



# THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., AUG. 9, 1918.

## Editorial Brevities.

An official statement says the war is costing Great Britain nearly thirty-six million dollars for every day in the week. This figures out at about \$5,000 a minute. If some of us could just have about five minutes of war expenditure we would be quite well satisfied.

Canada's war bread is made from 90 per cent. wheat flour and 10 per cent. substitutes. This makes the loaf a little darker but it is just as palatable as ever, if properly made, and just as nutritious. The Canada Food Board warned bakers not to use artificial means of whitening war bread.

An important ruling affecting married draftees under the Military Service Act has been made by Major J. W. Margeson, president of the pay and allowance board at militia headquarters, Ottawa. Though a young man, eligible under the act and marrying since July 6th, 1917, is classed as 'single' within the meaning of the act, his wife, it is decided, is entitled to a separation allowance.

Now while fresh fruits and vegetables are coming to market it is the time to do preserving and canning. Even if it were not a patriotic duty to conserve for winter use the supplies now available in abundance, prudence would suggest preserving and canning on the largest scale consistent with home needs as a matter of practical economy. Everything saved now lightens the demand on the winter reserves of the country, and lightens the household bills as well.

Owing to the success of the hog production campaign in Canada and the United States, and conservation efforts of both countries in the consumption of pork, the Canada Food Board has removed the restrictions applying to public eating places on pork of all kinds which may now be served at any time by such places operating under a Canada Food Board License. Net exports of pork from the Dominion have been increased by 125,000,000 pounds per annum or 571 per cent. over the five year pre-war average.

There are several first-class short stories by Canadian writers in The Canadian Magazine for August. First mention should be given to a new writer, Laura A. Ridley, whose story, 'Miss Bartlett's Evening Out', is a fine character study. The illustrations by Mary Benson are unusually good. 'Troops', by William King Fable, is a moving sketch of the troop train delayed for a few hours at a junction point in New Brunswick. There are also personal and travel sketches, historical articles and a chapter of Sir John Wilson's entertaining reminiscences.

More and more are we realizing on this continent that the efforts being made by the women of Europe to cope with the conditions in which they find themselves are little short of superhuman. Take the case of Paulina Benedini, an Italian widow, whose five sons are under arms. She has just received an award from the Agricultural Department of Italy. She was left with three grand-nephews and nieces ranging from 1 to 12 years of age. Not only did she provide for this large family but in addition she cultivated a farm of 10 acres and raised 15 head of cattle without any outside aid. Surely she was as deserving of decoration as the Red Cross nurses whose bravery and devotion to duty have placed them on the country's honor list.

Princess Mary is working at the Children's Hospital, Great Ormond St., London, two mornings a week. By special desire of the Princess and Her Majesty, no concessions to the young nurses are made, and she tends and washes and dresses the babies and looks after the older children under the supervision of the sisters and nurses exactly like the other probationers. Her Royal Highness did not enter the hospital entirely unskilled, for she holds high certificates for proficiency in first aid and home nursing gained during a course of instruction given at Buckingham Palace last year by Sir James Cantlie to her and twenty four other girls.

### Tragedy at Bar Harbor.

On Sunday last the bodies of Harry H. Morse, of Lynn, Mass., formerly of Paradise, N. B., and his wife were found floating in the water at Bar Harbor, Me. The bodies were washed together at the waist and feet. Press dispatches say it was not a murder but a case of suicide. Harry studied for a time at Acadia College and was well known in Wolfville. The news of his tragic death will be received with deep regret.

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## Who Runs Your Farm?

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This farmer was instrumental in forming a farmers' club in his neighborhood and securing lectures by the travelling representatives of government agricultural departments. He took advantage of these by adopting the good points from each. A government report advocated the installation of lightning rods on farm buildings. He put them on his buildings and advised his neighbors to do likewise. Some of them followed his lead; others ridiculed the idea, one of whom lost his buildings the following season by lightning. Neither was he too proud to make arrangements with the town store and livery to supply them with straw free that he might haul away the manure from their stables, and thus keep his land up to the highest producing point. He did not consider it too much trouble to clean his seed that he could demand \$1.50 per bushel for his oats as seed, while his neighbor was getting but 65 cents.

