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**BAPTIST CHURCH.**—Rev. N. A. Hartman, Pastor. Sunday Services: Public Worship at 11.00 a. m. and 7.00 p. m. Sunday School at 9.30 a. m. Mid-week prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30. Women's Missionary Aid on Wednesday evening at 7.30. The Social and Benevolent Society meet on the third Thursday of each month at 8.30 p. m. The Mission Band meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 7.30 p. m. All are cordially welcome to all.

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**T. E. HUTCHINSON, Proprietor.**

**Canadian Railways Co-operate For National Defence**

A result of suggestions made by the Government during the period of the war, there should be closer co-operation between the railways in Canada. An association has been formed by these railways corresponding to the Railway War Board in the United States, with the object of securing greater co-operation not only between the railways themselves but also between the railways and the public. Although Canada need fear no competition with other countries as to the most efficient way in which to transport goods, equipment, fuel, and men, it is necessary to stand in the way of public benefit. It is expected that through heavier loadings of cars, elimination of unnecessary train services, the conservative use of all facilities, etc., to the best advantage the country's needs may best be served. Much can be done to achieve these results through closer cooperation between the public and the railways.

Very shortly after Great Britain became involved in the war, the British Government sent for the General Manager of all the railways and made arrangements by which the railways would be guaranteed the same definite and proper representation for the period of the war as they were before, and advised the General Managers to form a committee to advise the Government as to the full value of their services as one to other words, to eliminate competition and devote the railways to essential transportation only.

When the United States came into the war, the executives of the various railroads met and arranged amongst themselves to form a committee to advise the Government as to the full value of their transportation facilities and eliminate competition. The Canadian Government, having no such committee, expressed a wish that there should be closer cooperation between the railways of Canada as Executive Committee was formed, consisting of the presidents of the following roads: Canadian Pacific, Lord Dufferin, N.S.

**Is Your Chimney Safe?**

Now that many householders are settling or have started the fire in the furnace and the range, this is a good time to remind them that defective chimneys are the greatest single source of fire. The investigation being conducted by the Commission of Conservation discloses the fact that, for the year 1916, of the places reported, no less than 400 fires were due to faulty chimneys. This is exclusive of fires resulting from dangerous stovepipes or chimney sparks.

Before real winter weather necessitates pressure upon the heating apparatus, the householders should have their chimneys inspected.

store and furnace pipes, and have them put in good condition. Rarely, if ever, does the occupant of a house make an examination of the chimney when it passes through the attic. Yet this portion of the building is probably the source of the great majority of the fires which start in defective chimneys. Changes in weather conditions and vibration have a deleterious effect upon the mortar in the brickwork, causing it to disintegrate and leaving openings through which sparks may readily pass.

Mr. Householder, get out in the attic today, for we may experience the first real cold weather any of these nights. A little trouble in climbing into the attic today may save you and your wife and kids from having to turn out in your night robes into the cold in the middle of the night while the flames destroy your home and furnishings.

Minard's Lignum Co., Limited, Galtway.—I have used MINARD'S LIGNUM on my vessel and in my family for years, and for the every day use and accidents of life I consider it has no equal. I would not start on a voyage without it if it cost a dollar a bottle.

**CAPT. F. R. DESJARDIN,** Comdr. "Stork", St. Andre, Kamoussagan.

**It takes a pint of Beef make a bottle of**

Booril contains the goodness of the beef

There has been no increase in the price of Booril during the War.

**Compulsory Service in 1863**

Voluntary system gave place to conscription under Lincoln.

It is a matter of record in United States history that President Lincoln after attempting to prosecute the Civil War with volunteer troops, at last, in 1863, turned to conscription in order to secure the necessary forces.

Since Lincoln is regarded as one of the greatest statesmen this continent has produced, it is instructive at this stage of Canadian history, to see how he dealt with the problems that arose.

The President was warned that grave disaster might follow the enforcement of the conscription law, which was in opposition to the constitutional privileges and liberties of the citizen.

Lincoln took the ground that democracy means an equal share in the burden, as well as in the blessing of a public, and decided on the firm enforcement of the law. All opposition was finally repressed.

On entering the present war, the United States prodded by past experience and promptly adopted compulsory service.

Now that Canada has adopted a similar course she is in a better position to her full share and though conscription is not provided in the Act A-1.

**Must Sell Cereals By Net Weight**

In order to avoid the waste in packages and the increase in cost to the consumer involved in the trade in small packages of breakfast foods, cereals and cereal products, an order-in-council has been passed, upon the recommendation of the Food Controller, prohibiting the sale, after a specified date, unless licensed, of such foods in original packages of less than twenty pounds. In special cases the Food Controller may license the sale in smaller packages if necessary in the interest of the public.

Manufacturers and wholesale dealers were given until November 1st to dispose of their stocks, but on and after that date they must offer for sale in Canada, any foods known as breakfast foods, or cereals, or flour, or other foods which are the product of wheat, oats, barley, rice, peas, beans, buckwheat, Indian Corn (maize) or lentils in original packages of less than twenty pounds.

In the case of retail dealers, the prohibition of sale is effective on and after December 1st.

The order-in-council requires that all the food enumerated shall be sold by the pound or ten and shall be net weight to the purchaser.

Violation of the regulation is made an offence, and the penalty provided is a fine of not less than ten dollars, nor exceeding five hundred dollars, or imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or both fine and imprisonment.

**Children Cry For FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

What do you think of your baby?—What do you suppose has come over my husband this morning, Sophie?—"I examined a conscientious little bride to the new servant. I never saw him start slow-town so happy. He's wanting like a bird."

"To blame, mum. I get the package mixed up this morning, and give him bread instead of his regular breakfast, mum."

**Italian Soldiers Paint Faces**

The Italians holding down trenches in the Alps too have enemies to deal with. Of the two the Italians prefer to encounter the Austrians. As it is, they have to face both and get along as best they can, says the Popular Monthly. In order to do this they supply themselves with gunpowder and black grease and grease for the sun.

