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## TORONTO IS FLOODED WITH SEVERAL LITERATURE

### "Time Ripe for Revolution and You Must Rise," Says Pamphlet Declared Issued by "Provisional Council of Soldiers' and Workers' Deputies of Canada"

Toronto, Jan. 3.—"The time is ripe for revolution and you must rise," this is the startling declaration in a pamphlet distributed from door to door throughout Toronto. It is even more startling to find that the pamphlet has been issued by the "provisional council of soldiers' and workers' deputies of Canada," for we were not aware that the poisonous germs of Russian Bolshevism had obtained such a foothold in Canada, says the Globe, editorially today, discussing the pamphlet.

"This manifesto" as it is called, purports to discuss the condition of the working classes under "capitalism" and states that reconstruction or revolution are the two issues facing soldiers and workers.

The Globe says:—"Canada is the freest country in the world, but here is a case where freedom has degenerated into license. These pamphlets were printed not in some obscure hole, but evidently in a large, well-to-do establishment, because the type used is machine work. It ought, therefore, to be an easy matter for the police to root out the concocters of this seditious literature. We do not want in this country any fomenters of Bolshevism and rebellion."

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## Soldier of Northland Tells of Conditions Complaints of Men Taken up in Inquiry Being Held in Ottawa

### PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE ON JANUARY 13

#### Representatives of the Four Great Allies

#### TERMS FOR VANQUISHED

#### This Meeting to Decide Whether Italian Newspaper Putting Forward That Country's Interests but No Serious Conflict of Views Anticipated

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—Returned soldiers opened their story at the Northland inquiry this morning. Complaints made were chiefly of bunking and the way food was served.

Superior Alliance of Toronto, while making no general complaint as to the quality of the food, described his Christmas dinner in this wise:—"That poor chop with one and a half inches fat. The Christmas pudding served by hands instead of dishes was really good."

This was when the Northland lay quarantined in Halifax harbor. The men, he said, had been told to take down their mattresses, which were piled around. They had to eat the dinner the best way they could. The mattresses gave out a nasty odor and Alllette said:—"It is very unpleasant for a man to have to sit down to a Christmas dinner under such conditions."

He complained, too, that there was not enough food, that the men were bunched in the same room; that half the bunks were wooden, looked like coffins and when a man lay in them he seemed to be almost buried.

Alllette said he had a top bunk and found it impossible to get into it, owing to a wounded shoulder. It was brought out earlier in the sitting that the Northland was under the charter to the British government. The White Star-Dominion Line, owners of the vessel, act as agents for the British government but engage the officers and staff of the steamer.

Paris, Jan. 3.—There is every likelihood, according to morning newspapers, that the peace conference of the four great Allies will open on Jan. 13. It is said that the secretaries of the conference will be Paul Datusa, French ambassador to Switzerland, and Philipp Berthelot, of the French foreign office.

"This conference," says the Petit Journal, "will decide upon terms to be imposed upon the vanquished peoples."

Paris, Jan. 3.—Comment in certain Italian newspapers on the eastern policy of France, in which reference has been made to Italian interests that should be considered, have attracted attention in London here the question of Syria, Armenia and other eastern countries, the future of which will probably be decided by the peace conference. On the supposition that the convention of 1915 between France, Great Britain and Italy, regarding the division of the eastern empire, is still in force, and other matters affecting relations between France and Italy, it is not surprising that there will be any serious conflict of official views.

London, Jan. 3.—(British Wireless Service).—The Vossische Zeitung of Berlin points out that it is no use for Germans to complain of the "barbaric" terms of the armistice and to plead for food from their former enemies. The only way to establish a stable government in Berlin is to make peace with the victors. "Germany must look to her own fate," it says, "it is no use making appeals. There is still time for the German people to work out their own future. The war and what they cannot do without—only, the respect of the world and the dignity of the German people. The armistice has come and energetic action is demanded."

## 30,500 FEET, A NEW RECORD FOR ALTITUDE

### London, Jan. 3.—Flying a British airplane at Spwick, yesterday, Captain Lang established a new altitude record, reaching a height of 30,500 feet.

### REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows:

St. John County. City of St. John to Charles McConnell, property in Lancaster.

W. A. and Mary E. Coles to Isabelle P. Corkey, property in Harris street.

W. J. Dean to C. T. Dean, property in Musquash.

E. J. Hayes et al to J. M. Humphrey Co., property in King street.

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## Challenges The Right of the New Men To Seats

### Protest Against Swearing in of Thornton and Jones

### J. H. Pritchard Lays Matter Before Mayor in Form of Letter—His Worship to Consult City Solicitor and Take it up With Colleagues This Afternoon

A new development which may lead to interesting consequences arose in connection with the recall election situation today. This is an effort to prevent John Thornton and John B. Jones from being sworn in on the grounds that their election does not comply with the provisions of the city charter.

The protest came in the form of a registered letter which was received by Mayor Hayes from Joseph H. Pritchard, traveling representative of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company. Four reasons are given for attacking the validity of the election and the mayor is asked, on these grounds, that the members-elect shall not be sworn in.

Mr. Pritchard's letter is as follows: St. John, N. B., Jan. 2, 1918. To His Worship H. T. Hayes, Mayor of the City of St. John.

Dear Sir: I, the undersigned, a duly qualified voter at the recall election recently held, do hereby protest against swearing in John Thornton and John B. Jones, alleged to be elected to fill the position held by the commissioners of safety and health and sewerage, on the following grounds:

1. That the common clerk has not certified the recall petitions as sufficient.

2. That the ballots used at the recall election is erroneous, inasmuch as the names of the candidates are not put on it alphabetically, and, there being two candidates, any particular one cannot be plighted against a particular incumbent.

3. That when the official count of the ballots is declared by the common clerk, any incumbent in case of receiving a minority of votes is by the statute deemed THEREUPON to be removed from office, and there being no provision in the city charter that the recall election should be held if the majority of votes is by the statute deemed THEREUPON to be removed from office, there being no connection with the recall election, the recall election should be held if the majority of votes is by the statute deemed THEREUPON to be removed from office.

4. That the intention of the act as construed from its words is that only one time, and there is no provision for a dual recall election.

J. H. PRITCHARD.

In conversation with the Times, Mr. Pritchard said that he was acting in his own behalf as a citizen and not as a representative of either of the candidates. He said, he was, a matter of ascertaining whether the law was to be observed, and whether an election could be held without regard to the provisions of the law. He could not say what his own views on a matter of public interest.

When asked about the matter, Mayor Hayes said that he would consult the city solicitor and would lay the matter before the other commissioners this afternoon before taking action.

According to the arrangements made, the two commissioners elect were to be sworn in at three o'clock this afternoon and would immediately take their seats for the first session of the re-organized council. In view of the situation which arose this morning it was impossible to tell in advance what action would be taken. It was said to be quite possible that the new commissioners would be sworn in today and in that case the validity of the election might be tested in the courts.

It was thought probable that Messrs. McAdoo and Hight would be at the meeting in their own interests this afternoon.

### HELD FOR ATTEMPT TO POISON GUESTS AT CHICAGO BANQUET IN 1916

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 3.—George Wyler, held by the local police for the Chicago authorities on suspicion of being Jean Croner, wanted in that city in connection with the attempted poisoning of 200 guests at a banquet in 1916, denies that he is Croner. The prisoner claims he was in New Orleans the night of the attempted poisoning. However, he passed through Chicago a few days later on his way east. He claims that a conversation with his roommate led to his arrest as a suspect.

### WILSON IN ROME, IS GREETED BY KING; TO VATICAN TOMORROW

Rome, Jan. 3.—President Wilson arrived in Rome at 10:30 o'clock this morning. He was received at the station by Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena, members of the government and representatives of the local authorities. An immense crowd welcomed the president with the greatest enthusiasm.

Newspapers here unite in their welcome of the president to Rome. The journey from the frontier to Rome the day after President Wilson was like a triumphal procession. Mountaineers and villagers swarmed from the hills and valleys to the railroad over to pay homage to America. They shouted vivas, waving hats and handkerchiefs and flags forming picturesque groups which were emphasized by the brilliant sunshine blue sky and green luxuriant landscape.

The programme arranged for President Wilson's entertainment today included a luncheon with Queen Mother Marguerite, reception by parliament and a state dinner with King Victor Emmanuel, following a visit to the president by a state dinner with the Quirinal. In the evening the citizenship of Rome will be conferred upon him.

Tomorrow is the day set for his visit to Pope Benedict and for his reception to Protestant bodies as the American presidential train passed to pay homage.

## GIRL SUFFERS IN DERIDCTION

### Major V. Dale of Blackville Ends Life With Carbolic Acid

Blackville, N. S., Jan. 3.—(Special).—A girl, approximately 15 years of age, or less committed suicide this morning in the Grand Hotel, Queen street, by taking carbolic acid. She registered this morning as Major V. Dale, Blackville. Half an hour afterwards a chambermaid passing her room heard heavy breathing and notified the proprietress, Mrs. George E. Jordan. People belonging to the hotel found the girl on the floor, frothing at the mouth. Dr. G. C. Vanwart gave her assistance, but without success, death ensuing about 11 o'clock.

