed that the German peace treaties on the east front are in flagrant

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We bought the stock of A. J. Russell, 79 Main St. A Liberal German politician, said to me, "England will like us as a neighbor in Africa, better than a France weakened by this war."

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Local freights will be paid by purchaser.

County Councillors and Agricultural Societies should place car lot orders immediately stating destination for cars.

Delivery not guaranteed unless orders placed within three weeks, because of transportation difficulties.

New Brunswick is expected to breed herself for the duration of the war. EVERY farmer should grow some wheat.

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### STORY OF THE HALIFAX DISASTER IN BOOK FORM

BY ST. JOHN WRITER

S. K. Smith's "Heart-Throbs of the Halifax Horror" a Gripping Work, Handsomely Illustrated

It was to be expected that the story of the Halifax disaster—the greatest catastrophe in the history of the North American continent—should be told in book form and it has remained for a St. John man to write this important work. S. K. Smith, of The Telegraph staff,

### Quick, Safe Way To Remove Hair

(Toilet Talks)

Keep a little delatone powder on your dressing table and when ugly, hairy growths appear, make a paste with a little of the powder and some water, apply and let remain on the hairy surface for 2 or 3 minutes, then rub off. The skin and the hairs have vanished. This treatment is quite harmless and rarely more than one application is required, but to avoid disappointment care should be used to buy the real delatone.

### SPRING OUTFIT IN TORONTO COSTS DOUBLE THE PRICES PREVAILING IN 1914

Military Cut Will be Height of Fashion During Coming Season—Purchasing Only One Suit for all Occasions.

(Toronto Star)

Toronto shops are awash with new life. Fragrant blossoms and yellow songsters are the real harbingers of spring while femininity in general is playing her part to welcome in the Easter season with a rush.

Not only in seal is Miss Toronto imbued with the war spirit, but evidence of it will be seen in her outward accoutrement. In a few short weeks' fair, fat, and forty, as well as her younger sisters, will be out on dress parade in a military. From the toe of her fairy foot, which will be clad in a smart, low-cut, brown Oxford, that enables her to march along with an easy stride, to the hair of her head, she will present a military appearance. The trim new suits, which are made of dressy trench clay colored cloths, and jaunty hats, which frequently display a perky little hint of red, in a large luscious strawberry or tempting bunch of cherries, young and old promise to be more stunning than ever.

Outfit Now Double Price.

Toronto women will spend just about twice as much for their spring outfit this year as they did in 1914, as the following table shows:

	1914	1915
Suits	\$65.00	\$120.00
Blouses (dressy)	8.00	15.00
Hats	10.00	20.00
Collars	2.50	5.00
Gloves (silk)	1.75	3.50
Shoes	10.00	20.00
Hosiery	2.25	4.50
Totals	\$99.50	\$192.00

Taking the above figures as the average outfit which will be worn by at least half of Toronto's feminine population, say 75,000 women who it is more than likely will purchase an Easter outfit, the amount expended on clothes this spring in Toronto will be \$7,440,000, compared with \$6,262,500 in 1914, and \$8,746,250 over 1914. The question arises, have women's salaries increased proportionately?

Big Papa Toronto may cast a long, lingering look at his diminishing pile of greenbacks, but one stolen glimpse of the fair ones will help him loosen up his grip. Despite the fact that suits will be narrower and skimpier than ever, prices have soared. According to most reliable modifiers the wider and longer materials are sent off to the Red Cross and utilized for making soldiers' comforts. Cloths have also increased fully 35 per cent. in the last year, to say nothing of labor, which has soared from 10 to 15 per cent.

Purchase Only One Suit.

In a report from the shops the big demand this season is for the better class suits and hats. This is due to the fact that there is little doing in the social line and the women are purchasing one exclusive outfit which will serve for all occasions.

Among the suits which have advanced considerably in price the newest features are the smart buttoned vest, buttoned and braided trimmings, and many instances heavy stitching is seen. Trench clay, sand and putty are the leading shades. These are also combinations of fricotine and gabardine. The skirts are considerably narrower, many not measuring more than three-quarters of a yard at the hem, which is the average width. The coats are boxed or on the pony cut and also combinations of the elongated sides, while the front and back panels were turned up to simulate a pocket, which was increased fully 35 per cent. Many of the collars are tailored, although a few smart crush collars will be worn.

With these are worn smart all-over blouses in crepe de chine or Georgette crepe. The very newest shade is coral pink. This gives promise of being the most popular blouse of the season. It has a becoming round neck with delicate hand-run tucks back and front and buttoned on the shoulders. The sleeves show sailor collars back and front, dainty snatches of embroidery in wool or bead, which are used extensively, or soutache braid.

Jack o' Lantern shape is the favorite this season in the misery world. These are seen in shades of sand, gold, grey, and blue. Rough and fine straws are used. These favor in appearance the old-fashioned poke bonnet shape, with their narrow back brim and wider front with a slightly drooping appearance. Straw and fruit are used in abundance in all the bright shades. Quills and feathers, besides all extremes, which are frequently set saucily up in the front.

Libere straws, also lacquer straws, are very much used also combinations of straw and Georgette in mushroom shapes with flat embroidered trimming. For the tailored suit the large millan suits will have their run, although these have also advanced in price owing to the increase in price of straw and labor.

Ideas in Gloves, Etc.

Then come the accessories, such as gloves, collars and hosiery, which all bring new ideas to light. In the gloves, fancy pointed silk will be worn in pongee and grey colors. Collars will be long and rolling in washable satins, while dainty organdie Buster Brown vests are also in vogue. The season will be black and white in the hosiery world. Some of the newest lines seen in Toronto show striped open-work in these colors, while others have dainty embroidered designs.