Their faces and hands are besmeared with black grease to protect them from the burning rays of the sun, which are doubly strong when reflected from the snow. They prefer to use vasoline, but that is too expensive. The snow not only burns the faces of troops, but it injures their eyes so that sun glasses have to be worn. Needless to say, the black grease and the sun glasses make the Italians excellent targets against a background of white snow.

However, the Alps Italian troops do not always use grease and sun glasses. When there is hot fighting to be done in the Alps, they don snow-white suits and even paint their faces white. In such a uniform they are practically invisible.

**PAINS IN SIDE AND BACK**

How Mrs. Kelly Suffered and How She was Cured.

Burlington, Wis.—"I was very irregular and had pain in my side and back, but after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets and using two bottles of the Banative Wash I am fully convinced that I am entirely cured of these troubles, and feel better all over. I know your remedies have done me worlds of good and I hope every suffering woman will give them a trial."—Mrs. ANNA KELLY, 710 Chestnut Street, Burlington, Wis.

The many convincing testimonials constantly published in the newspapers ought to be proof enough to women who suffer from these distressing ills peculiar to their sex that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the medicine they need.

This good old root and herb remedy has proved unequalled for these dreadful ills it contains what is needed to restore woman's health and strength.

If there is any peculiarity in your case requiring special advice, write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass., for free advice.

**Minard's Lignum Cures Dandruff**

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**Judge Wallace and the Juvenile Court.**

Saturday's 'Presbyterian Witness' says:

In an admirable article in the current number of The University Magazine, Judge Wallace, of Halifax, gives some of his experiences in six years' administration of a juvenile court, and the conclusions to which these have led him. The Judge gives expression to some very old and time-honored truths, though very much ignored and in some quarters almost forgotten truths with reference to the discipline and training of children. He rightly lays the moral character of the child on the moral character of the parent. Judge Wallace believes in a judicious use of corporal punishment, both in and out of the public school. In these days there seems to be a sort of universal soft-heartedness—a dread of inflicting physical pain on boys. The newer efforts of humanitarianism supercharged with obnoxious sentimentalism, have resulted in the practical suppression of corporal punishment in the schools and the lack of discipline has thereby increased. The administration of corporal punishment in our public schools, when judiciously administered, is often a most efficacious means to restore order and discipline. It is a old-fashioned and its wisdom is unquestioned. It is the abuse, not the judicious use, of the rod which has brought corporal punishment into disrepute. The rod in the hands of an angry man is a cruel instrument, but administered in the spirit of loving concern for the welfare of the offender, it is a wholesome medicine. The following words of Judge Wallace are worthy of the most serious consideration not only of parents, but of all who have an interest in the young in these days of growing laxity in the religious life of so many homes: 'After a judicial experience of seventeen years in a criminal court, and six years in a juvenile court, I am certain that there would be much less need for such courts if more attention were paid to the religious training of children. Nothing else can so effectively stem the rising tide of delinquency and vice. Religious influence is the best agent of reform, and nothing else so effective as the influence of an effective voice to improve the young. What is most needed to-day is not more law, but more religion.' These are the words not of a preacher, but of a jurist of wide experience and close observation.

We wish we had space to quote more fully from Judge Wallace's excellent article. One more paragraph we must give: 'At bottom the social problem is a question of morality and religion. Carlyle said that the beginning and end of what is the matter with society is that we have forgotten God. The imperfect success of a great deal of the present-day sociology is due to the fact that God has no part in it. Many sociologists seem dominated by the delusion that legislation is a more effective aid to virtue than the homely morality of the Ten Commandments and the old-fashioned teachings of the Gospel.'

**Prevention of Bribery.**

ALL NECESSARY STEPS TAKEN TO PREVENT CORRUPTION UNDER MILITARY SERVICE ACT

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—In setting up the machinery for the operation of the Military Service Act, special care has been taken to select only officials of the most trustworthy character. In the operation of the Act, attempts at bribery are always possible. In Canada no less than in other countries. Attempt to bribe any member of an exemption tribunal or medical board, or a military representative, means a term of imprisonment of not less than one year and not more than five years. It will be very difficult for any one so inclined to get around the regulations of the Military Service Act by corruption.

Not all of the preparations made to guard against venality and unfairness in the operation of the Act can be made public, but it may be announced that attempts to bribe officials in the operation of the Act are a violation to be imposed, will be an exceedingly hazardous business A-2

**Wanted a Dark Corner.**

A revival meeting was in progress in a Southern town and Sister Smith was called upon for testimony. Being meek and humble, she said: 'I do not feel as though I should stand here and give testimony. I have been a transgressor for a good many years and have only recently seen the light. I believe that my place is in a dark corner behind the door.' Brother Jones was next called upon for his testimony, and, following the example set by Sister Smith, he said: 'I, too, have been a sinner for more than forty years, and I do not think it would be fitting for me to stand before this assembly as a model. I think my place is behind the door, in a dark corner, with Sister Smith.'

**Kidney Disease Overcome.**

Mr. James Proulx, cattle dealer, St. John's, N.S., writes: 'For about ten years I suffered from kidney disease, at times I was bad with backache, and arrangements of the digestive organs. During that time I was treated by four different doctors. One day I read in Dr. Chase's Almanac about the 'Kidney-Liver Pills' and began to use them. Altogether I used 6 boxes. All my troubles are now behind me and I attribute this result to the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.'

'Mabel, I'm going to get married next month. I wish, if Jim can get a week off from his job, I think he'll be able to see me. It isn't as if I was asking for a vacation to have a good time.'

**This Ointment Possesses Power to Heal the Skin**

Two Cases Which Prove the Extraordinary Healing Power of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

The use of Dr. Chase's Ointment is wonderfully efficacious because you can actually see the results accomplished. It is surprising what change can be brought about in a single night by this great healing ointment.

