

GERMANY MAY MAKE FRESH PEACE MOVE

Result of Russian Revolution Sows Spirit of Unrest Through Teuton Empire

Germany Schemes to Sound Entente Allies as to a Cessation of Hostilities... Forced to Alter Plans

WILSON SUMMONS CONGRESS TO DECLARE STATE OF WAR

Extra Session Called by the President For April 2nd, Next, an Earlier Date Than Expected; Congress Probably to be Asked to Pronounce a State of War

Revolution in Russia Inspires Similar Uprising Among Industrial Towns of the German Empire

London, March 21.—A despatch to The Times from The Hague asserts that a new German peace move is on foot.

The latter emissary disclaiming authority to speak for the German Government, is quoted as saying that the Russian revolution had entirely changed the situation.

Another visitor to Holland, continues the correspondent, sought to learn the attitude of the Entente toward some general scheme of autonomy for the races of Europe.

Washington, March 21.—President Wilson recognizing that Germany practically is making war on the United States on the seas, to-day called congress to assemble in extraordinary session on April 2, to deal with the situation.

The purpose of the session—now called two weeks earlier than the date first set—as announced in the President's proclamation, is to receive a communication from the chief executive "on grave questions of national policy."

The president in his address to congress will detail how Germany practically has been making war on the United States by the ruthless destruction of American lives and ships on the high seas in contravention of all the laws of nations and humanity.

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London, March 21.—Some of the morning newspapers give prominence to-day to wireless reports received from Switzerland, saying that the news of the Russian revolution has started serious agitation in some of the German industrial towns.

Amsterdam, via London, March 21.—The Telegraaf says a disturbance broke out in Rotterdam Tuesday after the weekly meeting of the revolutionary socialist party.

Amsterdam, via London, March 21.—Germany has started a new and elaborate recruiting campaign in Poland, according to a Koenigsberg despatch to The Frankfurter Zeitung quoting Polish papers.

GET OFF THE EARTH

By Courier Leased Wire. Amsterdam, via London, March 21.—Count von Reventlow, writing in the Deutsche Tages Zeitung, says with reference to the sinking of the American steamers City of Memphis, Illinois and Vigilance: "It is good that American ships have been obliged to learn that the German prohibition is effective and there is, no question of distinctive treatment for the United States."

RUSSIAN TROOPS IN THE FIELD WELCOMED NEWS OF REVOLUTION

Flags Waved and Anthems Sung When Word of Czar's Abdication Was Received

AMNESTY IS PROCLAIMED IN RUSSIA

Political Offenders Pardon- ed by Newly Establish- ed Government

DIET OF FINNLAND To be Called to Apply Finnish Constitution

London, March 21.—The Russian troops at field headquarters welcomed the revolution with a remarkable demonstration, according to a Petrograd despatch to Reuters, quoting a telegram received there from the field headquarters.

Since the opening of the revolution contradictory reports have been received in regard to the whereabouts of the Grand Duke Nicholas, who previous to that time had been supposed to be in command in the Caucasus.

Petrograd, March 21, via London. General political amnesty has been ordered by the provisional government. The order is embodied in the following ukase: "Yielding to the imperious demands of the national conscience in the name of historic justice and in commemoration of the definite triumph of the new regime, founded upon right and liberty, we order general political amnesty."

The provisional government also has published a manifesto fully confirming the constitution of Finland, and ordering its application in full form.

The manifesto grants comprehensive amnesty of all political prisoners. It also provides for the early convocation of the Finnish diet.

Weather Bulletin

Toronto, March 21.—Light snow has fallen in the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys also over the Bay of Fundy, otherwise fair weather has prevailed in Canada.

TURKS STILL FLEE.

Petrograd, March 21.—via London 2 p.m.—Russian troops driving southwestward from Sakiz, Persia, have crossed the Mesopotamian frontier into Turkish territory, the war office announced to-day.

Ladies' high-cut boots in all the colors and color effects are now on exhibition at Coles Shoe Co., 122 Colborne Street.



FRENCH FORCES STILL ADVANCE; FALL OF ST. QUENTIN IMMINENT

St. Quentin, reputed headquarters of the German emperor and his general staff for the two years following the battle of the Marne, and scene of a great French defeat in the war of 1870, is today within sight of the French infantry, who are following fast on the heels of the retreating German army.

Tergnier is an important railroad junction, from which three roads branch, one north to La Fere, a second southwest to Noyon, and a third northwest to St. Quentin. Even more significant is the fact that the British advancing on the north against Cambrai, another vital point on the Hindenburg line, have seen incendiary fires blazing in the rear of that town.

While uncertainty still reigns as to the outcome of the great drama being staged in Picardy, the Germans continue their efforts to create a diversion in the region of Verdun, but so far nothing has developed to indicate that a major operation is under way.

FRANCE PREVENTS IMPORT OF FOOD PRODUCTS INTO GERMANY

SPLENDID BULGARIAN HARVEST

Old Men, Women and Children Killed by Gas Bombs in Monastir BULGARS APT PUPILS Of the Huns in Frightfulness

Corfu, Greece, March 21, via London.—Asphyxiating gas bombs thrown into the open city of Monastir by the Bulgarians in their violent bombardment on March 17, killed more than 60 civilians, including 25 women and 31 children, according to the Serbian press bureau.

London, March 21.—The Russian Government has ordered that the deposed Czar and his consort shall be regarded as having been deprived of their liberty, and that they shall be brought to the Tsarkoe Selo, Reuter's Petrograd correspondent telegraphs.

London, March 21.—Another important chieftain in Arabia has risen against the Turks, Foreign Secretary Balfour announced in the House of Commons to-day.

See the line of children's footwear at Coles Shoe Co. for Easter. See the line of children's footwear at Coles Shoe Co. for Easter.

Switzerland Allowed to Import Only the Quantities of Food Required For Own Use

Paris, March 21.—The French Government is making a special effort to see that food importations into Switzerland shall not be interfered with as long as they are applied solely to the needs of the Swiss.

Nothing to Huns M. Cochin explained to-day that the object of the French Government was to do everything possible to aid in the ample provisioning of the Swiss, but to prevent at the same time any margin being left for re-export to Germany.

Use Statistics "We take the imports into Switzerland for last year of grain, for instance, and subtract from them the exports of grain to Germany. The remainder tells the bread requirements of the Swiss people."

FETE DAY. London, March 21.—The Petrograd evening papers of Tuesday, according to a Reuter despatch, estimate the victims of the revolution in the Russian capital as between 600 and 700 killed and wounded.

"CHRIST IS COMING." Hear Kemp to-night on "How and When," at Park Baptist. Special singing.

Theatre... Original Photo... Hobbies... Doll... N. G. & B. N. RAILWAY... TO PORT DOVER... ZIMMIE

NEWS OF NORFOLK DOINGS AT DOVER

Simcoe Fire Department Visited Yesterday by Inspector

OTHER ITEMS OF NEWS More Liquor Cases to be Heard in Court

Complaints of non-delivery of The Courier in Paris, should be telephoned to Norman Flahiff, phone 15, who has been appointed The Courier Agent.