In the shoe shops the latest style shown is the Oxford shoe. Field-mouse grey and dark brown are the favorite shades, although black is bound to hold its own. Prices are much the same as last year, although according to the manager of the Royal Shoe Store the women can look for an advance in price during the next few months. This is not due to any increase in leather, but largely to the fact of labor.

### A PERFECT MEDICINE FOR LITTLE ONES

Baby's Own Tablets are the ideal medicine for little ones. They regulate the bowels and stomach, cure colic, cure constipation and indigestion; expel worms and make teething easy. They are guaranteed to be absolutely free from injurious drugs and may be given to the youngest child with perfect safety. Concerning them Mrs. I. M. Foxhall, Mission City, B. C., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for my three little ones and have found them the best medicine a mother can give her children." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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Willow Armchairs, Tables, Rockers, etc., are very popular in the living-rooms. Some of those now on display are made of the Natural Willow, others are in the brown or fanned shades. In addition to their artistic appearance, these Willow Chairs are truly comfortable and very desirable.

Armchairs	\$3.00 to \$10.50
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Bassinettes with stand, \$6.35 and \$ 7.15	
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FURNITURE DEPARTMENT—MARKET SQUARE

**Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited**

### SUB-COMMITTEES IN POWER COMPANY FIGHT

Committees were struck yesterday by the chairman of the Committee of One Hundred, interested in the fighting of the Power company's proposed application to the legislature. At the meeting on Tuesday evening several committees were recommended to be appointed and the naming of the personnel was left in the hands of M. E. Agar, the chairman of the general committee. He has named the committee as follows:

Committee to treat with the city council—M. E. Agar, A. H. Wetmore, T. H. Estabrook, W. M. Angus, J. W. Smith, W. L. Harding.

Committee to confer with the members of the legislature—A. M. Rowan, H. Sheehan, George H. Waterbury, John Jackson, F. E. Marven, F. J. McInerney, W. H. Turner.

Special committee on legislation—L. W. Simms, F. B. Ellis, D. J. Purdy, George L. Warwick, W. E. Scully, J. C. Mitchell and Dr. James Manning.

Publicity committee—A. M. Belding, F. B. Ellis, George Kimball, W. J. Lin-

ton, F. A. Dykeman, W. C. Cross, G. R. Barbour.

Finance committee—C. B. Allen, H. H. McLaughlin, F. W. Roach, H. L. Gaster, F. W. Daniel, John Flood and R. B. Travis.

These committees will immediately set to work to get their several duties lined up and will proceed with the work and report to a meeting of the general committee to be held on the evening of March 26.

The U. S. government is buying Rhode Island corn for replanting the fields of Ontario, Minnesota and South Dakota.

### BAILEY TO JAIL FARM

Toronto, March 13—Captain George T. Bailey, C. A. M. C., was this afternoon sentenced by Magistrate Denison, here, to three months' imprisonment on the jail farm, for making statements derogatory to the soldiers at the front. Captain Bailey was the man who told the recent prohibition convention here that he had heard that ninety per cent. of the troops in the trenches were drunk on Christmas day.

Chicago van-owners have been forced to dispose of a large number of horses owing to the high cost of feed.

## THE ECONOMICAL, EASY WAY—to keep FURNITURE & FLOORS LIKE NEW



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FURNITURE FOR SALE—INQUIRE 48 Elm street or phone M. 3123-11; lower flat. 74404-3-19

FOR SALE—RICHMOND GAS heater. Apply The Spear Millinery, 177 Union street. 74419-3-19

SECOND-HAND FURNITURE FOR SALE. Nyberg, 122 Mill street. 73198-3-21

FOR SALE—SHOW CASES, \$4.50 each; 1 bed and spring, \$4.1 wardrobe, \$5; 1 parlor set, \$20; 1 bureau, \$4; chairs, 25c up to 1 sofa, \$2—McGrath's Furniture Store, 274 Union street, St. John, N.B. Phone 1845-21.

AUCTION REMOVAL SALE I am instructed to sell at Public Auction at 107 Charlotte St., opposite the Dufferin Hotel, \$15,000 worth of Jewellery consisting of Gold, Silver, Watches, Swiss, etc.; Ladies' Wrist Watches and Military Wrist Watches, Gold Rings, Ladies' and Gent's Signets; also Set Rings, Diamonds, Pearls, etc.; Pendants, Gold, Cut Glass, Silverware, China, Alarm Clocks, Kitchen Clocks, Cabinet Clocks. Sale every night. I. WEBBER, Auctioneer. 3-16

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FOR SALE—FINE YOUNG GRAY horse 1300, sound, good worker and driver. For particulars apply Geo. McKean & Co., Royal Bank Building, St. John. 74294-3-19

FOR SALE—FURNITURE, EXPRESS; Siroen; set of Single Harness. Apply 99 St. Paul. 74224-3-15

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WANTED—A QUIET HOME FOR an invalid lady. Address L. 29, Times. 74465-3-20

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UPPER FLAT TO LET, 182 ST. James street. F. J. Kee. 74465-3-20

UPPER FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS, small family. 98 Sydney street. 74473-3-16

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TO LET—FROM MAY 1, THREE rooms, bath and kitchenette; also single and double rooms, furnished. Phone 1875-21. 74609-3-20

TO LET—FLAT 22 MILLIDGE AVE. Apply Wednesday and Thursday. 74506-3-20

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TO LET—FLAT AT EAST ST. John. Apply G. H. Gordon, on premises. 74493-3-15

