



Bill—This is strange. I thought it was coffee. —(Aston, Romo.)

A POTATO DRAMA.



Deputy. The Last Potato. Safety. My! What I am a Seed Potato! —(Westminster Gazette.)

Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

THE GIRL PHILIPPA

Final Showings, Tonight, of The Vitagraph Present-War Story by Robert W. Chambers

"The Girl Philippa," now running at Imperial Theatre, attracted many more people yesterday, chiefly on the strength of the comment created by it on Monday.

"The Girl Philippa" is a cashier in the Cabaret de Birthe in the boundary French town of Ausone. This inn is kept by a German spy named Willdress.

The war breaks out, the French army is mobilized, and all of a sudden German break into the town from their nearby hiding place.

LAST TIME TO SEE MRS. VERNON CASTLE DANCE, UNIQUE TONIGHT

Those who have not seen the fourth episode of the serial "Patricia" wherein Mrs. Vernon Castle gives an excellent exhibition of dances with the presentation of a scene from Siegfried's Follies.

TWO MORE ST. JOHN SOLDIERS HAVE GIVEN ALL

Sergeant William Burton. Mrs. Martha Burton, of 22 Clarence street, received word from Ottawa this morning that her husband, Sergeant William Burton, was officially reported as wounded, but remaining on duty.

Mrs. Thomas Newman, of Lower Digby, N. B., has received a telephone from Ottawa informing her that her son, Private Willard H. Appleby, has been reported missing from April 1 to April 10.

OPERA HOUSE INVITES YOU TO COME AND ENJOY AN EXCELLENT BILL

If you want a long hearty laugh, see Moore and Jenkins, that rapid fire duo of singers and dancers, at the Opera House tonight.

Two shows tonight at 7:30 and 9:30 usual afternoon and evening performances tomorrow. No vaudeville performance on Friday night, as the house has been secured by the Returned Soldiers' Veteran Association for a repeat performance of Pinafove, but there will be the usual vaudeville performance on Friday afternoon.

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AN OUT OF THE ORDINARY BILL AT GEM TONIGHT

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NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50c.

BIRTHS

McKELVIE—At 36 Main street on April 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKelvie, a son.

DEATHS

FORBES—At East St. John on May 1st, Alice, beloved wife of Wm. J. Forbes, leaving her husband and one daughter to mourn their loss.

IN MEMORIAM

EARLE—In loving memory of John E. Earle, who departed this life May 2, 1915.

LOCAL NEWS

Help your chums at the front by joining No. 8 Field Ambulance Depot for overseas. They expect you. 8-n-7-5-12

Grand Sailors' concert tonight. Re-opening of the Chocolate Shop on Thursday afternoon, 90 King street. 5-4

M. R. A. advertisement, page 3, T.F. GRAND SAILORS' CONCERT. Seaman's Institute, Wednesday, May 2, at eight o'clock, splendid programme by crew of large liner in port. Amusement 15 cents.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. A. Morin, Tailor, has removed to 32 Gernain street. 5-3

Special Bargains. Ladies' rain coats, regular \$5 to \$7, this week special \$3.95, at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney.

Bell Boy Wanted—Clifton House. 5-3

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No. 8 Field Ambulance Depot is calling for recruits to go overseas. Enlist at once. 8-n-7-5-12

Grand Sailors' concert tonight. A large assortment of boys' suits, as well as men's at Turner's, out of the high rent district, 40 Main street. T.F.

225 of our boys are now doing their bit in the trenches. Join No. 8 Field Ambulance at once and do yours. 8-n-7-5-12

Window shades in all colors, for 50c, at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney.

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A Liberal smoker to have been held on the evening of May 7 has been postponed, owing to the inability of some of the speakers to attend on that date.

PERSONALS. Miss Sinclair, Presbyterian deaconess, has removed to 81 Sydney street.

Dr. and Mrs. John J. Mahoney of Boston are visiting Mrs. Mahoney's mother, Mrs. Henry Berry, Church avenue, Fairville.

Mrs. George B. Lemmon (nee Gabriel), will be at home to her friends on Thursday and Friday of this week, at 91 Metcalfe street.

John Woods, well known in agricultural circles by his teaching and demonstrations in his training, is in the General Public Hospital, having been operated on for appendicitis.

COMMISSIONER RETURNS. J. V. Russell, commissioner of harbors and ferries returned today after a trip to Ottawa and Montreal in the interests of the port. He said this afternoon that he had no announcements to make at present.

The Lesser Evil. "Lushman declared he would rather go to jail than pay his divorced wife alimony."

"Did she let him?" "Yes, she said she'd rather see him save his money behind the bars than spend it over them."

Oh, Law! New Junior Partner—Well, I've succeeded in settling that Hooper case, dad. Senior Partner—What! Good heavens, boy, I gave you that case as an annuity.

Proverbs Modernized. Any umbrella in a storm. A word to the wise is better.

While there's life there's hope. The better the pay the renter the feed. It is more blessed to give than to receive.

It's a poor ferryboat that won't work both ways. Fool's rush in and win, where angels fear to tread.

It's a wise child that knows when to mind its own father.



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It is that run-down condition of the system that results from impure, impoverished, dehydrated blood. It is marked by loss of appetite and that tired feeling, and in many cases by some form of eruption.

The best way to treat spring sickness is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. This old reliable family medicine purifies, enriches and revitalizes the blood. It is an all-year-round alternative and tonic, and is absolutely the best spring medicine. Get your blood in good condition at once—now. Delay may be dangerous.

"POTS AND PANS PEGGY"

A Delightful Feature at Lyric—Miss Ruth Goodwin Pleases in Songs

"Lots of people are like dainty pieces of china, just made to be pretty, but I am one of those pots and pans persons, made to be useful." This is one of the sub-titles of the delightful comedy-drama "Pots and Pans Peggy" being shown at the Lyric.

