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AUSTRALIANS AGAIN ADVANCE ON THE WEST

Push Back Enemy At Two Points Despite Heavy German Fire—Hang On Through Summer, Says Churchill, While American Force Grows

With the British Army in France, May 8.—(By the Associated Press)—The Australians last night made another advance, pushing forward their lines 500 yards along a front of 600 yards near Salty Le Sec, on the sector of Amiens. They also pushed back the Germans 300 yards along a front of 500 yards west of Mordancourt, just above Salty Le Sec. Notwithstanding a heavy barrage, the Germans were unable to prevent their advance.

IF WE HOLD WE WIN, SAYS CHURCHILL

London, May 8.—(via Reuter's Limited)—The Anglo-French front in France held steady and husbanded its strength throughout the summer while waiting for aid to come from the United States, says Winston Churchill, minister of munitions, in reply to a resolution of the executive of the National Brass Workers and Metal Mechanics Union.

READING FEATURE IN WALL STREET THIS MORNING

New York, May 8.—Ralls and specialties were the strong features of the outflow of today's stock market dealings, the former being stimulated by reports of a forthcoming substantial increase in freight and passenger rates. Reading was especially active, changing hands in round amounts at an extreme advance of two points.

PTE. WM. REARDON HAS BEEN CASSED

Mrs. Margaret Reardon of Suffolk street, West St. John, was advised this morning that her son, Pte. William Reardon, a member of a Construction Battalion overseas, had been killed. Private Reardon was 30 years old, and prior to going overseas worked at construction work at Huron Bay.

MRS. O. D. HANSON PRESIDENT

Last evening the Women's Missionary Auxiliary of Fairville Methodist church held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. O. D. Hanson, Main street. Reports were read by the secretary showing that the year had been a very satisfactory one for the branch, in point of numbers attending and in interest.

C. P. R. HEARS THAT ALL ON THE MEDORA WERE SAVED

Montreal, May 7.—The C. P. R.'s information as to the destruction of the steamer Medora is that she was sunk while outward bound from a European port with passengers, some of whom were probably returning soldiers, and that all the passengers and crew were reported saved.

GROUND GLASS IN JAR OF PRESERVED STRAWBERRIES?

Kingston, Ont., May 8.—The inland revenue department at Ottawa is examining a jar of strawberries, supposed to contain ground glass. A farmer of Egan Road bought the preserves in a local store, and soon after eating some of the berries his little daughter was taken ill. The farmer found what appeared like ground glass, and reported the matter to the inland revenue department.

IS MISSING FOR MORE THAN MONTH

Relatives Fear For Corporal Fred. Turner, M. M. Soldier Who Has Had Remarkable Career in South Africa, With Northwest Mounted Police And In Present War

Miss Annie Turner, of 74 Stanley street, received a telegram recently notifying her that her brother, Corp. Fred Turner, M. M., has been officially reported missing since March 25. While there is a possibility that he may be a prisoner in Germany, his relatives here fear a worst, having received no word from or about him since the date mentioned.

At the outbreak of the present war Corporal Turner was one of fifty men selected by J. W. Boyle, a millionaire of the Yukon, to form a representative of the north. They joined the 2nd Mounted Rifles and later were sent to the Yukon Mounted Gun Section, after leaving Canada they went direct to the front in the West.

PTE. CARL A. PEDERSEN STILL CRITICALLY ILL

Christian Pedersen of Sandy Point received a telegram from Ottawa this morning notifying him that his brother, Pte. Carl A. Pedersen, is officially reported still critically ill in No. 4 General Hospital. Private Pedersen was badly wounded in the hand and abdomen on the 14th of August.

FINLAND TO HAVE A KING

Stockholm, May 8.—Sweden, Germany and Finland, it is announced, officially have decided to negotiate a treaty regarding the demolition of the fortification on the Aland Islands.

HAS DONE HIS BIT

Pte. Bruce Murray, who arrived in Fredericton last Thursday evening on his return from overseas, left for his home in Sheffield, after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Holly Stewart, Pte. Murray, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Murray, Sheffield, left in June of 1917 to join the 104th Battalion, being then only eighteen years of age.

ENLISTED AT FIFTEEN

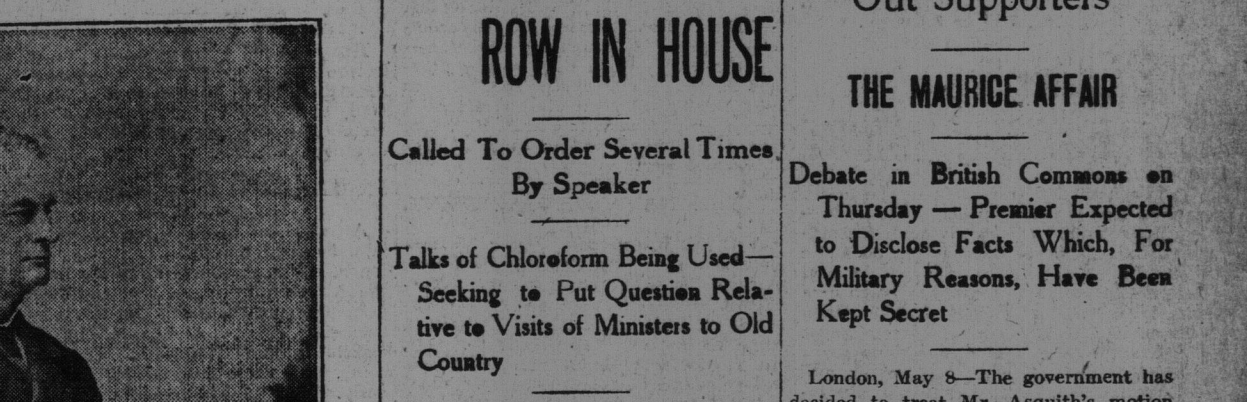
Word has been received that Harold W. White, of Fredericton, has returned to the firing line again. This young man went overseas, at the age of fifteen, with the first contingent, and has been overseas three years and eight months. He was wounded twice and returned to England to recuperate. When strong enough he took a three months' course in steno-graphy at Hastings, Eng., and was afterwards attached to a reserve battalion.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service. Synopsis.—The depression which was over the Great Lakes yesterday has now reached the lower St. Lawrence Valley. It has caused numerous showers and local thunder storms from Ontario to the maritime provinces. The weather showers have been fairly general, with a change to colder weather.

Honor Memory Of Sir Leonard Tilley

Laurel Wreath of Bronze Placed on Monument on Centenary of His Birth



THE LATE SIR L. LEONARD TILLEY.

The one hundredth anniversary of the birth of one of the most notable men New Brunswick has produced was solemnly observed this afternoon when a large number of citizens gathered in King Square to witness the unveiling of a laurel wreath which has been placed on the monument erected to the memory of Sir Leonard Tilley, C. B., C. E., C. M. G.

Arrangements for the ceremony were in the hands of the Canadian Club, and Dr. J. H. Frink, who was president of the club when the matter was taken up, delivered the chief address of the occasion, while the present president, Judge H. O. McNeerney, unveiled the wreath.

DRIVE FOR THE RED TRIANGLE FUND WENT ON AGAIN THROUGH TODAY WITH VIGOR

The drive for the Y. M. C. A. Red Triangle fund is continuing today with unabated vigor. The reports received at headquarters show that the workers are being cordially received wherever they go and that the money is coming in steadily.

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ISAAC B. VINCENT DEAD; THREE SONS IN THE WAR

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Regards It As Vote of Censure

SIR SAM STARTS ROW IN HOUSE

Called To Order Several Times By Speaker Talks of Chloroform Being Used—Seeking to Put Question Relative to Visits of Ministers to Old Country

Ottawa, May 8.—A sharp clash between the speaker and Sir Sam Hughes marked the opening of this morning's proceedings of the house. Several times in succession Sir Sam was called to order and finally was threatened with "naming" if he did not obey the ruling of the chair. When the motion was reported, Sir Robert Borden intimated that it was his intention to bring the matter up later after he had an opportunity of discussing it with the leader of the opposition.

At this point Sir Sam Hughes entered the discussion. Referring to reports in the press, Sir Sam asked if it was the intention of the prime minister to proceed overseas with other members of the cabinet. He would also like to know for what purpose ministers were going there, and why the business of the house should be held up.

Lloyd George Calls Out Supporters

THE MAURICE AFFAIR

Debate in British Commons on Thursday—Premier Expected to Disclose Facts Which, For Military Reasons, Have Been Kept Secret

London, May 8.—The government has decided to treat Mr. Asquith's motion on the General Maurice affair as a vote of censure and has issued a call to its supporters to attend the House of Commons on Thursday for a division. This is taken to imply that the proposed inquiry, whether by judges or a parliamentary committee, has been abandoned and that the matter has been left entirely to the judgment of the house.

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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

PICTURE FINE; THE ACTS ALSO

The Gem's new picture, "Souls Adrift," five reels, featuring charming Ethel Clayton, pleased Gem patrons greatly last night. It is a gripping story of the wreck of a fine yacht and the experiences of man and girl cast away on a desert island.

OPERA HOUSE BILL THOROUGHLY ENJOYABLE

Clean, refined vaudeville of the better class, that is what the Opera House programme offers this week, with a Chinese magician, a well played dramatic playlet, good singing, dancing, a real funny comedian to make you laugh long and hearty—just enough of everything that goes to make good entertainment and allow you to rest your mind for a short while and forget the worries and cares of these abnormal times.

LAST TIME TO SEE HAROLD LOCKWOOD IN "THE SQUARE DECEIVER" AT THE UNIQUE

Harold Lockwood is seen at his very best in the Metro drama, "The Square Deceiver," at Unique. Final showing of this excellent subject tonight. Pathe News as well.

CARNIVAL OF FUN AT IMPERIAL

With Julian Eltinge, the world-famous woman impersonator, comes a charming widow—when in reality he is a husky cowpuncher—in the exciting and laughable story "The Widow's Mission" and Mack Sennett's bunch of comedians in the two-reel spasm, "Watch Your Neighbor's Imperator" show tonight and tomorrow is going to be an absolute riot of merriment. British War Weekly and Nan Hopesell, the "Katinka Girl."

MORE SEIZED LIQUOR

A substantial addition to the stock of liquor seized by the prohibition inspectors was made today when a shipment of wine from Chatham addressed to the chief inspector here. The lot consisted of one forty gallon case and fifteen cases, one ten gallon jar and fifteen cases. There is now something like \$10,000 worth of seized liquor in St. John. It is rated as high class stuff, but much of it consists of ave-inflating concoctions better adapted to sell to exploiters than for internal use.

WAR NOTES

On the western front on Monday, six enemy airplanes were downed. One Britisher is missing. Near Bapaume 100 bombs were dropped. One British machine also is missing there. A special detachment is to be established in Berlin uniformly to regulate Germany's whole eastern policy. An armistice between the Germano-Ukrainian and Russian sides on the Kurak front is reported. The purpose of the armistice is to aid the peace negotiations.

PERSONALS

H. C. Groat, general superintendent of the C. P. R. New Brunswick division, left last evening for Brownville on an inspection trip. Farmer Commissioner J. V. Russell, who was stricken with paralysis last evening and taken to the St. John infirmary, was reported to be a little brighter at 2 o'clock this afternoon. His condition is regarded as serious.

IN MEMORIAM

McRAE—In loving remembrance of our dear brother, Eric Duncan H. McRae, who was killed in action, May 8, 1917, at Vimy Ridge, aged twenty years. He sleeps not in his native land, But under foreign skies; Far from those who loved him best, But in a hero's grave he lies.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Mercer and family, Torryburn, wish to thank their friends who have visited them here for the kindness shown them in their sad bereavement.

VETERAN'S FUNERAL

All returned soldiers meet at St. Mary's Church, Waterloo street, 2.30 p.m. tomorrow. Funeral, Comrade G. Manning, Uniform.