TO LET—TWO WARM FLATS, 64 Bridge street. 74468-3-19

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TO LET—UPPER AND MIDDLE flats 114 Victoria street, six rooms, bath, electric. 74417-3-19

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TO LET—MAY 1ST, MODERN flat, 28 Clarendon street. Phone 1386. 74435-3-19

SELF-CONTAINED FLAT, EIGHT rooms, modern improvements. Apply 79 Mecklenburg street. See Tuesday and Thursday. Phone 3114-21. 74411-3-19

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SMALL FLAT, 31 RICHMOND. See Tuesday and Thursday. 74398-3-19

FLAT 187 BROAD, ELECTRICS, light left hand hall. 74287-3-16

EIGHT ROOM FLAT, HEATED, electric, etc. Inspection Mondays and Thursdays, 8 to 8 o'clock. Apply 83 Queen street, Turnbull, Phone 3114-21. 74421-3-20

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MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS.

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, members Montreal Stock Exchange, Montreal, Mar. 14. Merchants Bank at 167. Brass—10 at 85 1/2. B. C. Fish—100 at 46. Canada Car—25 at 24. Cement—1 at 60. Penman—3 at 74 1/2. Dominion—100 at 60 1/2, 15 at 60. McDonald—3 at 15. Shawinigan—135 at 113 1/2. Mex Petroleum—100 at 97 1/2, 150 at 97 1/2, 50 at 87 1/2, 85 at 88. Textile—12 at 86. Cement Pfd—50 at 97. 1st War Loan—100 at 94. 2nd War Loan—100 at 91 1/2. Unlisted Stocks. Glass—20 at 34.

WINDOW GLASS DEALER.

(Hardware and Metal, March 8.) Announcement of price advance on window glass for this season is made elsewhere in this issue and follows along predictions made in these columns last week. The opening price for 1/8 inch 500-foot lengths is 75-8c, a pound higher than that set in April last year and 5c above quotation in the season. It is said that no difficulty will be experienced in taking care of requirements. A spectacular rise in the price of linseed oil has gone into effect and prices being quoted are 28c a gallon higher than those ruling last week. In some quarters no quotations are being made whatever and the situation with regard to supplies is said to be serious. A big advance in window glass has been put into effect and a new list adopted. The new list will apply to Montreal as well as Ontario points and is subject to a discount of 25 per cent. This provides for an advance of between 20 and 25 per cent. over quotations previously ruling. Some slight improvement is shown in the movement of freight generally, though the strike now existing in Toronto is holding up outgoing shipments and jobbers' warehouses are rapidly filling up with orders packed but no means of being shipped. Advances were not numerous during the week though changes in an upward direction were reported on certain stretchers, cotton duck belting, saw vises and tin roofing caps. Added strength in the tin and lead markets resulted in higher prices on solder. A very firm situation exists on wire mesh and advances in cash coal would not be unexpected. Business is reported good.

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Rich Germans Send Families Where They Can Get Food; Others Once in a While for Building Up

Zurich, Mar. 14.—Hungary Germans fill the city, and Switzerland generally, to overflowing. They are down here to get a square meal. Rich Germans are sending their families to Switzerland, in many cases for the duration of the war, not so rich, but with the price of food high, the middle class, unable to do either, send their children to Switzerland, boarding them out among the thrifty farmers and town dwellers. The Overseas Staff again demonstrated their superiority over the C. P. R. checkers when they completely outplayed them in a match game on Wednesday afternoon. The C. P. R. were minus their captain, Morrievy, who is sick, so McManus substituted. Lanergan of the Overseas, rolled a fine game, as did Carling of the C. P. R. The following are the scores: Overseas. Roberts... 75 88 78 237 Ervin... 77 82 77 236 Fluet... 81 70 75 220 Reading... 75 82 77 214 Lanergan... 91 107 87 285 C. P. R. Connell... 69 76 88 228 Corbett... 71 67 67 214 Hammond... 75 77 77 214 McManus... 88 88 85 257 Carleton... 88 81 86 265

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Speaker at Memorial Meeting

NAME OF KAISER HISSED  
Resolutions Pledge Loyalty to the  
Allies — John Dillon's Words  
at Graveside of His Reversed  
Leader

Members of the Municipal Council of the United Irish League met in New York a few days ago at the Hotel Knickerbocker to honor the memory of John Redmond, the late leader of the Irish Parliamentary Party.

When the great war broke out at home, the Irish people were divided into two camps. The principles of Irish Nationalists have been democracy, liberty, and the equality of rights for small nations as well as large ones.

DOCTOR SAYS  
VINOL IS THE  
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Honest Opinion Doctor Gave  
His Patient

Bedford, Ohio.—"I was in a pitiful condition, weak, nervous and run down so I could not do my housework. I had doctor for years and tried everything under the sun.

"Cure Your  
Rupture Like  
I Cured Mine"

Old Sea Captain Cured His Own  
Rupture After Doctor's Said  
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FREE RUPTURE BOOK AND  
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NO MORE KIDNEY  
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Little Girl  
Had Jaundice

And All Treatments Failed to Arouse the  
Action of the Liver Until Dr. Chase's  
Kidney-Liver Pills Were Used

NEEDS OF RED TRIANGLE  
CLUB IN FITTING UP  
ROOMS FOR SOLDIERS

BEGIN TRIAL OF  
QUARTERMASTER

Accused of Tampering With  
Gear of American Transport

Another NEW YORK ARREST  
Wm. Andrae Interned for Duration  
of War—Cuba Depots Doctor  
Scheele Who Was Accused in  
Plot to Place Bombs on Ships

AT GRIPS WITH A  
GRASPING LANDLORD

Government May Commandeer His  
House for Use of Family of  
General

U. S. Fuel Administration Has  
Announced a Comprehensive  
Plan

Washington, Mar. 13.—When members of congress heard yesterday that the Government was planning to commandeer the house of a general, they were indignant.