(From our own Correspondent) Simcoe, March 21.—The fire underwriters' inspector paid us a visit yesterday and made a thorough inspection, even to taking a circuit of the town and testing the hydrants. In this latter duty he was escorted by Chairman R. Cropp, chairman of the board of works. The fates to-day were against the town. At the last meeting of the council it was ordered that the telephone be re-installed at the market clerk's office, in order that this office might receive day calls when the telephone is out about the streets. Chairman Jaques of the fire and light committee had ordered the installation, and Wire Chief John Anguish is waiting for the order to come through, but it takes some time, as many have found out to get a phone in. The driver was out when the call came to the fire hall, and his worship watched the seconds count four minutes before the gong sounded. In four minutes more the central hose wagon dashed into Norfolk street, and thirty seconds later the north station hose wagon was pulling up in front of Reeve Curtis' store. The firemen put up a great exhibition of hose laying. Then the inspector, jotting the "time" data, turned his attention to pressure. It was too low for him. His worship explained that high pressure was obtained by cutting off the stand-pipe, and that this was done by the engineer at the pumping station only on advice over the phone. He got it and the pressure rose to 120 or thereabouts, but when five lines opened up it dropped again. It was evident that the pumps were not delivering water fast enough to man the pressure with five streams. Mr. Watts explained by claiming that there was not enough gas for the engines! This was a surprise down town, as there was plenty of gas everywhere else. The questions now to be answered are: Was the gas low at the pumping station, and if so why? or are the plungers of the pumps letting water escape? The whole situation is quite unsatisfactory. At any rate, the commission has ordered the installation of an emergency Hydro motor, to fall back on in time of low gas pressure, and if the pressure was so low to-day that two engines could not make a better showing than they have done at most fires, since that of last summer behind the post-office, we cannot get the motor to go soon. To the credit of the firemen, it must be observed that they were as usual on the job. Then the inspector wanted to confer with the chief, and here again his worship was embarrassed. "Out of town for the day." It was a day of ill-luck indeed. Yet it must be remembered that the men fought the Litho fire with just such backing as they had to-day.

Mary Ester Olmstead, widow of the late Jeremiah Watson, died yesterday morning at the ripe age of more than 81 years. Funeral to Langwood this afternoon.

Two More for the 215th John Charles Parker, of Otterville and John Jury, of Hawtreys, were persuaded by Robt. Hawling to don the "fashionable suit" and have signed up with the 215th. Robert, himself, a returned soldier, first away and first home, has done a deal of recruiting since his return.

Pte. Harry French, (returned) began work in the post office on Monday morning. Postmaster Lawson is responsible for his being placed.

Mrs. I. D. Lawson is recovering slowly from her recent serious illness.

Mrs. Edward Nicholls is at present very unwell at her home on Bertha street.

More Booze Cases Adolphus Robins, a soldier whose home is in Windham, and who we understand is in service at Brantford will appear here on Friday at 2 p.m. charged with having on too heavy a load on a public highway.

Mamie Becker was finally able to attend court to-day and pleaded guilty of drunkenness in public on the night of Sept. 8th at the Litho fire. Mamie claimed to have bought the amber stimulant at Sutton's before Sept. 15th, and to have put the contents of several of the bottles in a "little brown jug," which she had in the cutter that night. Her whole story and that of defence witnesses was a lame affair, and Mamie had to brace up to \$10 and costs, which, through many adjournments, amounted to \$8.50. Many think the juvenile woman ought to be sent to the Mercer. Evidence revealed that drinking among women is not a rarity in Simcoe's circle.

U. S. Boughner got 260 auto license numbers two or three days ago. Some forty of these were gone yesterday afternoon.

W. E. Kelly was in Brantford on professional business yesterday.

Rev. Newcombe Writes Mrs. H. C. Newcombe has given us a few extracts from letters from her husband who went overseas Chaplain for the 133rd: "We have hav-

Conference on Waterworks Question Held Last Week

Port Dover, March 21.—From our own correspondent.—On Friday evening the executive of the Board of Trade and the Town Council held an informal conference on the waterworks question, which appears to grip Port Dover as few public questions have in the past. Mr. Barwell opened the conference, and was followed by Col. Smith. It was thought that the estimates given one year ago would require revision, and at the end of a long conference, in which all present took part, it was evident that the members of the council were all favorable to taking up the work.

At the regular meeting of Council on April 2nd a committee of three will be appointed to work with three members of the board of trade with a view to getting data as to probable cost, relation of operation to revenue, effect on tax rate, extent of distribution to be laid at the outset, and all such vital questions. When this information is to hand, a mass meeting will be held, and it is expected that the by-law will go to the people without any material opposition.

So far as we can learn, Dover contemplates putting down water and sewage pipes at once, so as to avoid the expense of a second excavation. One prominent citizen remarked that he has yet to hear of a single municipality that ever repented of the putting in of a waterworks system, and it is generally felt that Dover has to make the leap or settle down in oblivion.

The Board of Trade and the Council will request the Post-master-General to give a mail service over the L. E. and N. There has been an unusual demand for tile at the Dover works, and the Brick and Tile Co. are practically sold out, and impatiently waiting for the frost to leave, in order to get the kilns going. Gas is used in burning some of the kilns of this company's plant.

The soldier, Brierly, recently reported wounded at the front, is a son of Mr. Brierly of the favorable conditions since Monday morning, to get out and set the nets.

A new restaurant is being fitted up next door to Gordon's photo-print shop.

The Kolbe Company are closing in a two storey building for storage and supplies on the left bank of the river, just below the old swing bridge, and have a good pile driver almost ready for the launching.

ing dandy weather, like Canadian spring, plowing, digging and gardening, raking and burning of rubbish as at home, but earlier. There are lots of nice things in the stores. Some prices high, others reasonable. Boots and shoes very costly. Eggs away down to six cents each, or 72 cents a dozen, and large quantities in windows.

English Stores And by the way, the windows are the biggest part of many stores. Beautiful display with half the goods in the window, one learns with surprise on entering.

Of course there are some large stores, but I am quite sure that there is not one here—and this is a town of thirty thousand people—not one as large as, or to be compared with the H. S. Falls Co. store in Simcoe.

And They Call That Fighting Rev. Newcombe speaks of a general raid on the eastern coast of England of which cables were recently published in Canada. He was within hearing of the bombardment.

To or three German destroyers came over through the fog, threw a few shells and "hiked"; they killed one woman and destroyed a couple of houses, and they call that fighting.

The Norfolk County Sunday School two day convention began yesterday morning at Waterford.

Hotel Inspector Edwards tells us that there appears to be a wrong impression abroad as to what constitutes a public house. One boarder, or three lodgers, who do not take meals, makes a private house public in the sense of the act, is his interpretation, and other inspectors concur.

Obituary LEE JIM Lee Jim, a member of the local Chinese colony, died yesterday at 246 Colborne street. The funeral will take place on Sunday next from the undertaking establishment of Reid and Brown to Mount Hope cemetery.

Norma Elaine Mounce. The death occurred this morning of Norma Elaine, infant daughter aged 5 weeks, of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Mounce, 69 Darling. Sgt. Mounce is now overseas. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

See the new Astoria and other models for men at Coles Shoe Co., 122 Colborne Street.

Meet me to-night at Park Baptist. Sit with the young people in gallery. Special singing.