Farming means production, just as truly as does manufacturing. The farmer, however, has an advantage over the manufacturer in that the latter must make his own experiments; he must pay for his experience. If the results of his experiments are satisfactory, they may produce financial returns fully warranting the outlay. If they are unprofitable, the expenditure upon the investigation is lost, and, in many cases, means ruin. How different is the farmer's position! Canada is making the experiments for the farmer. Canadians—the manufacturer, the mechanic, and every resident of Canada—are paying the cost of securing the experience by which the agriculturalist may, personally, be the gainer. It is only too true, however, many of our farmers neglect to profit by the help thus provided. Innumerable bulletins are left unread, and the information they contain is not utilized.

## Peace River District.

The Peace River District has been for many years the subject of much interest and speculation. Alluring tales by adventurous pioneers, of its wonderful resources, charming climate and varying scenery, have long since led to the district that charm of romance which distance and uncertainty blended with glowing promises. Now, however, the land so long lauded by legend and mystery is being proved a reality, modern transportation having, so to speak, brought it to our very doors. A journey from Edmonton to the town of Peace River for instance, which five years ago consumed nearly two weeks of toil and hardship, may now be made in less than twenty-four hours, in comfort at all times of the year, trains to this latest settlers mecca which is nearly 1,000 miles north of the international boundary line, carrying both sleeping and dining car accommodations.

The department of the Interior, through its Natural Resources Intelligence Branch, has prepared and is distributing a new illustrated report on the district, based on investigations made by an official of that Branch during the season of 1917. The publication contains interesting information with regard to climate, soil, agriculture, minerals, game, water powers, transportation and education. A map of the district showing general topography also accompanies the report.

The recent reservation in the interests of soldier settlement of available Dominion lands has also necessitated the preparation of a map which would show the area in Northern Alberta that had been reserved for distribution and should prove of considerable value to the returned soldier who is considering the advisability of settlement in the Peace River Country, likewise, the prospective homesteader as it shows the area within which homesteaders may be procured, also the total number of quarter-sections that are still available in each township within reasonable distance of a railway. A copy of the report or map or both may be procured free of charge upon application to the Natural Resources Intelligence Branch of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

## Historical Churches in Canada.

Everyone interested in church history should read the article by Madge Macbeth in the August Canadian Magazine entitled 'Historical Churches in Canada'. While Mrs. Macbeth merely sketches the foundation of Christianity in Canada and traces its progress down to recent times, her article is instructive and very interesting. The Quebec Province naturally attracts most of the early events, but Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Ontario have their share, and the record comes down late enough to embrace the old church at Bath, Ontario, and the Mohawk (Indian) church at Brantford.

## Meaning of the Red Cross.

The Red Cross was adopted as the emblem of mercy, in the midst of the forest of the battlefield, at the Geneva Convention, which organized the International Red Cross Society. It is, we believe, the flag of the city of Geneva, where the Convention was held.

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The Soul of France.  
(From the New York Sun)

We have lately read and heard much about the soul of France, and nothing could be more inspiring and sustaining than the study of the unconquerable spirit of that land of heroes; but it is well to remember that France has, besides her soul, a temperament for it that should not be overlooked.

France's enemies have spent much energy and much money in hypocritically lamenting the alleged fact that the nation was "bled white" by the German's agents were greatly wrought up about her plight. Their souls as they discussed it almost made the jungle of the German gold in their pockets inaudible. They would have had us believe that physical France had been reduced to powerlessness and that only the glorious soul remained.

But France is not a mere soul. We have the word of Andre Tardieu that her strength has not entirely departed from her; and we have her own veritable evidence afforded by her magnificent soldiers that the High Commissioner speaks the truth. In the present attacks on the Germans the French has taken about 75 per cent. of the prisoners captured; they have done a great share of the fighting; they have struck blows that no feeble exhausted nation could have struck. To wield the sword that France wields to-day muscles and brawn are necessary.

Nor are muscle and brawn and soul all that are required to wage the war that France is waging. Intelligence, knowledge, wisdom are essential and these France has. Pure reason has never been more completely triumphant, more absolutely vindicated than in the case of Ferdinand Foch, the great commander under whom other great commanders served, who with mind informed and enlightened by the military genius which so fast catches the French above all other peoples, visualized, fought and won years ago the vital struggle that is in progress now. The first victory was mostly the second was of the intellect; and the third, now progressing to its final stage, was physical.