There are some strong dramatic moments in the production, but the rich humor and altogether laughable situations make the play an outstanding one in a great many respects.

THE NEW BUDGET. London, May 2.—Andrew Bonar Law in his speech introducing the fourth war budget in the house of commons today said that since the beginning of the war \$22,000,000 had been advanced to Great Britain's allies.

SPEECH OF GERMAN CHANCELLOR POSTPONED? Copenhagen, May 2, via London.—The speech to have been made in the Reichstag by Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg has been postponed to a more fitting occasion, according to word received here.

Washington Weather Report. New England forecast—Fair tonight, probably light frost in interior. Thursday fair, moderate to fresh west to northwest winds.

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Y. M. C. I.

The annual meeting of the Young Men's Catholic Institute will be held in the Y.M.C.I. assembly hall on Friday evening, May 4, at 8 o'clock.

NEW TAXES IN GREAT BRITAIN

Bonar Law to Present Largest Budget of the War Today

London, May 2.—The fourth and largest budget of the war has been presented by Chancellor Bonar Law for introduction in the house today.

HOPE. (By Douglas Muloch.) Sometimes, sometimes, we shall go. Sometimes, the I know not when.

Up the road we used to know, Up youth's golden road again— We shall find it, friends, and then All the worry, all the woe.

Where the air is sweetly chill, Where the sky is sweetly clear, Clouds that may assemble here Never find it, never will.

Only morning chauticleer, Only evening whelp-poor-will, We shall find it, never fear, Youthtime's road runs up a hill.

In our youth we knew it well, Every tree and every leaf, Long before a shadow fell, The acquaintance of grief, Sorrow cannot hold in the Evermore—'tis but a spell.

It is but a shadow brief, Passing like a tolling bell, Heard upon a distant reef, In our youth we knew it well— Sometime we shall follow it.

Do not roses bloom once more? Leaves have their awakening? All the verdure that they wore, Come returning with the spring, Like returning birds to sing, All things bloom that bloomed before— There is youth in everything.

Ships that voyage find the shore, To our hope of youth we cling; Do not roses bloom once more? It is announced that land near New York on which the Foundation Company will erect a shipbuilding plant and build wooden vessels to carry food and munitions to the Allies was leased to the company by Henry Ford at a nominal sum and at sacrifice of one of his own interests.

The cotton crop in Central Russia in Asia (says the Nord Sud Agency) for last year is estimated at nearly 3,000,000 tons. Save the embroidered fronts of shirt-waists for front breadth of small tea-traps.

THE TAIL END



SIR DOUGLAS HAIG: "This year!"



THOSE WHO STILL SAIL. —De Amstelgamer, Amsterdam



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POOR DOCUMENT

MAY 2 1917

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1917

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LOCAL NEWS

D. Boyaner, opticians, have closed their Dock street store. Their up-town store, 111 Charlotte street, is their only address.

READY FOR INSPECTION
One big display, spring overcoats in all styles and colors from \$12 to \$24. Call while the stock is complete.—Turner, out of the high-ramp district, 440 Main, T.F.

For sale, sectional refrigerator, 860, 51-2x6-1-2x1-2 feet. Phone 2445-11. T. F.

Dr. Bentley has removed his office and residence to 108 Charlotte. Telephone Main 1064.

There's a khaki waiting for you at No. 8 Field Ambulance Depot now recruiting for overseas. s-n-r-5-12

BEST OF ALL ASSETS.
It is Character That Wins the Great Battles in Life.

"God Almighty hates a quitter!" said Tom Reed of Maine. The nation roared applause from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the lakes to the Gulf for the virile vigor of this rough expression of mind. The sentiment is one of genuine value.

But what makes the man who does not know when he is defeated and fights to the finish, the finisher of his opponent? Is it not character; and is not character at bottom only the moral equivalent of the staid business man? The quitter fails and falls because he lacks the force of character, the strength of will, which sees possibilities beyond capacities and regards obstacles as incentives.

The fight which is worth attempting at all is the fight which deserves to be fought through. "It's dogged as does it," as when Heron said to Sawyer: "Now, Tummy lad, 'tis thou or I!" and won the last round and the match.

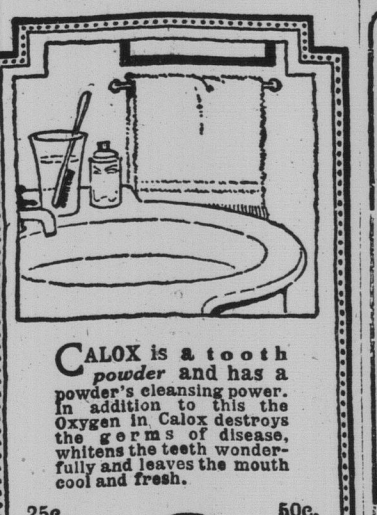
There was character. It may not have been ideal character. It certainly was not character in its highest expression. But it was the sum of the man's whole personality. All the power of him, all the pith and punch of invincible determination, went into the winning of his fight. The bulldog shows the same strength of will when he lets himself be choked or cut to pieces rather than let go his grip on the other dog's jugular.

It is this readiness to be killed, if need be, if one can not beat one's adversary, which wins the battles of life for men and the wars of nations for their existence. Such a readiness is a form of character and the product, whether aware or unaware, of a fight to achieve character. It is the reaction of the spirit to the long working of life and circumstances upon the raw and plastic ore of human nature.

Make men, then, and do so honorably. Get understanding—for the sake of social service as well as your own strength. Win power over men through right methods of approach and appeal. But with all your getting and gains achieve character above all.