LOCAL NEWS

TRIP TO SUMMER HOMES The suburbanites along the C. P. R. were given an opportunity of visiting their summer homes today and commencing preparations for occupation. A special train was made up this morning and went as far as Wolford, and will return to the city this evening.

WILL GO TO SPAIN Word has been received at Fredericton that T. Fred Dever, son of the late Patrick Dever, of Fredericton, was transferred on Wednesday from Havana, Cuba, to Barcelona, Spain, as manager of the branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, which is establishing an agency in Barcelona. Mr. Dever, fifteen or sixteen years ago, was well known throughout the maritime provinces as a Kosgy player and spinner.

WESTFIELD SAW MILL STARTS The saw mill Westfield, of the Wilson Box Co., Ltd., of this city, has just started sawing operations for the summer. Owing to the steadily increasing business in wooden cases, etc., this company expects to saw more lumber this summer at Westfield than in any previous season. They expect soon also to start sawing at their mill situated at Bonny River, Charlotte Co., N. B., where they give employment to quite a large number of men.

IN THE NAVAL ENGAGEMENT A U. N. B. graduate, James McDonald Gilchrist, B. A., Class of 1906, took part in the naval engagement at Zebrugge. Mr. Gilchrist, who is a member of the Engineers Society of Montreal, and is now a sub-lieutenant. During his college course he was known as "Colonel" and was a favorite with all. His home is in Central Cambridge, where his mother and brother, Robert, now live.

WILL GO TO OTTAWA Fredericton Gleaner—E. A. Schofield of St. John, who is interested in the greater production movement in New Brunswick, came here last evening to consult with the minister of agriculture regarding the shortage of farm labor resulting out of the recent military service orders. The minister of agriculture, Dr. Kierstead, will Mr. Schofield will go Ottawa this week to talk matters over with the military authorities.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

SHEA—On May 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shea, 41 Simonds street—a son, BROWN—In this city on May 7, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Percy Howard, a son, LAWSON—On May 4, to Mr. and Mrs. George Lawson, 58 Sheriff street, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

DEGRASSE-O'NEILL—At St. Peter's church, Wednesday, May 8, by Rev. P. Castello, G.S.S.H., Francis Degrasse and Katherine Elizabeth O'Neill.

DEATHS

VINCENT—In this city on May 8, Isaac B. Vincent, aged seventy-nine years, leaving his wife, six sons and four daughters to mourn.

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Amdur's sale continues this week. Wanted, first-class male cook. Apply Royal Hotel. 81188-5-10

AT AMDUR'S W. E. Just arrived a lot of ladies' waists in silks, voiles, crepes. They are sold at sale prices.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB His Lordship Bishop Richardson will lecture on his experience in England and France, in the High School Assembly Hall, Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock. Non-members admitted on 50c ticket. Non-members, 35 cents.

EXPERIENCES IN ENGLAND AND FRANCE An eloquent and stirring address will be delivered tomorrow (Thursday) evening in the High School assembly hall by the Rt. Rev. the Lord Bishop of Fredericton under the joint auspices of the Canadian clubs. Admission by 1918 tickets to club members. Others 35 cents. Members are advised to come early. No seats are reserved.

MILLINERY SPECIALS At Amdur's sale, W. E.

Reserve Sydney soft coal, good quality, reasonable price, prompt delivery. Jas. S. McGivern, 3 Mill street. Phone Main 25.

GOOD SALESMAN WANTED A good position for salesman, exempt from M. S. A.; salary and commission; splendid opportunities for advancement. Apply in own handwriting to P. O. Box 641, St. John, N. B., stating age and references. 81186-5-10

MILITARY BAND CONCERT A grand military band concert in aid of War Veterans' Association and Prisoners of War fund will be given in Imperial Theatre, Thursday afternoon, May 9, at 4 o'clock, under auspices of Loyalist Chapter, I.O.O.F. Admission 25c. Members of the chapter, or of Nelson's, Gray & Richer's, or other clubs, are invited to attend. Tickets may be had from members of the chapter, or at Nelson's, Gray & Richer's, or other clubs. Members are advised to come early. No seats are reserved.

HUNT'S ANNUAL SPRING CLOTHING SALE Hunt's Annual Spring Clothing Sale begins on Friday, May 10, and will continue for two weeks. Save money on your clothing by taking advantage of this special opportunity to get the very highest type of ready-to-wear clothes at a substantial reduction from our usual low prices. For prices, read large advertisement in this paper tomorrow. Store closed tomorrow; sale starts at 10 o'clock on Friday. Hunt's Clothing Store, 17-19 Charlotte street.

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Local Grocers Pass Resolution Relative To Selling of Bananas, Etc. At a meeting of the grocers' section of the St. John Branch of the Retail Merchants' Association held last evening, a resolution was passed in favor of adopting the selling of bananas and other fruit by the pound, and a further resolution was passed that this way of selling bananas, etc., be recommended to all fellow-grocers.

ANARCHY IN UKRAINE London, May 8.—Anarchy is spreading throughout the Ukraine as a result of the German action in overthrowing the government and replacing it with another, according to an Exchange Telegram dispatch from Copenhagen. An attempt was made to kill the Ukrainian premier, who, however, escaped with slight wounds.

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FAMINE CONDITIONS AND GENERAL DISCONTENT IN AUSTRIAN EMPIRE Stockholm, May 8.—The Politikon publishes an interview with "a person in an important position who has just travelled through the lands of the Central Powers, where he came in contact with a large number of influential people. He gives a very dark picture of conditions in the Dual Monarchy. He declares that Austria especially is in a bad situation. Famine conditions prevail, he says, and general discontent was never so great. The different nationalities regard each other like hungry wolves." He declares that the labor unrest is most acute, especially in Vienna and Prague.

Germany Never Made A Greater Mistake First Sea Lord Speaks of Futility of Effort to Drive British Merchantmen From Seas

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KLONDIKE GOLD Dawson, Yukon, May 8.—The first crop-up of the Klondike this spring was made here today by a dredging company. There is every indication that the gold yield of the Klondike this year will equal that of last year, when the output was valued at \$8,571,000.

OLD TIME PLAYERS Chicago, May 8.—An association of old-time baseball players has been formed in the city. The members are arranged between players of a decade and more ago which will be played here tonight on the team; Fred Pfeffer, famous in his day as a second baseman; Bill Jimmy Ryan, Barry McCormick and Frank Houseman will play.

SMALLPOX Due to the effective measures being taken by the board of health officials, the smallpox in the city is practically negligible. A new case, however, was today discovered in the city proper and the house has been quarantined and all contacts vaccinated. The new case is that even a suspicious case should be quarantined and the patient has been taken to the isolation hospital.

NO HOARDING OF FOOD IN HOMES. A warning has been issued by the food controller that all persons having surplus stocks of flour and sugar on hand in their homes must return them to the dealer from whom they were secured by May 15. Notice of the regulation requiring the return of these supplies has been given before, but this is the first announcement of a limit on the time allowed for the purpose. The warning was received by Dr. Keirstead of Fredericton, provincial representative of the food controller, and by him communicated to E. A. Schofield of this city. The food controller has announced that the law will be strictly enforced and all surplus stocks not returned will be confiscated and the offenders subjected to heavy fines.

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Local Grocers Pass Resolution Relative To Selling of Bananas, Etc. At a meeting of the grocers' section of the St. John Branch of the Retail Merchants' Association held last evening, a resolution was passed in favor of adopting the selling of bananas and other fruit by the pound, and a further resolution was passed that this way of selling bananas, etc., be recommended to all fellow-grocers.

ANARCHY IN UKRAINE London, May 8.—Anarchy is spreading throughout the Ukraine as a result of the German action in overthrowing the government and replacing it with another, according to an Exchange Telegram dispatch from Copenhagen. An attempt was made to kill the Ukrainian premier, who, however, escaped with slight wounds.

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SIR SAM STARTS ROW IN HOUSE (Continued from page 1) "Order, order," came from the speaker again. Once more Sir Sam was attempting to proceed when the speaker called him to order. "If," said the speaker, "the honorable gentleman does not make himself amenable to the constituted authority of the chair, I shall be compelled to take proper measures to see that he does." The speaker added that Sir Sam was not in order in attempting to make a statement at this juncture. Sir Sam Huges—"I have to ask the prime minister a question and I purpose to ask him that question—Is it his intention to bring before this house the question of the..."

BERLINERS MUST GIVE CLOTHING FOR WORKERS Amsterdam, May 8.—The city of Berlin has been ordered to produce forthwith 40,000 complete second-hand suits for war workers, principally those engaged in railway and farm work. It is a "voluntary" surrender against a small payment, but warning is given that if the clothes are not forthcoming they will be taken by force.

NOTED AMERICAN AIRMAN MISSING With the American Army in France, May 7.—(By the Associated Press) Flight Capt. James Norman Hall, one of the best known aviators, is missing after a thrilling battle ten miles inside Germany opposite the town of Valenciennes. He was between three American planes and four German machines. Two German machines also went to earth crippled. Captain Hall's home is in Colfax, Iowa.

SHIPPING OUTLOOK BETTER. London, May 8.—The sinking of enemy submarines has increased steadily and steadily, declared T. J. MacNamara, parliamentary secretary to the admiralty, in a speech in Bristol last night. The output of tonnage month by month is well ahead of last year. Large plans have been laid by America and Great Britain for the output of new tonnage, but the plans must take time to mature. Meanwhile, he added, the onset of immediate output was on the United Kingdom.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Hastings Gives Warning to the Dealers in Foodstuffs.
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"Just what is the situation now?" The Dr. asked.
"We have our staff of inspectors out of the job. We have had a survey made of the food-handling places, and we are going in close touch with the situation. One man has been fined \$100 already for dumping out a quantity of eggs that were held too long, and this has been a salutary lesson."
"Are the dealers showing a disposition to obey your order to sell perishable goods even if they have to cut prices?"
"Yes, they seem to be willing to do all they can. They may sell at the best price they can get, but they must sell quickly if there is any danger of the food decaying. If not, we have power to seize and sell the goods ourselves."

LOCAL NEWS

The Philatelic class of the St. John the Baptist church repeated their concert of two weeks ago last night at the institute.

The early returns of recruiting in New Brunswick for the Soldiers of the Soil movement are encouraging. With one-third of the districts reported, more than 500 boys have been secured. Only 1,000 boys were expected from this province.

A large gathering assembled in the High school hall last evening when Professor Lockhead of MacDonald College was introduced to the meeting by Judge McInerney and gave an instructive lecture on pests of the garden.

Commissioner Bullock made an inspection of the harbor and waterfront yesterday in company with the department engineer for the purpose of making himself familiar with the work. He stated last night that several repairs would be needed immediately.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon in their rooms in Orange hall, Gormain street. Mrs. Gillis, corresponding secretary, read several letters from the war literature bureau regarding sending some pamphlets to the local union.

A slight fire occurred last night at the Nashua Pulp & Paper plant. The tower at the top of the plant where gases are consumed, caught fire and the Fairville apparatus was called out to extinguish the blaze. Little damage was done.

Rev. H. A. Goodwin presided at the annual meeting of the Centenary Sunday school last evening and all reports were of an encouraging nature. The following officers were elected: James E. Arthur, president; Arthur G. Laskey, secretary; Harold Burley, assistant; Harold Lyman, treasurer; H. V. McKinnon, librarian; Mabel Harbour, superintendent of primary department; Annie Hea, superintendent of home department; Margaret Seely, secretary of credit roll.

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NEWS OF SOLDIERS

The names of four New Brunswick men appear in the midnight casualty list: Wounded, F. M. Hamm, St. John; Q. M. S. Ernest A. Whitstone, St. John; A. T. Nichols, St. John. Missing, F. Turner, St. John.

Lieut. G. H. Currie, officer in charge of recruiting for the Canadian Engineers in New Brunswick, sent sixteen recruits to St. John, Quebec, the mobilization centre of the unit, last evening.