The young woman arrived from Blackville in a motor car, and was accompanied by her sister, Lillian Dale, and a man named C. Davidson of Upper Blackville. All registered at the Barker House. From her mouth she was heard to utter words made to the clerk it was gathered that they were going to Boston by the evening train today.

Early this morning members of the party gave indications of some trouble. Major V. Dale, who was in the room, was displaying anxiety on her account. About 7:30 the girl disappeared so far as the hotel people knew. The two girls asked for a coach to take them out and the sister cancelled the order on a coach. Major V. Dale, who was evidently without her sister's knowledge, for she went to the desk as a state of excitement saying that she had threatened suicide.

Her sister rushed out in search and up an early hour this afternoon had not been located. Prior to the alarm expressed by the sister, Thomas Sewell of Newcastle, who also arrived by C. G. R. last night, told the clerk at the Barker House that Major V. Dale had attempted to do away with herself.

An ounce bottle labelled carbolic acid was found near the girl. So far no motive for the act is known.

### MISS CATHERINE COTTER

The death of Miss Catherine Cotter occurred this morning at her home in Sussex, after a lingering illness. She is survived by her parents, five brothers and two sisters, Margaret of St. George and Elizabeth of this city. The brothers are Patrick, Edward, John, Walter and Bernard, all at home. The funeral will take place on Sunday at St. Francis Xavier Church, and interment will be in Ward's Green Cemetery.

### Phelix and Phredand

### WEATHER REPORT

Chicago, Jan. 3.—Chicagoans scurried to work today in a temperature of four degrees below zero with assurance that it would be colder before it became warmer. Physicians declared the cold weather had brought a lessening in the number of influenza cases.

Frightful weather prevailed throughout the middle west.

Duluth, Jan. 3.—The cold wave from the Dakotas arrived here during last night, a forty-mile north wind ushering in a twenty-two degree below zero temperature at 7 a. m. today. Lake Superior is "smoking" for the first time this winter, and shows signs of freezing up.

### GRAIN EMBARGO AT PORT OF NEW YORK

New York, Jan. 3.—The federal food administration today notified the grain trade that until further notice the port of New York was embargoed on all shipments of grain and grain products for both export and domestic shipments.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North Shore—Strong northeast winds, with snow, beginning today.

New England—Snow this afternoon followed by clear and colder tonight; Saturday, fair and colder; strong northeast, shifting to northwest winds, probably of gale force.

## REGULATION OF STOCK ISSUES

### Federal Regulations May Be Repealed but Permanent Legislation to Safeguard Public Will be Considered

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—The minister of finance has been giving careful consideration to the question of the repeal of the order-in-council under which bonds and stock of incorporated companies can only be issued in Canada with the consent of the federal government.

The object of the regulation was to conserve the financial market of Canada and to issues of securities intended to promote and develop essential industries. There was the further purpose of so controlling issues that they would come on the market in regular order and thus prevent congestion with its resulting adverse effect upon the market.

Immediately after the armistice, the market was partially reopened so as to promote the free issue of securities both in provincial government and municipalities.

The minister of finance will communicate with the several provincial governments with a view to drawing to their attention the question of introducing legislation which will effectually safeguard the public against issues of speculative or worthless securities.

### GERMANS TO FIGHT ONCOMING POLES.

Basle, Jan. 3.—Several German army corps have been concentrated on the border between Posen and Prussia, according to the Nachrichten, of Frankfurt. It is added, has decided to defend her rights to the province of Posen.

### JOFFRE CHANCELLOR OF THE FRENCH ACADEMY.

Paris, Jan. 2.—Marshall Joffre was today elected chancellor of the French Academy, following the precedent of receiving that post to the most recently retired member. Joffre, De Legouve, historian, was made director of the academy.

### Change in Management.

Toronto, Jan. 2.—It was announced tonight that Edward Hay, general manager of the Imperial Bank of Canada, had resigned owing to ill-health and would be succeeded by Wm. O. Moffat, who has been assistant general manager.

## CANADIANS READY TO BOMB BERLIN JUST AS THE WAR CAME TO AN END

### Commander Mulock's Squadron Equipped With Powerful Machines Just Three Days Before Nov. 11

London, Jan. 3.—(Canadian Press despatch from Reuters's Limited)—General Trenchard in a report on the work of the independent air force units, in interesting revelation of how Berlin "nearly" escaped being bombed, headed by a squadron under the famous Canadian aviator Commander R. H. Mulock at Winnipeg.

The 27th group was established in England," says General Trenchard, "under the command of Commander Mulock for the purpose of bombing Berlin and other cities. This group received machines capable of carrying out this work only at the end of October, and though all ranks worked night and day to get the machines ready for attacking Berlin, they completed the work only three days before the signing of the armistice."

The commander received the D. S. O. in 1916, the Chevalier of the Legion of Honour in 1918 and was twice mentioned in despatches.

## DEATH OF MISS JULIA BLANCHE O'BRIEN

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## LOSS OF DOCUMENT LEADS TO ARREST OF FRENCH CAPTAIN

### Ladeux is Held Responsible For His Failure in Cases of Bolo Pasha and M. Duval.

Paris, Jan. 2.—(Havas Agency)—Captain Georges Ladeux, former assistant chief of the intelligence bureau of the ministry of war, was arrested today and, after hearing his accusation read by Colonel Bouber, was sent to the Santé prison. The captain is charged with the loss of a document relating to persons likely to be implicated in one of the cases now pending concerning traiting with the enemy.

Proceedings were begun against Captain Ladeux last March, when he was believed to be connected with the cases of Bolo Pasha and M. Duval, director of the Bonnet Rouge, both of whom were executed for treason. Among those now awaiting trial in France on a charge of trading with the enemy is former Premier Cailaux and Senator Humbert.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the house of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kennedy, Carleton street, Fredericton, on January 1, at 8 p.m., when Willard Miller, of Newcastle Bridge, Queens county, and Miss Lillian Currie of McNally's Ferry, were united in marriage by Rev. Milton Addison. The bride entered the parlor with her father, Harding Currie, to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march. The parlor was tastefully decorated with potted plants. The bride looked charming in a traveling suit of navy serge with hat to match. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome set of black fox furs. The wedding party proceeded to the Imperial Lunch Parlour where a sumptuous repast was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Miller left on the evening train for a short trip, with many good wishes of relatives and friends. On their return they will reside at Newcastle Bridge. The presents were numerous and beautiful. The out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Harding Currie, Mr. and Mrs. Ludlow Clift, of McNally's Ferry; Wm. Currie, of Moncton; Miss Clara Miller, of Newcastle Bridge; Miss Mabel Miller, of Hawkeshaw, and the Misses Lide and Margaret Bailey of St. John.

## ENGINEER WADLOW FATALLY SCALDED

Moncton, Jan. 2.—John Gillespie today received word that his son-in-law, Albert J. Wadlow of Calgary, had died as result of scalds received in a head-on collision while on duty as engineer on December 30. Mr. Wadlow was formerly Miss Myrtle Gillespie of Moncton.

Harry E. Dryden, the young man who pleaded guilty to theft of turkey and chickens from a local resident, and several other articles from other places, was today sentenced to four months in jail.

**Sure Proof.**  
Tommy—Smokin' cigarettes hurts ya. Pop told me so.  
Jimmy—Aw, he was jest stringin' ya.  
Tommy—No, he wasn't stringin' me, either; he was strappin' me. That's how I know it hurts.

**Enough Said.**  
"You ask for my daughter? What are your prospects, young man? Do you own the house you live in?"  
"No, I rent it, but I have five tons of coal in the cellar."  
"Take her."

## Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

## BIRTHS

DOUGALL—Jan. 2, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Dougall, 98 Winter street, a son.

## DEATHS

HAYES—Entered into rest, Jan. 2, 1919, Charles J. Hayes.  
Funeral on Saturday from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. F. C. Beatty, 282 Douglas avenue. Private. Please omit flowers.

COTTER—At Sussex, N. B., on the 3rd inst., Catherine, eldest daughter of John and Mary Cotter, leaving besides her parents, two sisters and five brothers to mourn.

Funeral on Sunday at Sussex.  
DONOVAN—In this city on January 2, 1919, Gertrude T., only daughter of Julia and the late Daniel Donovan, leaving her mother and three brothers to mourn.

Funeral on Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock from her mother's residence, 27 Dock street, to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception for solemn requiem high mass. Friends invited.

GRAY—At the Parks Hospital on January 1, Yada W. Gray, wife of E. H. Gray, aged nineteen years, also Eldon Hoyt Gray, aged eighteen months, of the Spanish influenza.

Funerals to be held from her parents' residence at Plaster Rock on Saturday morning.