Nothing can take the place of character. It knows of no substitute. Cleverness, cunning, and shrewdness are paper money. Character is the gold which alone has value. Pierpont Morgan rated character above collateral as security for loans and credit. Character is the all asset.—Spokane Spokesman Review.

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RECENT DEATHS

In Boiestown last week Miss Ellen Duffy passed away. She is survived by four brothers, Charles Duffy of Boiestown, with whom she made her home, Fred and William of Boiestown, and James in the west.

Mrs. Margaret Wade, wife of Spafford Wade of Nashwaak, died on Sunday, aged ninety-seven years. She is survived by her husband, one brother, Samuel Cook, of Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta, one sister, Mrs. George Wade of Penniac, three nephews, Guy and George Wade with the Canadian Expeditionary Force, and Roy at home, and two nieces, Florence and Beulah Wade at home.

The death of Charles Robinson of Middle occurred on Monday at the age of seventy-nine years. Mr. Robinson leaves his widow and one daughter, Mrs. Jos. Patterson, with whom he and his wife had made their home for some time past.

Mrs. Samuel J. Huston passed away in the Moncton City Hospital on Sunday. She was sixty-eight years of age and was the daughter of the late John Finley, of Amherst Head, N. S. Mrs. Huston is survived by one son, Homer J. Huston, accountant in the Royal Bank of Canada, Halifax, and one daughter, Miss Edith Grace Huston, at home. She is also survived by a brother, William Finlay, Amherst Head; and two sisters, Mrs. Jane Chapman, Chapman Setts, N. S., and Mrs. Susan Blair, Amherst Head.

Captain Alfred Wood of Hillsboro, died yesterday morning. He was eighty-three years old.

FOOD PRODUCTION

A telegram was received by the board of trade yesterday, inviting it to cooperate with the premier and the minister of agriculture to increase the cultivation of food products in the section during the coming season. A conference between the government officials, and those who have been asked to co-operate, will be held at Fredericton Friday. Delegates will be sent from the local board of trade, which is also urging the co-operation of other bodies throughout the province.

Rev. David Hutchinson, B.D., and D. C. Clark of West St. John, returned yesterday from Toronto where they had been in attendance at the semi-annual session of the Canadian Baptist Foreign Mission Board.

William McIntosh, curator, gave an interesting lecture last evening in the Natural History Museum on Weapons of the Primitive People.

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LOCAL NEWS

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MAY 2

A.M.
High Tide... 8.20 Low Tide... 7.31
Sun Rises... 4.17 Sun Sets... 7.38
Time used is Atlantic standard.

An alarm from box 41 was rung in last evening for a fire in a car of cotton at Reed's Point.

At a meeting of the executive of the New Brunswick Tourist Association, held at the board of trade rooms yesterday, the matter of the appointment of a secretary was referred back to a special committee to bring in a report at a future date.

The lack of a quorum necessitated the postponement of the regular meeting of the common council, which was to have been held yesterday afternoon. Commissioner J. V. Russell had not returned from Ottawa and Commissioner H. R. McLellan was not present.

Congratulations are being extended to George D. Martin, chief clerk in the water and sewerage department who yesterday entered his twentieth year as an employee of that department of the city. Mr. Martin went on the job on May 1, 1898.

At a meeting of the Carpenters' Union in the Painters' Hall in Union street last evening most of those present reported their employers were agreed to pay the new rate of 45 cents an hour instead of the old rate of 37 cents an hour. The wage increase went into effect yesterday.

About 100 soldiers of the 217th regiment were entertained last evening at the German street Baptist church. Various games were enjoyed by the boys and the young ladies of the church. Miss DeWolfe gave a reading and one of the soldiers told some interesting stories, after which Pie, Watson sang. The soldiers were served with cake and coffee.

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Fresh Ground Coffee, 35c. lb.
Good Bulk Tea, 40c. lb.
Flour White Lard, 23c. lb.
Sunkist Oranges, 20c. a dozen and up
Home-made Apple Jelly, 15c. jar
Peaches, per can, 20c.
Pears, per can, 20c.
Grapefruit, 9c. each
or 3 for 25c.

Kellogg's Cornflakes, 10c. pkge.
3 pkgs. Quaker Cornflakes, 25c.
2 cans B. C. Salmon, 25c.
3 cans Old Dutch, 25c.
2 pkgs. Seeded Raisins, 25c.
4 lbs. Rice, 25c.
3 pkgs. Dates, 25c.
Large can of Pork and Beans, 18c.

West Side Delivery Tuesday and Fridays.

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If to you May 1st means moving, a NEW HOME, and of course, NEW FURNITURE, Carpet Squares and Floorcloths to go with it, you cannot help being interested in our beautiful stock we have on our floors. We can furnish your home complete. Come in and look at our magnificent stock. No trouble to show goods.

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Just at the springtime, when the human system is sure to be more or less debilitated, and often at the most critical time in a girl's life, there comes also the anxiety, eye-strain and mental over-exertion consequent on the approach of examinations.

To many this extra demand on the system proves the last straw, and the results are made known by headaches, sleeplessness, irritability, loss of appetite, tired, worn-out feelings and inability to concentrate the mind on the work at hand, whether it be mental or physical.

To some there will come St. Vitus' dance, nervous prostration, or some derangement of the vital organs, which may linger to make a life of suffering and unhappiness.

The only means of averting trouble is by the use of external assistance in order to increase the supply of pure, rich blood, and for this purpose there is no treatment comparable to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Because of its mild and gentle action and powerful restorative influences in building up the system, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is particularly suited as a treatment for girls and women. Especially during the critical periods of woman's life, such as between the ages of twelve and sixteen, this great food cure, by supplying an abundance of rich, red blood, keeps up health and strength and fills the body with vigor and vitality.