Mr. George Heavis, 115 James Street, Peterboro, Ont., writes: 'Dr. Chase's best ointment. I had a large sunburn on my leg, and the prescription of two doctors was unable to get any relief from the pain or to get the sore healed. One day my drug-store handed me a sample box of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and I used it with this letter:—'I had decided to give the ointment a fair trial. Altogether I used four boxes, and am glad to be able to say that the sore on my leg is entirely healed. I am sure this experience with Dr. Chase's Ointment has recommended it to many people.'

Mrs. W. W. Oliver, Fort George, Annapolis Co., N. S., writes: 'I am going to tell you my experience with Dr. Chase's Ointment. There was a spot came on my face which was a skin cancer, and that it would have to be cut or burned out. I intended having this done, but changed my mind when my brother recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment. Before I had finished one box of the ointment, the skin trouble had gone, and I had not bothered me since. I cannot praise Dr. Chase's Ointment too much, and you are at liberty to publish this letter.'

If you have never used Dr. Chase's Ointment send a two-cent stamp for a sample box, and mention this paragraph. Price also sent in a box, all paid for by Dr. Chase's Ointment Co., Limited, Toronto.

**He'd Been at the Front.**

The hero knocked at the back door and the lady of the house appeared. 'I was at the front—' 'You poor man!' she exclaimed. 'One of war's victims. Wait till I get you some food, and you shall tell me your story. You were in the trenches, you say?'

'Not in the trenches. I was at the front—'

'Don't try to talk with your mouth full. Take your time. What did you do at the front?'

'Well, I knocked, but I couldn't make nobody hear, so I came round to the back.'

**The Crushed Coffee Smile**

Is naturally a broad and radiant one, because he who wears it has discovered a fine, rich coffee which has none of that bitter "after taste" so common to ground coffees. That is because the bitter chaff and dust have all been removed.

be so much difference in coffee until you taste Red Rose Coffee.

The same price as it was three years ago.

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STABROOK'S RED ROSE CRUSHED COFFEE

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**Nervous Complaints.**

Few people realize that nervous ailments often arise from digestive troubles. The stomach tells, for some reason, to digest food properly. Then the system languishes and the nerves become exhausted in striving to continue their work. Impure blood also causes nerve troubles, but frequently it is in the stomach where the mischief starts. As the nourishment is carried to the various parts of the body, it will be seen what a important connection exists between the stomach, the nerves and the rest of the body. How such troubles as nervous indigestion, nervous depression and all manner of ailments.

In such cases relief is easily obtained by means of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills cleanse the blood with the food elements on which the nerves thrive; at the same time they exercise a tonic influence on the digestive organs, enabling the system to derive nourishment from the food taken. On this subject, a patient writes: 'I have been steadily improved by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. If you are suffering from nerves, or require a blood-making tonic, give these pills a fair trial, and see how speedily the best of health will be yours.'

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$3.00 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**One of the Family.**

Marie Dreiser, the actress, says that an Irish servant girl, a member of a large family whose members have been scattered all over the habitable globe, was taken on her first visit to see the animals at the Bronx Zoo.

At sight of a giraffe, browsing in a paddock her eyes bulged almost out of her head.

'For the love of heaven, what's that?' she asked.

'That,' said a sophisticated friend who had accompanied her, reading the information card attached to the beast, 'is a giraffe—a native of South Africa.'

The greenhorn gave a low moan.

'Holy Sain't!' she exclaimed. 'Me sister's married to wan of 'em!'

The Irishman was very crowded. The last vacant seats to be seen were in the first class car only. Although the Irishman had only a workman's ticket, he felt himself entitled to a seat, so he entered one of the 'first' and made himself comfortable. Presently the inspector came along and asked: 'How is it you're in a first class carriage with a workman's ticket, eh?'

'Shure,' replied the Irishman, with a grin, 'it's because I'm a first class workman!'

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**Editorial Brevities.**

Examination by a medical officer does not fulfil all the requirements of the Military Service Act. All men, whether placed in medical category A, B, C, D, E, must follow up the medical examination by going to the post office and filling in either the form for service or the claim for exemption. Failure to take this course will lead to trouble. This is the last day for registration.

Much interest is being aroused by the Flying Match which has been arranged to take place at Grand Pre on Monday afternoon of next week, under the direction of the Kings County Agricultural Society, in celebration of 125th anniversary of the organization of that grand old Society. The minutes of the Society show that a match was held under the same auspices in the year 1824 and proved to be a great success. THE ACADIAN is heartily in sympathy with such contests and is glad to see the idea revived after so long a time. We believe it will prove an incentive to our young men and be of great help to the farming industry. Let everybody who can do anything to add to the success of the undertaking get in line. See notice in another column.

**King's County Children's Aid Society.**

The annual meeting of the King's County Children's Aid Society was held in the Town Hall on Tuesday night, and though not large, there was a very representative gathering. The president, G. W. Miller, occupied the chair, and after a brief address called upon Mr. Stairs for his report. The year had been a busy one for him. Ten children had been given into the care of the Society and foster homes had been found for them and many other cases had been investigated.

The treasurer, Mr. Patriquin, gave his report, showing that about \$175 had passed through the Society with a deficit of about \$100.

A finance committee was appointed and an immediate attempt will be made to wipe out the debt and place the Society on a better financial basis.

A committee was also appointed to ask more aid from the municipality. The officers for last year were re-elected for 1918.

Mrs. Sutherland, matron of our detention home, with a little child, a ward of the Society, and Dr. Elliott told the wonderful things that had been done for this little one.

Among those taking part in many discussions were Rev. Mr. Friggens, Rev. Mr. Bone, Mr. North, Mr. Blackburn, who drove from Canada to be present.

Every one expressed the highest appreciation of the invaluable work that is being done by Mr. Stairs.