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Hon. Mr. Veniot Presents New Highway Act In House

Important Provisions Outlined by Minister of Public Works; Public Utilities Commission, Assessment, Hospital and Other Business

Fredericton, March 13—Highway acts have come and gone and, in the course of their peregrination they have proved a source of embarrassment to more than one New Brunswick government, and some of them have inspired emotions stronger than grief in the bosoms of the ratepayers.

One of the worst of the lot was a heritage of the present government from their predecessors in office and reform was demanded and needed. The government has answered the demand, and today Hon. Mr. Veniot, minister of public works, submitted to the legislature a bill to provide for practically a new highway act. In the preparation of the measure Hon. Mr. Veniot has shown a thorough knowledge of highway conditions, familiarity with the weakness of the present system and indubitable courage in providing a remedy. He frankly confessed that some of the sections might be too drastic, announced his entire willingness to accept suggestions from both sides of the house and asked the support of all its members in producing a thoroughly workable act.

Frederic Foster introduced a bill providing for a loan of \$4,500 to the New Brunswick Public Utilities Commission for the purpose of defraying two-thirds of the cost of a physical valuation of the plant, etc., of the New Brunswick Power Company. The city of St. John is paying the other third and the commission will repay their loan by a levy on the Public Utilities of the Province, spread over two or three years.

Petitions were presented from St. John for legislation to permit a change in the assessment act, by Dr. Roberts and relating to the general public hospital by Dr. Campbell.

Fredericton, March 13—Assembly chamber, March 13—The house met at 9 o'clock. The bill to enable cities, towns and municipalities to contribute aeroplanes to his majesty's government was read a third time and passed.

Mr. Hetherington presented the report of the committee on contingencies. Mr. Hetherington from the committee appointed to present the address to the lieutenant-governor submitted his report and his honor's reply, which was as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly: I thank you for your address and beg to assure you that I entertain the fullest confidence that in all your deliberations you will be guided by a most earnest desire to promote the happiness and prosperity of the people of the province.

(Sgd.) WILLIAM PUGSLEY, Lieutenant-Governor. Notices of inquiry were given as follows:

By Mr. Murray (Kings) for Wednesday next, as to salaries paid and the number of officials in the agriculture department; also as to expenditures made by the farm settlement board during the year; and also as to how many applications for land have been made by returned soldiers.

By Mr. Crockett for Monday next, as to the cost of the sanitary survey and investigations, conducted by John B. Hall, and as to whether Mr. Hall is a British subject.

By Mr. Smith (Carleton) for Tuesday next, as to the amount spent on ordinary roads last year, and as to the total amount charged to permanent roads the year since last session and after the close of the fiscal year, and the number of permanent highways constructed.

Would Change Names. Hon. Mr. Robinson presented the petition of W. O. Swartz, praying for the passage of an act to enable William Lloyd Swartz and William Alden Swartz to change their names.

Mr. Crockett presented the petition of the Fredericton city council praying for the passage of a bill relating to the valuation of the assessment of Fraser Limited.

Hon. Mr. Roberts presented the petition of the city of St. John praying for the passage of a bill to amend the St. John Assessment Act of 1909. He also presented the petition for the passage of a bill relating to certain short term debentures of the city of St. John.

The Highway Act. Hon. Mr. Veniot presented a bill entitled "An Act Relating to Highways." In doing so he said he felt it to be his duty to explain for the benefit of honorable members the changes he was proposing to make with respect to the construction of the highways of the

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for the Nova Scotia legislature this session, and Mr. Armstrong had promised to promptly advise him (Veniot) if the decision reached. It was an important matter and he did not feel that he should take it upon himself to make the change without taking the opinion of the legislature. There were other provisions in the act to which he would like to direct the attention of honorable members. He had noticed when traveling through the coal districts of the province that mine operators, when carrying on excavations, did not give much concern to the roads which might be injured by their work. The bill proposed to hold the coal companies responsible for any injury resulting to the roads, and if they declined to make repairs, in order to do so, the public works department could have the work done and make a charge against the companies. A similar plan would be adopted with respect to railways. It was proposed to have the railways give more attention to the condition of the roads at level crossings, and a clause had been inserted in the bill dealing with the matter. He had noticed also that when railways, in changing grades of lines running parallel with highways, were inclined to disregard the affect such changes would have on the roads. He had inserted a clause in the bill which he hoped would bring about an improvement in regard to this important matter. While the people of the province were clamoring for good roads, it might not be out of place for some of those who have occasion to use them to exercise a little more care. There were some manufacturers of lumber, who take no heed of the damage that might result to roads early in the spring, so long as they can haul heavy loads over them. A clause would be inserted in the bill to meet this condition of affairs. He regretted that some automobile owners did not have the regard for the roads which they should have. Some owners of heavy cars seemed to take delight in driving over the country roads early in the spring, when the frost is coming out of the ground. He hoped, with the aid of his colleagues and the honorable gentlemen opposite, to be able to find some means to give better protection to the roads of the province. On the conclusion of the minister said he recognized the right of honorable members opposite to criticize but he wished to say that if they had any suggestions to offer, which would have a tendency to better any clause of the bill, he would be only too happy to accept them. The bill was read a first time.