Twenty-six members of the Jewish legion arrived in the city yesterday en route to Windsor, N. S.

It is expected that authority will be received from Ottawa in the course of a few days following an order-in-council for the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment. This branch will look after invalided soldiers after they have been discharged from the district depot.

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JUST HEARD OF WAR

Miner From Powder River with \$45,000 Plunges in Bonds and Stamps.
Reno, Nev., May 8.—For four years Charles McNeale, a prospector, has been working a claim in the mountains of the Powder River in Oregon, all unconscious of the fact that nearly the entire world is at war. He arrived in Reno last week with \$55,000 in gold, which he deposited in a bank and then he tried to make up for lost time by buying all the Thrift Stamps and War Saving Certificates that he could carry.

Liberty bonds were new to him and he bought a few thousand dollars' worth to see what they looked like. After hearing many tales about the war, he decided to enlist, but was rejected by the recruiting officers because of his age. He says he has a rich placer mine in the mountains. He said he would return to his mine after investing all his money in Thrift Stamps and Liberty bonds.

Church Anniversary.
A church social was held last night in celebration of the sixty-first anniversary of the First Presbyterian church, West St. John. Included in the programme were solos by Miss Andrus, Percy Crookshank, Clarence Girard, Hugh Walker and Miss Valde Fenton; readings by Miss Vera Roberts and Miss Allingham, and a piano solo by Mrs. Rayworth. J. R. Cameron was chairman.

Ross D. Woodrow, retired from the post office staff after forty-five years' service, was made the recipient of a handsome watch and chain by the staff yesterday.

MORNING NEWS

OVER THE WIRES

Nicaragua, Central American republic, yesterday declared war on Germany and her allies. Nicaragua makes the twentieth nation to declare war on Germany. Cancellation of France's financial obligations to the United States was proposed in a resolution by Senator Krayton of Iowa yesterday.

President Wilson yesterday issued a proclamation designating the week beginning May 20 as "Red Cross Week" and calling upon the people of the United States to contribute to the second \$100,000,000.

A further reduction in the meat rations in the United Kingdom has been found necessary, according to cable advices received by the Canada food board today from the British ministry of food.

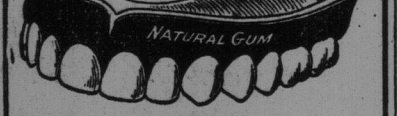
Word was received in New York yesterday of the destruction of the Canadian steamship Medora. The Medora was owned by the Canadian Pacific Railway, was of 5,125 tons gross and built in Liverpool in 1912.

Engineers Organize

The first meeting of the St. John branch of the Canadian Society of Engineers was held last evening and the following officers were elected: Chairman, A. Gray; secretary-treasurer, A. H. Crulshank; members of executive, J. A. Grant, C. C. Kirby and G. G. Murdoch. Plans were arranged for the future and among the activities suggested was the exhibition of a set of moving pictures on the water power of New Brunswick at a public meeting next fall. There are now twenty-three members and this number is increasing.

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- Evaporated Peaches..... 20c.
- 2 lbs. Prunes..... 25c.
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- 3 bottles Lemon or Vanilla..... 25c.
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2 tins Evaporated Milk..... 25c.
3 bottles Lemon or Vanilla..... 25c.
2 cans Auto Salmon (14)..... 25c.
1 can Canadian Salmon..... 25c.
2 pkgs. Mince-meat..... 25c.
4 pkgs. Bee Jelly Powder..... 25c.
3 pkgs. Imperial Jelly..... 25c.
1 pkgs. Cream of Wheat..... 25c.
4 cakes Lenox Soap..... 25c.
4 cakes Gold or Surprise Soap..... 30c.
Cornflakes, per pkgs..... 10c.
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PLAYING POLITICS

The Lloyd George government again has its back to the wall in England, at a time when the Allied armies on the western front are hourly expecting another terrific German drive. Democracy is on trial at Westminster as well as at Arras and Amiens.

OTTAWA'S GAS FIGHT

The Times has quoted from the Journal-Press of Ottawa articles relating to the application of the Ottawa Gas Company to parliament for authority to increase its capital stock from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000.

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POLITICAL SITUATION IS SERIOUS

London Papers on the General Maurice Matter INVOLVES CABINET'S LIFE

Government Newspapers Assert That Asquith is Back of General and it is Move to Oust Lloyd George—Criticism of Premier

London, May 8.—The action of General Maurice, former chief director of military operations at the war office, in resigning the portfolio of military operations, has created a most serious political situation and one which is of vital importance to the existence of the cabinet, according to views expressed by several morning newspapers.

posed to the premier, rejoices that the government will not accept the Asquith motion but will treat it as a vote of censure, so that parliament on Thursday must make a decision involving the life of the government.

His height has caused the dismissal of a negro soldier, 7 feet 11 inches in height, from the U. S. army.

QUEBEC IS LOYAL

On Sunday last the parish priest in Terrebonne, Quebec, said to his people: "My brethren, we are at war, England and France fighting side by side, and duty commands us to come to their support. At the last election conscription was established as a result of the verdict of the polls. The law is hard, but being the law of the land, it must be obeyed. Today we have in our midst agents of the Federal Police. They will go to your houses, and you must receive them well. Use moderation. They are doing their duty, and there must be no wrath in your dealings with them, all of which will be to the honor of our parish."

The Toronto Globe observes that "if this wise counsel is repeated throughout the parishes by priests and public men it will work a beneficent revolution in Quebec." Continuing, the Globe says: "There has been a noticeable change in the attitude of French-Canadian toward the law of conscription. The military policy of the country may not be more to their liking, but they recognize more clearly that it represents the will of the majority, which in a democracy must prevail."

The testimony of Gen. Currie, the Canadian commander at the front, to the value of the Y. M. C. A. work should make every Canadian desire to contribute to the Red Triangle Fund now being raised. Gen. Currie yesterday paid a high tribute to the morale of the Canadian troops and said: "I realize the morale of the Canadians is only possible because they are well looked after and this is where the Y. M. C. A. comes in. Men forget the sights of war and seem to get a fresh start through your programmes, your sports and your cantens. The cantens provide things for men they cannot get elsewhere and you supply them at such reasonable rates. You are a wonderful help to us in heating the hoses. This year we are going to need your help more than ever."

"Major Fisher said that the company should not be given power to increase rates unless there be certain restrictions. In addition they should show that the capital was needed. The company was the only gas company in Canada subject to Dominion jurisdiction. On account of the fact that it had an interprovincial charter, it had a Dominion charter. If it was under a provincial charter there would be restrictions; its prices would be regulated, and there would be control of the streets. Mayor Fisher said that the question was whether the company had abused their powers in the past; it was a question whether they should be given such powers that might be abused in the future. The Railway Commission should have control of the question and the rights to dig up the city streets without control. There should also be control of rates."

In a word, he contended:— (1) That the rates should be liable to control by the Railway Board or some other body. (2) The company should not be given the control of the city streets. There should be some control by the city over its streets.

The matter was to come before the bills committee yesterday. The city's claims appear so reasonable that it would be strange if the committee did not recognize them.

On his return from France Premier Lloyd George said on Monday: "I saw General Foch, Sir Douglas Haig, General Pershing and other officers of the high command, and they were all very confident. I also saw a very large number of regimental officers and soldiers who had actually been in the fighting line during the last six weeks of very strenuous work, and their confidence was amazing. I met no pacifists, no pessimists, among them. They could not in the least understand the wrangles in certain quarters in England, which seemed to proceed on the assumption that they had been defeated and that the only question of importance was who was to blame."

Pursuing his policy of getting in touch with all who are interested in good roads, Hon. Mr. Vinet last evening met the members of the Automobile Association, addressed them, and got from them an expression of views. He outlined an important programme of semi-permanent work to be carried out on trunk roads this year to as great an extent as the difficulties of the labor situation will permit. Members of the Association spoke in terms of appreciation of work already done and to be done, and assured the minister of their desire to co-operate. Such conferences are helpful and in the public interest.

The news that meat rations have been further reduced in the United Kingdom and that there will be a shortage of cheese and butter, should prompt the Canadian people to co-operate more earnestly with the food board, and conserve food far more carefully than has yet been attempted.

Another day has passed without a renewal of the German drive in the west.

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RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Henry L. Everett. A very large circle of friends in the city will learn with deepest regret of the death of Mrs. Henry L. Everett, which occurred yesterday at her residence, 29 Mecklenburg street. She has been ill for some time and death was not altogether unexpected. She is survived by her husband; one son, Ernest Everett, a prominent merchant of this city; two daughters, Mrs. Clinton Brown and Mrs. Donaldson Hunt, both of this city, and one brother, Dr. D. A. Steele, of Amherst (N. S.). The funeral will be held from her late residence on Thursday, May 9, except at 2.30 p.m.

Simon Simpson, father-in-law of Hon. Robert Murray, has died at his home in Neguac, Northumberland county. He was eighty years of age and has been a lifelong Presbyterian and Liberal. His wife, four daughters and seven sons survive.

Joseph Kowin, aged fifty-six years, a former resident of St. John, died suddenly yesterday morning at Bristol where he has been in business for many years. He is survived by three sons and one daughter. The body was brought to St. John for burial.

Earle Nevers, aged seventy-two years, died on Sunday at his home in Hartland. He is survived by his wife, two sons and four daughters.

NEWSPAPER MEN HONORED French Bestow Legion of Honor Cross on Six Correspondents. Paris, May 8.—Robert Berry, who for two years has been correspondent of The Associated Press at the French Army headquarters, has been awarded the Legion of Honor by General Anthoine, acting on behalf of the commander in chief of the powers named and the Siberian autonomous government. They are also asked to define their attitude toward the Soviet government and explain what the minister alludes to as the attempts of their representatives to interfere with the internal life of Russia.

Escaped From Submarine. Captain J. A. McDonald of Prince Edward Island, who arrived recently at an Atlantic port, told of a very thrilling experience which he passed through with a German submarine. He said that his schooner was torpedoed by the sub. He recommended it to everyone who is in a run down condition, as it builds up the blood, and when the blood is at the face is clear. Manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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RUSSIA ASKS FOR RECALL OF CONSULS AT VLADIVOSTOK. Moscow, Friday, April 28.—(delayed)—Foreign minister Tchitcherine has addressed the representatives in Moscow of the United States, Great Britain and France, requesting the speedy recall of their consuls at Vladivostok and an investigation of their alleged participation in negotiations said to have been conducted between the Peking emissaries of the powers named and the Siberian autonomous government. They are also asked to define their attitude toward the Soviet government and explain what the minister alludes to as the attempts of their representatives to interfere with the internal life of Russia.

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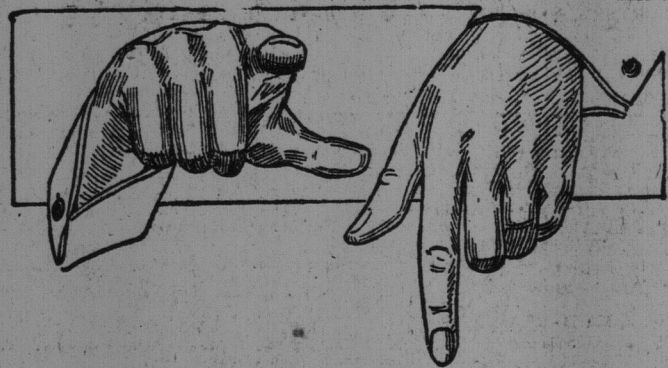
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Ladies' Men's and Baby's SUMMER FOOTWEAR

"Get Your Choice Before It's Chosen"

1100 Pair of Summer Shoes



Now, "All Aboard" for Our Big Advance Sale of Spring and Summer Oxfords and Pumps. The sale is now on. Lose no time in getting a choice. Such an opportunity to buy these lines of footwear in the month of May was never before offered the citizens of this city.