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"A trial of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food benefited me, and I used altogether seven boxes. At the end of a month people scarcely knew me, I had improved so much. The blood was enriched, color improved, new flesh added, and I got strong and well. Several of my friends have profited by my experience and received great benefit from this treatment."

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Jersey Cream Baking Powder, 22c. can
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California Lemons, 20c. doz.
Shelled Walnuts, 45c. lb.
Shelled Almonds, 45c. lb.
Western Grey Rockwalnut, 4 lbs., 25c.
Rice, 4 lbs. for 25c.
Tomatoes, 18c. can, \$2.00 doz.
Corn, 13c. can, \$1.20 doz.
Peas, 14c. can, \$1.40 doz.
Wax Beans, 12c. can, \$1.40 doz.
Green Gage Plums, 15c. can
Peaches, 15c. can

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Sackville Tribune - Sidney Scott, fourth son of S. D. Scott, formerly editor of the St. John Sun, and now editor of the Vancouver News Advertiser, passed through Sackville recently with an over-sea unit en route to Halifax. Mr. Scott has four sons in uniform, of whom Sidney is the last to go overseas. He enlisted and trained in Quebec. Sidney and his twin brother, Cecil, now in France, were at Mount Allison some years ago.



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New York, May 1.—The United States government awarded yesterday to the Foundation Company of this city a contract for building an indefinite number of wooden ships, part of the fleet which is to "bridge" the seas carrying food, munitions and supplies to our allies. Tomorrow more than 1,000 men will be put to work building the plant near this city, which, when it is running at maximum capacity, will be able to turn out one ship ready for service every ten days. The plant will occupy fifty-five acres, with 1,500 feet of wharf. Everything has been in readiness for some time for the signing of the contract, it is said, and builders, the material makers, and the transportation companies have worked out a scheme of co-operation. The building of the ships will be able to do effective service. The plans have been carefully gone over by the government architects and are said to meet the approval of Major Gen. Goethals.

BOHEMIANS EAGER TO FIGHT

Chicago Boys Volunteer for Canadian Forces, as Well as for U.S.

Chicago, Ill., April 25.—One hundred and fifty men in Canada now are on the way to England and three hundred and fifty in Jefferson Barracks, all enlisted since March 1, in the ranks of the Bohemian population of Chicago. And the movement is only in its start.

The wooden vessels will be of 8,000 gross tons each and have a carrying capacity of about 5,000 tons. They will be 800 feet long, forty-six feet beam, and have a draft of seven feet. They will be equipped with reciprocal engines and it is estimated will have a speed of sixteen knots an hour.

"We have only just closed the contract," said President Remington, "but for that reason I cannot go into its details. The company is not only going to build ships for the Atlantic trade, but are also investigating facilities on the Pacific Coast, for the government is figuring on putting up another plant there. We have timber already for present needs and the railroads will bring in material just as fast as we need it.

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guns, but of that matter I am not authorized to speak.

The building of wooden ships capable of bearing the strain of rough weather on the Atlantic, and still be of sufficient size to carry considerable cargo, is one that has been the subject of dispute among shipping men, but the designers since March 1, in the ranks of the Bohemian population of Chicago. And the movement is only in its start.

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News was received in New York the other day from Australia that Pelorus Jack was dead. The famous New Zealand pilot-fish had conveyed steamships and sailing vessels to Nelson at a point near French Pass for the last thirty-five years. According to Ben Ruides, a sailor of a British freighter, the funny pilot died from the infirmities of old age and aggravated by grief over the war.

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Diseases and disorders of the heart and nervous system have become frightfully prevalent of late years.

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coast skippers believed that he had given up his job. Finally the New Zealand government sent a dispatch boat to look for him, and Jack was discovered hiding up a small inlet in a lone state and brought back to French Pass. To protect him from further attacks the governor of New Zealand issued a special order-in-council establishing a fine of \$500 for any person who attempted to injure Pelorus Jack.

"Just before the war began it was named Wilfrid, the famous dolphin was turning gray and was showing his age in other ways. He took on a shovell-like saluting gait, and called Billy to teach him the pilot business, but Billy had at his port deadlight and had to carry so much starboard helm that he was continually going around. Then Jack got hold of a frisky young dog named Pelorus Jack, just plucked away and sent to the coast. He was a long and faithful services the crew of a coast steamer dug a trench and put the body of the old finny pilot in it on a monument to have been honored by a special order-in-council.

FLAG UP, PASTOR QUILTS

Boston Pacific Preacher Objects to Emblem in the Choir Loft.

Worcester, Mass., May 2.—Rev. Charles E. Beals, pastor of the Church of the Unity, Unitarian, has resigned because his parishioners insisted on raising an American flag over the choir loft.

Although an ex-militiaman and military chaplain, he is an ardent and prominent pacifist. He had presented an ultimatum to his parish committee two weeks ago predicting his resignation if the flag went up. The flag was raised, and his resignation, which will be accepted, is effective on June 30.

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W. W. Chapin, Former Newspaper Owner, to Defend Dressmaker's Suit.

New York, May 2.—On the application of William Wallace Chapin, former publisher of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer and 174 St. Francisco Call, Superior Court Justice Gierlich has vacated judgment against him for \$7,265 obtained by a Fifth avenue dressmaker for gowns furnished to Mrs. Katherine Gray Sunderland Chapin, a niece of the late A. T. Stewart, whom Mr. Chapin married in Sacramento, Cal., in July, 1915.