Let us by all means give praise to the soul of France, but let us not forget that the soul of France is sheltered by a body and illuminated by a mind.

### Canning Blueberries.

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# PROCLAMATION

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To all to whom these presents shall come or whom the same may in any wise concern, GREETING:

A Proclamation of conditional amnesty respecting men belonging to Class I under the Military Service Act, 1917, who have disobeyed our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, or their orders to report for duty, or are deserters or absent without leave from the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

E. L. NEWCOMBE, WHEREAS considerable numbers of men belonging to Class I under our Military Service Act, 1917, called out on active service in our Canadian Expeditionary Force for the defence of Canada under our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, although they have thus become by law soldiers enlisted in the Military Service of Canada,

AND WE DO HEREBY STRICTLY WARN AND SOLEMNLY IMPRESS UPON ALL SUCH MEN, and as well those who employ, harbour, conceal or assist them in their disobedience, that, if they persist in their failure to report, absence or desertion until the expiry of the last-mentioned day, they will be pursued and punished with all the rigour and severity of the law, SUBJECT TO THE JUDGMENT OF OUR COURTS MARTIAL WHICH WILL BE CONVENED TO TRY SUCH CASES or other competent tribunals: and also that those who employ, harbour, conceal or assist such men will be held strictly accountable as offenders and subject to the pains, penalties and forfeitures in that behalf by law provided for their said offence.

AND WHEREAS we desire, if possible, to avoid the infliction of the heavy penalties which the law imposes for the offences of which these soldiers have thus been guilty, and to afford them an opportunity within a limited time to report and make their services available in our Canadian Expeditionary Force as is by law their bounden duty, and as is necessary for the defence of Our Dominion of Canada.

NOW KNOW YE that we in the exercise of Our powers, and of Our good will and pleasure in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare and cause to be published and made known THAT THE PENALTIES OF THE LAW WILL NOT BE IMPOSED OR EXERCISED against the men who belong to Class I under our Military Service Act, 1917, and who have disobeyed our Proclamation aforesaid; or who have received notice from any of our registrars or deputy registrars to report for duty on a day now past and have failed so to report; or who, having reported and obtained leave of absence, have failed to report at the expiry of their leave, or have become deserters from our Expeditionary Force, PROVIDED THEY REPORT FOR DUTY ON OR BEFORE THE TWENTY FOURTH DAY OF AUGUST 1918.

By Command, Thomas Mackay, Under-Secretary of State.

Local Happenings.

Patriotic dance Friday evening, Aug. 9th, at Evangeline Beach. Proceeds for Red Cross. Admission 25 cents. Refreshments served.

Those Olive Service Girls who signed the 'cent a day' pledge for the support of a war orphan, are requested to hand in their money for June and July, on or before August 15, 1918, to Marjorie E. Murphy.

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At the recent meeting of the Olive Service Girls Club the following officers were elected for the year 1918-19: President, Clara Chisholm; Vice President, Alice Sialis; Secretary, Treasurer, Grace Shaw; Executive Committee, President and officers: Mary Black, Ida Murphy, Eleanor Wood, Helen Moore, Jean Russell, Angela Herbin.

New Kodak catalogue just received. Come in and get one at Rand's.

Though 'Our Little Wife,' Avery Hopwood's jolly play, in which Madge Kennedy makes her third appearance as a Goldwyn Pictures star, is primarily a farcically funny thing, it is not without its thrills, its producers say. In one of the 'stunt' scenes Miss Kennedy hangs from a fire-escape six stories from the ground to escape the wrath of her justly jealous husband. Opera House Monday and Tuesday.

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A number of Wolfville people have been attending the Chautauque at Kentville during the past week. The lectures by the excellent speakers have been very instructive and were thoroughly enjoyed. The musical concerts were also of a high order. The drama 'The Old Homestead' and the opera 'Robin Hood' were the biggest performances of the week, and on both evenings the large tent was packed. Taken altogether the Chautauque of 1918 has been most successful, and arrangements have been made to hold it again next year.