**Satisfied Mothers.**

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she will use nothing else. The satisfaction she derives from their use is wonderful. They are easy to give the baby; their action is prompt and thorough and above all they are absolutely harmless. Concerning them Mrs. Jean Dechaine, Lacordaire, Sask., writes:—I am well satisfied with Baby's Own Tablets. I had no trouble in giving them to my baby and they have promptly cured her constipation. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**A Fight With the German in the Air.**

The following is an interesting extract from a letter recently received from Lieut. Raymond Haley, who is with the Royal Flying Corps in France.

Lieut. Haley graduated from Acadia in 1915. Soon after the war broke out he enlisted with the 26th (New Brunswick) Battalion, was afterward transferred to the 85th, and was present at the battle of Vimy Ridge. Soon after this he was transferred to the R. F. C. 9th Squadron, and flew with this squadron on the Flanders front.

"I was in a rather bad affair early yesterday morning on 'flash' patrol which means cruising up and down just behind our lines watching for Hun batteries to flash, sending down calls on the wireless and getting our batteries going on them. I went up at 5.45 with a new pilot. The sun was very bad, blinding in our eyes, so that we could scarcely see anything on the ground.

We had only about fifteen minutes to complete our three mile tour when we were suddenly attacked by five albatross scouts in formation. Only three came after us, the other two stayed about for protection. The scrap lasted two or three minutes, but seemed like ten. They each took turns diving and firing, and at each I got off a good burst, which kept them off. All the time my pilot kept his nerve and kept zig-zagging to put them off their shot. While I was changing drums, one got in a good burst, and I felt the machine lurch to one side, and thought the pilot was hit, but I soon had my second drum going and they all turned tail for the Hun lines, and I gave them a farewell burst just to let them know we were still in fighting trim. Then I turned around to see if the pilot was hit, and found to my joy that he was all right; but the poor old machine was a sad cripple. The pilot had the control lever to the left-hand corner, holding it there with both knees and both hands. I looked around and found that our sealer control had been shot away on one side, which gave us a right bank, so that even with the control lever away to the left we were still slipping and had a list of about 30 degrees. I was contemplating getting out on the left wing to balance it. I found that four or five wires had been shot away, also a bullet had gone through the wing screen, and must have passed about two inches from both our heads.

After hours, it seemed, we reached the aerodrome and had to make a bit turn for fear of getting in a spin. Eventually, we made rather a good landing, but when we touched the ground you could feel everything give way. The engine had been hit, too, and gave a final cough and stopped just as we touched the ground.

There were no holes through the machine, two through the propeller, several through the fuselage and, in fact, the machine was a wreck and we can't yet understand how we got back. The bullets had passed all around us, but we were not hit. I must have been rather lucky with some of my shots, or they wouldn't have cleared off so quickly. In all I fired 200 rounds with my machine-gun, so hope some of them made a mark. It was a scrap.

Lieut. Haley is a son of R. G. Haley, Esq., of St. John, and a nephew of Professor Haley of Acadia. A younger brother, Bernard, who spent the Freshman year at the College, is with a Signal Corps at the front.

Mr. Redden in his new studio opposite Rand's Drug store is now ready to give the public better photos than ever. Make an appointment for a sitting early.

**Special Sale**

**ON PACKAGE CEREALS.**

We have one month to sell our winter's supply of Package Cereals, so we have decided to offer our large stock at the following prices:—

Farina, pkgs.	Reg. price 15c.	now 10c.
Self Rising Buckwheat Flour	Reg. price 18c.	now 13c.
Self Rising Oatmeal	Reg. price 18c.	now 13c.
Self Rising Biscuit Flour	Reg. price 18c.	now 13c.
Self Rising Pancake Flour	Reg. price 18c.	now 13c.
Wheat Kernels	Reg. price 15c.	now 12c.
Grape Nuts	Reg. price 18c.	now 15c.
Roman Meal	Reg. price 30c.	now 24c.
Cream of Wheat	Reg. price 28c.	now 23c.
Shredded Wheat	Reg. price 15c.	now 2 for 25c.

These prices are all less than to-day's cost, so buy now and save money at our expense.

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**Jefferson's CASH SHOE STORE**

We now have in stock a full line of Humphrey's Solid in Women's, Men's, Boys', Youths' and Children's Footwear. Also a Full Line of Rubbers. REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

**G. D. JEFFERSON - WOLFVILLE**

**Acadia Seminary Holds Faculty Recital.**

Two musical events of interest have taken place recently under the auspices of Acadia Seminary. The first was the Pianoforte Lecture Recital given by Mr. Edward MacDowell. Mrs. MacDowell has been heard in Wolfville, and any characterization or added appreciation of her work would be superfluous. Suffice to say she is an artist.

The second event was the Faculty Recital, which was given before a very large audience in College Hall, Friday evening, Nov. 2nd. Mr. McKee, director of the Conservatory, was the accompanist of the evening. Miss Besse Radie, violinist, was at her best in a group in which she played selections from Mierob, Rossini, Beethoven and Strauss. Miss Boone, reader, showed her careful training in her selections from Noyes, and demonstrated her ability as an interpreter in a well rendered scene from "Quality Street" from Barrie.

Miss Bunting, pianist, delighted the audience in Theme Varié, by Paderewski, and won further applause by her rendering of her second group, in which "The Lark" and Chopin's Waltz (A. B. T., op. 34, No. 1) were given with finesse and warmth. Miss Arlen McKenney, contralto, captivated her audience with her Recitative and Aria from Carmen, and was (as were all the other performers) compelled to reappear to a well deserved recall. Miss McKenney's second group—round enthusiasm. Her rendering of Cyril Scott's "Lullaby" was a fine piece of work, finely and sympathetically done. The universal comment is: "One of the best recitals, if not the best, in years."