We feel this sale will prove most timely, and a privilege you certainly do not often get at such a seasonable date.

These Shoes we've had for some time, we admit; but owing to a heavy stock of Ladies' Boots, we decided to hold these Oxfords and Pumps back until the bulk of the boots were disposed of, we therefore now announce Our Sale of These Spring and Summer Goods at the Following Starting Low Prices:

We Bought Them Right—We Are Going to Sell Them Right—They Must be Cleared Out to a Pair

Table with 2 columns: Ladies' Black and Tan Low Shoes—Reg. price, \$3.00... Sale Price, \$1.95; Ladies' Black and Tan Low Shoes—Reg. price, \$5.00... Sale Price, \$2.95

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NEWS NOTES ABOUT PROMINENT BAPTISTS

(Maritime Baptist) Rev. J. C. Peacock has resigned the pastoral oversight of the Isaac's Harbor field, and will be free for service elsewhere after June. We understand that he prefers a country pastorate. He is a graduate of Acadia, of the class of 1897, and has proved himself a faithful and efficient pastor.

This Space Reserved for CONSUMER'S COAL

A news item in the Toronto Globe says that Rev. A. A. Hovey has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Galt, Ont. Mr. Hovey is a maritime man, a graduate of Acadia and now a student at Colgate.

ministry continues to bear its accustomed fruit. Last Sunday morning one was baptized into the fellowship of the church. An impressive memorial service was held at the First Moncton church on Sunday, April 28th. The pastor, Rev. Bowley Green, delivered a patriotic address and paid an eloquent tribute to the memory of those who have laid down their lives in the defence of the empire's righteous cause.

THE EFFICIENT WOMAN The foundation of efficiency lies in a robust healthy constitution. When ill, weak and suffering from dragging-down pains, inflammatory and ulcerated conditions or displacement with consequent backache, headaches, nervousness and "the blues," no woman can be efficient or hardly a fit companion to live with. If every woman in this condition would only give that most successful of all root and herb remedies, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial, she would soon be restored to health and reach the goal of her ambition for personal efficiency.

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Our Boys' Suits and Overcoats

FOR SPRING and SUMMER WEAR



Are a happy combination of the most popular styles, with wearing quality and good value. Every innovation that adds to the fit, comfort, or appearance will be found in these garments

AND THE PRICES ARE REASONABLE

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Overcoats in many attractive new styles, in Fancy Tweeds, Coverts and Serges... \$3.75 to \$10.50

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Made in the newest styles, in rose, Nile, Paddy green, yellow, melon, gold, purple and saxe.

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Starting Thursday Morning CREPE DE CHINE and GEORGETTE CREPE BLOUSES

Some slightly mussed or soiled, others odd sizes. Ivory, maize and flesh shades, plain tucked and embroidered effects, marked at prices which make them real bargains.

Sizes 34 to 42 in. Were \$4.25 to \$11.25

Sale Prices, \$3.50 to \$9.50

SALE STARTS THURSDAY MORNING

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Smart Wash Cotton Dresses

In Checks, Plaids and Stripes, Fancy Collars, Cuffs and Belts. Sizes 36 to 44 in.

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War Garden Bulletin

PRACTICAL DAILY GUIDE FOR VACANT LOT AND BACKYARD GARDENERS ENLISTED IN GREAT PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN

Issued by the Canada Food Board in Collaboration With Experts on the Staff of the Dominion Experimental Farm

CHOOSE YOUR SEED.—(Continued) Celery—Golden Self Blanching, Winter Queen, Evans Triumph, Perfection Heartwell and White Plume. Brussels Sprouts—Improved Dwarf, Cauliflower—Early Snowball and Early Dwarf Erfurt. Lettuce—Grand Rapids, Black Seed-Head, Improved Hanson, Salamander, All Heart and Crisp as Ice. Onions—Yellow Globe Danvers, Early Red Wethersfield, Early Flat Red, Australian Brown. Parsnips—Hollow Crown of a good strain is the best. Radish—Scarlet Tipped Turnip, Ruby Gem and White Icicle. Tomatoes—Extra Early Alacritty, Sparks Earliana (early and main crop) Bonny Best, Chalks Early Jewel. (Later varieties) Matchless, Trophy, Livingstone Globe and Plantiful. Ignomus for canning. Spinach—Victoria Thick-leaved, Viraday. Cucumbers—Davis Perfect, White Spine, Chicago Pickling. Squash—Long White Bush, Summer Crookneck, (late) Delicious, Hubbard, Swede Turnips—Champion Purple Top. Parsley—Double curled. Melons—Musk melon, Long Island Beauty, Harkness, Montreal Market, Emerald Gem, Hoodoo, Paul Rose; water melons—Cole Early, Ice Cream and Pinney Early.

Trophies Will Be Earmarked Canada

No Fear of These Captured by Canadians Being Lost To Country

Plans Are Described—Two Shipments Already Made to Canada; Another is Coming Soon

Ottawa, May 8.—A statement has been received from the overseas authorities giving the details of the situation as it exists in regard to the control and allocation of war trophies. The statement follows: "In July, 1917, a despatch was sent by the imperial government to the Canadian government at Ottawa, suggesting an arrangement whereby the National War Museum in London, which is designated to commemorate the efforts made by the whole empire in the war, and which will contain sections specifically devoted to the dominions and colonies, be allowed to make the first selection of all war trophies whether captured by British or overseas troops. The idea of this arrangement was to have at the heart of the empire a collection of trophies captured by troops from every part of the empire, which would be completely and thoroughly representative in its character. Trophies thus selected would be the property of the dominion or colony whose troops captured them, but would be housed in the section set apart in this museum for that dominion or colony. Those war trophies captured by overseas troops and not selected for housing in the various sections of the National War Museum, would be handed over to the dominion or colony whose troops captured them for disposal at home by the respective governments. Canadian Officer Appointed.—The dominion government at Ottawa to whom this proposal was submitted occurred in the arrangements suggested, which is now in force. "Shortly after his arrival in England, Sir Edward Kemp, the overseas minister, went carefully into the whole question of war trophies with a view to seeing that Canadian interests were fully provided for and protected against the possibilities of neglect, and expressed his desire that the closest co-operation should be made between Canadian and imperial authorities to this end. "This desire was immediately provided for by the appointment on the organizing committee of the National War Museum, of a representative Canadian officer. The officer was also detailed to attend all meetings of the War Trophies Committee of the War Office, so that complete touch should be maintained in every detail. The procedure decided upon provides that where trophies are captured by Canadians, these are earmarked and turned over to the ordinance department in the field, who ship them to the ordinance base, and from that point transfer is made to Woolwich Arsenal, where these trophies are stored at a depot specially provided for that purpose. Final Property of Canada.—"Some of these trophies are of such character, and in such condition that their use for home defence purposes is considered a present economy, but

in all cases their use is made conditional on their being the final property of Canada when their services are not required. The remainder of the trophies are either allotted to the Canadian section of the National War Museum, or shipped to the director of war trophies in Ottawa, Dr. Doughty, the dominion archivist, who will carry out the wishes of the government regarding their distribution to the various centres in Canada. "The Canadian representative on the organizing committee of the National War Museum and on the committee on National War Museum, and out he came, D. S. O., who maintains a complete record of all trophies captured, and whose oversight guarantees that no loss or displacement of these mementos shall take place. Third Shipment Soon. "Early in 1917, under the personal care of Dr. Doughty, there was conveyed to Canada, a number of trophies, and it is also learned that a shipment of eighty-eight pieces, consisting of guns and machine guns, was made to Canada on November 1 last. Another shipment, consisting of guns, machine guns, and a large number of smaller miscellaneous trophies, is now being prepared and is likely to be shipped soon. "Any impression, therefore, that may have been formed that the National War Museum in London would receive such trophies which might be allotted to her by the imperial government should be corrected. All trophies captured by Canadians

in the field are the property of Canada, whether held in the great Imperial Museum in London or distributed to the various centres in Canada. Wherever they are located they will, by exhibiting Canadians' prowess in the field, prove to those of later days that Canadian soldiers in the great world war were men worthy of their country."

DEATH REPORTED

An old offender that hung on for years. Nothing touched his stony heart but Putnam's Corn Extractor, and out he came, root, stem and branch. All corn cured just as quickly when Putnam's is used; try it, 25c. at all dealers. President Wilson has decided to shun local politics, and will endorse Democratic candidates only in the most exceptional cases.

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It will soon be "play-time in the great outdoors," and we invite you to come visit the new displays of Apparel which will be closely allied with the various Summer sports—practical garments designed for wear during all sorts of warm weather occasions. Handsome Barrette and White Duchess Satin Wash Skirts for sport wear. The Barrette comes also in sky or rose. Wash Satin... \$16.90 Barrette... \$21.50, \$25.00 Fine quality, guaranteed Unshrinkable Gingham in all white or with colored pin or wide stripes. All have detachable belts of various pretty designs and fancy shaped necks. \$6.50 to \$8.50 Smart, New Gingham Dresses in many pretty plaids and a variety of smart styles... \$8.50 to \$10.50 Most attractive Jersey Sport Suits and Dresses in grey, pekin blue or tan... \$30.00 to \$35.00 Daniel London House Head of King St.

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DISHES
Cups and Saucers... 17c, 22c, 25c. each
1/2 doz. China (Special)... \$1.25
Plates... 15c, 17c and 20c. each
Window Shades... 70c. each
Scrub Brushes... 10c. each
Stove Brushes... 10c. each
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Very valuable 3-acre land with dwelling, West St. John. I am instructed by T. M. Richards to sell by Public Auction at Chubb's on Saturday morning, the 15th inst., at 12 o'clock noon, that very valuable lot of land containing three acres, more or less, situated Lancaster Heights, cor. Duke street, West St. John, containing house and out-buildings. Very fine well on premises. This is a most desirable situated property in the heart of West St. John, and very suitable for subdivision, affording a very fine opportunity for investment. F. T. POTTS, Auctioneer.

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ORANGE ORDER DISCUSSED IN PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE

H. C. Hocken and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux Heard

Comparison of War Efforts of Ontario and Quebec Draws Heated Rejoinder in Defence of French People From Former Minister

Ottawa, May 8.—The budget debate in the House of Commons yesterday was enlivened by a tilt between H. C. Hocken and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux in which the Orange order and the relative war activities of Ontario and Quebec were discussed.

H. C. Hocken, member for West Toronto, continued the debate in the afternoon. Mr. Hocken spoke of the patriotic work of the Orange order. Out of 250,000 members in Canada, Mr. Hocken said, 60,000 had gone overseas with the army.

Speaking on Quebec, Mr. Hocken said that the number of French-Canadians who enlisted with the first contingent was very satisfactory. Then something happened and "we were forced to the conclusion that there was one province in the dominion which was not doing its duty."

Mr. Hocken repudiated the suggestion that there had been any unfair criticism of Quebec. It was not till the war had been in progress nearly a year, Mr. Hocken added, that the first criticism of Quebec appeared, although it had been said that the friction was due to insults from Ontario.

"It is true, too," interrupted Hon. Jacques Bureau. Mr. Hocken replied that, in his opinion, remarkable restraint had been shown in Ontario by not making any criticism for a year, considering that thousands of men were going overseas from Ontario while Quebec was not doing its share.

The Orange order, said Mr. Hocken, has been accused of being a hidebound political organization serving the interests of the Conservative party. He repudiated this accusation and stated that on different occasions the order had supported the Liberal party when the latter was in sympathy with the principles of Orangism.

Quebec's Position. Certain features of the constitution of Canada, he went on, were not acceptable to the people of the province of Quebec. The same thing applied to other provinces in the dominion. The province of Quebec had been granted certain privileges at the time of confederation which were to be exercised within the boundaries of that province and nowhere else.

Trouble arose when French-Canadians in other provinces insisted on exercising these privileges. Ontario had never interfered with the domestic government of Quebec. In fact, Ontario and the western provinces were quite ready to join with Quebec in making Canada one of the greatest nations in the world. The French-Canadians were just as good citizens as there were in the world.