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When the lady representative of Chautauque visited Wolfville a few days ago she complimented our town on the fine spirit which induced its citizens to lend their support and guarantee to an institution coming to a sister town. In striking contrast was the address of the Kentville management last Monday evening in giving all the credit of the success of entertainment to the thirty Kentville spectators. It is no wonder that Wolfville people manifested no enthusiasm in renewing their obligation to have Chautauque come to Kentville again next year.

At the last meeting of the Daughters of the Empire it was decided to send Christmas boxes to all the Wolfville boys in France. It will help the committee in charge if the friends of boys overseas will send their full address to Mrs. Scherman, who is chairman of committee. These addresses may be sent through the post office, or left at the Daughters of the Empire Room, Monday, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. The Daughters will also be pleased to receive contributions of money or candy for these boxes. If possible, boxes will be sent to all our soldier boys overseas. Prompt replies to above request will be greatly appreciated, so that the boxes may go early and be received before Christmas.

Red Cross Notes.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of \$1.00 from Mrs. MacDougall. Several bundles of Spangnum moss have been received and the ladies are getting a room ready in which it is to be picked and sorted. This is most important and there should be no delay in getting to work. We trust a money as possible will assist. They will find it most pleasing and interesting.

Three permits have been given lately to raise money for the Wolfville and Grand-Fire Societies. Why not some permits? This is just the season for lawn parties, teas and socials, and the Red Cross needs the money.

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Personal Mention.

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Mrs. Cowie left Tuesday morning for a trip to Liverpool.

Mr. Frank W. Bartsaux is spending a short vacation at Annapolis, his old home.

Master George McKenna is spending a few weeks at the home of his uncle at Kingston.

The pulpit of St. Andrew's church will be occupied next Sunday by Rev. Mr. Layton, of Kentville.

Miss Margaret McKenna, of Parrboro, is visiting at the home of her uncle, Dr. A. J. McKenna.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Burgess were visiting this week with Mrs. Burgess' brother, Mr. W. E. Fielding.

Mrs. Aubrey Brown, of Digby, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. H. Moore, returned home on Tuesday.

Prof. N. C. Hanney will occupy the pulpit of St. John's Presbyterian church, Windsor, August 11th and 18th.

Prof. J. Edmund Bars, of Lakeville, Conn., is spending his annual visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Bars.

Mrs. (Dr.) Whitford left on Friday morning last to spend the month of August at her old home at St. Stephen, N. B.

Mrs. E. L. Gould and Miss Bather Gould have been visiting in Kentville during the past week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Harris.

Miss Lena Miner, formerly a nurse at Acadia Seminary, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Haycock. She plans going to Alberta in the near future.

Wolfville's talented violinist, Miss Evelyn Starr, is spending the summer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. H. Starr, and is gladly welcomed by a host of friends and admirers.

I. O. D. E. Notes.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Daughters of the Empire was held at the rectory on Wednesday, July 31st, when several new members were added to our chapter. A gift of \$5.00 from Miss Tait is gratefully acknowledged. We also wish to thank all those ladies who keep knitting as faithfully for the boys in the field, and shall be glad to have any who can knit trigger mittens to get wool from us for that purpose. A second rummage sale will be held in the autumn to raise money to buy wool and all householders are urged to set aside articles of no further use to them, for this sale.

MARRIED.

MacCoy - MESSINGER - At Knox Church, Lettbridge, Alta., on Wednesday afternoon, July 10th, Mr. Free MacCoy, of Chis. Alta., formerly of Des Moines, Iowa, and Miss Myra Alex a Messinger, of Lettbridge, Alta.

A. J. Fisher, Rev. W. E. S. Starr, and Mrs. MacCoy left for their trip east, where they will visit the bride's former home in Kingston, N. S. The bride was formerly a student at Acadia and has many Wolfville friends.

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Give Service Girls

INTERESTING REPORT OF YEAR'S WORK.

Officers, Executive Committee and Members G. Ser. Gls. Club.—I here-with submit the president's report for the year ending July 10th, 1918.