**Public Notice!**

All persons having legal demands against the estate of the late G. P. Baines, of Canning, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within three months of date hereof, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

G. W. BAINES, Administrator. White Rock, Oct. 5th, 1917.

**Rubber Sponge Free!**

While they last we will give you absolutely free with every cake of "BROADWAY BATH SOAP" a full-sized Rubber Wash Cloth. **PRICE, 25 CENTS.**

This is just the thing to send over to the boys at the front.

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**MRS. VERNON CASTLE IS "DOUBLE CROSSED" AT THE**

**OPERA HOUSE WOLFVILLE.**

Friday and Saturday, Nov. 9-10

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Special Saturday Matinee.

Marguerite Clark YOUR FAVORITE STAR

Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 12-13

**IN "Fortunes of Fif"**

Wed. and Thurs., Nov. 14-15

**Geraldine Farrar**

in "Joan the Woman." Dates announced next week!

**Academy Players**

Tuesday, Nov. 20th, in their latest success, "The Woman He Married." Prices: 75c, 50c, 25c. Tickets on sale Nov. 15th.

**What Will Canada's Answer Be?**

OVER in the sodden trenches amid the bursting shells and the roar of artillery where Canada's boys are fighting and dying, —they are waiting for Canada's answer when the sale of Victory Bonds begins.

CANADA'S soldiers expect that we at home will put up the millions they need to keep on fighting, —the millions they must have to win Victory for freedom, home and Canada.

What answer will Canada make? What answer will you make? Shall it be said that Canada spares not her sons from the sacrifice of battle, yet withholds her dollars to give them victory? Rather will it be said that Canada once more, for the fourth time in three years, cheerfully puts up her millions upon millions for the cause of freedom, righteousness and justice.

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**Canada's Victory Loan Campaign opens on Monday, November 12**

**"Canada's Victory Loan All About It"**

Is the title of a pamphlet that should be in the hands of every man and woman in the country.

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**New Corduroy Velvets! New Cloakings and Serges!**

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**NOTICE!**

THE FREE CABINET CONTEST IS CLOSED.

Bring your Keys to the Acadia Pharmacy on and after Friday, October 12th.

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**To Soldier Boys A REMINDER!**

While you are away "doing your bit" your family should have a good photograph of you.

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**The Military Service Act, 1917**

**DON'T DELAY! Do It TODAY**

THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT is passed; the Proclamation issued October 13th. It is now the bounden duty of every man in Class One to report for service or claim exemption. This includes all bachelors and widowers without children (not otherwise excepted) who were 20 years old on the 13th October, 1917, and whose 34th birthday did not occur before January 1st, 1917.

**What To Do**

Go to your Post Office and ask for the form for reporting for service or for claiming exemption. The form contains clear instructions for filling in. Do this not later than NOVEMBER 10th.

**Beware of the Last Minute Rush**

With so many thousands of reports and claims to be dealt with, the rush of Class One Men will grow heavier day by day. You will waste less of your time and serve your own best interests if you avoid the inevitable rush on the last days.

The law is being enforced with the Government and the People firmly behind it. Obey the law. Do it today.

Issued by The Military Service Council

New Advertisements.

Opera House  
The Ford Car  
Plowing Match  
Orphan's Society  
Military Service Act  
Exemption Tribunals  
Canada's Victory Bonds.  
Jefferson's Cash Shoe Store.

Local Happenings.

Auto. livery. A. C. Cox, phone 130.  
A few plants and flower pots for sale at Freeman's Nursery.

The Kaiser started this war, Buy Victory Bonds and help finish it.

When fitting that soldier's sock be sure and include the rubber wash cloth and soap package at Rand's.

Dr. Spidle will be the preacher at the Methodist church on Sunday evening next.

FOUND.—A boat drifting on November 1st. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. Apply to this office.

There will be a meeting of the Give Service Girls this evening (Friday) at seven o'clock in the Town Hall. All members are requested to attend.

The engagement is announced of Miss Margaret Murray, daughter of Mrs. Angus Murray, of this town, and Dr. Harold W. Dodds, of Philadelphia. The marriage will take place at the New Year.

You'll soon be thinking of a way to please Father and Mother and friends at Xmas time. Think of photographs. Your portrait as you are today. Ill please them all. Make an appointment before the busy season at the REDDEN STUDIO.

Money to loan on mortgage security. Apply to H. S. Crawley Wolfville.

THE ACADIAN had a pleasant call on Monday from Mr. H. S. Congdon, of Dartmouth, who spent Sunday in Wolfville at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Foster Seaview avenue. Mr. Congdon, who is a native of Kings county, is an old newspaper man.

A War time Need. A mechanical contrivance calculated to conserve man power. It's here! What is? The Remington Accounting Typewriter with Self Starter that does the work of 2 or 3 people with only one operator to run it.

A. MILNE FRASER,  
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Victory Loan—Why you should buy at least one Victory Bond, Not only as a patriotic act but in interest of labor generally. The money thus lent the Canadian Government will be used to pay Canadian Workmen and not one penny will leave this country. Buy and see that your friends buy.

Kent Lodge will be open to receive a limited number of guests during the winter months, or will let rooms for light house-keeping. Apply to Mrs. RAN STAVLER.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Kings Co. Temperance Alliance was held at Berwick Nov. 6th. In accordance with a resolution unanimously carried at the meeting, a committee of five representative men was appointed, to confer with any committee or delegation selected for a like purpose by the Conservative or Liberal parties in this county, with a view to selection of the most suitable person available to represent the county in the House of Commons of Canada, thus avoiding an election contest.

Money to loan on Real Estate security. Apply to Owen & Owen, Barristers, Annapolis Royal.

All honor to the Wolfville Boy Scouts and every success in their good work. The Red Cross wish to thank them for their kind contribution, an account of which is herewith appended. The Wolfville Boy Scouts in accord with The Red Cross Society, Wolfville Branch.  
By Rubber sold \$8.62  
Works for War Service Badge 2.40  
By Rubber and tea lead 6.72  
Will every one please save all rubber and tea lead so the boys may continue collecting. It was omitted last week to specify the exact amount raised by the Academy for the B. R. Cross fund, namely \$33.50. Also Greenwich \$35.25. These were included in the Wolfville total.