## IN MEMORIAM

HASTINGS—In loving memory of our dear grandmother, Mrs. Robert Hastings, who departed this life Jan. 3, 1918.  
Good-bye Grandma, but not forever. For we shall meet again. When this earthly life is over, In a land that knows no pain. Granddaughters, ABBIE and LAURA

## TURKS SIFTED ASHES OF ARMENIAN WOMEN, LOOKING FOR JEWELS

### Horrible Stories Come of Atrocities — 80,000 Killed En Masse.

Paris, Jan. 2.—(Havas Agency)—In giving details of the Armenian massacres in Turkey in the last five years, the Constantinople correspondent of the Petit Parisien says that at one time 100,000 Armenians were killed for alleged strategic reasons at Dorgon, Arakia. The Turkish authorities in Constantinople thought the number concentrated there was too high and gave orders that 50,000 of the Armenians be put out of the way.

In the Mush Valley, the correspondent adds, the Kurds robbed 2,000 Armenian women. Later, suspecting that the women had swallowed their jewels, the Kurds killed them in a horrible manner and burned the bodies. The next day, the correspondent continues: "These monsters quickly sifted the ashes seeking the jewels."

The correspondent reports that in the region seven thousand children between three and ten years of age died of starvation and 100 women were buried alive in trenches which the Turks first forced them to dig.

## PERSONALS

Dr. Frank Donnelly, who has been attached to the General Public Hospital staff, left last night for Montreal, where he has accepted an important position in the Royal Victoria Hospital, where he purposes to specialize in urology.

Louis McGrath, who has been spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. T. McGrath, Harding street, returned to Shediac on Thursday.

Major C. A. Bartlette-Buchanan of Calgary is in the city today.

Dr. F. W. Stevenson of this city has been to Havelsock, N. B., to assist in combating influenza, which is reported quite prevalent there.

Mrs. Herbert W. Read is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, at their home in this city.

## THIRTY BELOW IN WINNIPEG, 48 ABOVE IN HALIFAX.

Toronto, Jan. 3.—Canada's "infinite variety" in the matter of temperature is emphasized by the meteorological observatory's record today, indicating a difference of seventy-eight degrees in the extremes developed during twenty-four hours. The coldest point reported was Winnipeg, where the mercury dropped to thirty below zero, while Halifax perished with furs on at forty-eight degrees below.

In Ontario there was a difference of fifty-eight degrees between the extremes, with twenty-six below at White River and thirty-two above at Kingston.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 2.—Charles Willoughby, K. C., Justice of the Peace, this morning applied to Mr. Justice Morrison for a summons to the liquor act. He now causes why a writ of prohibition should not be issued to stay the inquiry until the legality of the act is proved.

The writ was granted until the legality question is decided.

## "OKEH" the new ARROW FORM-FIT COLLAR

Extra New Year  
Cash Specials

- SUGAR (With Orders)  
2 lb. pkgs. Sugar . . . . . 24c.  
5 lb. pkgs. Sugar . . . . . 59c.  
1 lb. Swift's Shortening . . . . . 30c.  
1 lb. block Pure Lard . . . . . 34c.  
1 lb. Choice Seeded Raisins, 15c.  
1 lb. Fancy Seeded Raisins . . . . . 16c.  
1-2 lb. Baker's Chocolate . . . . . 20c.  
50c. tin Royal B. Powder . . . . . 45c.  
Snider's Tomato Soup . . . . . 17c.  
Campbell's Assorted Soups . . . . . 17c.  
15c. pkgs. Macaroni . . . . . 12c.  
Assorted Beaver Jams . . . . . 15c.  
Clark's Beans (small) . . . . . 12c. tin  
Clark's Beans (2's) . . . . . 21c. tin  
35c. bottle Peerless Chow . . . . . 27c.  
25c. bottle Peerless Mixed  
Pickles . . . . . 21c.  
Grapefruit Marmalade . . . . . 18c.  
Stuart's Orange Marmalade . . . . . 30c.  
Fresh Ground Coffee . . . . . 45c. lb.

NEW WESTERN GREY BUCK-  
WHEAT and PURE MAPLE  
HONEY — Try them. Reduce  
your Butter bill by using  
Maple Butter—1 lb. tin . . . . . 30c.  
Forest Cream Butter . . . . . 30c. jar  
Hono-Mo-Leen (Honey Flavor).  
Peanut Butter . . . . . 35c. jar  
25c. tin Peaches . . . . . 21c.  
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## PORT OF ST JOHN.

Arrived Jan. 3.  
Bark Westfield, from Sydney, Australia, S P Atkinson, master.  
Cleared Jan. 3.  
Sch Gen George C Hogg, for Durban, Africa, T E Ryder, master.  
Coastwise—Strea Connors Bros, for Chance Harbor, Captain E H Warnock; Keith Conn, for Westport, N S, Captain A L McKinnon.

## STEAMSHIPS IN PORT.

Djeressa, at Long wharf.  
Clin Gordon, at Lawton's wharf.  
Cransley, at No. 18, Sand Point.  
Novograd, at No. 7, Sand Point.  
War Wolfe, at No. 14, Sand Point.  
Bellrophon, at No. 8, Sand Point.  
Fishpool, at No. 4, Sand Point.  
Middleham Castle, in stream.  
Polish Monarch, at No. 16, Sand Point.  
Sicilian, at No. 6, Sand Point.  
Aryanax, at No. 1, Sand Point.  
Chattan, at No. 7, Sand Point, outside.  
Kanawha, at No. 2, Sand Point.  
Schooners.  
Eugene Owen McKay, Cape D'Or, E. L. Comans, Martha Parsons, L. A. Plummer, Westfield, in addition to a large number of smaller craft.

## FOREIGN PORTS.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 2.—Ard, steamer Millisias, task, Ellsboroughport for Halifax (N.S.).

## CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 2.—Arrived steamer War Dams, Halifax, St. John (N. B.).  
At Jan 1—St. Manchester Brigade, from St. John (NB) for Manchester, St. Madieon, from Cardiff for Portland, Maine.  
Sd Jan 1—St. Kanawha, for St. John (NB). St. Madieon, for Portland.

## MARINE NOTES.

The C. P. O. S. liner Tunisian was reported down the bay this morning and is expected to dock this evening or tomorrow morning. She has a large number of returning soldiers on board in addition to mails and general cargo.

A wireless was received this morning from the Manchester Division saying that she would be here about 7 o'clock this evening. She is coming direct from Manchester with general cargo.

The bark Westfield, which arrived outside the island last night and is now anchored in the stream, brought 29,978 bags of flour from Australia.

The steamer Kanawha is expected to sail on Sunday for Halifax, where she will load passengers. Several other steamers are expected to get away by Sunday.

The report that the derelict sighted by the S. S. Corsican while proceeding to sea, midway between Brier Island and Grand Manan, was the schooner Marjorie Austen, which went ashore near Apple River, is not correct. Word was received today that the Marjorie Austen is still on the rocks and breaking up. She is reported a total loss.

The government steamer Aberdeen is going to investigate the report of the derelict. Prings with a full cargo of freight from St. John.

The new schooner being built in Plymouth by E. S. C. Jones of Westport, will be launched on Jan. 4, unless unforeseen circumstances arise. She is a vessel of 284 tons and is a beautiful model. As soon as she is launched, work will be started on a coaster of about 120 tons.

The new tern schooner recently launched at Two Rivers, N. S., by Barnhill Bros, has gone on the marine blocks at Riverside to have her iron keel put in and her hull and spars completed. Austin, Graham of Port Greenville has been engaged to finish the work. This vessel was launched before being finished so she would not freeze up at Two Rivers, and brought here to be finished.

The new tern schooner Minus King, recently launched at Bear River, is fast having her finishing touches put on her and if not sold will load plaster at Walton, N. S., for New York City. A beautiful vessel of 470 tons register, is owned by local parties and will be commanded by Comd. Harry Randall.

Officials of the marine department here believe that the sunken vessel reported to be in the preside of the mouth of the Bay of Fundy between Brier Island and Grand Manan, is the new 170-ton schooner Marjorie Austen. Captain Brewster, which is reported from Halifax as having gone ashore Wednesday night near Apple River Light.

Vancouver Mayor Re-elected.  
Vancouver, Jan. 2.—Mayor R. H. Gale, Aldermen Kirk, Owen and Rogers, were elected by acclamation when nominations closed yesterday.

## ESPECIALLY GOOD AT THIS TIME

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## ELECTRIC CO. STRIKERS MAY RETURN TO WORK.

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 2.—Following the receipt of a telegram from the National War Labor Board tonight offering to act in the dispute of the General Electric Company and its employees, 18,000 of whom have been on strike here since Dec. 19, the executive board of the strikers recommended that the locals meet Friday and vote to return to work. Favorable action on the request is considered by the executive body to be assured, ensuring the return of the men to work on Saturday morning.

## THIRTY-EIGHT BILLIONS OF GOVERNMENT INSURANCE.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Twenty-six tons of insurance records from the American expeditionary force were received by the Bureau of War Risk Insurance today. The records represent \$1,000,000,000 of government insurance written on American soldiers overseas, and will bring the total of insurance written by the bureau to more than \$38,000,000,000.