Mr. Chapin asked the court to vacate the judgment which had been taken by default and permit him to be defended in the action. In the affidavit he made it known that he divorced Mrs. Chapin in last February. He said his wife almost ruined him financially by making extravagant purchases in Fifth avenue shops and elsewhere. He said the bills contracted amounted to more than \$50,000 in spite of the fact that he made her a generous allowance. He said he had some doubt as to his liability for the articles she obtained were not necessary, but that he had decided to borrow money from his relatives and friends and make a settlement. He called a meeting of the creditors, and an offer of 50 cents on the dollar was accepted by all except Anna McNally, Inc., the dressmaker, which concerned which obtained the default judgment.

The papers show that within a few days Mrs. Chapin bought from the plain 117 twenty-six gowns, costing from \$20 to \$300 each, and that she had one gown delivered to a Miss Lawson, who she said was Mr. Chapin's cousin. Mr. Chapin said Miss Lawson was merely a friend of his wife.

CARRANZA TAKES OATH AS CONSTITUTIONAL PRESIDENT

Mexico City, May 1.—Venustiano Carranza late today took the oath of office as the first constitutional president of Mexico since the assassination of Francisco Madero on Feb. 23, 1913.

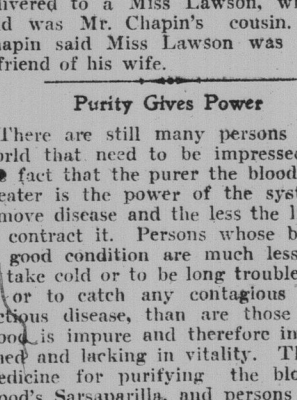
Backed by a majority of nearly 80,000 votes given him by the Mexican people at the March elections, President Carranza drove from the national palace to the chamber of deputies and swore to uphold the new constitution.

Chinês Minister.

Peking, May 1.—The Chinese parliament today approved of the appointment of Li Chang Shi as minister of finance. (Chu Chou Tao, the former Chinese minister of finance, was removed from office early in November after having been charged with receiving a bribe in connection with the smelting of brass coins into ingots.)

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GOVERNMENT PLAYED FOR INACTION AND FAVORITISM

Ottawa, May 1.—The government and particularly the minister of finance, were impeached in the commons today by George W. Kyle and other Liberal speakers in the continuation of the budget debate, for the continued policy of drift, instead of resolute action, in dealing with the high cost of living problem, for lackadaisical methods of recruiting and for playing up to special favor interests rather than dealing justly with the ordinary consumer.

Germany's Next Peace Offer Will "Astonish the World"

The possibility of peace terms being advanced by Germany; the internal political situation in that country arising from dissatisfaction of the workmen over present conditions, and a recrudescence of stoning in Petrograd, in which bombs were thrown, and the disturbances were fired upon, are features in the news of the world which, for the moment, take precedence over military operations on the fighting fronts.



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The report against the Dufferin Hotel for selling liquor under the new prohibition law which came before the police court yesterday, ended in a complete acquittal. The charge was utterly unfounded and the case was dismissed.

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Lord Eastace Percy, ship expert with the British mission, says that the present rate of British construction of ships and the present American rate of construction of ships are in line with the present rate of destruction by submarines. Their hope lies in increased production in the United States.

BAD STOMACH TROUBLE

Shreveport, La.—"I had a bad stomach trouble for years and became so weak I could hardly walk or do any work. My appetite was poor, my food would not digest, I bloated and was very weak and nervous. I tried many remedies without help. I saw Vinol advertised and tried it, and now my stomach trouble is completely cured and I am well."—E. L. Marshall.

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The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Automobile Association was held in the Board of Trade rooms last night. The secretary's report showed that the membership of the association had increased to about double that of last year, that a great amount of work had been accomplished by the association and that the plans set forth for this coming year are extensive and great results are expected in road work, guides, maps, etc.

FAIRVILLE LADIES WERE THE HOSTESSES

The ladies of the Missionary Society of Fairville Baptist church entertained the missionary societies of the other Baptist churches in the city last evening in a missionary concert. Mrs. Hayward presided. A missionary pageant was produced consisting of four tableaux. This was put on by twenty young ladies and men. Miss May Thorne sang a solo during the tableaux.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture, announced yesterday in parliament that, at the end of February, there was in Canada one and a half million bushels of surplus potatoes over food requirements. From then until April 15 there had been exported one-half million bushels, leaving one million bushels.



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PREDICTS KAISER'S FALL

Japanese Seer Says Peace Move Will Begin and War End Soon. If the prophecy of Japan's most famous seer, Ryozo Yoshimura, is fulfilled, the Kaiser will soon be dethroned, a peace move by Austria followed soon afterward by Germany this month and the war will be brought to a close in November, according to recent advice from Japan.

Mutt and Jeff—Jeff Knows What Is Inside of a Nut Any Way



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INJURY TO STAR PLAYERS CRIPPLE NEW YORK GIANTS

Second String Men Are Lacking in Power; Athletics Furnish Surprise—Other News of Interest

New York, April 30.—The one thing which could happen to endanger the Giants' chances for a victorious pennant fight has happened. The harmony of McGraw's team work has been broken by injuries. Fortunately in this instance the injuries are only temporary, and will have no serious effect. But, nevertheless, it was just following the injuries to Herzog and Zimmerman that New York lost its first series of the season to Philadelphia. McGraw's nine of first-string players were called into such a formidable team last season, and the work of the club during the last week has shown that the Giants' secondary strength is somewhat lacking in power.

The great trouble with the Giants is that if any of the regular players should be kept out of the game for any long period, the team's pennant chances would be much weakened. With Herzog and Zimmerman out of a few games this last week, the Giants showed weakness. McGraw's greatest wish will be to keep his team intact and not have to call upon his reserves too often. For the reserves are not as strong as the regulars by any means. The Giants' weakness is in second-string players.