BORIS HA MBOURG Noted Violinist, who will play at the Grand Opera House To-morrow night

Spring Assizes Opening in City

The Spring Assizes opened here yesterday afternoon at one o'clock, and after the grand jury had been empanelled, Mr. Welby Almas was elected foreman. In addressing them, the Hon. Mr. Justice Middleton pointed out the duties of the general, emphasizing the great need of improved fire protection and sanitary conditions in the buildings examined by them. In travelling through the province he had been impressed by the lack of adequate measures in this regard, especially in connection with fire protection. The ladders forming the escapes in many cases being rusted through and in a thoroughly rotten and inefficient condition. He was greatly pleased with the new temperance legislation that had proven so effective, and surpassed even the best expectations of those who had drafted it. As nothing could be done then, the jury were dismissed until nine o'clock this morning.

The court commenced with the case of Homer G. Lindsay vs. George Almas, involving the exchange of a farm in the vicinity of Woodstock, the property of the plaintiff, for a bakery business belonging to Almas. Mr. W. S. Brewster, replacing Mr. W. A. Hollinrake, of Hollinrake & Boddy, conducted the case for the plaintiff, who claimed specific performance of the agreement. Mr. Kelly of the firm of Kelly & Porter, Simcoe, acted for the defendant.

During the hearing of the evidence it was shown that Almas had inspected the farm in the latter part of January when the ground was covered with snow, and after signing the agreement. At a subsequent date, however, he disposed of his bakery business in another deal, and hence could not fulfill his part of the agreement with Lindsay. He claimed that he had been deceived. Several witnesses were called to the stand, including Mr. Carter of the Realty Exchange Company, Lindsay himself, George Almas, Mrs. Almas, and two residents of the vicinity in which the farm is situated.

Mr. Brewster claimed that as the bakery business had been disposed of before the agreement was signed, it could not be carried out, and in lieu of this claimed that Almas be forced to pay the sum of \$2000 for the farm, as the value of a conservative estimate of the value of the bakery business.

In reply, the Hon. Mr. Justice Middleton stated that he would leave the decision over for some time, and would give judgment later.

SCOLDING THE CHILDREN

Nervous mothers, worried from morning to night by the care of children and the duties of the household; nervous children, perhaps still or stand still, or keep their minds concentrated or anything, both need Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to build up the blood and strengthen the nerves.

Try a short treatment with these strengthening, tonic pills and watch the color return to pale cheeks and lips; see how the worn tired nerves recover their poise, note how much less irritating the children become, and how much less scolding they need. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a blessing to nervous people everywhere, men as well as women, boys as well as girls, because they build up the blood and strengthen the nerves. They lighten the cares of life because they give you new strength to meet them.

In the case of nervous children the trouble should be corrected at once, as it is but a short step to St. Vitus dance. Give them Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to build up the blood, and whether boy or girl they will become pink-cheeked and rugged.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be kept in every home, as a precaution against the many troubles due to watery blood and weak nerves. You can get the pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Get your Easter footwear at Coles Shoe Co., 122 Colborne Street.

Coal Operators and Miners Confer

Calgary, March 21.—A wide gulf separated the miners and western coal operators at the conclusion of their general conference last night. The day was spent in jockeying for position as to whether the general clauses of the working agreement should be considered or the more vital question of the increase of wages.

At one time during the day the operators offered to take the whole case away from the general conference committee and place it in the hands of an independent commission, who would decide everything concerning the renewal of relations. This offer met the flat refusal of the miners, who had an aversion to submitting their affairs to outsiders. At the beginning of the conference, the miners were optimistic that their concession in allowing the penalty clause to be disposed of before that of wages, would bring the operators into a frame of mind exhibiting willingness to settle the wage question next. The operators, however, evidenced a desire to work out the general working clauses first and leave the wage increase to be discussed last. It was finally decided to take up the wage increases in a preliminary way in order to arrive at some estimate of what the increase ought to be, with a view of considering both the cost of living and the fuel market of western Alberta.

The negotiations to date have disposed of the penalty for the violation of the miners' agreement with the operators. The miners will not put up a bond as was suggested by the operators but have incorporated the penalties clauses of the old agreement.

An ultimatum has not been given by either operators or miners to date and both sides feel that yesterday's proceedings would tend to bring a better basis looking toward adjustment.

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TAKE NOTICE CITY OF BRANTFORD—STORM SEWERS

1. The Council of the Corporation of the City of Brantford intends to construct as Local Improvements the Storm Sewers as contained in the following schedule and intends to assess part of the cost on the lands directly abutting on the work.

Table with columns: Street, From, To, Estimated, City's Share. Lists various streets and their respective shares.

2. The estimated special rate per foot frontage per annum is 10 cents. The special assessments to be paid in twenty annual instalments.

3. Petitions against the works will not avail to prevent their construction.

4. A by-law for the above purpose will be introduced at the Council on Monday, April 2nd, 1917.

T. HARRY JONES, City Engineer.

when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

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Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink.

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FOR SALE BY TENDI Tenders will be received for the office for the under until Thursday noon, hour of 2 o'clock, March for the rough cast cottages 130 St. Paul Avenue, to be torn down within one and every morning the highest of any tender necessarily accepted. S. cher and Son, 43 Market

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN WEST LAND REGULATIONS The sole heir of a family, over 18 years old, may homestead or select available lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta must appear in person before the Land Agency in the district. Entry by proxy made at any Dominion Lands Sub-Agency, on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months residence cultivation of the land in each year. A homestead may be 160 acres, or a certain number of acres, on certain conditions. Live stock may be substituted upon certain conditions. In certain districts a home good-standing man, present and absent, may homestead 80 acres. Duties—Six months residence of three years after earning patent, also 50 acres extra of a habitable house, on a homestead. A settler who has exhausted his rights may be granted a new homestead in the same district. Duties—Must reside six months of three years, cultivate 40 acres of a homestead worth \$300 a house worth \$200.

AUCTION SALE OF Real Estate, Household and Furniture and Stock Pursuant to instructions Administrators with the need of William Martin, of the Township of Brantford, County of Brant, there will be for sale at Number 90 Avenue, in the said Town of Brantford, on THURSDAY, 22ND DAY OF MARCH, at 11 o'clock p.m., the following goods and chattels: Furniture—5 piece parlor oak parlor table; magazine table; 1 case; 12 chairs; 1 rocker; 1 arm rocker; 6 beds; 6 ottoman organ; table; parlor lamp; many pictures; blinds; lace curtains; 1 coal range; 6 chinaware; knives; forks; tubs; and all kitchen utensils; yards of linoleum in hall; 2 stair carpets; 1 wood cupboard; 2 creamers; all small articles too numerous to mention.

Stock—1 horse; 1 cow, supposed to freshen in June; about 100 pounds of choice Wyndottes and Leg ducks; 1 new buggy; 1 Leg crab; 1 carrier; 1 set of harness; 1 buffalo robe; 1 lap walking plow; 6 hot bed sals; 1 dog; one 1-horse quality seeder; large quantity of tools.

Real Estate—All and that certain parcel or tract and premises situate lying in the said Township of Brant, being composed of the east of Lot Number Six and all Number Seven, according to the subdivision of Part Number Four in the East Township in the said Township of Brant made for M. D. Baldy Harry Jones, P.L.S., dated day of November, 1889, and as amended 17th, 1889, and 129.