## NO NEW CASES.

There were no new cases of influenza reported to the board of health this morning.

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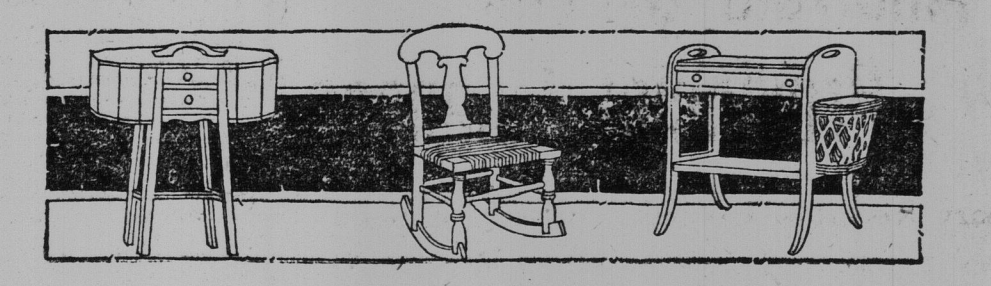
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## SEEMS TO AVERT TROUBLE FOR LAUDER IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Jan. 3.—Mayor Martin is seeking to prevent any trouble between French-Canadians and Harry Lauder over a statement the comedian made last year which was resented by many French-Canadians. This morning the mayor said he was trying to arrange for Mr. Lauder to give an explanation as many garbled versions of what Lauder said have been published.

## PAY OF HALIFAX 'LONGSHOREMEN'

The Halifax 'longshoremen' entered upon a new wage agreement starting on Wednesday under which they are to receive fifty-five cents per hour and sixty-five night, a good advance on the current year's schedule, forty and forty-five cents. Negotiations had been going on for some weeks, and without any clear whatever.

## ON HEALTH MISSION.

Dr. J. F. L. Brown, of the local board of health, left today for Sussex on the request of Dr. Melvin, to confer with the health authorities in Sussex relative to placing the ban on public gatherings and the closing down of schools owing to heavy outbreak of influenza. Lieutenant J. A. M. Bell, of the local military staff, who has been looking after influenza patients in Rogersville, returned to the city today.

## UNCERTAINTY IN WALL STREET.

New York, Jan. 3.—Confusion of speculative sentiment was again suggested by the uncertain course of prices at the opening of today's stock market. Break-out also yielded a point, probably in connection with its new bond offering, and Mexican Petroleum and United Fruit fell about two points. Meeting, however, immediately bounded almost ten points. Other oils were very strong also. Southern Pacific, St. Paul and Texas Pacific among rails.



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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 1919

An Analysis of The Provincial Finances

Ordinary Receipts Exceed Ordinary Expenditures by \$35,045.18, Apart from the Receipts from and Expenditures for Bond Interest Upon the Completed Section of the St. John and Quebec Railway—The Assistance to the Farmers—Fine Results from Motor Vehicle Law—Other Important Improvements.

The financial statement of the province of New Brunswick for the fiscal year ending Oct. 31, which is published in the last issue of the Royal Gazette and in yesterday's Times proves interesting to those who have followed provincial affairs.

From the receipts from and expenditures for bond interest upon the completed section of the St. John and Quebec railway, the ordinary receipts for the year exceeded the ordinary expenditures by \$35,045.18, the totals being:

Receipts \$2,258,637.67
Expenditures 2,223,592.49
Adding the interest paid upon the Valley railway bonds, \$175,692.22, to the expenditures, and the provincial proportion of the gross railway earnings (40 per cent), \$99,272.19, to the receipts, the expenditures exceeded the revenues by \$38,494.64, the figures being as follows:

Ordinary expenditures (plus Valley railway interest) \$2,396,401.50
Ordinary receipts (plus 40 p. c. of gross railway earnings) 2,357,906.86
\$38,494.64

There are a few figures which in comparison with the 1917 statement, stand out clear and distinct. The revenue has increased from \$1,572,613.75 in 1917 to \$2,258,637.67 in 1918. The expenditures have also increased, but not in the same proportion.

The showing under the heading of receipts will give great satisfaction to the government and all other who have not properly cared for in the past. Last year the total territorial revenue was \$844,191.64, while this year the grand total of \$787,878.78 was reached. This remarkable increase did not all come from stampage, but more than \$120,000 came from this source, the figures for 1917 being \$667,878.31 and 1918 \$417,214.07.

There was an increase in the rate of stampage, but there was also a notable decrease in the lumber cut compared with that for 1917. According to the records, there was a cut of more than 238,000,000 feet of lumber in 1917, while in 1918 the cut did not quite amount to 174,000,000 feet. In both of these years the lumber operators were handicapped by high wages and excessive snow falls and consequently their cut in 1918 was about forty per cent less than in some previous years, and 60,000,000 less than in 1917.

establishes beyond a doubt the safety there is in purchasing seed for the farmers of New Brunswick and it is a pleasure to record such a satisfactory result of the transaction.

Nearly all of the minor services of the administration show an increased cost. This is due, undoubtedly, to the fact that salaries of officials in almost every department of the service were increased, to enable them to meet the higher cost of living.

It is noted that the audit and control department cost \$5,800 in comparison with \$4,188.94 in 1917. There was \$2,500 more spent for colonization roads in 1918 than in the previous years, but nobody can well find fault with such an expenditure which is being made for the benefit of those who are endeavoring to build up and settle the province.

Contingencies—owing to increased salaries and wages—went from \$24,618 to \$30,725.

There was a slight increase in the cost of education, and executive government cost something over \$2,000 more. Here again salaries played the greater part in the increased cost.

Heavy Interest Charges. Ordinary interest charges continue to increase by leaps and bounds. From \$406,545 chargeable in 1917, the amount has increased to \$469,668. Much of this can be accounted for by the interest upon the deficit of the old government which was \$789,000. The interest rate has advanced to 6 per cent and the interest upon this amount alone will be over \$460,000. There is no question about the seriousness of the interest situation in relation to the revenues of the Province of New Brunswick. With \$175,000 interest upon the completed section of the St. John and Quebec Railway and the interest upon the section between Capetown and Westfield also to become a charge in the near future upon the province, added to \$450,000 interest upon the

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PROVINCIAL FINANCES.

During the period of the war every government, whether civil, provincial, federal or imperial, has been compelled to find new sources of revenue. Everything that governments have to deal with has been costing more. There was no way out except to raise more money from old sources or from new ones. In this city taxes have increased, and we are told a further increase in the assessment rate will be necessary. Salaries, cost of materials—everything calls for a larger expenditure.

When the Foster government came into power in this province it found an empty treasury, an enormous and growing debt and the Valley Railway. It found also a group of scandals to be probed, showing where money had gone which should have been spent for the good of the province. The very first problem to be faced was the financial problem. More money must be raised, not only because everything was going up in price and every service costing more, but because of the reckless waste and graft that had been practiced or tolerated by the old government.

It is well to have these facts in mind when we review the financial statement for the province for the last fiscal year, the first full year for which the present government is responsible. The statement shows that both revenue and expenditure were larger last year, and that ordinary revenue exceeded the ordinary expenditure by \$36,046.18; but that paying Valley Railway interest out of current revenue would not only wipe this out, but create a deficit of \$38,494.64. And unless the Valley Railway is taken over by the federal government the interest charge on that account will be still heavier this year. This interest last year was \$175,469.62, and the receipts only \$99,372.19, and this year the interest on the Gagetown-Westfield section will also become a charge. It is the duty of the federal government to relieve the province of this burden, make the Valley Railway part of the new transcontinental system and give it the earning capacity which would result from that through connection.

Leaving the Valley Railway out of the count, the provincial revenue last year was \$2,253,337.67, and the expenditure \$2,223,592.46. The revenue in the previous year was only \$1,972,313.75. The increase was in territorial revenues, patriotic assessment and other forms of taxation. The government had no choice but to get the money, and it did so without undue pressure in any direction. The territorial revenue jumped from \$544,101.54 to \$791,373.73, although the cut of logs on crown lands was 60,000,000 feet less than in the previous year. New sources of territorial revenue contributed to the increase, the wild-land tax yielding a large amount.

Consider some of the charges the government must provide for out of its limited revenue. The item of ordinary interest alone last year amounted to \$452,968.40, to which was added \$175,469.62 on Valley Railway account. Public works called for \$228,792.73; education, \$296,257.83; provincial hospital, \$127,298.21; agriculture, \$53,373.54—and so on. It is clear, upon a careful scrutiny of the accounts, that the amount of controllable expenditure is not large, and even if the public services were started there would still be need of a large revenue.

The government was faced with an extremely difficult financial problem when it assumed office, and the statement now issued proves that it grasped the situation in a business-like manner. It will hardly be charged that too much money has been spent on the public services, but rather it will be contended there is need of much larger expenditure for public health, education, agriculture, the roads and other services. The Foster government has made an excellent beginning. There are no charges of graft or misappropriation of funds, or of wasteful expenditure. It is giving the province a business-like administration. Possibly it does not always accomplish what it would like, and no doubt mistakes are sometimes made, but this government is making an honest and successful effort to serve the best interests of the people of New Brunswick.