The lead of the Giants has been cut down during the last week, and the St. Louis Cardinals are keeping up their impressive work. Despite the Cardinals' defeat yesterday, they were only one game behind New York. In the league as a whole, the Giants still retain their superiority in batting and fielding and lead in both of these departments of the game.

The surprise of the week was furnished by the Athletics in the American League. Here is a club which never has been considered seriously by any one, yet all of a sudden it has dived upon the fans that the shrewd Connie Mack has at last collected a club of strangers who may stage a surprise this season. Not but for a time which before the season opened, was not considered to have a chance. The work of the Athletics here during the last week in defeating the Yankees makes it appear that Mack has the foundation for a team of sluggers. As a fielding outfit, the Athletics are ragged, but there is a great attack and good pick-offing. With these important assets, efficiency in fielding can readily be developed. The Athletics will bear watching.

The White Sox did not have long to gloat over their proud position at the head of the American League, for this morning finds the champion Red Sox occupying the high perch at the top. Outside of the sudden rush of the White Elephants, and the moving up of the Red Sox, there were no outstanding developments during the week. Manager Bill Donovan blames the shortcomings of the

Sport News of A Day; Home and Abroad

THE RING.

Harry Greb Beats Al McCoy.
Pittsburg, May 1.—Harry Greb, of Pittsburg won on points over Al McCoy, of Brooklyn, here last night, in a ten-round bout. McCoy appeared to be in poor condition and with the exception of the first round, Greb forced the fight.

Demers Makes Good.
New Bedford, April 30.—Paul Demers, of this city, made himself the idol of local boxing enthusiasts tonight by winning a clean-cut victory over the Zulu Kid, flyweight champion of America, in a lively 12-round bout. The Zulu Kid had an even break in the first and eighth rounds, but except for those sessions it was all Demers.

Lewis Best in Seven.
Columbus, O., May 1.—Ted Lewis, the English welterweight, outpointed and outboxed Johnny Griffiths of Akron O., in seven of the twelve rounds of a six-round bout here last night. Griffiths won six rounds and the others were even, with Lewis on the aggressive throughout the bout. The weights were: Lewis 118-4, Griffiths 131-4.

Kilbane Beats Welsh.
New York, May 1.—Johnny Kilbane, of Cleveland, featherweight champion of America, outpointed Freddie Welsh, of Wales, world's champion lightweight, in eight of the ten rounds of a boxing match here tonight, according to the opinion of experts about the ring. It was apparent, however, to the observer who is familiar with Welsh's policy in safeguarding his lightweight title, which he regards as a valuable financial asset, that the lightweight champion felt it incumbent upon himself to fight a purely defensive battle.

Langford Comes Back.
St. Louis, May 1.—Patsy Langford, of Boston, knocked out Bill Tate, of New York, in the fifth round of a scheduled twelve-round bout here tonight. The men are both negroes.

Kid Burns Loses.
Indianapolis, May 1.—Patsy Hagen, of one of His Majesty's ships was awarded the decision over Joe (Kid) Burns of Monroeville, in a fifteen round boxing bout in

LANDLORDS MUST GO SAYS LADY WARWICK

Countess Thinks British Hereditary Property Holders Will be an Anachronism

Assails Buyers of Titles—Owners of 23,000 Acres Declares the Only Cure for Evils Lies in State Ownership

London, April 19.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—The Countess of Warwick, owner of 23,000 acres, has issued an appeal to the landed aristocracy of Great Britain to follow the example of the Russian grand dukes, and turn over all their feudal properties to the state.

"We must go," she says. "The aristocracy of England, in its position of hereditary land-owners, must go. The country rings with suggestions for the betterment of the conditions under which land is cultivated, but as I see things the suggestions are in no instance drastic enough.

"The only cure for the present evils seems to me to be state ownership, the abolition of all private property in the earth that was given to all of us in common. There are two classes of large land-owners in England, the aristocracy and the plutocracy. As a class, the aristocracy have been good landlords within limits, but the limits are very marked, because they have always been a narrow-minded body. The average chieftain who plays the part of Lady Bountiful is to me an abomination, because her philanthropy is so closely associated with dogmatic religion, personal pride, and party politics.

"I have known estates where the tenants are expected to belong to the Church of England, and nonconformists are barred or persecuted. Radicalism is likewise suspect. Farmers, labourers, and small village tradesmen have been ruined or exiled from the place of their birth because their opinions are contrary to those of their landlords. Men and women on such estates must rule their lives to order, think as they are told to think. If our aristocracy possessed the overwhelming wisdom necessary to their role as supreme dictators all would be well, but I cannot reckon in their ranks more than six whose claims would bear momentary consideration.

As for the plutocrats, the men who have bought land and titles in the open market, and the one is nearly as ready purchased as the other—they have not the old feudal tradition of the aristocracy. They have been accustomed to make business ventures pay; they demand 6 per cent on their outlay and employ an agent who will see that they get it. The landlord of this class is a bad landlord.

"For the betterment of social conditions in England a supreme sacrifice is required. It is no more than justice that the men who have offered their lives in this war for Britain should have the freedom of Britain for their reward. It is no justice that calls men to fight for the land and leaves it in the hands of a fraction of those who fought. To me it is impossible that in the future this Greer, or 'my Lord' should own square miles of the mother earth for which Tom Dick and Dick were so wounded and Harry fought unceasingly.

"The country has great needs. If it is to remain solvent the united work of one and all is necessary. The old feudal landlord will be an anachronism, the new money-spinning landlord an abomination. Only the state can own the land in trust for those who can make it productive. We who are in the high places in England should retire from them in the real halo of renunciation, and our act of sacrifice would be a better memorial than the best of us could have hoped to gain."