Upon the said lands is a 2 storey white brick house good verandah, good 1 1/2 bath house and corn crib, also a quantity of choice fruit tree berry bushes on the said land is close to the city limits a choice home. The said land is subject to a reserve 1/2 offered for sale at 3 p.m. of sale.

Terms of Sale—All household furniture, stock, et Real estate, ten per cent. of chase money is to be paid the time of sale, and the within 20 days thereafter. The particulars and conditions sale apply to W. M. Char Market St. Brantford, Sole Vendors, or to the Auctioneer W. J. B. Dated March 16th, 1917.

Renfrew town council has to pass a by-law giving J. B. the right to run wires for power plant into the town, town will buy power from deliver it to users.

FOR SALE BY TENDER

Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned, until Thursday noon, at the hour of 2 o'clock, March 29th, for the purchase of a cottage, No. 130 St. Paul Avenue, same to be torn down within one month and everything removed. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. S. P. Pitcher and Son, 43 Market St.

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Of Real Estate and Furniture etc. W. ALMAS, Auctioneer. W. F. MILES, Clerk. THURSDAY, MARCH 22nd On the premises is erected a red pressed brick, 2 story house, and the material used in the erection of the above house is of the very best. Stone foundation, window sills, stone, nice verandah with stone pillars. House contains parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, three bedrooms, three piece bath, reception hall and attic, good cellar, three compartments fruit, furnace and coal and laundry room, with soft water (Buck's Furnace), in fact all conveniences, electric lights. Furniture—Parlor, 5 piece parlor suite (walnut), centre table, window tables, pictures, morris chair. Dining-room, Extension table, 5 leaves, sideboard, round table, pedicel (walnut), chairs and wicker rockers, dishes of a great many kinds, cooking utensils, pitchers, antique tea pot, forks, knives, spoons, carpets, clock, and many other articles not enumerated here. 3 bed rooms, Full suites, carpets, chairs, small tables, walnut suite, clock and many other articles. Terms of furniture, etc., cash. WELBY ALMAS, Auctioneer BREWSTER AND HEYD Solicitors for Administrator

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Of Real Estate, Household Goods and Furniture and Stock, etc. Pursuant to instructions from the Administrators with the will annexed of William Martin, late of the Township of Brantford, in the County of Brant, there will be offered for sale at Number 90 Baldwin Avenue, in the said Township of Brantford, on THURSDAY, THE 22ND DAY OF MARCH, next, at the hour of One o'clock p.m. sharp the following goods and chattels, viz: Furniture, 5 piece parlor suite; oak parlor table; mahogany parlor table; 1 easel; 12 chairs; 1 wicker rocker; 1 arm rocker; oak sideboard; 6 octave organ; extension table; parlor lamp; mantle clock; pictures; blinds; lace curtains; 1 Pandora coal range; glassware; chinaware; knives; forks; boiler; tubs; and all kitchen utensils; seven yards of linoleum in hall; yards of stair carpet; hanging lamp; four bedroom suites complete; carpets, curtains; toilet sets; 4 feather beds; pillows; blankets; quilts; sheets; 6 small rugs; walnut chest of drawers; 1 wood cook stove; cupboard; 2 creamers; and other small articles too numerous to mention. Stock—1 horse; 1 cow, a dandy, supposed to freshen in June next; 3 pigs, about 100 pounds each; 3 choice Wyandottes and Leghorns; 2 ducks; 1 new buggy; 1 light democat; 1 cutter; 1 set of single harness; buffalo robe; lap rug; 1 walking plow; 6 hot bed stoves; 1 colie dog; one 1-horse cultivator; 1 seeder; large quantity of wood and tools. Real Estate—All and Singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the said Township of Brantford, being composed of the easterly half of Lot Number Six and all of Lot Number Seven, according to a plan of the subdivision of parts of the Number Four in the Eagles Nest Tract in the said Township of Brantford made for M. D. Baldwin by T. Harry Jones, P.L.S., dated the 29th day of November, 1889, and registered December 17th, 1889, as Number 129. Upon the said lands is erected a 2 storey white brick house, with good verandah, good barn, hen house and corn crib, also there is a quantity of choice fruit trees and berry bushes on the said land. This is close to the city limits and is a choice home. The said lands will be sold subject to a reserve bid, and offered for sale at 3 p.m. on the day of sale. Terms of Sale.—All household goods, furniture, stock, etc., cash. Real estate, ten per cent of the purchase money is to be paid down at the time of sale and the balance within 30 days thereafter. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to W. M. Charlton, 20 Market St., Brantford, Solicitors for Vendors, or to the Auctioneer. W. J. BRAGG, Auctioneer. Dated March 16th, 1917.

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W. Almas has received instructions from J. Lloyd Jones, to sell by public auction at his farm, 1 mile east of Burford, (10.35 train from Burford) on MARCH 26, and 27, commencing at 10 o'clock sharp the following:— 6 horses (1 saddle horse), seven Welsh ponies. Cattle—30 Head—Consisting of pure bred Jerseys, Aberdeen Angus, choice dairy cows, and beef cattle, 100 pure-bred sheep, Shropshires and Southdowns. One of the best flocks in Canada. Implements—A full line. Harness, hay, seed oats, and many other articles—too numerous to mention. Terms announced at the sale. Any and all implements and cattle will be sold Tuesday, 27th, sheep, horses, ponies, seed oats, etc. JOHN LLOYD-JONES, Prop. W. ALMAS, Auctioneer. W. F. MILES, Clerk.

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HAVE LEASED THE FARM Auction Sale

Of Farm Stock and Implements Mr. T. J. Bowan has instructed W. Almas to sell by public auction at his farm, situated 1 mile south of the village of Scotland, and 1-2 mile west, better known as the Nunick Farm, on FRIDAY, MARCH 23 at 1 o'clock sharp. Everything will be sold. Don't forget the date and be there. Horses—1 grey Percheron mare, 14 years old, weight 1400; 1 black mare, 8 years old, weight 1400; 1 Clyde colt, rising 4 years old, broke single or double; 1 Percheron colt, rising 2 years; 1 Clyde colt, rising 1 year old. Cattle—14 Head—2 Durham cows, 8 years old; 1 Durham cow 4 years old; 1 Holstein heifer, 3 years old; yearlings, 10 head of thrifty yearlings. Sheep—34 good Shrop. brood ewes Implements—1 Deering binder, new, 7-ft. sweep; 1 Deering mower, 6-ft. cut; 1 Deering disc drill, good as new; 1 new bean puller; 1 roller; 1 set 4-section Barrows; 1 disc; 1 two-horse cultivator; 1 scuffler; 1 Massey-Harris 12 ft. manure spreader; 1 truck wagon; 1 narrow tread wagon; 1 wagon box; 1 set of sleighs; 2 sets gravel boards; 1 set truck scales, weighing 2000 pounds; Superior cream separator, 700 lbs.; 1 Wilkinson walking plow; 1 new cutter; 1 two-furrowed plow; 1 Ontario plow, new; 1 grain cradle; 1 30-ft. ladder, pole, sawed; 1 hay fork, rope and pulley, complete; 1 bag truck. Pigs—4 shoats. Hens—11 Wyandottes, 50 Plymouth Rocks and Minorca hens; 1 hen turkey. Harness—Double silver harness; 2 good driving harness, rubber mounted, new; 1 set silver mounted harness; odd collars; 20 cow chains; quantity of mixed hay; 1 couch; 1 furnace, heating stove, barrels, hoes; forks; shovels and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount on credit amounts 7 months will be given with joint security; 5 per cent. off. W. ALMAS, T. J. BOWAN, Auctioneer. Proprietor