In closing, Mr. Hocken said that the separate school supporters, in the interest of national unity, should accept the situation as it was. The ones for bringing about this unity rested upon the leaders of Quebec province.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, who followed, replied with some heat to Mr. Hocken, declaring that it was not his desire to listen to lectures on loyalty from the Orange order. Mr. Hocken, he said, had been kind in conceding that the French-Canadian is potentially as good a citizen as the English-speaking residents of the dominion.

The French-Canadian was just as good a citizen as any British-born or Canadian-born resident of Canada. He resented the assumption of superiority for the English-speaking people. Mr. Hocken had confessed to being an extremist, but the name of the country is the extremist. Mr. Hocken had given a lot of advice without charge. He would tell him what the French-Canadian expected. They expect the president of the committee to appoint a special censor to strike out of the Orange Sentinel the articles that appear in that publication every week.

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"We do not object," said Mr. Lemieux, "to the existence of the Orange order, but we do object to that order trying to monopolize the loyalty of the dominion." He went on to say that the St. Jean Baptiste Society, St. Andrew's Society, and St. Patrick's Society are just as loyal as the Orange order. The St. Jean Baptiste Society, Mr. Lemieux went on to say, was organized to teach people to improve themselves and to preserve their institutions. As for the English language, it was half French and half Saxon. "I stand," said Mr. Lemieux, "for British and not for Saxon ideals. The action of the honorable gentleman (Mr. Hocken) is both ungenerous and un-British. He should at least respect the language of Joffre and Foch.

Continuing, Mr. Lemieux said it was not desirable to introduce into Canada the contentions and bickerings that have torn Ireland for centuries.

Sir Edward Carson, he asserted, had promoted a rebellion in Ireland when the Germans were planning the present war. "No lessons of loyalty from the Orange order for me," Mr. Lemieux vigorously declared.

Mr. Lemieux said that for the first time since the reformation, Great Britain was now represented at the Vatican.

"Surely," Mr. Lemieux added, "in view of this, my honorable friend, as a super-British loyalist, should stay his innumerable against the personality of the Pope of Rome.

"Be British!" Mr. Lemieux pleaded, and declared that Mr. Hocken was an extremist. "Don't be French! The British should not be afraid of the French."

"We are not," interposed Dr. Edwards. Mr. Lemieux rejoined that the 6,000,000 French-speaking population of North America had no idea of dominating the 100,000,000 of English-speaking. He added that Mr. Hocken should be relegated to the Polar Seas, and requested him to take a sip of the milk of human kindness.

Ontario's Objections. Opposition applause greeted Mr. Lemieux when he declared that, though conscription had been forced through by closure, today the French-Canadians, who opposed it, were being visited by the farmers of Ontario. There was no difference, he said, between Jack Canuck and Jean Baptiste. Jack Canuck had been told, before the last election, to produce more and more, and he would not be conscripted. But the headlines given to the Ontario farmers had turned out to be a pair of handcuffs. The government was robbing the farmers in to fight at the front.

"We all know," said Mr. Lemieux, "that the present United States is the result of conferences between Sir Clifford Sifton and Sir William Mackenzie. The acting minister of finance must not succumb to the wiles of the buccaners.

Last year, said Mr. Lemieux, Mr. MacLean had been counselling economy from the opposition benches, but when he brought down his budget the reduction amounted to only \$3,000,000. It was possible, he declared, to decrease the expenditure of the country by fifteen millions, and at the present time the people of Canada would applaud such economy.

Companies, which were making millions out of the agony of the war, Mr. Lemieux asked if it was fair that Colonel Labatt, who was receiving a salary of \$60,000 a year, should also draw a pension from the country.

"Is it fair," he asked, "that Colonel Bradbury, a member of the senate who went to England, but never got to the front, should also draw a pension? These pensions should be wiped out of the blue books of Canada."

FIVE AMERICAN AVIATORS ARE KILLED IN ACCIDENTS

Fort Worth, Texas, May 7.—Lieut. Jas. S. Ennis, Jr. of New York city, and Cadet Paul Herriott of Oakland, Cal., were killed at Camp Hicks when the airplane in which they were making a practice flight fell 100 feet in a straight nose dive.

Lawton, Okla., May 7.—Lieut. William Dean Thompson of the 238th field artillery, a student observer at Post Fielder, was instantly killed and Lieut. Foster Bailey pilot, was injured seriously when their plane fell 300 feet. The engine stopped when the men were doing a spiral, and as the pilot attempted to coast to a landing the machine went into a tail spin, falling to the earth.

Thompson was married three weeks ago. His mother lives at Eagle Pass, Texas.

Dayton, Ohio, May 7.—Major Oscar A. Brudley and Colonel Damm, two expert aviation men from the McCook federal flying field here, met death at the Maxine City aviation field here, when their machine dived 400 feet while making a turn in the air.

Major Brudley recently was named as chief instructor of the American aerial forces, and was graduated under the Wright brothers here in 1910. He was formerly an exhibition flier until the need for government aviators became pronounced.

BINGHAM ESTATE GROWS Now Valued at \$130,000,000 to \$150,000,000—Necklace Worth \$900,000

Louisville, Ky., May 8.—Evidence tending to show that the estate of Mrs. Mary Lily Flieger Bingham, widow of Henry M. Flieger of New York and second wife of Judge Robert W. Bingham of Louisville, may reach \$130,000,000 and possibly \$150,000,000, was introduced here at a hearing before G. W. Hendrix, state inheritance tax appraiser.

Prior valuations placed the estate at from \$65,000,000 to \$85,000,000. John Stiles, president of a Louisville trust company, one of the administrators of the estate, a witness at the hearing, made the disclosures, but because he had received information upon which they were based in a "quasi-confidential way," refused to divulge its source.

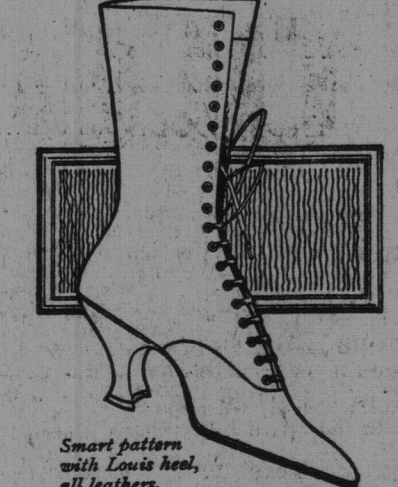
Mr. Stiles also said he had learned that Mrs. Bingham owned a necklace, presumably of pearls, valued at \$900,000, which, it was indicated, has not been listed among the assets of the estate.

Fashion Authorizes The Tailor-made Shoe for Women

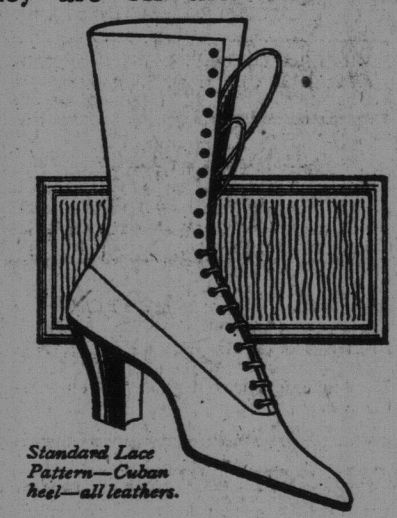
DAME Fashion has decreed that the proper shoes this year are to be conservative in both patterns and colors. The fashionable leathers will be kid and calf—and black finished footwear will be worn more extensively than heretofore.

upon the manufacturers of shoes in that country to cooperate in the conservation of material, labor and money by the standardization of shoe styles as far as possible.

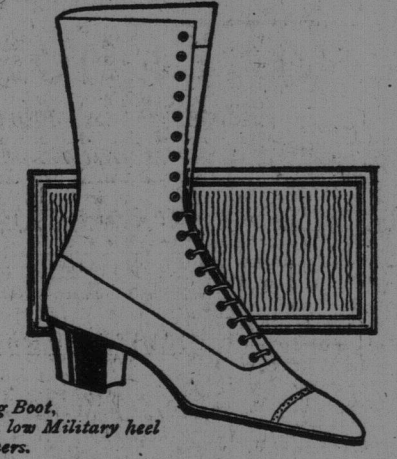
what plainer and sturdier, they are more substantial and will give longer wear. In their capacity as shoemakers to the Canadian Nation, Ames Holden McCready are in a position to determine with



Smart Pattern with Leather, all leathers.



Standard Lace Pattern—Cuban heel—all leathers.



Walking Boot, medium low military heel all leathers.

Colors will be confined largely to white, gray and brown. Not only in Canada but in all fashion centres these will be the accepted colors.

It may be said further that Dame Fashion has for once not had undisputed sway in her decrees, because in the United States the Government called

This does not mean that this year's shoes are less smart or attractive, because, as a matter of fact, they are not. They are simply without the former extremes in pattern and variety of color combination.

As a matter of fact, the new designs really have advantages in comfort and economy over the more exaggerated styles of former seasons—because, as they are on the whole some-

some authority the movements affecting style changes. We maintain a most important department devoted to studying, analysing and determining shoe fashions. This fact, combined with the great experience we get in making a tremendous number of shoes in more than eight hundred styles, is your assurance that A. H. M. shoes represent the latest and most attractive fashions.

You will find our trademark, "AHM," stamped on the sole of every shoe we make. If you have been in the habit of buying our shoes, you already know that they represent splendid value. But in future—on your next shoes—look for the trademark on the soles

AMES HOLDEN MCCREADY "Shoemakers to the Nation"

Advertisement for Ames Holden McCready shoes, featuring a map of Canada with factory locations (St. John, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Edmonton, Vancouver) and a central logo with 'AHM' and 'RELIABILITY'. Text includes 'When you buy Shoes look for this Trade-mark on every sole.' and 'MONTREAL FACTORY' and 'ST. HYACINTHE FACTORY'.

GOOD ROADS FOR THE PROVINCE

Hon. Mr. Veniot Tells of Completion of Patrol System and of Trunk Road Work—Thanked by Auto Owners

That the province is now almost completely covered by the patrol system, with the exception of a few sections and these will be covered in the course of the next two weeks, was the statement made by Hon. P. J. Veniot, provincial minister of public works, who addressed the members of the New Brunswick Automobile Association at their annual meeting last night at the board of trade rooms.

Although it was the annual meeting of the association, the officers were not elected for the ensuing year, owing to the presence of the minister who addressed the meeting in opening. Mr. Veniot gave a resume of the work being done throughout the province. The contract for the work on the Marsh road, he said,

had been let and that work had been started. The trunk roads from the Nova Scotia border by way of Moncton, Sussex, Hampton and St. John to the Maine border and up river by way of Woodstock and from thence to the Maine border at Houlton, had all been surveyed and placed on profile for semi-permanent work.

Hon. Mr. Veniot, during his address, asked for the enforcement and observance of the speed laws, particularly on new work. The association tendered the use of their four split drags to the department in connection with the patrol system to be used in St. John and Kings counties.

F. A. Dykeman, W. B. Tennant, R. D. Paterson and F. J. Peters gave short addresses, and referred to the various suggestions made by the speaker and complimented the department upon the work already accomplished and that laid out to be done. A vote of thanks to the speaker was moved by George A. Kimball and seconded by W. B. Tennant. The meeting adjourned to meet again next week.

Winnipeg's rat-catching campaign is coming on. During March 468 rats were taken to the City Hall, 10,698 tails have been brought in today, and \$829.90 paid in bounties.

Peace Honeymoon Comes To An End

Germany Begins to Fear New Russian Menace

Has Enough on Hand—Bulgaria-Turkey Dispute Aroused Much Suspicion Against Teutons

The Hague, May 7.—Discussions continue in Germany about the future relations between Germany and Russia. The honeymoon of peacemaking evidently has passed and there is a growing feeling of immense danger to Germany's future through hurried regulations which are more dangerous still than the menace of the old Czarism.