The New York Times adds this:—Frances Evelyn, Countess of Warwick, is one of the largest landed proprietors in England, owning some 23,000 acres, while her husband, the Earl of Warwick, possessed about half as many. More than once since she exposed the cause of socialism she has been asked why she did not practice what she preached and divest herself of her own vast wealth, and more than once she has replied publicly that her estate had been entailed, and that should land reformers ever enable her lawfully to do so she would be one of the first to show her rich holdings to go to benefit the poor.

Better known to the public as Lady Brooke, the Countess has been one of the most-talked of women in England for more than a generation, particularly so in the nineties, when Edward VII. was the Prince of Wales. She is the daughter of Colonel the Hon. C. H. Manners, who was himself a viscount and a man

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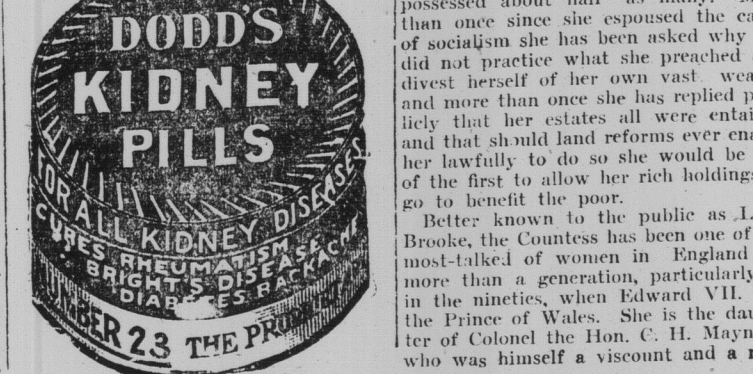
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HAD LITTLE STOCK ON COURTENAY BAY SHORE

Police constable Estey and Straight discovered a new "hiding place" for some wet goods about 9:30 o'clock last evening when they followed Arthur Lumish and another man whom they did not get from the foot of Clarence street, across the railway tracks, almost to the shore of Courtenay Bay.

SNOW ON MAY 2 With the wind blowing forty miles an hour and a driving wet snow, the second day of May was ushered in.

TO BE MARRIED IN HALIFAX The wedding of John G. Waterbury, son of George H. Waterbury of this city, and Miss Hilma Cunningham, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Cunningham, rector of St. George's church, Halifax, is to take place at eight o'clock this evening in St. George's church, Halifax.

TWO INCHES OF SNOW IN FREDERICTON

Minister Shuts Down on Timber Limit Holders Who Have Not Met Regulations Fredericton, May 2.—Fredericton is experiencing winter weather today, it began snowing early this morning and continued until noon. More than two inches fell. The mercury keeps close to the freezing point. Continued cold weather is retarding driving operations, but as there is plenty of snow and ice in the woods which must melt later on and bring the streams up the lumbermen are not worrying.

NO YACHT CLUB CRUISE IN 1917 At the quarterly meeting of the Royal Kennebec Yacht Club last evening, it was decided to hold a service this year the same as last, but owing to conditions brought about by the war the annual cruise will be dispensed with.

PUNERALS The funeral of George J. Morrissey took place this morning from his late residence, 147 St. James street, to St. John the Baptist church, where high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. J. J. McMurray. The body was taken at noon to Shelburne where interment will be made.

The Man In The Street

The citizens will now join in the chorus of that old familiar song "How Dry I Am." * * * They have used up the stocks they laid in. * * * Careful census of all those who laid in private stocks before May 1 might indicate a surprising reduction in previous estimates of the number of "tom-day" prohibitionists in this city. * * * Even the healthiest of citizens decided that it would be well to have something on hand for medicinal purposes. * * * Moving day and prohibition struck town on the same day, a fact to which some folk point in Canada and the United States with a chuckle. * * * Those who have tried report that it certainly is hard to get a drink around St. John these days; even the public fountains in King and Market Squares are dry. * * * But the soda water dispensers are adding large numbers to their circle of acquaintances. * * * Even the non-superstitious will agree that thirteen is an unlucky number, when it represents the number of cents required to purchase a loaf of bread. * * * Germany says she will "astonish the world" with new peace proposals. Germany will have to go some. * * * Nothing that Germany could do would surprise us half so much as a display of reasonable war activity by our own Dominion government. * * * The government might be right or wrong in deciding against the adoption of conscription in Canada, but the official announcement that they have not even considered it indicates that they are several lapses behind the rest of the people. * * * Even the slacker who beat it across the border to dodge compulsory service considered the matter and took action according to his light and leaning. * * * Kaiser Wilhelm will display even more than his usual cheerful optimism if he can contrive the demand for a strong man at the helm of the German ship of state into a compliment to himself. * * * We earnestly commend the patriotism of the amateur potato grower—but we want to be shown before we promise to eat the potatoes they raise. * * * The merry month of May is getting off to a bad start in St. John and considerably more like merry Christmas. * * * Taking the duty off wheat has not satisfied the people of Canada; they want the tariff removed from farm tractors, Ford cars and other common necessities of life.