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CONSULTED THE EXPERTS

Mr. Asquith said the Dardanelles expedition was primarily a naval one, because Lord Kitchener proved to the satisfaction of the war council that troops to make it a joint military and naval undertaking were not available. He said that he had spent three weeks in examining the country's available resources in men and in obtaining the opinions of experts. British and French expert naval opinion favored the enterprise. The adverse view of the council, then First Sea Lord, was not founded on technical naval objections, but upon his preference for a different objective in a totally different sphere of operations. The delay in sending troops, Mr. Asquith continued, was due to the Russian position, which was then bad and pressure was brought to bear by both the British and French commander-in-chiefs to keep their troops in France. Saved Caucasus Situation Mr. Asquith asserted the Dardanelles operations had saved the situation in the Caucasus, prevented for months the defection of Bulgaria to the Central Powers, kept 200,000 Turks mobilized, destroyed some of the finest troops in the Turkish army and contributed to the favorable events witnessed in Egypt, Mesopotamia and Beirut. The suggestion that no good purpose would be served by the Dardanelles Commission in continuing its labors was received by the House with loud cheers. The suggestion was made by Sir Charles D'Almeida, who vigorously defended the Dardanelles operation. Col. Churchill Satisfied. Mr. Winston Spencer Churchill, former First Lord of the Admiralty, severely criticized a remark made by the Dardanelles Commission in a report had been prepared. "They built up the narrative by clippings and snippings from documents and by single sentences from the evidence of witnesses," said Col. Churchill. He added that this method was in direct conflict with accepted principles, and detrimental to public and personal interests. Mr. Churchill admitted, however, that the Commissioners had swept away, directly or by implication, many serious and reckless charges, and that the burden of responsibility lay on the shoulders of the men with whom he had now shared with the most eminent man the country had produced in generations. He therefore welcomed the report as an installment of fair play. The speaker with regard to the Dardanelles, said Mr. Churchill, was not based on the opinions of experts, but on the plans of experts and the readiness of experts to execute those plans. Nobody had a right to say that the Dardanelles operation was not marshalled behind the Admiralty's action. The speaker deprecated what he characterized as attempts to ascertain whether the experts were enthusiastic toward the enterprise long after it had failed and at the time the search was being made for a culprit. Such methods were pernicious to the last degree of efficiency and the resolute conduct of the war. Warnly denying that he urged Lord Fisher, then First Sea Lord, to give his silent and reluctant consent to the enterprise, Mr. Churchill said: "Lord Fisher did not declare definitely that he consented to undertake the operation. After balancing all the possibilities he exerted himself to the utmost, and even offered to go out himself and take charge of it. It was not until the new situation had arisen and the Admiralty at the spot was unwilling to go forward, that Lord Fisher said he would not press him."

BLONDIN REPLIES TO HIS TRADUCERS

Postmaster General Resigns Post in Order to Enlist for Overseas TO RAISE BATTALION In Order to Refute Charges of Disloyalty Ottawa, March 21.—With a view to joining the Canadian Expeditionary Force, Hon. Pierre Edouard Blondin, Postmaster-General of the Dominion, has presented his resignation of his portfolio to Sir George Foster, the Acting Prime Minister. He has also written to Sir Edward Kemp, expressing his desire to be enrolled in the overseas forces. His letter to the Minister of Militia yesterday was as follows: "Dear Sir Edward—I must inform you that I have put my resignation as Postmaster-General in the hands of the Acting Premier in order to offer my services in the overseas forces. I am willing to put myself at your orders and consequently I apply for enlistment in the overseas forces of Canada." Sir George Foster has cabled to Sir Robert Borden the news of the step which his Quebec colleague has taken. Sir Edward Kemp proposes to ask Mr. Blondin to recruit a battalion for service at the front as part of the Canadian Expeditionary Force. It is suggested that in the event of Mr. Blondin's resignation being accepted, an acting Postmaster-General may be appointed to take his place during his absence. Hon. Pierre E. Blondin is 42 years of age and married. He is the Conservative leader from the Province of Quebec. He was first elected to the House of Commons as member for the constituency of Champlain in

MARKETS

FRUITS. Apples basket small... 0.50 to 0.50 Apples, basket, large... 0.75 to 0.75 Pears, basket... 0.50 to 0.50 MEATS. Bacon, side... 0.32 to 0.34 Bacon, back... 0.34 to 0.36 Beef, per lb... 0.18 to 0.22 Beef, hinds... 0.14 to 0.15 Turkeys, lb... 0.35 to 0.40 Carrots... 1.75 to 3.00 Chickens, each... 0.75 to 1.00 Chickens, lb... 0.16 to 0.17 Ducks... 0.80 to 1.00 Dry salt pork... 0.20 to 0.25 Dressed pork... 0.29 to 0.25 Kidneys... 0.10 to 0.12 Lamb... 0.25 to 0.30 Live Hogs... 10.40 to 0.90 Smoked shoulder... 0.13 to 0.15 VEGETABLES. Beans, quart... 0.15 to 0.25 Potatoes, bag... 4.00 to 4.00 Potatoes, bushel... 2.30 to 2.30 Celery... 8 for 10c Carrots... 3.35 to 0.60 Honey, comb, clover... 0.25 to 0.25 Horse-radish, bottle... 0.15 to 0.15 Cabbages, each... 0.10 to 0.25 Cabbage, doz... 2.00 to 2.00 Day salt pork... 0.75 to 0.80 Potatoes, basket... 10.40 to 0.60 Parsnips, basket... 0.25 to 0.50 Turnips, basket... 0.40 to 0.45 FISH. Halibut steak, lb... 0.20 to 0.20 Kippers... 0.15 to 0.16 Pickled... 0.12 to 0.18 Perch... 0.12 to 0.12 Salmon trout, lb... 0.17 to 0.17 Whitefish, lb... 0.18 to 0.18 DAIRY PRODUCTS. Butter, creamery, lb... 0.46 to 0.48 Butter, dairy, per lb... 0.44 to 0.45 Eggs, per doz... 0.37 to 0.40

TORONTO MARKETS

By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, March 21.—Receipts at the Union Stock Yards to-day were only 405 cattle, 307 calves, 646 hogs, 14 sheep, which were cleaned up early at unchanged prices. Export cattle, choice \$10.50 to \$11.50; butcher cattle, choice \$10.25 to \$10.75; medium \$9.50 to \$9.75; common \$8.40 to \$9; butcher cows, choice \$9.50 to \$10; medium \$8.50 to \$9.75; canners \$5 to \$5.25; bulls \$5 to \$10.50; feeding steers, \$9 to \$10; stockers, choice \$7.25 to \$9.25; light \$6.50 to \$7; milkers, choice, each \$50 to \$110; springers \$50 to \$110; sheep, ewes \$10 to \$11; bucks and culls \$8.50 to \$9.50; lambs \$14.25 to \$15.25; hogs, fed and watered, \$15.25; calves \$7.00 to \$14.50.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

By Courier Leased Wire. Chicago, March 21.—Cattle receipts 17,000; market firm; native beef, \$9.25 to \$12.65; western steers \$6.50 to \$9.80; stockers and feeders, \$5.75 to \$10.85; calves \$10.50 to \$15.00; hogs, receipts 34,000; market, strong; light \$14.25 to \$15.95; mixed \$14.60 to \$15.20; heavy, \$14.60 to \$15.20; rough, \$14.60 to \$14.70; bulk of sales \$14.85 to \$15.10; sheep, receipts 15,000; market, weak; wethers \$11.20 to \$12.70; lambs, \$12.75 to \$15.25.