The Liberal press always disapproves of premature decisions, especially concerning Lithuania, Courland, Estonia and Poland. This criticism now extends itself to newspapers more intimate with General Ludendorff and the admiralty

staff which is so influential. The Hamburger Fremdenblatt says: "The state of things in the east still bears the sign of a great war and its immediate exigencies. Consequently it is not now the time to Germany to be finished very soon. According to the Taegische Rundschau, Radoloff's after much hesitation, has accepted von Kuhlmann's proposal for the adjustment of the dispute with Turkey. Bulgaria leaves to Turkey Karagatch, a suburb of Adrianople, and some small territory on the right bank of the Maritsa as far as Lile and Burgas. Bulgaria will have to build a new railway about fifty miles long.

As compensation to Bulgaria, it is claimed Turkey binds herself not to put forward any new demands in case Bulgaria takes still other Balkan territory, especially Macedonia and the Marawa Valley, but Turkey has protested violently against that restriction, reserving the right to annex the districts of Dimitoka and Goussolichina.

Both sides accused Germany of aiding the other. The arrangement announced by the Balkan Zeitung would be a great, though perhaps not a lasting, relief to Wilhelmstrasse.

Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes pleaded not guilty at Kansas City to a charge of violating the espionage act. She gave a bond of \$10,000.

Advertisement for shoe polishes, featuring an illustration of a man in a top hat and a woman in a dress. Text includes 'At Home and Overseas Keep your shoes neat and preserve the leather' and 'SHOE POLISHES LIQUIDS and PASTES—For black, white, tan, dark brown, or ox-blood shoes.' and 'THE F. F. DALLEY CORPORATIONS, LIMITED, HAMILTON, ONT.'

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1918

Adds Two More Hotels To String

Canadian Controls Six Around Grand Central, New York

He's Still Under Forty

J. Mc. E. Bowman Adds the Belmont and Murray Hill to His Chain, Including Manhattan, Biltmore, Commodore and Ansonia

(New York Times.) Six of the largest hotels in this city were united yesterday under the control of John McE. Bowman, of the Hotel Biltmore, as the result of a deal giving him the control of the Hotel Belmont and the Murray Hill Hotel. The transaction, which has been under consideration for five years, was completed late Saturday night, between Mr. Bowman and Benjamin L. M. Bates, owner of the Hotel Belmont and the Murray Hill Hotel. It was announced yesterday by Mr. Bowman. The latter is now the head of one of the largest hotel companies in the world, surpassing in his holdings those of T. Coleman du Pont, the recent purchaser of the Waldorf-Astoria.

The hotels under the control of Mr. Bowman are the Biltmore, the Manhattan, the Belmont, the new Hotel Commodore, at Lexington avenue and Forty-second street; the Murray Hill and Ansonia. A chain of hotels has thus been formed surrounding the Grand Central Terminal, with which three of the hotels are connected by underground passages. In whatever way a traveler turns from the Terminal the fine hotel he goes will be under the control of Mr. Bowman.

As a result of the acquisition of the Waldorf-Astoria by T. Coleman du Pont last February, and the transaction of Mr. Bowman, nearly all the large hotels in the city are under control of two rival hotel companies. A comparison of the hotels in regard to approximate accommodations follows:

Commodore	2,000
Biltmore	1,600
Belmont	1,000
Manhattan	1,000
Murray Hill	600
Ansonia	1,800
Total	7,700

Mr. Du Pont. Rooms

McAlain	2,000
Waldorf-Astoria	1,800
Claridge	1,800
Du Pont, Wilmington, Del.	500
Taft, New Haven, Conn.	500
Total	4,900

No estimate of the sum involved in the transaction could be obtained from either Mr. Bowman or Mr. Bates, nor could any details of the arrangement of the new company be learned. It was said, however, that Mr. Bates would not retire from active work, but would become a member of the new company. Another person interested in the transaction is James Woods, commissioner of police in San Francisco, and managing director of the Hotel St. Francis there. It was said that Mr. Woods, who was assistant manager of the Waldorf-Astoria thirteen years ago, would resign from his position as commissioner and sever his connection with the St. Francis to take charge of the Belmont and the Murray Hill.

Charles E. Gehring, head of the Hotel Review, who was the negotiator of the deal between Mr. Bowman and Mr. Bates, said yesterday: "The union of the Bates and Bowman hotel interests will mean that any one can walk from the street and will save the expense of a cab and of checking his baggage. Moreover, persons who have hitherto been turned away from one of the hotels because of lack of accommodations will now be able to obtain rooms in another hotel under the same management."

The Commodore when completed will have cost more than \$15,000,000; the Belmont is said to have cost \$7,000,000; the Murray Biltmore, \$5,000,000, and the Murray Hill, \$3,000,000.

Much Depressed In Spirits

On account of the Exhausted Condition of the Nerves—Though Several Doctors Were Consulted Results Were Disappointing

Albert, N. B., May 7.—All energy and ambition seem to disappear when the nerves become exhausted. Hope and confidence fall and you feel blue and get to looking on the dark side of things.

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This letter was endorsed by George C. Anderson, J. P.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, a full treatment of 6 boxes for \$2.75, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Do not be talked into accepting a substitute. Imitations only disappoint.

CANADIAN SOLDIERS LECTURING ON THEIR EXPERIENCES AT THE FRONT, IN THE UNITED STATES



At left, Lieut. N. M. Roberts, from Duluth, enlisted in the Canadian Army in 1914 and has been in the transport service, a despatch rider and an aviator. He was wounded while lying at the Somme, and after recovering in a British hospital returned to France as pilot of an aerial squadron of the British Royal Flying Corps. He had brought down more than a dozen enemy planes before he was finally invalided home.

At right, Sgt. L. Shannon Comack, is Australian-born, but when the war started was a reporter on a Brooklyn paper. He hiked at once to Canada and went over with the Fifth Canadian Field Artillery. He got on Gen. Byrd's staff and saw service on the Ypres, Somme and Arras fronts. Twice wounded, he was invalided home, and is present on leave from a Canadian hospital.

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Hill was sold in 1910 to Mr. Bates for more than \$1,700,000. When the Commodore is completed in January next the six hotels will be able to accommodate more than 2,000,000 persons a year and a staff of 7,000 employees will be maintained. At present the Hotel Biltmore alone is said to pay \$1,000,000 in salaries.

In addition to hotels in this city, Mr. Bowman is the head of a large hotel corporation which was constructing three hotels on the boardwalk in Atlantic City until work was stopped for the period of the war. Mr. Bowman entered the hotel business as the protégé of the late Gustave Baumann, who was proprietor of the Holland House. When Mr. Baumann took charge of the Biltmore, Mr. Bowman was appointed vice-president of the Biltmore company. Upon the death of Mr. Baumann, Mr. Bowman succeeded him as president of the Biltmore company. Mr. Bowman later acquired the Manhattan and the Ansonia. He was appointed by Herbert Hoover to serve on the Food Administration Board as head of the hotel, restaurant, dining car, and steamship division of the United States Food Administration Board. Mr. Bowman, who is under forty years old, was born in Toronto, Canada.

CO-OPERATION FOR SCHOOLS IS URGED

Business and Industry Are Asked To Take an Active Part By Boston Superintendent

Boston, May 8.—Active co-operation in the conduct of the schools by business and industrial houses, art institutions and other agencies, which he says are better equipped for practical teaching than the schools themselves, is urged by Dr. Franklin B. Dyer, superintendent of Boston schools, in his annual report. The first pages of this report giving his summary of general policies are just off the press in proof form. In them Mr. Dyer says:

"The educational system should be woven into the social fabric, not being a distinct unit to itself, but contributing to the effectiveness of all, and itself becoming effective through the aid of all. The community itself should be kept in close touch with the work of the schools and understand the purposes of the various activities. The home and the school should be closely knit together. The function of the home in the training of the child should not be lost sight of. Parents' organizations should be encouraged to the end that there may be intelligent co-operation and sympathetic understanding between teachers and parents."

"The chief purpose of school administration," Dr. Dyer says further, "is to make the work of the individual teachers as effective as possible. Their improvement is of vital importance. Their power of initiative should be given opportunity, and they should be kept informed as to the purposes and progress of the system. Their advice should be sought and their importance magnified."

In his report, Dr. Dyer maintains that the appointment and promotion of teachers should be absolutely on a merit basis, free from personal favoritism and "influence." In the development of activities he believes there should be localisation of authority but not necessarily centralisation of authority. Courses of study be thought should be frequently reconstructed, transitions from different periods should be gradual and the course of study and methods of teaching should provide the children with a balanced action.

With regard to standards, Dr. Dyer says that some of the most important

work of the teacher cannot be measured but some parts of it can be tested, and teachers should be led to recognize tests as aids and not as espionage. The entire method of conducting a school, he goes on, should exemplify the fundamentals of democracy. "It should provide opportunity for individual initiative, for free expression and participation by all, for the development of self-direction and self-control and for the exercise of private judgment."

WILSON DISAPPROVES SOLDIERS' SENTENCES

Two Troopers Sentenced to Be Shot Get Prison Terms; Others Pardoned

Washington, May 8.—President Wilson has disapproved the sentence of four American soldiers in France, ordered to be shot.

Sentences of two of the men, Privates Olan Ledoven and Stanley G. Fishback, were commuted to three years imprisonment. Forrest Sebastian and Gus Cook were granted full pardons.

President Wilson's action was taken on the recommendation of Secretary Baker, who made a personal investigation of the case.

In granting full pardons to Sebastian and Cook the president said he did so in view of their extreme youth and the fact that their offense was wholly free from conscious disregard of duty. Both are ordered sent back to their companies.

Sebastian and Cook, who were pardoned, were convicted of sleeping at sentry posts. Ledoven and Fishback were sentenced for disobeying orders. They will serve their three-year terms at Leavenworth.

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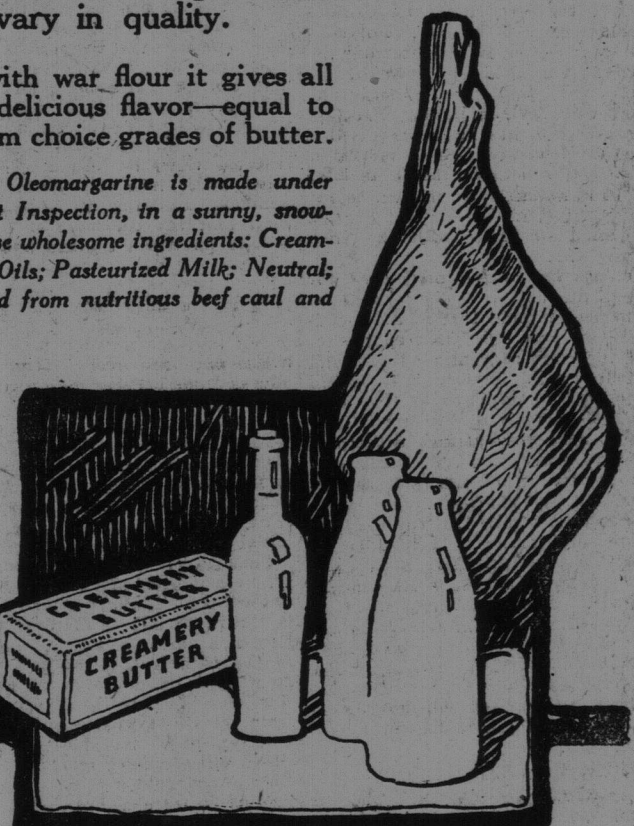
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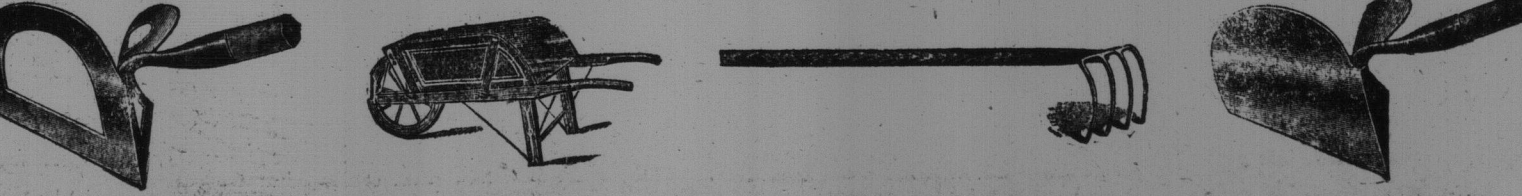
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U-Boat Menace About Overcome