The Give Service Girls Club was organized July 10th, 1917, with a chartered membership of sixty. The following officers were elected:

Pres.—Mary Black; sec'y, treat.—Grace Shaw; executive committee consisting of Clara Chisholm, Lilla Chase, Hazel Woodman, Hilda Fielding and Angela Herbin. At the following meeting Eleanor Wood was elected vice-president.

15 meetings have been held throughout the year, with an average attendance of twenty five members. A brief summary of the work follows:

Our first source of income was derived from work done at the Opera House in the form of ushering, ticket taking and selling. Since then we have received money from the sale of old silver, an entertainment given in December, the making and selling of Active Service Flags, the proceeds from the Tea Room, surplus from pledges for the support of a Belgian orphan, and from many donations.

We have given our funds to the Red Cross, Field Comfort Association through the local Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire; Y. M. C. A. Fund; Returned Soldiers Fund for work at Pier 2, Halifax; and subscriptions to magazines for the Returned Soldiers Dept. at the Provincial Sanatorium.

Throughout the winter the Girls were busy sewing for the Red Cross, ushering at patriotic lectures, etc. collecting for societies and assisting at sales and entertainments. In May a parade was given with the assistance of the Boy Scouts and Band, in connection with the drive for the Y. M. C. A. Red Triangle Fund. Early in June bunting was purchased and the making and selling of Active Service Flags was undertaken, and so far the sales have been most satisfactory.

Through the courtesy and generosity of Dr. McKenna we have been able to conduct a most attractive and successful Tea Room in his room on Main street. Miss Marguerite DeWitt has this work in charge and deserves great credit for the efficient way in which the work has been carried on.

On Sundays the Tea Room has been opened for a rest room for soldiers coming down from Aldershot. Several girls are present every Sunday and under the direction of Mrs. Laura Moore, assist in the entertainments and with the serving of refreshments. Miss Gladys Starr, through Mrs. D'Almaine, has very kindly donated the use of her piano.

Classes in First Aid and Military Drill have been conducted by Dr. Elliott and Lieut. Leon Archibald. These classes have been largely attended, and those attending them appreciate the kindness of these gentlemen in giving so generously of their time.

At a meeting held in June a centration was drawn up and adopted whereby a standard would be established so that the work of each girl can be measured and full credit given each one for her work. The names of all girls doing creditable work will be posted on an Honor Roll which will be hung in the Tea Room.

A number of the girls have pledged themselves to give a cent a day for the support of a Belgian orphan. Any surplus from this fund to be turned into the general fund.

The general appearance of our uniforms has been greatly improved by the adoption of the new caps in the place of the squares of lawn previously worn.

Our work of the past year has been most successful, and I hope our work of the coming year may be more so. I would like to suggest that another entertainment be given; also that plans be made to have a fair in the fall.

I thank you all for your hearty cooperation throughout the year in making the Give Service Girls Club the success it has been, and ask for a continuance of your support for my successor. Faithfully submitted, MARY BLACK

Pres. G. S. G. Club—July 1917-1918 August 1st, 1918.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR

Receipts

Das... \$ 4.95

Nickel Salary... 138.00

Sale of Old Gold and Silver... 20.00

Concerts at Opera House... 166.77

D. Chambers, per cent... 47.00

Contributions from friends... 35.00

Proceeds from candy table... 24.00

... serving lunches... 44.77

Girls contrib. to Y. M. C. A... 51.50

Sale of Service Flags... 19.75

Sale of parade snaps... 6.00

Tea Room proceeds, June 5 to July 27... 288.28

Int. on savings... 46

Total... \$839.66

Expenditures

Local Red Cross... \$139.36

Canadian Red Cross... 100.00

British... 25.00

Field Comforts... 37.35

Local I. O. D. E... 72.35

Soldiers Xmas Fund... 5.00

Returned Sol. Fund... 45.00

Y. M. C. A. Pts. Refl... 25.00

... fund... 51.50

Material for Service Flags... 16.18

License for Tea Room... 4.00

Gift used for Tea Room... 10.00

Printing... 10.00

Opera House Expenses... 51.25

Costumes, etc... 12.00

Flowers... 3.00

Incidentals... 6.48

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Bal. in Bank... 226.00

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## Has Your Opinion Passed Such Resolution?