Provision is also made for the adoption of statute labor with respect to trunk roads. A meeting may be called on the petition of fifteen ratepayers and the matter decided by a majority vote of those present. Section 16 of the bill deals with the matter of road taxation. Under the existing law the road tax on property is twenty cents on the \$100. The new act proposes to increase this to the extent of one-quarter of one per cent, or five cents on the \$100. The poll tax is now \$1.50, but the new act will increase it to \$2. In the maritime provinces, as was well known, the rate was to turn to the left, while in Ontario and Quebec they turn to the right. He had got in touch with the subject and was informed by that gentleman that there was also an agitation in that province to change the rate, but that no definite decision had yet been reached. The matter will come before the Rate of the Road.

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While the road tax had been increased, it was also proposed to increase the allowance to those who performed statute labor. The bill provided for a man with a horse and proper tools, and forty cents per hour for a man with a team.

The bill also changed the method of collecting the road taxes. Under the existing law the collection was done by the supervisor and paid over to the man who performed the work. In his travel through the province last year he had studied this method and arrived at the conclusion that a different plan should be adopted. In many cases under the existing act there was a duplication of accounts, and whether it was intentional or not he was not in a position to say. The supervisor sent in accounts chargeable to the municipal fund, which were paid by the secretary-treasurer. Frequently accounts for the same work were charged to the provincial fund, which meant that the province and municipality paid for the same work. Although he had acted with great care in separating these accounts in his department, he felt that the law should be changed.

The bill providing that the collecting should be done by the collector of rates who, after receiving the money, would place the same in the hands of the secretary-treasurer who would deposit it to the credit of the province. He was hopeful that under the change in the system, the delinquent taxation list would be done away with. At the present time he was safe in saying that the sum of \$80,000 was outstanding in delinquent road taxes. He thought that the examiner of public works would benefit him out in the statement that a change in the system of collecting was essential.

It was proposed under the new system to have the supervisor report monthly to the department of public works and he wished to add that money collected in a particular district would be expended for the improvement of the road in that district.

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and will cover a period of two or three years. The money to be loaned by the province was needed now to defray the cost of the appraisal. The bill was read a first time.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale laid on the table of the house the report of the director of elementary agricultural education. Mr. Campbell presented a petition for the passage of an act relating to the general public hospital, St. John.

Hon. Mr. Foster introduced a bill to authorize the province to loan certain monies to the board of public utility commissioners. He explained that the board had asked for a loan of \$4,500. The plan of the St. John Power Company was now being examined and the law authorized the board to make a copy upon the company. The levy will be made in a short time. The house adjourned at 4.30 p.m.

Soldiers Comforts Association. At the monthly meeting of the Soldiers Comforts Association yesterday afternoon it was decided to defray the extra cost of wool by holding a tag day this month. It was announced that there would be no refreshments for the workers, but that the money which would go for this would be placed in the fund. The wool reports for February showed 2,751 pairs of socks knitted, 26 pairs of mittens, twenty-five trench caps and two scarfs. The treasurer's report showed donations for the month, \$466.81; donations to the yarn fund, \$848, and expenditures from this fund \$865.01. Kansas City is shortly to host a bond issue of \$1,250,000 to improve the water supply.



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These lists are not complete but are suggestive of the cuts we have made on all lines. Visit the store as soon as possible!