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, March 21.—Cattle receipts, 125; active and steady. Everything else quiet and steady; heavy and mixed, \$16.00; Yorkers, \$15.75 to \$16.00; lights, \$15 to \$15.50; pigs, \$14 to \$14.50; roughs, \$14.50 to \$14.25; stags, \$11.50 to \$12.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,000; steady; lambs, \$12 to \$15.60; yearlings, \$10 to \$14.25; wethers, \$12 to \$12.75; eyes, \$8 to \$11.75; mixed sheep, \$11.75 to \$12.

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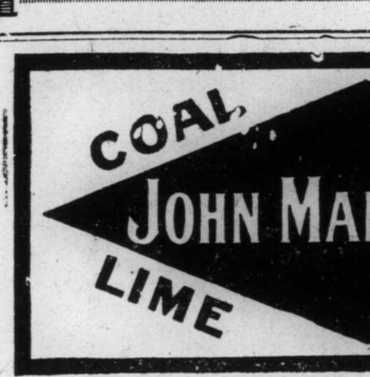
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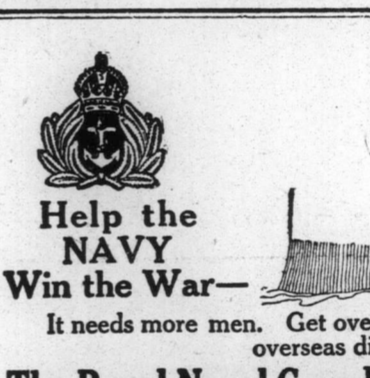
This is a list of recent transfers: Residence, 147 Clarence St. to Mr. M. Carsons; 50 acre farm, Tp. of Burford, Mr. Chas. R. Meadows; 100 acres, Tp. of Burford, of Mr. T. E. English; Lot 9, Kennedy St., to Mr. Geo. Holmes; Residence, 121 Park Ave. to Mr. J. H. Houlding; Residence, 193 William St. to Mr. G. A. Duncan; 2 acres, Mount Pleasant to Mr. Sayles; Residence, 102 Northumberland St., to Mr. T. Luff; Residence, 8 Mary St., to Mr. G. Sherrington; Residence, 30 Henrietta St., to Mr. A. Sewell.

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THE SITUATION.

The Allied advance on the Western front has now brought the French forces very close to what is known as the "Hindenburg line"—that is a demarcation, beyond which it is supposed the German command made decision that there should be no further withdrawal without severe resistance. If this is the case a most sanguinary struggle will soon be precipitated. The British, for their part, have also gained further territory and incidentally fourteen more villages. The warning needs to be again and again repeated, that the Hun is definitely on the run is not warranted by the facts, much as that may be regretted. The only definite thing is that for reasons of their own, not yet made manifest, they have withdrawn large bodies of troops with slight loss from a large area, and that the operation while yielding much fortified ground, has not lessened their fighting force. That the French and the British would keep so closely and effectively at their heels is an element however, with which in all probability they did not adequately reckon and is quite likely to embarrass their plans, although not in any sense to lead to their abandonment.

A correspondent of the London Times in Petrograd relates detailed evidences of the mismanagement of food supplies under the old regime in Russia and says that the supply of rye bread to the soldiers had been cut forty-two per cent. It was the hunger impetus which made the revolution so successful as much as anything else, and if that is the case it may well be believed that things are simmering right now in the Fatherland.

The unfortunate attempt to affix by report of committee the responsibility for the Gallipoli operations, found a heated reiteration yesterday in the British House. Ex-Chief Asquith and Winston Churchill alike, hotly resented the effort to throw onus upon the late Lord Kitchener. That the expedition although a failure in itself, exercised other results of importance, does not seem to be open to question. The whole affair might much better have been allowed to rest without rousing any post-mortem disturbance. As Asquith very aptly said, Kitchener's reputation and achievements rest on too sound a basis to be thus lightly jeopardized.

Over The Courier leased wire today there comes a despatch to the effect that there is talk of Germany making another peace move. This it is said, will be on the explanations that owing to recent events in Russia, the necessity no longer exists for her to free the Baltic Provinces. It is at this point that the laughter comes in. Whatever the excuse, there need be no surprise if she does attempt other terms, but the demands on the part of the Allies will still stand as the only basis.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

A cat lover, who does not want to see the felines destroyed, suggests that bells be put on their necks to warn the birds. Why not mount a gun on the songsters?

Sir Adam Beck certainly had on quite a peak load in the Ontario House yesterday.

It now appears that the revenue of the Dominion from all sources for the fiscal year which will end on March 31 will reach a total of about \$220,000,000. This is about \$50,000,000 in excess of the revenue of the previous year, which was the highest in the history of the Dominion.

The amusing Toronto Globe now figures it out that Hydro Electric "is depending almost entirely on Liberal support." Can the organ name one Liberal in the Ontario House who supported the projection of this great scheme to do away with private monopoly established by a Grit Government?

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THE GAMEY CASE—A REMINISCENCE.

Mr. Gamey underwent the fiercest temptation perhaps that ever came to an Ontario member. His election protested, terms were offered by which he might escape trouble. There are those who say that Gamey succumbed to the tempter and then repented; these are things which will be buried with the accused.—Stratford Herald.

Mr. Gamey visited Brantford shortly after the sensational exposure which he made in the Ontario House, and delivered a notable address in the Armories Hall. He proved himself to be an exceptionally forceful speaker and he was so much the master of the situation that an organized attempt to heckle him, died an early death. His remarks were too sharp and incisive for the would-be disturbers.

After the gathering the writer had a long talk with him and when Gamey asked what the opinion was with regard to him hereabouts, he was frankly told that some thought that he had really intended to sell his vote in the Legislature and had only made his disclosures because matters had become too warm for him. He replied that he knew that such a view was held by many and no doubt always would be, but that it was not the truth. Continuing he said that as a youth, he had attended political meetings during an election contest and had become fired with the ambition to one day become a member of Parliament. As he reached years of manhood the ambition was ever present with him, but he was not the possessor of means or of much influence. However he did finally secure a nomination for Manitoulin Island and won the seat. That he said was the proudest moment of his life. A protest was entered against his return, which he stated did not bother him very much. However, one evening after he had retired for the night he heard a knock on the door and looking out of the window saw a well-known emissary of the Ross Government (giving his name.) He let him in and asked his business. The visitor replied that there was no use beating about the bush. As he (Gamey) knew the Government was on the ragged edge with regard to a majority and a good price would be paid if he would switch. Asked as to the basis on which such a step could be taken, the visitor replied: "The Government is willing to do something extra for the island and you can give that as the cause."

"What if I don't consent?" asked Gamey. "We'll push the protest and unseat you." Gamey remarking that he was not aware of irregularities, the visitor laughed and said: "Oh well! get evidence, and personally disqualify you into the bargain. No trick to do that."