A LEAGUE OF RELIGIONS

Is it not time there was a league of religions? A league of nations is about to be formed, and great benefit to the world is anticipated as a result. Wars between nations are regarded as proofs of barbarism. We are told that there are certain great principles underlying human welfare which if all the nations adopt them, working in co-operation, will make war impossible. It is not contended that any nation must necessarily adopt a new religious faith, with the exception of Germany, whose spurious religion caused the great war. It is agreed that she must be enlightened and converted before her people can take their place in a real league of nations. Her Kaiser claimed to be God's representative, holding power by Divine right. He has been judged, not by what he claimed to believe, but by the fruits of his religion.

His Holiness the Pope hopes for a new world-order, with a league of nations. Why not also a closer co-operation between the Catholic and Protestant churches, with less of prejudice and misunderstanding? Suppose it involved mutual concessions, as for example a frank and open avowal by each that the other does not get its inspiration from below but from above, and perhaps also an admission by both that much of the talk of past centuries about the utterly lost state of all outside the pale, commonly described as the heathen, might have been due to a human misconception of the character and purposes of God? Looking back over the whole realm of human history, and considering the extremely small proportion of all the inhabitants of the earth for thousands upon thousands of years who have belonged to any particular sect arrogating to itself the special guidance and favor of God, the thoughtful mind of today is not disposed to be dogmatic. There can be no question about the superiority of the Christian ideal of service and sacrifice, but why all these divisions, and especially the one great division among peoples of the Christian faith? If there is to be a new world-order it might well be founded on a larger measure of brotherly love among Christians and an attempt at a better mutual understanding among peoples of all religions. Many things people believed to the point of bloody conflict a few hundred years ago are no longer considered of sufficient importance to be made the subject of an argument. The world moves on. It has grown almost incredibly smaller with the discoveries of science and the means of quick transportation. The league of nations will be to some extent a compromise on the part of each participant for the general good. Is there any valid reason for a stiff-necked policy and sharp divisions in religious matters where there is general agreement on fundamental principles? Let us have a league of religions.

WE MUST CLEAN HOUSE.

Mr. F. A. McKenzie said in an interview in the Times-Star yesterday— "I can give some of our public men—the petty politicians and the grafters, wherever they may be found—fair warning that the soldiers will give them short shrift when they return. I do not know that you have any men of this type in New Brunswick but if there are they may as well prepare to retire to private life."

The soldiers, he says, have new standards of life, and will not tolerate those things in public life which do not measure up to them. It would indeed be strange if this were not true. To our shame be it said that while these men have been risking their lives in the struggle for better things there have been those at home who went on playing the old game of petty partisanship and political graft. Our lofty professions are as sounding brass if we continue such politicians in representative positions.

There has been a heresy trial in Ontario. It would be difficult to conceive of any form of trial that would excite less public interest.

Michigan has ratified the bone-dry amendment to the constitution of the United States.

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**BAPTIST WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION**

The executive of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union of the maritime provinces held their opening session yesterday in Germain street Baptist lecture rooms, Mrs. David Hutchinson presiding.

The executive were visited by three assistants, Miss Eaton, who is home from India on furlough; Miss Blackadar, also home from India on furlough; and Miss Wilson, who is soon to go to Bolivia on missionary work. The three were introduced to the executive and made

members. Miss Eaton was given permission to go to New York to attend the Bible lectures at Dr. White's school during the winter months.

The treasurer reported receipts for the year \$3,671.83, while the general treasurer's report showed that the whole receipts for the year were \$37,462.87. Of this money \$7,896.25 was for the jubilee fund.

Miss Eaton and Mrs. W. E. McIntyre were appointed delegates to the missionary conference of North America at New Haven to take place the middle of January.

According to Vornarts, there were 32,493 births in Berlin in 1913; in 1914, 30,022; in 1915, 32,249; in 1916, 29,522; and in 1917 only 19,458. The number of deaths in the years 1913 to 1916 was about 28,500 but in 1917 it rose to 34,122.

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Boys' Sweaters, 75c, \$1.10.

Ladies' Cotton Stockings, 25c, 35c.

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	Cattle	sheep	Pigs
France	2,386,000	2,225,000	2,815,000
Italy	966,000	138,000	354,000
Denmark	345,000	46,000	1,575,000
Sweden	995,000	—	392,000
United Kingdom	2,788,000	948,200	—
Germany	2,200,000	19,800,000	—
Holland	—	200,000	162,000

**THRIFT RECIPES**

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**SQUASH PUDDING.**

One and a half cups cooked and strained squash.

Half teaspoon cinnamon.

One-third cup sugar.

Two eggs.

Half teaspoon salt.

One and a half cups milk.

Grated rind half lemon.

Gradually add the milk to the strained squash, then the sugar, salt, seasoning, slightly beaten eggs and grated lemon-peel. Pour into a greased pudding dish and bake in a moderate oven until thickened like custard. Serve very cold.

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Men's Overcoats that were \$20.00, on Sale at \$15.95; \$21.00 Coats for \$16.80; \$23.50 Coats for \$18.80; \$25.00 Coats for \$19.95; \$28.50 Coats for \$22.80; \$30.00 Coats for \$23.95.

BOYS' OVERCOATS are made in strong, good wearing Tweeds, Naps and Soft Fleece Cloths, in plain weaves and fancy mixtures.

Youths' and Larger Boys' Sizes follow closely the styles worn by men. They have shawl and convertible collars, all around belts, fastening with buckle or half belt at the back. Big reductions offered in these coats are as follows:

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- GENERAL GIRL WANTED AT Elliott Hotel. 91496-1-10.
- WANTED—LADY CLERK WITH knowledge of Bookkeeping; references required. Crystal Creamery, 207 Charlotte. 91471-1-10.
- WANTED—LADY CLERK, REFERENCES required, 207 Charlotte. 91472-1-10.
- WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO work evenings. Royal Ice Cream Parlour, corner of Coburg and Union. 91484-1-10.
- SECOND OR THIRD CLASS Female Teacher for District No. 15, Parish of Simonds. Apply, stating lowest salary, to Thomas Moore, secretary, Garret, St. John Co., N. B. 91442-1-9.
- WANTED—GIRL FOR DENTAL office, with references. Apply Box V 79, care Times Office. 91432-1-10.
- WANTED—EXPERIENCED WAITress. Apply Prince Wm. Hotel. 91446-1-3.
- WANTED—WOMAN TO DO WASHing. Apply Mrs. L. Kram, 30 Wellington Row. 91494-1-10.
- WANTED—HOUSEMAID AND DING room girl about Jan. 7 Boys school. Comfortable home. Wages \$10 per week. Apply Mrs. Moore, 141 Union street, Robesay. 91340-1-7.
- WANTED—COMPETENT KITCHEN girl. Apply Mrs. Sloan, Carleton House, West End. 91291-1-7.
- WANTED—EXPERIENCED STENO-graphist. Apply, stating salary, P. O. Box 1381. 91300-1-7.
- GIRL WANTED—COFFEE ROOMS, 72 Germain. 91191-1-10.
- WANTED—TWO GIRLS FOR RESTaurant work. Apply Curry's Restaurant, 27 St. John street, West End. 91474-1-4.
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- SALESMEN—IF OPEN TO CONSIDer a first class proposition, liberal commission, as side line, Communicate with P. O. Box 519, City. 91539-1-4.
- WANTED—ENERGETIC SALESMAN to handle lines of office supplies, store fixtures, etc., part or full time. Phone Main 2644. 91510-1-4.
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- Northland Inquiry. Ottawa, Jan. 2—Investigation into the Northland charges opened in Ottawa before Judge Higgins this morning and adjourned till afternoon. Although some returned soldiers were available for employment, it was thought fair that their story should be told when officers of the steamer are to be present tomorrow.

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- ROOMS, 78 SEWELL. 89698-1-12.
- FURNISHED BEDROOM, GENTLEMAN, 72 Mecklenburg. 89491-1-10.
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- ROOMS, WITH OR WITHOUT board. 123 Charlotte. 91182-1-4.
- TO LET—DOUBLE PARLORS, UNfurnished. Telephone 91228-1-4. Phone M. 2271. 91182-1-4.
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- SMALL FURNISHED FLAT OR rooms for light housekeeping; central; heated preferred. Address V 73, Times Office. 91886-1-16.
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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for South Wing of Western Breakwater, Tynemouth Creek, N. B." will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, December 31, 1918, for the reconstruction of the southern wing of the western breakwater at Tynemouth Creek, St. John County, N. B. Plans and forms of contract can be seen and specifications and forms of tender obtained at this Department, at the office of the District Engineer at St. John, N. B., and at Post Office, Tynemouth Creek, N. B. Tenders will not be considered unless made upon printed forms supplied by Department and in accordance with conditions contained therein. Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender. War Loan Bonds of the Dominion will also be accepted as security, or War Bonds and cheques if required to make up an odd amount. Note—Blue prints can be obtained at this Department by depositing an accepted bank cheque for the sum of \$10, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the intending bidder submit a regular bid. By order,  
R. C. DESROCHERS,  
Secretary,  
Department of Public Works,  
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WANTED—SEWING BY DAY. Phone Main 918-31. 91444-1-9.