DEAD IN CELL

Cyril Carney Had Been Taken There For Own Good

Drinking, Say Police and Doctor—Had Medical Attendance and Visited Several Times During Night Cyril Carney, aged thirty-five years, was found lying in one of the cells of local police headquarters this morning a little after five o'clock. Night Deskman Gibbs had been on his rounds half an hour before and engaged in conversation with the man. When he returned again at five o'clock Carney was unconscious. Dr. F. F. Dunlop was hastily summoned but before he arrived the unfortunate man had breathed his last. As Policeman Hogg and Hopkins were in the vicinity of the foot of Main street about five o'clock yesterday afternoon they received information which led them to pay a visit to Carney's house. He lived alone in the lower flat at 700 Main street. The condition of the man, according to the police, was wretched and the condition of his house was declared pitiable. The man was lying on an old bed. The policeman said the man had been drinking. The called in his uncle, John McLeod, a meat dealer in Main street. The patrol was then sent and Carney was taken to the police station. The condition of the man demanded medical attention and Dr. Dunlop was called. He saw the man between six and seven o'clock last evening. In speaking of the affair this morning Dr. Dunlop said: "It was one of the worst cases of drunkenness I have ever seen." The physician applied a stimulant and it was thought the man would rest comfortably during the night. As it was, he rallied somewhat during the night and was talking with Night Policeman Gibbs at 4:30 o'clock this morning. Coroner F. L. Kenney was apprised of the affair and gave permission for the removal of the body to O'Neill's undertaking parlors in Main street. Speaking of the case this afternoon, Coroner Kenney said he thought an inquest was unnecessary. Carney was a comparatively young man. He had no relatives beside his uncle. The police report that the condition of the house wherein the man has been making his home for the last two years is most undesirable. Everything possible was done to save his life, the police say, and as the night man makes his rounds to the cells every half hour there was no neglect of him while attached to anyone for the sad occurrence.

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LOCAL NEWS

TRAIN LATE The Montreal train was one hour and forty minutes late in arriving in the city today. The cause of the delay was due to the main line freight block in Maine by a derailed freight car. The Boston train was thirty-five minutes late.

ACCIDENT John Douglas, an employe of Stetson, Cutter & Company's mill at Indiantown, fell yesterday afternoon and sustained injury to his shoulder. He was sent to the hospital in the ambulance. He was able to return to his home today.

THE MASKINGONE An attempt to float the Dominion Coal Company's liner Maskingone, which went aground on the mussel bed on last Saturday morning, will be made on Friday night. Tides are expected to be favorable and the steamer is lying in a good position. It is felt that no great difficulty will be experienced in freeing her.

A GOOD GAIN The receipts here during April were: Spirits \$19,983.21 \$20,064.09 Cigars 853.50 450.00 Raw Leaf 146.44 173.04 Bonded Mrs. 108.68 109.48 Other Receipts 4,820.23 5,004.70 \$25,290.90 \$24,818.31 Increase for 1917, \$9,421.41.

WATER AND SEWERAGE The May snow storm did not interfere with the work of the water and sewerage department today. A start was made in the renewal of three hydrants in Adelaide street; work was continued in the Beacon street sewer and there was considerable work in the way of service pipe repairs to be attended to. Repairs are being made also to a leading main in Gilbert's Lane, believed to be due to a joint blowing out.

I. O. G. T. OFFICERS At a meeting of Dominion Lodge, No. 445, I. O. G. T., in the Temple hall, in Main street last evening, H. B. Cunningham, lodge deputy, installed the following officers for the coming quarters: Alexander Corrigan, chief templar; Mrs. E. B. Brown, vice-chief templar; Mrs. B. Kirkpatrick, secretary; Ernest Marshall, financial secretary; Miss J. Woodland, treasurer; Miss Ada Wilson, superintendent of juvenile work; Miss Lillian Garnett, chaplain; Bruce Wood, marshal; Miss Florence Johnson, deputy marshal; Miss Sophie Scribner, assistant secretary; George McKel, guard; Melvin Reeves, sentinel; Miss Nellie Scribner, organist; and Floyd Parent past chief templar.

BOYS' CLUB ENTERTAINERS The following were the members of the Young People's Society of Fairville Methodist church who entertained the Boys' Club last evening: Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stout, Misses Gladys Shaw, Blanche McCooligan, Hazel Kelley, Florence Kelley, Florence Irvine, Lottie Kelley, Vivian McCooligan, Mrs. J. Evans, Miss Hazel Linton, Mariel Cougle, Addie Tippitt, Gladys Tippitt, Audrey McCooligan, Irene Skynest, Eva Taylor, Mina O'Brien, Viola Gooffroy, Hattie Boyle, Hilma Brownell, Ethel McCooligan, Flora Adams; William Allan, Murray Allan, Thelma Townsend, Walter Tippitt, Lawrence Townsend, Willard Bonnell; Mrs. Nickerson, Mrs. Gray Townsend; Rev. Gilbert Estey.

Former United States Ambassador Gerard says Germany is getting to point where she will not be able to pay interest on war loans.

MAY 2, 1917 SPRING CLOTHING For Strenuous Boys The kind of clothing that's made to stand hard usage, to be worn by real boys, good strong tweeds made with the best of trimmings. Coats are made pinch-back style or pleats running from yoke to belt. Bloomer Pants are finished at knee with the new fastener. Junior Norfolk Suits, 4 to 10 years, - \$4.00 to \$7.50 Regular Norfolk Suits, 8 to 18 years, \$5.00 to \$17.00 RAIN TOGS Boys' best quality Black Rubber Coats, with souwester hats to match, 4 to 16 years, Coat and Hat, \$5.00

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IT IS WELL DESERVED London, May 2.—Lieut. General Jan Smuts, of South Africa, who is at present in England, according to the Central News, will be offered a high military command and it is expected he will accept it. TODAY'S BALL GAMES National League—Cincinnati at Chicago, clear, 3 p.m.; St. Louis at Pittsburgh, cloudy, 7 p.m.; Brooklyn at New York, clear, 3:30 p.m.; Boston at Philadelphia, clear, 3:30 p.m. American League—Chicago at Cleveland, clear, 3 p.m.; Detroit at St. Louis, clear, 3 p.m.; New York at Washington, clear, 3:30 p.m.; Philadelphia at Boston, cloudy, 3 p.m. International League—No games. All games scheduled for today have been moved forward and already played as doubleheaders.