Plowing Match at Grand Pre

Monday, Nov. 12, 1917  
at 1 o'clock p. m.

In Celebration of the 128th Anniversary of the organization of the Kings County Agricultural Society at Grand Pre.  
Open to all Ploughmen in Kings County.

Prize List as follows:—

CLASS "A"  
1st Prize \$10.00; 2nd prize \$5.00;  
3rd prize \$3.00; 4th prize \$4.00; 5th prize \$2.00; 6th prize \$1.00.  
CLASS "B"  
1st Prize \$10.00; 2nd prize \$5.00;  
3rd prize \$3.00; 4th prize \$4.00; 5th prize \$2.00; 6th prize \$1.00.  
CLASS "C"  
1st Prize \$10.00; 2nd prize \$5.00;  
3rd prize \$3.00.

Class "A" is open to all ploughmen in Kings County. Class "B" is open to any one under 21 years of age. Class "C" is open to any one over 50 years of age.  
ANNIE M. STUART, Sec'y.  
Grand Pre, N. S.  
Should Monday prove stormy the Match will take place on the first fine day following.

Men's Blue Suits \$15.00.

They have good Style and Quality and at the price should make a very suitable Suit for the man who desires something a little lower than the ordinary. Sizes, 36 to 40.

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Now is the time, boys, to choose your Neckwear, while our Large Assortment is complete.

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Woman's High Cut Kid Bals. \$5.50  
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Women's Cheaper Shoes \$3.00 to \$4.00

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October Weather.

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Max Temp.	68.7
Min Temp.	32.7
Mean "	49.6
Departure	plus 1.4
Clear days	6
Fair "	17
Cloudy "	8
Days rain	12
Total Precip.	plus 2.25
Departure	4.91
Wind Direct.	S. W.
Mileage (total)	8510
Max Vel.	8.44
Sunshine	1572 hours
W. A. COIT,	Observer.

Personal Mention.

(Contributions to this department will be gladly received.)  
Mrs. B. O. Davidson has been in Halifax this week.  
Mrs. E. H. Johnson and Mrs. H. D. Johnson spent a few days in Halifax this week.  
Miss Margaret Murray is visiting in Halifax, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Smith, Edward street.  
Miss H. E. Caldwell, who has been engaged at Herbin's jewelry store during the summer, returned to Boston on Saturday last.  
Mrs. Steves, of Billtown accompanied by her daughter, Miss Helen Steves, were over Sunday guests of Mrs. Russell, Summer street.



EXEMPTION TRIBUNALS

MILITARY SERVICE ACT 1917

For the Attention of Class One Men

The location of The Exemption Tribunals in this district is as follows:—

Tribunal N. S. No. 63--Wolfville  
Tribunal N. S. No. 53--Windsor

These Tribunals will commence to deal with claims for exemption on November 8th.

All claims for exemption must be made not later than November 10th.

Those who make or have made their claim for exemption in writing through the Post Office will receive notice by registered letter of date on which their claim will be dealt with.

Those who neglect to make use of the Post Office must present themselves in person at a Tribunal on November 8th, 9th or 10th, and they will then be informed as to when their claims will be dealt with.

Reports for service must be made on or before November 10th through the Post Office.

Severe penalties are provided by law for failure to report for service or claim exemption as above.

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L. W. SLEEP.

The People's Forum.

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN.

Dear Sir,—Exaggerated reports relating to the infection of diphtheria in the town are being circulated. The facts are these. There are two families in the town in quarantine for diphtheria, one of these is on Gaspereau ave. and the other upon the Ridge in the southern limits of the town, the latter I am informed by the attending physician will probably be out of quarantine by the 10th of this month. The closing of the public school for a few days has I believe caused some people to draw upon their imagination and circulate exaggerated reports. The closing of the public school was for the purpose of thoroughly cleansing the school building. Two of the children who had diphtheria had been going to the school, but were not known to have had the infection while in the school. But for the slight menace because of their attendance there, the Board of Health and the Board of School Commissioners heartily co-operated in taking every precaution to insure the welfare of the pupils and the community from any direct or indirect effects. The school building had been thoroughly scrubbed and cleaned two months prior to the outbreak of diphtheria. In no case has the infection been traced to the school. Permit me to say that the school building is as modern and up to date as any, having good light, ventilation, flush closets and drinking fountains, the latter does away with the drinking cup and thus avoids the possibility of infection from that source. The school building floors are now being thoroughly scrubbed and all desks and wood work cleaned antiseptically. I understand the school will open on Monday next, my object in writing the above is to give the facts as they exist and allay if possible the needless hysterics and unjustifiable reports.  
G. E. DeWITT, M. H. O.

Hon. W. J. Hanna, food controller has issued a timely warning. He says: There must be no hoarding of potatoes this year. Such action should be made a criminal offence. The department estimates that Canada's potato crop will be 20,000,000 bushels greater than last year. Last season there was considerable speculation in potatoes in Canada, and right in the vicinity of Truro there were men who held large quantities in the face of scarcity and high markets to get the top notch price, and thereby lost a large percentage. To hold a stock of potatoes under present conditions, and thereby lose by selling a large percentage which might be feeding hungry mouths, even if the speculator does not make a profit by holding, is according to Food Controller Hanna, a crime, and he is not alone in his opinion. Speculation in food stuffs, and especially perishable foods where there is a shortage through holding, is a sin against Divine Providence.—Truro Citizen.

AT 60 ENJOYING PERFECT HEALTH

By the time a man or woman is 60, the kidneys and bladder need a little help to keep them in good working order.

Rheumatism and backache so often accompany the later years of life, most people have an idea health and vigor cannot be expected much after the fiftieth year.