WANTED—POSITION IN OFFICE by young man of twenty. Good penman and quick at figures. Not afraid of hard work. Apply Box V 80, Times Office. 91449-1-9.

DISCHARGED SOLDIER DESIRES a position as chauffeur. Address V 74, care Times. 91365-1-8.

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CORONER'S INQUEST ON THE RAILWAY WRECK.

Quebec, Jan. 2-At the coroner's inquest held today at Glendyne on the National Transcontinental Railway into the fatal derailment there on New Year's day which cost the lives of Lance Corporal D. W. Johnson, Montreal (Ont.), Corporal G. E. Smith, Toronto, and Corporal W. F. Steag, Toronto, the verdict of the jury was that the death of the three men had resulted from the derailment of the train which had been caused by a broken rail.

According to further information picked up regarding the accident, it was the seventh case in the train which had toppled over and had fallen into the lake, but of the forty-nine passengers in this coach all were taken out with minor injuries. The men who were killed were in the eighth and ninth cars which had piled up in the cut after leaving the rails.

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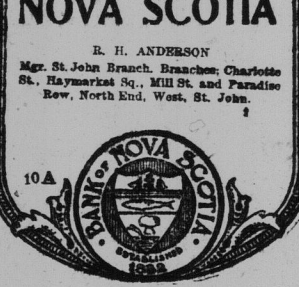
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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. (J. M. Robinson & Sons, Members Montreal Stock Exchange.)

Table of stock market prices including Am Car and Pdry, Am Locomotive, Am Beet Sugar, Am Can, Am Sugar, Am Smelters, Am Tel & Tel, Anaconda Min, At. T and S Fe, Brooklyn R T, Balt & Ohio, Baldwin Loco, Butte & Superior, Beth Steel, Chino Copper, Ches and Ohio, Col Fuel, Can Pacific, Erie, Gen Electric, GT Northern Pfd, Gen Motors, Inspiration, Intl Mar Com, Intl Mar Pfd, Intl Alcoh, Kennecott Copper, Mivale Steel, Mex Petroleum, Miami, North Pacific, N Y Central, New Haven, Penna, Reading, Republic I and S, St. Paul, Stess Sheffield, South Railway, South Pacific, Studebaker, Union Pacific, U S Steel, U S Rubber, Utah Copper, Westing Electric, Willys Overland.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

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Table of Montreal stock transactions including Dominion Bank, Merchants Bank, Abitibi, Asbestos, Brumppan, Dominion Steel, Penman, Cement Pfd, Victory Loan Bonds.



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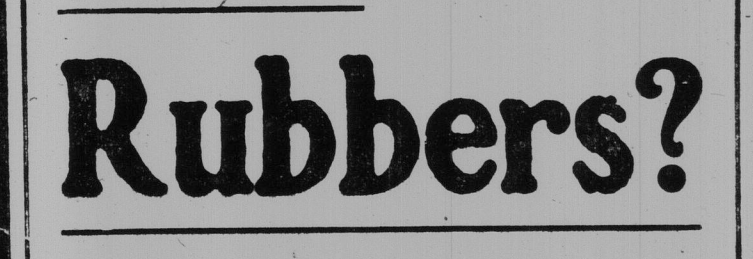
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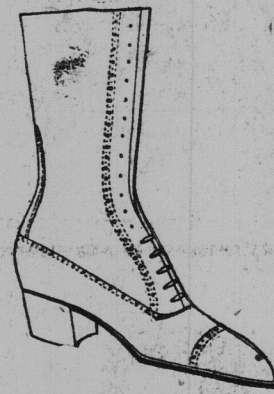
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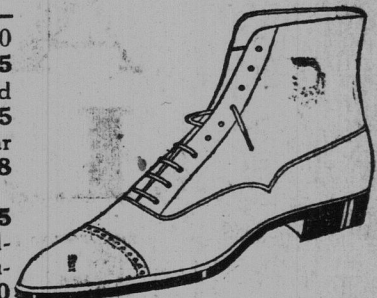
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## MURDER, SAYS CORONER'S JURY; RECOMMEND THREE FOR TRIAL

A verdict of murder was brought in by the jury last night in the inquest in the death of Sahaid Hassan, the East Indian from the steamer Manchester Brigade, who was found lying dead on Courtenay Hill on Sunday morning, and owing to the nature of the wounds and the evidence, it was recommended that the accused, Abdol Abderraman and John Sterling should be held by the police for trial.

The wounds in the neck of Hassan were very deep, one of them extending down to the bone, and it was the opinion of both Dr. F. L. Kenney, the coroner, and Dr. H. L. Abramson, provincial pathologist, that it was impossible for the wounds to be self-inflicted. Another fact which pointed very strongly to murder was that the razor was found at a distance of eight feet from the body. It was also disclosed in the medical testimony by Dr. Abramson that the fingers of both the hands of the murdered man were badly cut by some sharp instrument, as if Hassan had attempted in self defence to ward off the razor with his hands. Sterling is being held on the strength of the evidence that he has in his possession two \$5 notes which were said by Rassel to have been similar to those belonging to Hassan.

Ivan Jackson, Sergeant Journey, Daniel Doyle, Dr. Abramson, Frank Williams, John Sterling, Policeman Hopkins testified, after which the jury retired and after being out for half an hour returned with their verdict.

### POLICE COURT RECEIPTS.

Receipts from the local police court during the year aggregated \$5,873.90 and the receipts from the city court \$888.16. The receipts of the latter are less than in 1917, and this is an indication that more people are paying their bills promptly. During the year there were 1,781 summonses issued. There were 118 cases under the prohibition act and fines struck amounted to \$9,140. The

total number of arrests during 1918 was 1,076.  
 Senior Adriano Rubio, the new Cuban consul, is endeavoring to have a direct steamship line established between Canada and Cuba, with St. John or Halifax as the Dominion terminal. He has written his government asking that a subsidy be granted any steamship line willing to take up the route and is also taking the matter up with the Canadian government.

## LOCAL NEWS

There is a demand for earlier trips of the ferry from the city to the mainland. Commissioner Bullock has taken the matter up.

Es-Chief of Police D. W. Simpson left the city last evening for a few days. He said that he would return before leaving for the west. He does not expect to get away before January 6.

The annual treat of the Sunday school of St. Columba Presbyterian church, Fairville, was held last evening. The mission band presented to the pastor, Rev. W. M. Townsend, a purse of gold.

A Christmas treat for the children was held in Coburg street church on Monday evening. Purse of gold were given to R. J. Currie, the superintendent of the Bible school, and to Mr. Appleman, minister of the church, and Mrs. Appleman.

The weekly social in St. David's church for soldiers and sailors was held last evening and was well attended. A programme of music was carried out by Miss Freda Jenkins, Corporal Galloway.

Sergeant McEwen, Q. M. S. Home, Mr. Hill and Mrs. Lahey.

January 13 has been fixed for the resumption of the hearing to be held here in the power company case. This advice came to the mayor yesterday from the chairman, Guy Currier, and John A. Sullivan, counsel for the city.

The members of the Trinity boy scout troop were hosts to the officers of other troops in the city last evening in Trinity church school rooms. Rev. Canon Armstrong presided.

Word has been received here that Sergeant Stanley R. Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hunter, Sussex, has won the Military Medal. He went overseas with the 104th Battalion, and was transferred into the 20th.

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Music lovers of St. John will be interested in learning that the Opera House, for the three days commencing this evening, is offering something extra good in the musical line, in the first appearance in this city of a noted English contralto soloist, Miss Mary Desmond, who is the star feature of the current vaudeville programme.

House was the soloist of the evening. She was also the soloist at the Allied bazaar given in Boston under the direction of the Earl of Aberdeen.

HERE'S THE NEW BILL OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

The new Opera House vaudeville programme opening tonight offers five good features, including Mary Desmond, noted English contralto soloist; Riggs and Ryan in a comedy musical skit; Frank Callen, teller of characteristic stories and comedy singer; Alice Nelson and Company in a comedy sketch with songs and dances; Burke and Simmons in falls and bumps with lots of laughs; and the seventh chapter of the serial drama, "The Woman in the Web."

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EARLY CLOSING. Starting Monday, Jan. 6, store and post office of Sydney Gibbs will close at 7 p.m., except Saturday during the months of January and February.

Von Scheer Resigns. Copenhagen, Jan. 2.—Admiral Von Scheer, chief of the German admiralty staff, has resigned, according to advices from Berlin. His resignation, it is stated, was voluntary.