Mr. Gamey stated that he asked for a few minutes consideration, and then figured it out that he would possibly be unseated on trumped up evidence, that in a bye-election all the resources of a provelly corrupt government would be used against him and that the one aim of his life just attained would be shattered. He finally decided as he frankly admitted, solely from personal considerations, that he would seemingly accept, and kept up the pretence until the time had elapsed, during which a protest could be acted upon.

The above in brief, was Gamey's version, told with manifest sincerity. It is given now in justice to the memory of the dead man whose constituents returned him again and again, the last time by 1163 majority.

Soldiers' Wives and Mothers Meet

A most enthusiastic meeting of Soldiers' Wives and Mothers was held in Alexandra Presbyterian Church Sunday School, Tuesday evening. There were about seventy-five of the Soldiers' Wives and Mothers of the East Wart section present.

Mr. Watt of the Patriotic Fund explained further the aims and objects of the Association, after which election of officers took place. The following are the officers and Executive Committee:

Hon. President, Mrs. Col. Colquhoun; President, Mrs. G. Bissett; Vice-President, Mrs. A. H. Hills; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. G. Fox. Executive Committee: Mesdames G. R. Napier, G. Curley, A. Williams, B. Davis, H. Springhall and M. Yates.

It was decided that meetings should be held first and third Thursdays of every month and a fee of 10 cents per month, per member was fixed.

Rev. Mr. Jenkins was present and gave a most interesting address. All present were most enthusiastic about the work. Very pleasing refreshments had been arranged and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Meetings on Thursday evening are to be held in Holmedale and Terrace Hill sections.

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CZAR KEPT IN IGNORANCE OF REVOLUTION

Telegrams Sent by President of Duma Did Not Reach Him
RULER BROKE DOWN
And Offered to Abdicate the Throne

Petrograd, March 20.—The history of the last hour of Emperor Nicholas as ruler of Russia is related by a correspondent of the Otrou Rossii of Moscow, as follows:
Two trains arrived at the station at Vishera (on the Moscow-Petrograd railroad, 125 miles south-east of Petrograd) on the night of March 14. One train carried the Emperor, the second the Emperor, General Baron Fredericks, Minister of the Imperial House, Rear Admiral Nilsolf, Gen. Zabel and others. Nicholas, called from headquarters by the Empress, was on the way to the Tsarskoe Selo.

News of the telegrams about the revolution, sent by President Rodzianko of the Duma, had reached the Emperor. Every effort was made to keep him in ignorance of these affairs. Gen. Zabel protested, declaring that if the others refused to inform the Emperor he would do so. Nicholas, who had been sleeping, was awakened at two o'clock in the morning. He went to the dining car and demanded that Admiral Nilsolf tell him what had happened in Petrograd. He was told that a crowd of students, hoodlums and young soldiers had terrorized the Duma, but that a few detachments of troops would be able to put them down.

Just then Commander Voyekoff of the Imperial train, entered with a telegram stating that 700 of the St. George cavalry were on the way to Tsarskoe Selo to present a cross to the Emperor, and had arrived at the nearby station of Dno, headed by Gen. Ivanoff.

Speaking it to Nicholas "Your Majesty," said Voyekoff "It is enough that you appear at the Tsarskoe Selo, in the midst of these heroes and, with the Tsarskoe Selo garrison, go to Duma. All the troops will remember their oath. It will be easy to overcome these young soldiers."

"It is a lie, your Majesty," shouted General Zabel. "You are deceived. Read these telegrams. Here is the order: 'To the Imperial train at Vishera: do not send the train to Petrograd but to Petrograd.'"

The Emperor arose and exclaimed: "What does this mean? Is it revolution? Is Grekoff, (who signed the order to divert the train) commander in Petrograd?"

Then General Zabel spoke out saying: "There are 60,000 troops with officers backing the temporary Government. Your Majesty has been declared dethroned. It is impossible to go further."

Nicholas completely nonplussed, exclaimed: "Why were I not told before? Why tell me now when all is finished? After a moment he added, with a gesture of helplessness: "It is but Thank God, I will abdicate if that is what the people want. I will go to Livadia, (the estate of the Russian Imperial family, on the south coast of the Crimea, to my gardens. I am so fond of flowers."

The train moved toward Bologoi. At Dno a telegram was received stating that Tsarskoe Selo had revolted and that the Emperor had appealed to the Duma for protection. Nicholas pondered the situation, then said: "I shall go to Moscow. Mr. Zvezvski, (commander of the Moscow garrison) used to say Moscow always would defend me."

Mr. and Mrs. Carruthers, expect to leave the city next week for their home in Midland.

Mrs. A. Brandon, Dufferin Ave., has returned, after two weeks visit in Detroit and Toledo.

Rev. L. Brown spoke twice yesterday at the Norfolk Sunday School convention in Warrford.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rupp of St. Thomas, are the guests of Mrs. Walter Gardner, Eagle Ave.

STATE NOTE ISSUE.
By Courier Leased Wire.
Petrograd, March 21.—via London.—The provisional government has increased by 2,000,000,000 rubles, the amount which the state bank may issue in state notes.

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NEGRO RAN AMOK IN VANCOUVER

Three Killed and Two Wounded by Crazy Drug Fiend

By Courier Leased Wire.
Vancouver, B.C., March 21.—Three killed and two others wounded is the total to date of an attempt by the police to effect the arrest yesterday by a negro named Tait, in a house at the corner of Jackson Ave. and Harris Sts. George Rolph, a nine year old boy, is the name of one of the killed.

Tait is well known to the police as a "dope" fiend. The police were called to the house by the landlord, whom Tait had assaulted. When Tait saw the police approaching the house he opened fire with a shotgun, the first shot hitting young Rolph, who lived half an hour. Chief of Police McLennan joined the attacking force, and in a rush on the house was brought down, and when the body was recovered it was found his head had been half shot off. Detective Cameron received two wounds in the head and Constable Johnson was wounded in the face.

At 11 o'clock last night the police rushed the house and gained entrance only to find that Tait was dead, but a woman, Frankie Russell was unharmed. She was arrested.

It is not known whether Tait shot himself or was killed by a shot from the police. It was found that Tait had been armed with a shot gun and with an automatic revolver.

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MEN BACK OF C.N.R. A BLIGHT ON PUBLIC LIFE

Sir Adam Beck in Legislature Arraigns the Mackenzie Interests
CHARGED WITH THEFT
Of Niagara Power in an Impassioned Address

Toronto, March 21.—Charging that the Canadian Northern was "bleeding the country white," and that the manipulations and machinations of the Mackenzie interests were a "blight upon the public life of the country," Sir Adam Beck in the Legislature yesterday wound up a slashing fighting address by declaring that the Mackenzie corporations at Niagara Falls—the Electrical Development Co.—had been caught stealing water and power that belonged to the people of the province. For some days it was known that the chairman of the Hydro Electric Commission, with his back to the wall in connection with the C. N. R. application for a Hamilton radial entrance and the power crisis that will become acute once the great munitions plant on the Ashbridge's Bay front demands delivery of power, was preparing to strike. It was expected that he would have something to say and would say it vigorously, but the charge that the Electrical Development Company was "stealing" Ontario's power took the Legislature by surprise.