As a matter of fact there is no basis for these fears, we could show a number of letters proving our contention that if GIN PILLS are taken to give perfect relief from the kidneys and bladder troubles incident to one of my age.

To quote from a letter received from a prominent Consulting Engineer of New York City—"You remedy I find, at 60 years of age, to give perfect relief from the kidneys and bladder troubles incident to one of my age."

Perhaps you know a man or woman whose life is made a torment by Rheumatism, Backache, Sciatica, or Spollen joints. Don't let it continue, for GIN PILLS will surely bring that longed-for relief. You don't have to buy GIN PILLS to try them. Write for a free sample. Address the National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada Limited, Toronto; or if you live in the United States write to GIN PILLS Co. Inc., 302 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y.

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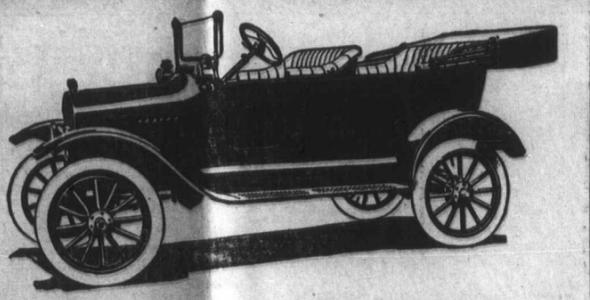
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Duluth Herald: "It costs a lot to win a war," says the citizen as he digs down to buy Liberty Bonds, as he has dug down for every war activity thus far and will continue to dig down to the end. True. But have you stopped to think what it would cost to LOSE the war? Have you stopped to compare investing your money in gilt-edged Liberty Bonds with turning it over to a conquering horde as Belgium had to do? One hasty thought of that ought to make it easy to help pay the cost of winning the war, whatever it may be.

Do you believe in Universal Service? Then Buy Liberty Bonds. Give your children a share in their country—Buy them Victory Bonds. The best form of insurance, nearness—Victory Bonds.

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BAULD—At Wolfville, Nov. 5th to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald S. Bauld, a daughter.

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**NORAH WATSON.**

50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At dealers or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

## White Ribbon News.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union first organized in 1874. The protection of the home, the abolition of the liquor traffic and the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and law.

**Officers of Wolfville Union.**  
President—Mrs. L. W. S'p. R.  
1st Vice President—Mrs. J. Cullen.  
2nd Vice President—Mrs. R. Reid.  
3rd Vice President—Mrs. Geo. Fitch.  
Recording Secy—Mrs. W. O. Taylor.  
Cor. Secretary—Mrs. L. E. Duncan.  
Treasurer—Mrs. H. Pines.

## The Service of Little Things.

A young American doctor, who writes from Le Fay in France, says that, although hospital supplies of every kind are needed for the wounded soldiers in the six war hospitals—three that lovely little towns, the three things that are most gratefully received are tobacco, games and handkerchiefs. And he adds that, of these three luxuries, handkerchiefs are most in demand.

Such an appeal through a new light on the value of nonessentials in cheering and comforting the unfortunate. It is not to be denied that in many cases the tobacco habit is an extravagant and unwholesome indulgence. Yet the doctors and nurses in charge of the wounded and blinded soldiers in Paris do not urge their patients to give up smoking if the practice actually brings moments of solace into their dull and painful days.

The blessing of games to convalescents needs no apologist. How many weary hours have been soothed by these pleasant devices! Even the cardboard dominoes, packed into envelopes and sent by the thousand to French hospitals, are rapturously welcomed and tenderly cared for. It is pitiful to think that any wounded men should lack so cheap and innocent a solace.

But handkerchiefs! There was a time, not so very many years ago, when they were the appurtenances of wealth. Sully comments gravely upon the fact that Henry of Navarre, who, for asking, was uncommodiously poor, made a most extravagant use of handkerchiefs when he had a bad cold in his head. Now they are eagerly asked for by peasant soldiers, and the American doctor who records the petition gives it his cordial endorsement. "When you want a handkerchief at all," he writes, "you want it very much. A good blow is a good

## SUFFERING FROM COLD

If you shiver in frosty weather, if you have cold hands and feet, if colds are stubborn and frequent, then your blood may be thin and impoverished.

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

has been correcting this condition for nearly fifty years. It possesses rare powers for creating natural body-heat, for charging summer blood with winter richness and strengthening both throat and lungs.

low. The letter suggests a field for kindness at home as well as abroad. How many of us realize the utter dearth of occupations or amusements in the almshouses of the United States? We take pride in the equipment of our prisons—in their libraries and baseball fields, in their bands and concerts. But paupers too often seem outside the pale of human interest or sympathy. The men and women in the out wards of many large almshouses have literally nothing to do, nothing to beguile one weary hour out of the weary day. An old woman, taken from such a large and desolate shelter into a home of the Little Sisters of the Poor, was filled with delight and wonder at finding what she called a library—three shelves of worn books, mostly devotional, and a couple of all the difference to her between human surroundings and a cat pen.

## Wolville Astonished by Merchant's Story.

A merchant relates the following: For years I could not sleep without turning every hour. Whatever I ate caused gas and sourness. Also had stomach catarrh. ONE SPOONFUL of buckhorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler's relieved me INSTANTLY. Because Adler likewise flushes the ENTIRE alimentary tract it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKNESS action at anything we ever sold.

## Dr. Dwight Hillis on the Mar.

Besides a number of articles and stories of particular interest just now The Canadian Magazine begins in the November number a series of articles by the Rev. Dr. Dwight Hillis on various aspects of the war. The first of these articles deals with the subject, 'Why England Fights the War,' and is a revelation of the great possibilities of the British Empire considered either in war or in peace. This article reveals the might of Britain, and what she means to the whole world in the way of freedom, democracy and all the good ends of civilization.