In order to benefit ourselves individually and as a union, the white ribbons of the W. C. T. U. of Arnpark and Okotoke, Iowa, have passed the following resolutions:  
Believing that gossip is one of the worst of evils and the common cause of man's contention towards man, we are resolved that slander against one's character, true or untrue, shall not be laid at our door.  
That we will not listen to idle gossip.  
That we will not repeat detrimental reports unless necessary.  
That we will not be inquisitive as to affairs to learn about which might create slander and gossip.  
That we will not cast reflections upon any by either tone or gesture.  
That we will guard against unkind insinuations that may hurt one's feelings.  
That we will teach the children to abhor gossip and exaggeration and not allow them to tell tales out of school.  
That we will suspend judgment until we know the truth.

## Thoughts of a Housekeeper.

(Josiah Allen's Wife)  
I have a very great respect and admiration for the sadly tried President of our country and feel sincere pity and sympathy for him because of the heavy burden he is bearing so bravely. And usually I am very proud of my country, of its immense resources, its giant statures in invention, art, commerce, wealth - proud to picture it as leading all other nations in true democracy - and have been wont to consider it the Light of the World.

But the recent acts of some of our law-makers on prohibition and woman suffrage remind me of Pecksniff as presented by the immortal Dickens who, while very drunk and being helped upstairs, preached moral lessons to his panting helpers and adjured them to "Peruse and reflect on life."

At this time when America, the very center and fountain head of democracy, is draining the country of happiness and wealth to carry into foreign fields its ideal of democracy (and we all say Amen to it) by its failure to pass the Federal amendment law it is denying democracy to half the people of the land. While Austria, New Zealand and other countries have given suffrage to their women, America still stands on the brink and hesitates. While other nations have banished intoxicating drink - even tea, tortured Russia gives up its vodka - our country still allows liquor to be sold in the market place.

And while the government sends out daily and hourly appeals to careworn housekeepers to conserve every particle of flour and sugar - it squanders millions and millions of pounds of the precious grains and priceless sweets to be wasted, and worse than wasted in making something that destroys life and property, when truly it would seem that the nation at this

# A Newspaper Clipping

By SUSAN CLAGETT

High McIntosh sorted his newspapers rapidly, pausing for an instant to look at the superimposed upon a small square envelope, the handwriting of which he did not recognize. This he laid aside for the moment for more pressing business and then forgot it.

This was strange, for it was an incident thing, lying as it did alone upon the desk in front of him. One his eyes fell upon it and he stretched out his hand to take it up but was interrupted and not until he left the office, hours later, was he conscious that the letter was still unread.

He picked it up and slipped it into his pocket, thinking to read it at his leisure and again it was forgotten. Yet he was neither a careless nor forgetful man, but at this time he was absorbed by an important case that claimed all his energy and attention. Besides this, he believed it to be an invitation which he had no time to accept.

Two months later as he was passing the White House he collided with a woman in white who had suddenly stopped in his path to read the suffrage book held aloft by a very tired-looking girl. With an apology he was about to pass on, when he caught a side view of the face under the broad-brimmed hat. "You," he said, stopping short and holding up his hand. "I thought you were in California."

"I was until two months ago," Mary Bowls answered, "and it is good to be back, even if my throat does contract with an ache every time a uniform passes me. War seemed farther away out there but here, where almost every other man you meet is in khaki, it is very near."

"Yes," he said, looking at her with appreciative eyes, "living in Washington we are in the midst of things and the war is brought very close home. I suppose we forget it for a time. Come and take lunch with me. I know a place where they give you wonderful rolls and a delicious salad. That is, of course, unless you prefer a hotel."

"My tastes are still simple," she replied with a laugh. "Rolls and salad sound good to a hungry woman."

"It is rather a shabby little place," he answered, almost in apology.

"What matter? Washington is a city of extremes. Two blocks up the avenue from the White House, I shabbiness indeed. Walk down Seventh street until you reach the Corcoran Art gallery. What do you pass? Gently, nothing more until you come to the wonderful group of buildings further on. That is the one thing about Washington - its strong contrasts. I did not bring you to lunch to talk about contrasts and extremes. I want to hear about yourself. Why didn't you let me know you were in town?"