<p><b>MR. MAN</b> Gents' Furnishings, Pants, Overalls, Boots and Shoes, almost everything a man requires to be found here at astonishing prices.</p>	<p><b>Other Articles At Equally Good Value</b></p>	<p><b>YOU</b> Do you buy for anyone else, say husband, brother, sister, wife, boy or girl? You will save money by shopping here at the 10 days' sale.</p>	<p><b>10 Days Only, Then Back to Usual Prices</b></p>	<p><b>THE EARLY BIRD</b> Gets the choicest worm. Shop early tomorrow and then you can secure the best variety and will be sure to find the sizes you want.</p>	<p><b>Buy For Future Needs. It Will Pay You!</b></p>	<p><b>MISS OR MRS.</b> Ladies' Boots and Shoes, many lines of Dry Goods, Ladies' Raincoats, and other apparel at less than your dealer pays at wholesale.</p>
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Sale 15c., 2 for 25c.<br/>Men's Large Colonial Handkerchiefs, Sale 9c. each, 3 for 25c.<br/>Men's Silkline Handkerchiefs, 15c. each, 2 for 25c.</p> | <p><b>UNDERWEAR</b><br/>Men's Heavy Atlantic Woolen Underwear..... Special Sale Price, 99c. gas.<br/>Boys' Woolen Underwear..... 69c. gas.<br/>Men's Balbriggan Underwear (Combination)..... Sale \$1.00</p> <p><b>SWEATERS</b><br/>Men's Sweaters..... From \$1.29 to \$3.98<br/>Boys' Woolen Sweaters..... 79c to \$1.48</p> <p><b>OTHER SNAPS IN MEN'S WEAR</b><br/>Unlined Leather Work Gloves—Reg. \$1.00..... Sale 69c.<br/>Neckties—Were 25c..... Sale 14c.<br/>Men's Woolen Mitts..... Sale 39c.</p> <p><b>LADIES' HOSIERY</b><br/>Black Hose, Lisle Thread—Reg. 50c. Sale 35c.<br/>Ladies' White Cashmere Stockings—Reg. 75c..... Sale Price, 59c.</p> | <p><b>CAPS</b><br/>Spring styles, silk lined. Reg. \$1.00 to \$1.50. At Our Sale, 50c. and \$1.00</p> <p><b>CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS</b><br/>Sizes 5 1/2 to 10, in black, white, red, blue and pink..... Sale Price, 30c.</p> <p><b>OTHER SPECIALS</b><br/>Turkish Bath Towels—50 dozen at 27c pair<br/>Roller Towelling..... 7 yards for \$1.00</p> <p><b>THREAD</b><br/>Clark's, in black and white, all numbers, 300 yards in spool.... 13 Spools \$1.00</p> <p><b>FLANNELETTE</b><br/>Mill Ends..... 16c. yd.</p> <p><b>LADIES' FOOTWEAR</b><br/>Few, But Great Value<br/>Ladies' High-Cut Black Kid Boots, laced or buttoned. Special Sale Price, \$3.98<br/>Ladies' Every-day Boot—Well made (black), neat and dressy. Sale Price, \$2.48<br/>Ladies' Boots—Serviceable and strong, good leather throughout. At Special Sale Price, \$2.98</p> | <p><b>OUR STOCK OF OVERALLS</b><br/>has always been most complete and better value than other dealers.<br/>Remember, we can measure you for Overalls or Pants and guarantee a fit in 24 hours.<br/>These prices should be read by every working man in this city. Such an opportunity ought to be acted on at once.<br/>The Overalls referred to as damaged are not much affected, and wearing qualities have not been interfered with.<br/>15 dozen Overalls, slightly damaged. Reg. value, \$1.75. Sale \$1.00<br/>10 dozen Men's Jumpers, slightly damaged. Sale Price, \$1.00<br/>Heavy 8 oz. Blue Denim Overalls—Reg. \$2.50. Sale \$1.68<br/>Youths' Overalls—15 to 16 years. Reg. \$1.00. Sale 69c.<br/>Boys' Overalls—5 to 10 years. Reg. 75c. Sale 39c.</p> <p><b>MEN'S PANTS</b><br/>20 dozen Tweed Pants—Reg. \$3.75. Sale \$2.00<br/>10 dozen Pepper and Salt Pants—Reg. \$5.00. Sale \$3.19<br/>Black and Blue Serge Pants—Reg. \$5.00. Sale Price, \$2.98<br/>10 dozen Khaki Cloth Military Pants—Reg. \$4.50 value. Sale \$2.19<br/>10 dozen Cottonade Pants—Worth \$2.50. Sale Price, \$1.59<br/>Boys' Tweed Pants—Reg. \$1.60. Sale 98c.<br/>25 dozen Boys' Military Cloth Pants—Reg. \$1.50 value. Sale 78c.</p> | <p><b>RAINCOATS</b><br/>Ladies' Raincoats—Tan, black and blue. Reg. \$10.00. Sale \$4.98<br/>Ladies' Black Rubber Raincoats..... Sale \$4.98<br/>Girls' Check Raincoats—Reg. \$6.00 (with caps)..... Sale Price, \$3.25<br/>Ladies' Silk Rubber Bedding Caps—Reg. 75c. value. Sale Price, 29c.</p> <p><b>BOW TIES</b><br/>All colors..... 3 for 25c.<br/>Strong Hook-on Ties..... Sale 23c.</p> <p><b>TOILET SOAPS AT SPECIAL PRICES</b><br/>Reg. 25c. box Toilet Soap..... Sale 15c.<br/>Reg. 40c. box Toilet Soap..... Sale 25c.<br/>The latter in Sweet Violet, June Rose and Carnation.</p> <p><b>RUBBERS AT A BARGAIN</b><br/>Men's Rubbers..... 89c.<br/>Ladies' Rubbers..... 69c.<br/>Youths' Rubbers..... 49c.<br/>Children's Rubbers..... 49c.</p> <p><b>MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS</b><br/>Knee Boots..... Sale Price, \$3.98<br/>Hip Boots..... Sale Price, \$4.98</p> | <p><b>BOOTS AND SHOES</b><br/>Added to Our Stock and Also Added to Our Sale<br/>Everyone knows how leather has advanced, and still prices are on the upward climb. These values are therefore most timely. Ask to see our lines and let us fit you for little money. Satisfaction guaranteed.</p> <p>Men's Dark or Light Tan Shoes—The justly famous Slater make, Goodyear welt, receding toe. A real, classy shoe. Worth \$7.50 today. Big Sale Price, \$5.98</p> <p>Men's Tan Blucher Bal—Broad toe, dressy and best material and manufacture. Sale Price, \$5.98.</p> <p>Men's Black Boots—Rubber heel, latest style, "Our Special." Ask to see it. On Sale for 10 days at..... \$4.98</p> <p>Men's Patent "Long Life Shoe"—Special viscolized sole, comfortable last; good wearing boot. Sale Price, \$3.98</p> <p>Men's "Banner Shoe"—Dressy last, solid leather. Special Sale Price, \$3.28</p> <p>Men's Patent Leather Shoes—All sizes. Reg. \$6.00 value. At our 10 Days Sale Only..... \$3.98</p> <p>Men's Heavy Working Boots—Waterproof soles, specially heavy leather. Sale \$3.48</p> |
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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1918

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE TONIGHT for the Last Time Dance d'Art—One of the prettiest Dancing Novelties Ever Offered Here

“THE MANXMAN” By Hall Caine Author of the Novel by the Same Name A VITAL ABSORBING STORY OF THE ISLE OF MAN! Would You Sacrifice Your Wife or Child For a Friend?

VAUDEVILLE — AND — PICTURES 2.30 7.15, 8.45 ETHEL CLAYTON Man's Woman Brilliant screen star, in striking five-reel World-Brady picture, story of modern married life in a big city. A gripping tale is

SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

LING. St. Andrew's Juniors Win. the third match between junior members of the St. Andrew's and Thistle clubs played last evening.

Ontario Wins N. H. A. clinched the championship of 14 A. last evening by holding the lions to a 4 to 3 win.