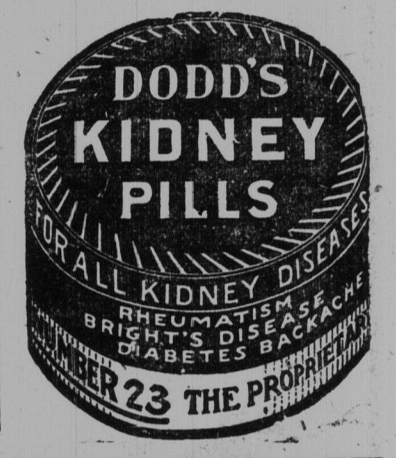
MICHIGAN VOTES FOR PROHIBITION AMENDMENT. Lansing, Mich., Jan. 2.—The Michigan legislature today ratified the amendment to the United States constitution providing for a dry nation.

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AN ANALYSIS OF THE PROVINCIAL FINANCES

(Continued from page 3) provincial debt, the obligations in a very short time upon both of these accounts will be over \$700,000 annually, or almost as much as our total territorial revenue and in excess of what is now received from Dominion subsidies. There is a very general opinion that the province cannot afford to pay the interest upon the construction cost of the Valley railway out of ordinary revenues, and unless the effort to have the federal government take over this road is soon successful, it will be necessary in the very near future to consider what further steps should be taken to meet this large interest charge.

Motor Vehicle Tax. There is one expenditure of \$88,462.24 opposite the words "Motor Vehicle Tax," a misleading phrase, from which the public can derive no information. The explanation is, however, that this \$88,462 is part of the motor vehicle tax paid by the automobilists and \$8,467 was paid into the sinking fund to retire the principal. This is the result of the new legislation to provide for permanent roads out of the motor vehicle tax, and the very first year \$20,000 was set aside to pay the principal. As the road bonds which have been issued, and no doubt those which will be issued in the future, are not what might be termed "long term bonds" this wise provision for repayment will be considered the best of business.

Two items of expenditure call for very serious attention. One of them was for the Jordan Memorial Sanatorium, \$68,036. This is more than \$20,000 in excess of what the cost was last year. This institution was not controlled directly by the government but by a commission composed of the ex-premier of the province with some political friends and a member of the present government with two of his political faith. The gentlemen composing this commission evidently could not keep the expenses down, and when a proposal came from the hospital commission of the federal government to take over the institution, for five years for the use of soldier patients, permitting the province of New Brunswick the opportunity to pay for such patients as it felt should be provided for, it was somewhat eagerly accepted, no doubt in view of the very large annual expenses, and yet with some reluctance because of the generous gift of Mrs. Jordan could not be utilized to advantage at a cost which the province could afford.

The other item is the Provincial Hospital maintenance, calling for \$197,298, which is an increase of about \$20,000 over that of last year. Here again, the increased cost of provisions, clothing, coal, salaries and wages, all enter into the larger maintenance account. The province of New Brunswick is almost alone in its undertaking to assume the cost in a great measure of its insane. The number of patients paid for out of the municipalities is of much smaller percentage than it was some years ago, because of the increased cost for each patient in these later days.

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Public Health. There is a new item under the heading of "Public Health" calling for an additional expenditure of \$5,000. No one will dispute the great benefit to the public from this expenditure. Printing cost about \$1,000 more—much less than might have been expected owing to increased wages, cost of paper, etc., to the publishers.

School Books. School books balanced themselves—the receipts being \$22,034 and the expenditures \$22,032. The plan adopted of not giving credit for school books and selling them for cash with a slightly larger discount, seems to have worked out satisfactorily. The province has no bad debts upon its books. Vendors are not selected because of their political preference and anyone who wants to

sell school books can purchase them from the government by paying for them. There is an interesting item of \$1,065 for vocational education. This no doubt is but the entering wedge. It is hoped, however, that the plans of the federal government for the expenditure of millions of dollars to assist vocational education, will lighten the burden upon such provinces as New Brunswick, whose revenues can ill afford adequately to provide for such an important object. During the receipts—there is no change, of course, in the item of \$837,976 from Dominion subsidies, and territorial revenue has already been dealt with. The fees in the provincial secretary's office were a little more than usual, while taxes from incorporated companies show a flattering increase of more than \$6,000. This is due in part to the increase of telephone taxation, and a sharper attention paid to incorporated companies than heretofore. The creation of the office of provincial tax inspector, having in view the collection of motor vehicle tax, and the amusement tax, has had excellent results, and this is evidenced by the income received from these sources. The

amusement tax from the first of June to October 10 (when the theatres were closed because of the influenza epidemic) amounted to nearly \$16,000. As these months were the leanest of the year, it is quite safe to assume that this new source of revenue will add about fifty or sixty thousand dollars to the resources of the provincial government. The succession duties tax and the motor vehicle tax equated the estimates and went a little beyond. The other statements presented in the summarized report of the Comptroller General refer to the capital accounts of the province, receipts from bonds sold, the rate of interest, etc., as well as the receipts and expenditures of the St. John and Quebec railway. This, in itself, is an interesting statement as showing the amount obtained from the Prudential Trust Co. and the Dominion government, the construction charges for the year, and the expenditures to the 31st of October, 1917. Gives Satisfaction. Taking everything into consideration, this financial statement, which is the first one for which the Hon. Mr. Fisher's government is entirely responsible, is one that must give satisfaction to him and his supporters. Under very adverse circumstances, the business of

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**SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD**

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—By a score of seven goals to two, the Ottawa team defeated the Canadiens at the Laurier avenue rink tonight, retaining first place in the championship race of the National Hockey League. Six thousand people—the greatest crowd that has witnessed a match in the capital for several years—attended the exhibition which was fur-

ously fast and decidedly strenuous at all times.

**BOWLING.**  
Pilots Take Three.  
In the city bowling league last night at Black's, the Pilots took three points from the Steeds. The scoring follows:

Pilots.	Total.
Beathley	111 88 83 284
McIntyre	91 59 83 233
Ramsay	80 84 100 273
McLew	72 79 78 229
Coughlan	98 89 99 281
Total.	466 419 455 1340

Speeds.

Whitney	79 83 84 246
Fullerton	79 83 107 267
Lagan	77 90 84 251
Daley	94 91 87 272
Sullivan	91 78 88 257
Total.	428 425 450 1313

The Standard Publishing Co. was to play Fleming's, foundry in the Commercial league but their team failed to show up. Four points went to Fleming's by default.

**FOOTBALL.**  
Old Country Football.  
Northern Union:  
Swinton, 8; Salford, 3.  
Barrow, 5; Wigan, 0.  
St. Helens, 6; Broughton, 2.  
Scottish League.  
London, Jan. 2.—(Canadian Press despatch from Reuter's Limited)—Scot-

Gleason, appointed manager of the Chicago White Sox, said here tonight that he had accepted the position offered him by Charles Comiskey.

Silk Left \$25,000.  
Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 2.—By the will of Francis L. (Sik) O'Loughlin, American League umpire, who died in Boston on Dec. 20, which was filed here today, his entire estate, valued at \$25,000, is left to his widow, Agnes O'Loughlin.

V. A. D. Meeting.  
A meeting of V. A. D., No. 27, was held in St. Andrew's rink last evening. Mrs. G. A. Kahring presiding. Mrs. T. E. Girvan reported that \$1,556.02 had been received for the diet kitchen and \$1,229.58 expended. A committee was appointed to make sphagnum moss dressings twice a week. Letters of thanks for valuable assistance rendered were received. The resignation of Miss Kathleen Sturdee as secretary was also received.

**THE DANGER SPOT OF EUROPE**

A striking article in this week's LITERARY DIGEST—January 4th—deals with what is likely to be the most acute and difficult problem that the Peace Conference will have to solve—the clashing claims of the Italians and the Jugo-Slavs to the eastern shores of the Adriatic. By direct translation and illuminating digest, the views of the leading publicists and journals of England, Italy and Austria are given. This very timely article is illustrated by a map of the Adriatic Provinces, showing the territory in dispute between Italy and the Jugo-Slavs.

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- The Polish Pogroms
- Belgium Now a Sovereign State
- Tomorrow's Air-Travel
- The Psychology of Victory
- Typewriting on the Sky
- No Vitamins in Beer
- A New Motor-Fuel
- Locating Guns by Sound
- The Puccini "Scarlet, Mauve, and Yellow" Triptych
- A German Declaration of Independence
- What Makes the Movies Popular?
- A German Theologian on Conciliation
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### LOCAL NEWS

**HOME FOR HOLIDAYS.**  
Warrant Officer John E. Kelly, of the government wireless service, is spending the Christmas season with his mother, Mrs. M. Kelly, 38 Clarence street.

**FOR SOLDIERS.**  
The office in charge of artificial limb work for the soldiers will be in Fredericton from Jan. 6 to 10. Any soldiers here wishing to consult him are asked to notify Charles Robinson, secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Commission, who will arrange transportation.

**UNDER COMPENSATION ACT.**  
A Montreal dispatch says: "Councilor A. T. LeBlanc of Sherbrooke has been appointed inspector under the Workmen's Compensation Act. He has gone to St. John to assume duties of his office."