## PILES

Immense quantities of cod liver oil are being landed at North Sydney from Newfoundland, and placed on board cars for shipment to Chicago and other American points. One consignment of 350 barrels was landed from the steamer Friday, bound for Chicago. One company has so far this season spent in Newfoundland a sum in the vicinity of \$200,000 for oil. Perhaps the largest single transaction was when a well-known firm purchased no less than \$50,000 worth of oil. All of this was shipped to Chicago and Boston.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

"Was for ten years," said the new boarder, "my habits were as regular as clock work. I rose on the stroke of six, and half an hour later was at breakfast; at seven I was at work; at eight I had supper at six, and was in bed at nine thirty. At only plain food, and had a day's illness all the time."

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

A weed farm, operated by the University of Minnesota, provides opportunity for agricultural students to make a close study of weeds. The farm produces every weed known to the State.



## Memories of "the nicest cup of tea I ever tasted"



**KING COLE ORANGE PEKOE** The "Extra" in Choice Tea

## CANADA AND THE WORLD'S SUPPLY OF WHEAT



(1) Reaping wheat in Portage-la-Prairie Manitoba. (2) Threshing wheat in Portage-la-Prairie.

It was with considerable satisfaction that readers in all Allied countries received the statement made a short time ago by the Institute of Agriculture at Rome, that the crop of the principal countries of the world, outside of the Central Powers, of 3.3 per cent over 1914. These figures were based on returns from Spain, France, Scotland, Ireland, Switzerland, Canada, the United States, India, Japan and Algeria, which countries are this year estimated to show a total wheat production of 1,665,448,000 bushels. At the same time these countries show an increase in their barley crop of 2.4 per cent; an increase in their oat crop of 15.9 per cent, and an increase in their corn crop of 25.3 per cent. That such increases should be possible among nations, most of whom are engaged in war, is in itself a tribute to the productive energy of mankind.

The enormous total of 1,665,448,000 bushels of wheat is so great that it refuses to be grasped by the human mind without some units of comparison. If this crop of wheat were loaded into freight cars, 1,000 bushels to the car, and each car occupied forty feet of the railway track, it would represent one solid loaded train 15,617 miles in length—more than the world at the equator. These loaded cars, without engines, would occupy seven-eighths the entire track of the Canadian Pacific Railway, known as the world's greatest transportation company.

There is, however, another point of view, and a very appropriate one at this particular period, when the agricultural countries are called upon to produce the utmost pound of food. While the countries mentioned have done well their accomplishment shrinks into insignificance when compared with their possibilities. For instance, the three Canadian provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta could produce three times the total wheat crop as shown referred to. This statement is not extravagant until submitted to the test of cold figures. Then we get data like this:

According to the Government of Canada there are in the provinces mentioned the following areas suitable for agricultural purposes:

Manitoba	74,216,000 acres
Saskatchewan	93,450,000 "
Alberta	105,217,000 "
	272,883,000 "

The average wheat crop in these provinces for the last ten years has been: Manitoba, 18.20 bushels per acre; Alberta, 26.10 bushels per acre. The average for the three provinces is therefore practically 19 bushels per acre. If you multiply the available acreage, as given above, by 19 you will find that these provinces are already cultivated are capable of producing an average yearly crop of 5,184,777,000 bushels of wheat—considerably more than three times the total which is being produced this year 1917, by Spain, France, Scotland, Ireland, Switzerland, Canada, United States, India, Japan and Algeria combined. The single province of Alberta can produce as much wheat as all of these countries and have more left over than was grown in 1917 in all Canada.

Of course, it is impossible, in a practicable manner, to put every arable acre of land in any country in wheat, but if we say for the sake of illustration that one-third of the arable land in these provinces is sown to wheat, the proportion that is sown to wheat will produce a greater crop than that stated mentioned as being grown by all the countries before referred to.

These figures may be interesting generally for the great comparison which they afford but they must also carry the conclusion that the world is a very long way from having exhausted its food producing possibilities. Any scarcity of food production which may at present exist is traceable almost entirely to an improper distribution of population. In the older countries population is concentrated to exist on such limited areas that production on a relatively large scale is impossible, whereas in the new countries such as Western Canada the population is as yet totally insufficient to bring the country under cultivation. These are conditions which will doubtless right themselves in fact the process of correction is going on very rapidly, and the difficulties may be expected in feeding the world during the next few years, there can be no question that they will be solved as soon as sufficient population is found for the great open plains which are still awaiting the husbandman.

## TEN MILLION YEARS AGO IN CANADA



(1) Prof. Walcott, discoverer of the Fossil Beds at Field, B.C. (2) Climbing into the undiscovered past.

Prof. CHARLES D. WALCOTT, of the Smithsonian Institute, has discovered a deposit of extremely valuable fossils of early marine life on Mount Field, overlooking Emerald Lake Chalest and the beautiful Yoho Valley in the Canadian Pacific Rockies. Far up over Burgess Pass, at an altitude of nine thousand feet, where the tourists in the fashionable summer hotels and camps can barely hear the boom of the blasts as they quarry down to the fossil bearing shale, the professor has been securing some wonderful specimens of sea life of over ten million years ago. These are of the period when life was just emerging from the jelly-fish stage into an era where a bony structure was becoming apparent. Dying, they were deposited in the mud of the ocean bottom that has since hardened into rock, and been raised to the snow-covered mountain top.

The strata of fossil-bearing rock discovered by Professor Walcott is at much earlier age than any in the surrounding mountains, and has, he says, been pushed up over the newer formations for a distance over twenty-five miles.

The fossils were discovered by Prof. Walcott while travelling over Burgess Pass, a peculiar formation in a piece of shale attracting his attention. He followed up the shale slide almost to the top of Mount Field, and finally located its source, far above the timber line. The workings are very peculiar, because of their height, and are probably the only ones of their kind in the world. Some of the specimens taken out are so perfect that Prof. Walcott has been able to determine what they are just before they were buried in the mud over ten million years ago.

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