Loyalists Defeat St. Paul's. In Loyalists defeated St. Paul's 4 team in a match in the Y. M. C. at evening, 26 to 15. The game was by contested.

Junior League Games. Three interesting junior basketball games were played at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday afternoon.

Commercial Bowling League on Y. M. C. A. alleys last evening the team from F. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., won from the team from the Ames Iden McCready Ltd., taking all four points.

Sharnbrook Juniors Win. In the Junior bowling league on the M. C. I. alleys last evening the Sharnbrook team won from the Ames Iden McCready Ltd., taking all four points.

Sharnbrook. Total. Avg. Higher 73 78 151 75% Iden 79 83 172 86

Y. M. C. I. bowling alleys. The team from the N. B.

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CHILL STARTS GOLD WAS SICK 4 WEEKS Just Able to Crawl About

Power Company won from the team from the Dominion Express Company, taking all four points.

Mr. Weldon T. Hawkes, Curryville, N. B., writes: “Last spring I was taken very ill with a severe cold. I got wet and it started with a chill. I was sick four weeks, and was just able to crawl about.”

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Table with 2 columns: Name, Total. Avg. N. B. Power Co. 428 411 409 1263

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Table with 2 columns: Name, Total. Avg. Independent Team Wins. Hickson 84 68 74 226

Table with 2 columns: Name, Total. Avg. Wire Room. Dugham 75 76 88 240

Table with 2 columns: Name, Total. Avg. Turf. Pat Doherty, a Sydney horseman, who trains his horses in Fredericton, has purchased Thomas Earl, 200%.

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where he was third in 200%. Thomas Earl is a six-years-old. He took his mark as a four-year-old. It is likely that William Sharon, a Fredericton trainer, will go to Indiana in April to bring Thomas Earl to the capital.

BASEBALL. McGraw at Hot Springs. Hot Springs, Ark., Mar. 11.—Manager McGraw of the New York Nationals came here today to look over the progress made by the advance squad since ten days ago.

WRESTLING. Joe Stecher Wins. Utica, N. Y., Mar. 12.—Joe Stecher defeated Joe Malcevic in straight falls at wrestling here last night, getting both falls with a body scissors in 22 and 10 1/2 minutes respectively.

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THURS.—FRI.—SAT. 7TH Episode—THE HIDDEN HAND FEATURING DORIS KENTON—SHELDON LEWIS—ARLINE PRETTY

THE NICKEL 5 CENTS TONIGHT—“MARY MORELAND” FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—“A BIRD OF PREY”

WHEN AMERICA SUBSTITUTES FOR RUSSIA. (Hon. Sir Frederick E. Smith, K. C., M. P., Attorney-General of Great Britain, in Cartoons Magazine.)

ACTRESS GIVES RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR. A Well Known Actress Tells How to Darken Gray Hair With a Simple Home Made Mixture.

Joicy Williams, the well known American actress, who was recently playing at the Imperial Theatre in St. Louis, Mo., made the following statement about gray hair and how to darken it.

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One only, Extra Quality DARK MUSKRAT, Seal collar and cuffs. Size 38, 40 inches long. PRICE NOW, \$112.50  
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**LOCAL NEWS**  
**ONE PRISONER**  
Today is city court day and the police court sheet had one case only, a prisoner charged with drunkenness. He was sent below.  
**THE BANK CLEARINGS**  
St. John bank clearings for the week ending March 14 were \$2,142,423; corresponding period last year, \$2,037,284; corresponding period, 1916, \$1,543,750.  
**DEATH OF CHILD.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thorne of 288 Brussels street will have the sympathy of friends in the death of their infant daughter, Lillian Frances.  
**NEW EQUIPMENT.**  
Some new gymnasium apparatus arrived at the Y. M. C. A. this morning for the use of the ever-growing classes under the physical director, Mr. Marshall. Included was a weight pull-up machine and a new springboard for the tank.

**TO LEARN HOW LONG FOOD HAS BEEN KEPT IN COLD STORAGE**  
Waste of Chickens in Winnipeg to Lead to Something - May Be Required to Stamp Date on Articles Stored  
Ottawa, Mar. 14.—The destruction of chickens held in cold storage in Winnipeg will probably lead to the adoption of additional regulations by the cost-of-living branch, labor department. Under existing regulations, cold storage companies are required to furnish monthly statements showing the amount of food in stock. The statistics are supplied in response to questionnaires sent by the branch. As at present prepared, they indicate quantities of various kinds of foods in hand, but they do not state how long the foods have been stored. It is now proposed to require particulars of the length of time certain foods have been in storage.  
It is understood also that the suggestion of the adoption of a regulation requiring cold storage companies to stamp the date of receipt is being further considered. In certain cases that is done already, but the companies are not required under regulations to do so. It is considered that by the adoption of some such regulation as indicated reliable data would always be available whether food is being improperly held for higher prices.

**HIGHEST TIDE OF THE SEASON TOMORROW; WARNING IS ISSUED**  
Director Hutchinson of the Meteorological Observatory announces that the highest tide of the season will be at one o'clock tomorrow morning, and as there is some probability of strong winds or moderate gales from east to southeast it would be well for owners of property along the waterfront to observe a degree of caution.  
**CONTENDS PRICE OF GAS FAR TOO HIGH**  
A citizen who knows a good deal about gas production declares there should be a thorough investigation of the gas situation in St. John. He points out that the price of gas in Montreal is eighty cents a thousand, and seventy-five cents to consumers of more than 7,000 feet a month. In Richmond, Virginia, the price is hauled by rail 500 miles.  
This citizen contends that if the New Brunswick Power Company can get the increased rates for gas made permanent—it will be making an enormous profit, and that the city should undertake a complete and thoroughly independent investigation.