"Don't you read the daily papers?" she asked carelessly. "I believe I was announced even to the details of my traveling dress, which was an old one, by the way, and did not deserve notoriety."

"I never read the society news and frivolity does not sit well upon you, my dear young lady. What reason did you have for not sending me your card?"

"Are you sure I did not?"

"Quite sure. It would have reached me if you had sent it."

"I forgot your address and did not think to look in the directory. You can give it to me now, if you will."

"Why not? It is the best I can think of on the spur of the moment," she returned lightly.

"Why should there be a reason?" he asked again.

"Why do you always look for one?" she countered back. "Think of it as a woman's whim."

"Neither whim nor frivolity becomes you," he replied shortly, "but I will give you my card." He drew a fat case from his pocket and, not finding what he wanted, laid several papers upon the table. Uppermost on the pile was the unopened letter received two months before.

Mary Bowls's eyes widened, then became expressionless as she glanced from it to her companion, still searching for his elusive card. As he raised his eyes they, also, were caught and held by the square envelope which he held in his hand.

"I forgot it," he said simply. "It reached me when I was absorbed in an important case. Of course it was unbecomingly. I meant to read it when I had leisure, but whenever I started to open it I was interrupted. If you will pardon me I will look over it now."

"Let it wait. An hour or so will now make little difference to your correspondent."

"I have never corresponded with a woman in my life, and I doubt if this is anything more important than an invitation."

She placed a hand over the letter, still lying on the table. "Just a little longer," she said softly. "There is no telling what news it may contain and you may wish you had read it alone."

He shook his head as he slit the envelope. "I will not have it long," he said.

As he opened the sheet he found it blank. Curiously he further unfolded it and a newspaper clipping dropped upon the table. It fell right side up.

# Unexaggerated Fishing

YOU should read this story. Usually a fishing trip is a very pleasant one for most people who take it, but this one deals with dry and mountains and ripples. So you see it is different from the ordinary fishing trip where the young hero goes forth with a minimal outfit and catches the fish from all parts of the world.

He had cast in profane vein. It is all right to tell about fishing, but the water, watching the flies to start with, and the trout were coming. It is all right to tell about fishing, but the water, watching the flies to start with, and the trout were coming. It is all right to tell about fishing, but the water, watching the flies to start with, and the trout were coming.

# CONDUCTED BURIALS IN STATE

Large Amounts of Money Spent by Colonists of Virginia in Exercises Over Their Dead.

In colonial Virginia funerals were so costly as well as solemn occasions, as is shown by Mrs. Mary N. Stannard in her interesting review of the seventeenth-century customs of Virginia. When death entered the planter's home, men and women were sent on horseback over land, or by sail or rowboat up and down the rivers to notify friends and relatives, while in the kitchen the pot was put into the little oven; for not only did the colonists bring with them the English custom of the funeral feast, but many of the company were invited to the table. Uppermost on the pile was the unopened letter received two months before.

# MAKING THEM HUMAN AGAIN.

Sir Arbuthnot Lane, the noted British surgeon, was one of the principal speakers at the convention of the American Medical Association recently, and to an audience that packed the Auditorium to the doors, told how English surgeons are providing new faces for the maimed and making new noses out of ribs.

"Their wives may love them, and their children, too, and their country honor them, but there's something about a man with his face gone that hurts the eyes of people. They don't want him in their homes, nor when they can see him. Better had the poor man died," they say. And so, the man without a nose, or jaw, or chin, comes to our hospital at Sidcup, Kent. We moved inland to be away from people, so our patients would be isolated while they were being fixed up."

Dr. Lane's fingers fidgeted with the hem of his officer's coat. Clearing his throat, he resumed his swift manner of talking:

"That's the way it is. They're got to be alone. They're just bodiless men without faces - and even if they can work with their hands and legs and think with their brains, there's no place for them in the world. Not among men, and, worse yet, not among women. They're things of horror. Well, we repair them the way we can. Before the war started, surgery had not concerned itself with this branch. But when the wounded started coming in three years ago, with their faces eaten away by flame, with their features blown off by shot, we got busy, as you say over here.