An Air of Confidence in British Admiralty

To Examine 35,000 Per Day—How Medical Boards Will Expedite Work of Man-Power Bill

London, April 18.—A supreme interest has been concentrated this week upon the man-power bill for which Sir Auckland Geddes is chiefly responsible. The scheme was worked out by a committee of ministers under the chairmanship of Sir George Cave, the home secretary, but this arrangement was because all the government services are affected by the proposal involving as they do what are technically known as clean cuts, and still more "combing out." Then the whole matter went before the cabinet and it became the duty of Lloyd George, as prime minister, to present these grave demands to the House of Commons. The conduct of the bill through the house has devolved upon Sir Auckland Geddes and the home secretary with occasional help from Bonar Law as leader. The inclusion of Ireland within the scope of the measure was an even greater sensation than the raising of the military age to 21, which in effect, is up to 21, as men are comprehended who are in their 21st year. There had been a great outcry that the Irish escaped compulsory service and with the advance in the age to the point named the government was brought to the conclusion that distinction could no longer be made. This conclusion was reached notwithstanding the knowledge that the action would inevitably excite hostility amongst the great mass of the Irish people. The Sinn Fein movement had greatly increased a spirit of independence with a large flavor of fanaticism, fanaticism that is inclined to behave in an unbridled manner as the Dublin rebellion of Easter year proved. It counted for little with the Irish that Lloyd George said that some weeks must elapse before the machinery for operating the bill in Ireland could be made to operate, and that in the meantime a home rule bill, based on the report of the Irish convention, though not necessarily on all lines with it, would be submitted to parliament. The convention report, indeed, represented findings with some very distinct differences of opinion between majorities and minorities. It was unfortunate that the government felt obliged by circumstances of time to deal with the thorny question of compulsory service in Ireland before the people were attracted by the definite prospect of the relaxation of long-sought aspirations. That was how matters stood, and thus the controversy in the House of Commons was necessarily sharp and somewhat acrimonious. The hope is that as the drama evolves the permanent measure of self-government may prove an antidote to disturbed emotions.

Medical Examinations. Sir Auckland Geddes, in explaining the procedure under which men were to be tested for fitness for service, said that there would be examinations by medical boards at the rate of 35,000 per day. These are colossal figures, when one thinks how carefully each individual needs to be looked over in order that a mistake may not be made and physically weak men broken like butterflies on the wheel. The medical boards instituted by Sir Auckland Geddes on his appointment as minister of national service, have been a great improvement on those that preceded them. A large proportion of the members of these boards are the same, but they are doctors who, although they were formerly in khaki were, previous to the war, in private practice, and their point of view therefore is far better than that of the purely military doctor, who was apt to be harsh and not to make due allowance for domestic considerations.

It is reckoned of the men between forty-four and fifty-one only about 7 per cent will be fit for the trenches. Many of the others will be chosen to replace younger men who are taken out of munitions and other works to join the fighting forces. Others will be employed behind the lines in France, many, it is reckoned, will continue in civil life. All those in Class 8 of older years will be left over at first at any rate, as there is such a large number of Class 8 men available from previous conscriptions. That is of course necessarily an unpleas-

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ant arrangement, because it leaves them in a state of uncertainty in making their business dispositions, but we have to put up with a great many things in the painful knowledge that we are in the midst of a great war. Better Shipping Prospects. The reductions in the records of shipping losses through submarines in two successive weeks are not the only cause for increased hope that this menace will be got under in the course of time. We are more experienced nowadays than to be buoyed up or depressed by what happens in short periods, but the spirit of the Admiralty breathes an air of mysterious confidence that the outlook is brightening, and although the evidences of it may not be forthcoming all at once—there are so many incidental considerations to progress—yet I am glad as a writer not inclined to take an unduly cheerful view, to place on record the sober belief that improvement will be obtained. I need hardly emphasize, however, that the transport of the greatly needed American soldiers and all their accessories across the Atlantic put heavier and heavier demands upon the shipping of the allies, and the call is still very urgent, and not least to Canada, to do all that can possibly be done to increase our resources. Upon shipping now depends perhaps more than on anything else, the shortening of the war. One says this because the other considerations can be calculated. What we lose from the submarines still remain an unknown quantity, and we have been running with ever-widening supplies of credit.

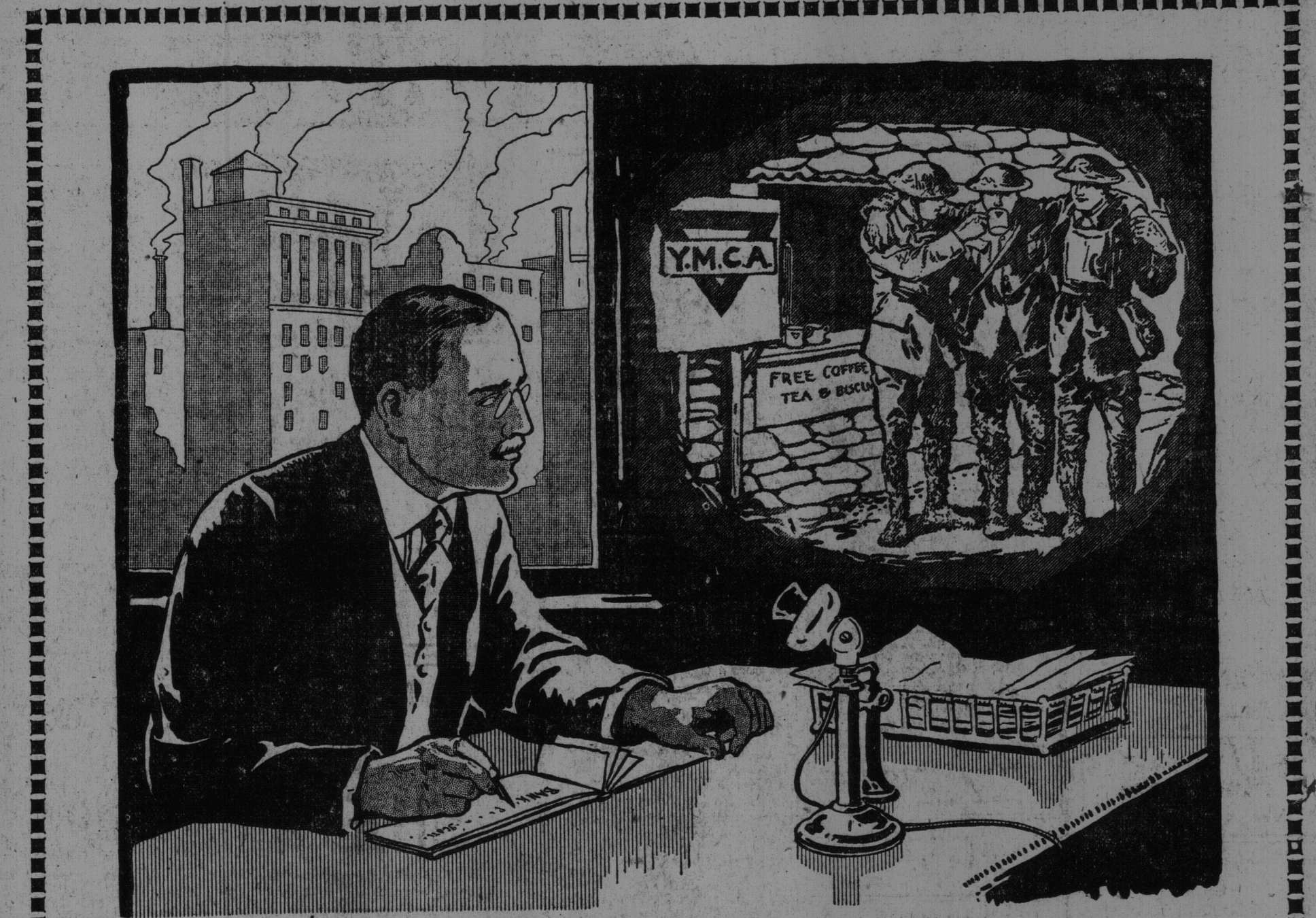
Social Gossip. Canada was well represented at the great memorial service in St. Paul's Cathedral for the nurses who have fallen in the war while on active service. The Canadian nurses had the place of honor in the cathedral, as they were in the front of all the nurses of the Empire. It was truly English to give the women from the Dominions the place of honor, and typical of the spirit of generosity that characterizes England. Matron-in-Chief Macdonald was, of course, present, helping to marshal her sisters into their places, and Sir George and Lady Percy were present. Sir A. J. Kemp, Governor of Militia, were sitting across the aisle from the royal ladies, headed by Queen Alexandra, and including the Duchess of Connaught in the uniform of a nurse, for she works regularly at a well-known hospital. The marriage of Miss Beatrice Nasmyth, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nasmyth, of Woodstock, Ont., to Captain Mackenzie Furniss, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Furniss, The Mount High Wickham, Hastings, England, is of interest to many people in Canada, for the father of the bridegroom is, of course, well-known as an artist, and visited Canada years ago to make drawings of places and people. Miss Nasmyth, who has lived in the west, was one of the little party of Canadian women writers who recently visited France as correspondent for the Canadian papers. Lady Strathcona received many friends after the wedding of the Hon. Edith Howard to Lord Compton, when Canadians were among the guests. Lady Northcote, whose associations with Canada date back for many years, was among those present.

Benefits Won By British Labor

Radical Changes Are Being Made in Treatment of Workmen—Stop Extravagance

London, April 20.—The solution of the problem of labor's position after the war has been discussed by committees of employers, employees and experts of all shades of opinion and all kinds of business management from the early days until now. It has been considered from the standpoint of profit sharing, co-partnership, state control, Socialism and all the other pet schemes of modern times. Employers' associations have dealt with the matter from new attitudes which are in sharp contrast to the pre-war attitude that had maintained for generations, the attitude of refusing every demand made by their employees. Labor has been asking for more power in setting conditions, more control in the various industries and a larger share in the proceeds. Lord Leverhulme has been stamping the country on the theory of a six hour working day, and what is more, has put his scheme into operation in his own works.

Great Profits Questioned. W. L. Hitchens, chairman of Cammell, Laird and Company, has issued a booklet under the title "Some Problems of Modern Industry." In this he goes further than any of the schemes already presented. For an employer of thousands of men, Mr. Hitchens' view is startling. He says that "no business is entitled to make unlimited profits." He says that labor, the entrepreneur class, capital and the consumer, are all partners in the business of the community, and no one class is entitled to benefit unduly at the expense of the other. "The principle of the excess profits tax should therefore be retained after the war. After providing for a standard rate of interest on capital and for ample depreciation and reserves, a substantial



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"If people only knew what the 'Y' means to fellows over here, they would swamp you with contributions," writes a soldier lad.

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National Council, Young Men's Christian Association. Headquarters: 120 Bay Street, Toronto. List of names and titles including John W. Ross, G. A. Warburton, G. E. Barbour, C. H. Peters, etc.

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The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold cream. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smoother and beautifier. Just try it! Make up a quart of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It should naturally help to whiten, soften, freshen, and bring out the hidden roses and beauty of your skin. It is wonderful for rough, red hands. Your druggist will sell three ounces of orchard white at little cost, and any grocer will supply the lemons.