**ROYAL BANK BUYS NORTHERN CROWN**  
Montreal, Mar. 14.—Arrangements have been completed for the purchase of the Northern Crown Bank by the Royal Bank of Canada. The purchase price will be approximately \$200 a share and will be paid in Royal Bank of Canada stock and part in cash. It is announced that the minister of finance has officially given his consent to the sale.  
**FIFTY PER CENT INCREASE IN MEAT SHIPMENTS TO ALLIES FROM ST. JOHN.**  
Washington, Mar. 14.—Meat exports to the Allies will be increased 50 per cent and perhaps doubled soon under arrangements being negotiated by the food administration with the allied food representatives here.  
**TORONTO STOCK YARDS.**  
Toronto, Mar. 14.—The market was steady at the Union Stock Yards today. Trade was steady with a firm tendency. Shipments are small to make much of a market. Prices in every line steady. Tendency of market firm at the close of the week. Receipts for today are: Forty cars; 252 cattle; 41 calves; 1,834 hogs; 99 sheep.  
**CITY IS FLOOD-SWEPT**  
Rochester, N. Y., Mar. 14.—Scores of families have been driven from their homes, and all industries in Hornell are paralyzed as the result of a disastrous flood, due to a cloud-burst.

**ST. JOHN GIRLS IN A NEW WAR WORK**  
**Fifty To Be Sent To Gather Sphagnum Moss**  
**N. H. S. JUNIOR ASSOCIATION**  
Wm. McIntosh Takes up Matter on Receipt of Word That Much of the Moss is Needed for Red Cross Surgical Dressings  
That a certain species of moss known as sphagnum, which is found in great abundance in New Brunswick, is needed for surgical dressings by the Red Cross and that a party of workers would be sent out to the bogs to gather all of the precious growth possible was the statement made by William McIntosh, curator of the Natural History Museum, this morning. The opportunity of doing this work for Canada is to be given to the girls of the Junior Association of the Natural History Society and although volunteers have not yet been asked for, more than thirty, anxious to help, have sent in their names.  
As only fifty will be needed there will be difficulty only in deciding who shall go and who shall stay. The girls are delighted to have a chance to do something which is needed done. The boys of the city will be asked to volunteer for farm work and it is expected that the girls will prove as good if not better workers than the boys. Judging from the response patriotic appeals have received from the juveniles of the city, Canada need have little fear as to her citizens of the future.  
Matters are not arranged yet. Mr. McIntosh only the other day received a letter from J. B. Porter, D.S.C., technical advisor of the committee on sphagnum dressings of the Canadian Red Cross Society, McGill University, Montreal, asking him what New Brunswick had to offer in the way of sphagnum. Mr. McIntosh sent a reply today advising Dr. Porter of the list of sphagnum species found in the province and outlining the probable method of working. He proposed commencing work as soon as the 27th of the ground. Experts with a practical knowledge of the moss will have to be sent on an investigation first to determine in what places and quantities the proper species can be found. Only a limited number of species are suitable for surgical use and of these only the coarse-leaved ones are useful. Certain species are unsuitable if found in wet bogs, but the same species is often found very useful if in dry bogs. The color of the moss varies from purple to pink, green or yellow. The fibrous part of the moss is in order that the moss be of value in this work; coarse fibred plants are especially useful. Even fine fibred specimens are found too brittle at times.  
Mr. McIntosh proposed gathering some of what appeared to be satisfactory sphagnum and sending it to Dr. Porter's approval. Upon his approbation the work will be proceeded with.  
It is not known how many of the New Brunswick species may be found useful as the character of the moss is very uncertain and species of sphagnum suitable when found in Quebec might be of no medicinal virtue when found in New Brunswick and vice versa. From his wide knowledge of New Brunswick bogs, Mr. McIntosh was this morning able to say that there were thousands of acres of sphagnum in the province and although the character of it had never been tested, he was assured that a large proportion of the bogs would be found to contain useful moss.  
The method of gathering the sphagnum proposed by Mr. McIntosh is as follows: The workers would be divided into four groups, each under a captain and would camp at the bog, taking everything necessary with them. There would be moss-gatherers, cleaners, dryers and packers. The gatherers would deliver the moss to the cleaners who would pick it apart and remove all leaves, twigs and other foreign matter. It would then go to the dryers who would spread it out on a long table with a top of strong cotton cloth stretched over a wooden frame. When sufficiently dry it would be packed in cotton bags and then done up in cases for shipment to the place at which it is needed. By drying at the bog the sphagnum can be kept very clean and the weight will be virtually reduced, thus lessening labor and cost of transportation.  
If possible bogs within easy reach of the place where the moss is needed, the fifty girls who volunteer will be given to understand that it is no mere pleasure trip they are undertaking although the work will be made as pleasant as possible. It is proposed at first to have a working day of six hours starting at 8 o'clock in the morning and working until 11 a.m. then working from 2 to 6 in the afternoon. Work in the middle of the day, with the exception of the drying, would be found practically impossible on account of the heat.  
The girls who volunteer will deserve all the credit they get, for the work will be tiresome and hard. But despite this prospect it has been found that they are only too eager to go in order to have the chance of "doing their bit" for the country in the time of war.  
A sphagnum dressing is used as an absorbent in open wounds and cases where there is any large amount of discharging matter. The best grades are found superior to cotton in these cases and since absorbent cotton at the best is a scarce article, sphagnum is at present in great demand. It is being shipped to France in large quantities from Canada and all parts of the world where it is found. It is expected that the New Brunswick bogs will prove to compare well with any other part of the world in quantity as well as quality.

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