**TRAINS AND THE STORM.**  
The Boston train was not very late today in spite of the storm, but the Montreal express was more than an hour and a half behind her schedule. The connections for eastern points were maintained by holding one train for the other.

**ADDED \$172.50 TO FUND.**  
The Imperial was thronged again last night for the concluding performance of the Harry Lauder engagement. In auctioning one of his books for the benefit of his million pound fund, the noted entertainer secured \$60 for a copy. The next best bidders, at \$37.50 and \$55 also took a copy, making \$172.50 for the fund.

**PRETTY CALENDARS.**  
Two more attractive calendars have been received. That of Walter A. Lord, by Charlotte street, presents an appealing scene, "The Children's Hour"—a mother with her boy and girl to whom she is reading a bed-time story. It is in excellent taste, both in subject and treatment. The other is from Frank O. Garson & Co. and shows Napoleon, with several of his marshals, at Boulogne gazing across towards England, which he is planning to conquer. The grouping is artistic and the figures of Buonaparte on his white charger commanding.

**IT WAS A TREAT.**  
Rev. I. W. Williamson, pastor of Victoria street United Baptist church, gave an interesting lantern talk in the vestry of his church last evening on Beautiful British Columbia. The scenic beauties and lumbering, fishing, mining and agricultural activities of the province were pictured and spoken about, with frequent character sketches of western types of people and poetic references interspersed. Mr. Williamson recited Pauline Johnston's verses, "The Lure of Stanley Park," as a conclusion to his bright and educative lecture.

**HARRY REVIEWED HIS HITS.**  
Those who were privileged to hear Harry Lauder at his own little private New Year's party at Bond's between 11:15 and 2 a. m. a treat for his company—heard a collection of song successes dating back to the Scotch comedian's earliest experiences on stage. He sang steadily for more than an hour and a half and explained the programme career of each of what might be termed his historical numbers. He let himself out, as it were, and some public guests of the house sitting at detached tables lingered long to hear his unusual repertoire.

**IN AID OF SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.**  
A special meeting of a committee appointed to complete arrangements for a drive in aid of the Maritime Sunday School Association was held yesterday afternoon. There were present E. B. Macdonald, L. W. Simms, J. Willard Smith, W. Allison and Robert Reid. The work of the business men's committee was thoroughly considered and plans are all laid for the drive early this month. The committee is confident that the people of St. John fully appreciate the strategic value of religious education as it is done in the Sunday schools of the province, and that the response to the appeal will be as generous as the cause merits. The money will be used to send Sunday school experts to every part of the province to conduct efficiency institutes and conventions and help the local school workers to get the latest improvements in Sunday school methods.

### HELD ON SUSPICION OF MURDER NOW

West India Negro and Two East Indians Before Magistrate This Morning

Sultan Rassaal, Abdul Abdurman, East Indians, and John Sterling, a West India negro, members of the crew of the steamship Manchester Brigade, who were detained in connection with the death of Sahaid Hassan, were brought before the police magistrate this morning under suspicion of the murder of Said Hassan on the night of Dec. 28. The magistrate after reading the charge remanded the three until such time as the court will be in readiness to go on with the preliminary hearing. The only one of the three who seemed in any way nervous was Sultan Rassaal. It was on his clothes that blood stains were found. He is twenty-eight years old, very small in stature and speaks broken English. Abdul Abdurman is twenty-two years old and is also very small. The negro is thirty-six and is a fairly large man. The charge in no way seemed to daunt him. The magistrate ordered that the three be kept in separate cells.

**POLICE COURT**  
Steve Polkins, a Russian who was charged by Inspector McAlinh with being a member of the mob that raided Poole's warehouse on the night of the celebration of the signing of the armistice, was dismissed this morning by Magistrate Ritchie. William M. Ryan appeared for the defence. Polkins denied being in the mob and said that he did not know where the warehouse was situated until after the charge had been laid against him. Donald McLean was charged with drinking liquor in public and having it in his possession. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$25.

There was a further hearing in the case of Russell Tutten and Christenson, charged with breaking into summer houses in Millingtonville. Some evidence was taken and the prisoners were further remanded.

### BAPTIST WOMEN'S MISSION UNION

Interesting Session in Germain Street Institute — Plans for the New Year

The United Baptist Women's Missionary Union of the maritime provinces continued their sessions in the parlors of the Germain street church institute this forenoon with a representative attendance. There are quite a large number of ladies from the various branches of the union in the three provinces. Mrs. David Hutchinson presided, Miss Fullerton also St. John, was in the secretarial position, and Miss Anne Hantsport, N. S., corresponding secretary. The morning deliberations were largely devoted to a discussion of and action upon the plans of the maritime body in connection with a jubilee occasion in 1920. The union was instituted in 1870 by Miss Maria Norris, of Canoe, N. S., and each year since it has grown in a most encouraging manner and become a most effective support to church and mission work, not only as an independent unit with its own objects to carry out but as a powerful auxiliary to the larger mission bodies and executives of the United Baptist denomination in eastern Canada and the Dominion.

The maritime union is now supporting seventeen lady missionaries in various foreign fields. Starting with a modest contribution of \$1114.29 in the year of its organization almost a half century ago, the ladies in this last fiscal period showed a revenue of \$47,000 to be devoted to their various progressive mission fields. While the women have missionary interests of their own, their funds are in a large measure expended under the direction of the general board. Last year the union erected two new memorial bungalows in India, one in honor of Mrs. Mary Smith of Amherst, for more than twenty-five years secretary of the organization—this bungalow at Sonapat—and another, known as the Peck memorial bungalow, at Parakimil. Among the objectives for 1919 is the erection of another bungalow at La Paz, Bolivia, South America, upon which mission work Miss Wilson of Digby is now entering. Miss Wilson is attending the meetings now going on. Still another objective for the new year is a bungalow devoted to the Orlyia tribe at Parakimil.

The union is out for more devoted workers, more readers of their missionary paper and literature, more liberal givers and more concentrated effort. It has a big work on hand and things are going rapidly, but in order to extend the work and strengthen the position already attained, there must be no letup in effort among other things, a lot of work in which the union participates are the new Peace River missions out west, Grande Linge, special work among colored folks in Nova Scotia, etc. It is also on the jubilee memorial programme to erect bungalows at Falkland, Bonhill and Vellanagran, India. The sessions are to continue this afternoon and evening.

### SUSSEX CLAIMS YOUNGEST CANADIAN ARMY SOLDIER

Levi Prosser Joined Forces, Aged 14, and Saw Four Years Service; Wounded Twice

(Sussex Record.)  
The town of Sussex can with almost a certainty claim the distinction of having sent overseas the youngest member attached to a fighting corps in the Canadian Expeditionary Forces. The man has been sent west over as "veteran" or "seasoned" as early as an age, but we doubt if any in the active forces as a member of a company attached to a fighting unit.

The subject of this sketch, Pte. Levi Prosser, was born in Sussex on Oct. 18, 1900; his parents being Mr. and Mrs. John Prosser, who still reside in Sussex. His father is a well known veterinarian.

At the time that the great war broke out young Prosser was attending the Sussex public school and a pupil of Miss Parker, who then taught grade V. He heard the call to arms and notwithstanding his tender age he decided he was going to serve his king and country, so he tucked away a few extra years (in his mind) and early in December of 1914, when a few days over fourteen years of age, sailed forth on the recruiting officer's call.

He was a fairly big boy for his age and when he told Dr. Pearson, the medical examiner, that he was eighteen in October last, and being in good physical condition, the doctor had no particular reason to doubt the "hardcore" story under the circumstances, and the young lad was signed on. He joined the 6th C. M. R. then mobilizing at Amherst, and in about two months afterwards landed in England. After a brief stay there he was transferred to the 4th C. M. R., a Montreal regiment, and went to France, where he first landed on Sept. 24, 1915.

The corps to which he was attached took part in every battle from that at Messines Hill in 1915 to Passchendale in 1917. Pte. Prosser participated in the battles of Messines, Ypres, The Somme, Loos, Hill 70, Vimy Ridge and Passchendale. He was wounded in the left shoulder and leg at Vimy Ridge, but was not long in hospital until he rejoined his unit again, and he was again at Passchendale on the 6th of September, 1917.

Private Prosser was invalided home, reaching Canada on Oct. 10, 1918, and received an honorable discharge from the army on Nov. 28, 1918, after four years of faithful service in the C. E. F. Private Prosser was highly thought of by the officers of the 6th C. M. R. and was a great favorite in the corps. Young Prosser's military career is a most enviable one and the citizens of Sussex should feel proud of knowing the fact that this town furnished the youngest soldier that fought in the Canadian army. Another brother, William, who enlisted when he was only seventeen years of age, is at present and has been two years in France with a forestry battalion.

**NEW HOUR INSPECTOR.**  
Sgt. McKay, of this city, a returned soldier, was sworn in on Tuesday as a sub-hour inspector to act with Inspector McAlinh. Inspector Garfield, who heretofore has been acting in company with McAlinh, has been given territory of his own.

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