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If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head noises go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parvalol (double strength) and add to it 1-4 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Any one who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this preparation a trial.

TO DO AWAY WITH DOGS IN BRITAIN

London, May 8.—With between four and five million dogs in the United Kingdom, on two and a half million of which the owners are paying license taxes, the question of their rationing and the extinction of a certain percentage is occupying the attention of the

government. In the committee's report, which will shortly be forthcoming, it is estimated that the dog population consumes food equal to half a million people, counting for rationing purposes as one-ninth of the population of the British Isles, supposing everything they eat is fit for human food. It is understood the committee intends to recommend a large reduction in the number of dogs, that one person be entitled to retain one dog and the surplus must be done away with. Already owners of pets show great alarm and many are giving the animals to friends and servants, hoping thus to avoid their destruction. Walter Jeffries, the greatest breeder of bull-dogs, including Rodney Stone, has already destroyed all but two of his entire kennel. A writer in the Sunday Chronicle warns the government against creating a dog issue, which, he predicts, will be met by more unreasonable opposition than if British liberties were endangered, declaring that Walter Long found the enforcing of dog-muzzling more difficult than governing Ireland.

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Tax on Movie Films. There is some doubt among moving picture men of the city as to the meaning of the word "film" in the new war tax bill. If it mean reel, then the tax will be from \$5 to \$6 a week and will mean \$2,000 to \$2,500 from the city's movie houses.

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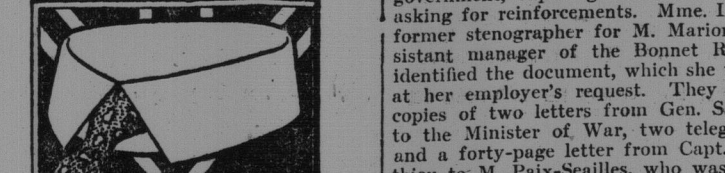
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LOCAL NEWS

AT HIS POST AGAIN.
Police Sergeant Hastings has returned to his duties at the police court, after his brief illness. During his absence John O'Neill has been acting sergeant.

GRADUATE NURSES
Among those graduating from the Roosevelt Hospital, New York, during April were Miss Greta Ogle, Miss Dorothy Merin, of Halifax; Miss Myra Chambers, of Wolfville, and Miss Kathleen O'Leary, of Richmou, N. B.

WELCOME NEXT SEASON
J. M. Gauthier, J. F. Whitney Besajer, Alec Rees, F. W. Fowler and Jack Crall will leave tonight for Montreal, having completed their work here in connection with the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services Limited. Clem McGrath and Fred G. Davis will go on Friday.

IN QUARANTINE
The board of management of the Municipal Home have decided to place it in quarantine. This action is not taken because any case of disease exists, but to prevent the possibility of its being introduced in the institution. An outbreak of measles, for example, would be a very serious matter, against which the board feels it should guard those within its walls.

SPHAGNUM MOSS
Professor J. B. Porter, D. Sc., of McGill University, the technical advisor of the sphagnum moss committee, has returned to the city from a tour of the Canadian Red Cross, accompanied by Professor Thompson of Toronto University, who arrived in the city yesterday. They were in the city yesterday to inspect the sphagnum moss, and to ascertain the variety of moss and its locations. A public meeting will be held before the visitors leave the city.

S. C. A. ANNUAL
Review of Work Done For Soldiers In Third Year

At the third annual meeting of the Soldiers Comforts Association this afternoon the following report was read, among others, by the secretary of the association, Mrs. John McAvity, who has been in the city for several days. The report covers the work done from May, 1917, to May, 1918. During this period eight regular and ten executive meetings were held. The work of the association has been most gratifying and it has been most gratifying to find that there has been no lack of interest or falling off of work.

Two new circles have been formed this year, one at Plaster Rock, Carleton county, and one at New Denmark, Victoria county. Throughout the province increased interest in our work for the men in the trenches has been shown by the many applications for yarn. Miss Belyea, the association's secretary, has proved most efficient, and is ever ready to give information regarding the work. In May, 1917, an appeal for socks was made, and as a result we shipped overseas five complete outfits. We also forwarded gloves, hats and balls to the value of \$121.50. The shipping of Christmas parcels began in September, at which time a special appeal was made for the "one soldier." This resulted in many hundreds of parcels being sent to the O. C. battalions in France, to be distributed to the men, who otherwise would not be remembered. In November an appeal for socks was made and a good number were sent in by friends all over the province. This appeal was made in response to many letters from France, telling of the urgent need for extra socks during the month of January and February, when the men on active service suffer from trench feet. By the passing of the war charities act it became necessary for all societies engaged in patriotic work to register. Through the kindness of Dr. Barnhill this was attended to promptly and in due time we became an incorporated body, under the name of the Soldiers Comforts Association, Limited. As a means of collecting funds for our association, George McAvity very kindly donated large shares, which were placed in various centres, and in this way quite a generous amount was raised. Owing to the ever-increasing price of wool without which our knitters throughout the city and province would be at a standstill, it was decided to hold a tag day. Saturday, March 30, was decided on, and the work organized under the leadership of Mrs. H. B. Peck. The Commercial Travelers' Association came to our aid and by their untiring efforts the magnificent sum of \$11,174.66 was placed to our credit.

Each year we begin our work praying and hoping that the war will close before the year closes, but so long as the war continues, as an association we must work doing all in our power to bring comfort to those who on the battlefield are giving up their all for us. In closing my report I would like to move a vote of thanks to all who have helped to make this year a success. To Commissioner McLellan, George McAvity, J. Walter Holly, C. H. Bostwick, Colonel Sturdee, Walter Golding, Chester Akery, Centenary church officials, Commercial Travelers' Association, the N. B. Telephone Company, T. McAvity & Sons, Messrs. Lockhart & Ritchie Barnes & Co., J. A. McMillan, Fleetwelling Press Company, all societies who helped in the work of tag day and to the public in general for their generous support.

AN EVENING WITH THE L. O. G. T.
A meeting of Dominion Lodge, L. O. G. T., held last evening was the occasion of a visit from grand lodge and district lodge officers. There was a large attendance and a programme of speeches, songs and readings was given. During the session Floyd Parent, recently elected, was given a fountain pen on behalf of his fellow members by E. N. Stockford, G. C. T. Mr. Parent made a fitting reply.
During the evening the following officers of Dominion Lodge were installed by the G. C. T., assisted by M. A. Thorne, D. S., and Henry McEachern, P. D. C. T.:—George F. Kelly, T. J. Brown, V. T.; W. Crawford, P. C. T.; Mrs. B. L. Kirkpatrick, secretary; Miss S. Scriver, assistant secretary; B. L. Kirkpatrick, financial secretary; Alfred Brown, treasurer; Mrs. Marshall, chaplain; Miss Scriver, organist; Miss F. Johnson, S. J. W.; Mrs. Lemmon, assistant S. J. W.; Miss Bell, D. M.; George McKel, guard; Ernest Marshall, sentinel.
Refreshments were served by the ladies at the close of the meeting.

CHILDREN'S AID NEW HOME READY EARLY IN JULY

A Fine House Undergoing Necessary Remodeling—Advantages for Carrying on Work Well

Work on the new Children's Aid Home, 68 Garden street, which has been going on for some time in progress satisfactorily and the outlook is that the contracts will be completed by the end of June or the beginning of July. It was found that the necessary work was of such a nature that only the heating and plumbing, masonry, painting and electric equipment could be figured on. Quite a number of tenders were opened and in each case the lowest bid was accepted.
The total cost of these amounts to \$6,716. Then there is the cost of the contract of the day, of which Bernard Holm has charge. In addition the building committee of the society has under consideration the equipment of the building with fire escapes. The pattern of these has not yet been decided on. The desire is to have the most up to date appliances possible. Whatever is finally decided on the fire escapes will be the most substantial and economical possible.

The names of the successful tenders are: Heating and plumbing, G. & E. Blake; painting, W. E. Demings; masonry, A. J. Demings; electrical work, Hiram Webb & Sons. G. Ernest Fairweather, who drew up the plans for the alterations, found it was necessary to build a new flue for the heating system and this Mr. Demings has already carried out as far as the roof. It has been the aim throughout to have the plumbing work constructed in such a way that everything shall be as convenient as possible and at the same time have it conform to the most up-to-date sanitary requirements.

A noticeable thing about the house is the splendid material of which it was constructed. In the days in which it was built lumber was plentiful and cheap, it was labor of an artisan. Now, when it is being remodeled, it is found that the house when finished would be good for several generations. All the fixtures are of the most solid description, and it would be scarcely, if at all possible, now-a-days, to find anything nearly so good. Indeed, one of the most experienced builders said that the house was one of the best in the city and that it was an ideal one for the purposes of the Children's Aid Society, being easily accessible by street car. There is plenty of ground, too, which can be utilized for playgrounds, the present fence on the property separating the boys' portion from that of the girls. The rooms, too, are large and bright, with plenty of sunshine. This last is absolutely essential in such a home. The building committee of the society had the advantage of the invaluable advice of Architect G. Ernest Fairweather, E. Bates and Dr. G. M. Mahin, chief medical health officer, in making their plans.
It is expected there will be room in the new shelter for between forty and fifty children. In addition provision will be made for the detention of juvenile delinquents until their cases are finally disposed of. The furnishing of the new shelter is in charge of a capable committee of ladies of the board of management. Already there have been several donations towards this work. It is hoped that all the friends of children in the city will bear this matter in mind and so make possible a larger and better work. Cots and single beds will be greatly needed to furnish the dormitories.

HONOR CONFERRED ON MRS. F. B. COWGILL

A pleasant feature of a meeting of the Natural History Society last evening was the presentation of a life membership to Mrs. F. B. Cowgill. Mrs. John McAvity, president, and Miss Grace Leavitt, treasurer, expressed the society's appreciation of Mrs. Cowgill's valuable services and general helpfulness during the ten years in which she has served as recording secretary of the Ladies' association. James A. Estey, president of the Natural History Society, also addressed kind words of appreciation. Mrs. Cowgill, in a few well chosen words, expressed her thanks for the honor conferred on her.
Mrs. Cowgill came to St. John, a stranger, about twelve years ago, and ever since has been a foremost worker in everything representing the betterment of the city and the uplifting of womanhood.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning two prisoners, charged with drunkenness, were proved to be habitual loafers, having no occupation. They were both fined \$8 or two months in jail for being drunk and told that they were liable to three months without a fine and also \$50 or six months. "I'm determined to give them nine months," said the magistrate speaking of habitual loafers. "There was the old act and now the anti-loafer act and they'll both be enforced."
Another prisoner pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness and was fined \$8 or two months at hard labor.
Later the two loafers were asked where they got their liquor and on refusing or "being unable" to tell they were sent to jail until such time that they could remember.

DE GRASSE-O'NEILL

The marriage of Francis E. de Grasse and Miss Katherine E. O'Neill was solemnized in St. Peter's church early this morning. Nuptial mass was celebrated by the rector, Rev. F. Costello, C. S. R., who also performed the ceremony, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. The bride entered the church with her brother, Frank O'Neill, and was becomingly gowned in a tailored costume of navy serge, hat of violet shadow straw and summer fur of Hudson seal and ermine. In place of the customary bouquet she carried a white prayer book and a crystal rosary, the latter a gift presented in recognition of services rendered as teacher of the free bookkeeping classes at the Catholic Girls' Guild. There were no attendants, the bride being accompanied by Mrs. E. C. O'Neill and Joseph O'Neill. At the conclusion of the ceremony, breakfast was served at the home of the bride's aunt, 600 Main street, after which Mr. and Mrs. de Grasse left by early morning train for a short wedding trip. They will proceed to Montreal, where they will reside for the season, the groom being employed in the C. P. R. overseas department.

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