"We take their ribs out now and change them into ligaments for nose structures. We slice off sheets of flesh from other parts of their bodies and use them for cheeks. Our dental surgeons make mouths for them and make lips for the mouth. Ears, and noses, and eye sockets, teeth and jaws, we give back to the poor fellows, and send them out looking human again. About 10 per cent. of all the wounded are facial disfigurements.

"You see the race is only human, and people who look as some of our creature look haven't much of a chance. But there are many women in England who see beyond the absence of face when they look at those wounded. The hospital in Kent is filled with such women workers, and so are the streets of London. We've learned a lesson from the women in works as much as one of those men without jaws, or noses, or mouths, as the most soothing anesthetic the surgeon can give them."

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# Black as Dirt About the Eyes

Liver Was All Upset and There Was Pain Under the Shoulder-blade - Two Interesting Letters.

So many people suffer from derangements of the liver that we feel sure these two reports, just recently received, will prove interesting reading and valuable information to many readers of this paper.

Mrs. J. L. Harris, Kesley, P. O. Beck, writes: "I was suffering from liver trouble - had a heavy pain under one shoulder blade all the time, and was nearly as black as dirt around the eyes, so I concluded to try some of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I did so, and before I had taken one 25c box the pain had left me and I commenced to gain in flesh. By the time I had taken two boxes I was completely cured and felt like a new person. My trouble was cured with heavy work out-of-doors, and, of course, heavy eating and drinking. I would advise anyone suffering from kidney or liver trouble to give Dr. Chase's Pills a trial."

Mrs. Charles Terry, Tweed, Ont., writes: "Before I was married I was troubled with enlargement of the liver. My liver became so enlarged that you could detect the swelling on either side, and it was with difficulty that I could get my clothes on. After I had taken two boxes of Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and like them, I commenced this treatment, and used nine boxes, which cured me at that time. Then, about two years ago, my liver became so enlarged again with the swelling, but only on my right side. I secured some more Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and took which finally cured me. I have not been troubled in this way since. I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to anyone having kidney or liver trouble."

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The day was drawing to a close, judge, jurors, witnesses and lawyers all were growing weary. Counsel for the prosecution was cross examining the defendant.

"Exactly how far is it between the two towns?" he asked at length.

"For some time Paddy stood thinking, then 'About four miles as the crows fly,' came the answer.

"You mean as the crows fly?" corrected the man of law.

The Judge leaned forward. "No," he remarked suavely, "he means 'as the fly crows.'"

And they all look at one another, feeling that something was wrong.

# Summer Heat Hard on Baby.

No season of the year is so dangerous to the life of the little ones as is the summer. The excessive heat throws the little stomach out of order so quickly that unless prompt aid is at hand the baby may be beyond all human help before the mother realizes he is ill. Summer is the season when diarrhoea, cholera infantum, dysentery and colic are most prevalent. Any of these troubles may prove deadly if not promptly treated. During the summer the mothers' best friend is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach and keep baby healthy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

# A Tasty Dish.

The flesh of the shark, when a Southern cook presides over the kitchen, looks very much like the meat of a young pig, and tastes very much like that meat. The main difference is that the flesh of the infant hog is a trifle more juicy.

When one reflects that part of the shark family was created with a relish for human flesh, or has been brought to this liking by some millions of years of evolution, it seems odd that man, when he gets the chance, should also like to eat the shark. It goes to show that in the general scheme of existence nothing is wasted.

The shark can get a good dinner out of a man and the man can get a good dinner out of a shark. It all depends on which one gets the other first. In either case it is fair eating or the one who gets the dinner.

# Snow Worms.

In Germany the term 'beetle often found in the snow. Many species of insect are commonly found on glaciers. The most abundant of these are the springtails, which hop like miniature fleas or wriggle deftly into the cavities of snow. They are a nuisance that the passerby needs to look for in order to see them. Snow-loving springtails are not confined to glaciers; they occur in great numbers on the surface of melting snow on bright, sunny spring days through the northern United States.

Varied interests.

Yes, by all means go in for a change of work, and know the vigor, enthusiasm and fitness that will come to you as a result. It is foolish, almost suicidal, to keep everlastingly repeating away at the same thing. Fresh thoughts always come with new work, and everyone of us should, if we have our own best interests at heart, try our spare hours over to some work that is absolutely new and strange to us.

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