Sir Adam spoke in connection with a motion placed upon the order paper by T. Marshall of Lincoln, asking for a return giving full information in connection with the Hydro plans for a radial from Toronto to Niagara Falls. He explained all the steps in connection with the proposed radial, and then proceeded to give the House his opinion of the men who are behind the C. N. R. and associated companies. His charge in connection with the use of water at Niagara Falls was simply this; that the Electrical Development Company restricted by its agreement with the government to a development of 125,000 horse-power, under the pretext that they wanted to provide against breakdowns in their plant, had been permitted to install additional units to develop far above the amount of power to which they were entitled, without saying a word about it to anyone. Their theft had been discovered only when an inspector appointed by the commission had made an investigation.

Winnipeg Man CURED
Says Dr. Cassell's Tablets Saved him from Nervous Breakdown

Mr. G. C. Inman, 330 Harcourt St., Sturgeon Creek, Winnipeg, for many years a well known man in the business life of Canada, says: "I was terribly rundown and weak. I had no appetite and I suffered if I forced myself to eat. My nerves were in a bad way and my sleep very disturbed. Everything pointed to a nervous breakdown. Then I got Dr. Cassell's Tablets. The first result was that I could sleep, and then my health rapidly improved. It was really astonishing how my strength and fitness came back."

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LOCAL
CARLOAD OF STONE
A carload of stone, consigned to the county council by the county road department, arrived at Charnville yesterday. T. H. and B. H.
ST. BASHIL'S MISSION
Special separate sermons, married and single women, parish were preached at St. Church last evening by Rev. Myllett and Barry, respectively. The course of the Lenten services.
AN OPERATION.
Mrs. A. Usher, of 182 E. Gunner Arthur Usher, who was wounded last November, and went an operation, is to undergo another operation at Shorncliffe, England.

ELOORING CELLAR
In accordance with the recommendation of the building grounds committee of the council, the guests of Governor Brown at the Court House, earning their bread and water, the direction of George T. who is replacing the old wood flooring of the coal with a new modern, spick and cement one.

MISSION BAND
The annual Mission Band, of the Immanuel Church, was held last evening at a crowded church, and a general success, the sum of being realized, which will be equally between home and abroad. The choir, led by the pastor, Rev. Alexander, and a splendid of dialogues, readings, songs, choruses, all of a mission character, was rendered by the choir.

SOCIAL EVENING.
The choir of Alexandra, the Rev. D. T. and Mrs. Mc and the musical committee, their wives, spent a social day evening at the home of Mrs. Edwin Wilson, Sarah Music and games were enjoyed. A splendid luncheon was provided for the ladies of the choir and coffee served by the hostesses of appreciation was tendered to Mr. Carruthers, the members of his choir, and to Mrs. Carruthers, who lived in her church work.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

CARLOAD OF STONE

A carload of stone, consigned to the county council to be used in improving the county roads system arrived at Cainsville yesterday via the T. H. and B. Ry.

ST. BASIL'S MISSION

Special separate sermons for the married and single women of the parish were preached at St. Basil's Church last evening by Rev. Fathers Mylett and Barry, respectively in the course of the Lenten Mission services.

AN OPERATION.

Mrs. A. Usher, of 183 Elgin St., has received word that her husband, Gunner Arthur Usher, who was wounded last November, and underwent an operation, is to undergo another operation at Shorncliffe, Kent, England.

FLOORING CELLAR

In accordance with the recommendation of the buildings committee of the county council, the guests of Governor J. Y. Brown at the Court House are now earning their bread and water under the direction of George Thompson, who is replacing the old decrepit wood flooring of the coal cellar with a new modern, spick and span, cement one.

MISSION BAND

The annual Mission Band entertainment of Immanuel Baptist Church was held last evening before a crowded church, and crowned with general success, the sum of \$20.21 being realized, which will be divided equally between home and foreign missions. The chair was occupied by the pastor, Rev. David Alexander, and a splendid program of dialogues, readings, songs and choruses, all of a missionary nature, was rendered by the choir.

SOCIAL EVENING.

The choir of Alexandra church, the Rev. D. T. and Mrs. McClintock, and the musical committee, with their wives, spent a social time Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wilson, Sarah street. Music and games were thoroughly enjoyed. A splendid luncheon was provided by the ladies of the choir, and coffee served by the hostess. Expressions of appreciation were extended to Mr. Carruthers, "one of the members," for his valuable services rendered so willingly to the choir, and to Mrs. Carruthers for interest in her church work.

PARK BAPTIST REVIVAL

The largest attendance last evening including many of the clergymen of the city, indicated a deepening interest among the people of Brantford in the series of evening services being held in the Park Baptist church, conducted by the Rev. Joseph W. Kemp, of Edinburgh, Scotland. At the afternoon session, Mr. Kemp continued his spiritually uplifting talks upon Paul's prayers. The evening sermon was based upon the absorbing theme of Christ's second coming, and the preacher dealt with this great subject in a manner that held the congregation spellbound throughout. During the service, the pastor intimated that on Wednesday night Mr. Kemp would tell the story of the Edinburgh Revival. The song service was conducted during the evening by the Rev. W. E. Bowyer, while Rev. G. A. Woodside led the congregation in prayer.

BELLVIEW RED CROSS

The regular meeting of the Bellview Red Cross Society was held at the home of the president, Mrs. John T. Grantham, fifteen ladies being present. The time was spent in making quilts from pieces left over after making quilts for the soldiers. The society has done splendid work in the past two months, having sent two boxes of supplies to the Red Cross Society, Toronto, containing the following: Dozens of sheets and pillow slips, socks, pajamas, pillows, candies, etc. A third box is on the way.

As a means of making money talent teas have been held, also autograph quilts have been made. So far over \$50 has been realized from the quilts alone. One of the quilts has been sent to Miss Powell of the Massey-Harris hospital, London, Eng., another sent to Miss M. Robertson, Second Stationary Hospital, France, requesting them to far as possible to put them on Canadian soldiers' cots. With the valuable assistance of the Bellview Dramatic Club in presenting us with such large sums of money we have been enabled to buy great quantities of flannelette, cotton, yarn, etc. Four bundles containing socks have been sent direct to Brantford which they distribute them among their comrades who were particularly needing socks.

CONCERT AT O. S. B.

The choir of Wellington St. Methodist church journeyed to the School for the Blind and there staged a most pleasing concert for the entertainment of the pupils. A varied program was rendered, the choir giving four choruses, Miss Lily Hubbard, Miss Alice Bloxham and Mr. J. W. Stubbins vocal solos, Miss Marion Jones two delightful violin solos, Miss Beatrice Richards readings, Miss Lily Darwin and Miss Violet Clement a vocal duet, and Miss Josie Whitney and Mr. T. Darwin a piano duet. During the intermission brief addresses were delivered by Mr. W. C. James, principal of the School and Rev. Dr. Henderson, pastor of Wellington street church. The addresses replied to by Mr. T. Darwin and Mr. G. T. Strickland, president of the choir. At the close of the concert the choir was entertained in the teachers' room at a delightful supper. On behalf of the visitors, Mr. A. S. Miller, vice-president, thanked the matron and the staff for the hospitality accorded them.

CASE SETTLED

The trouble that has existed between the counties of Oxford and Brant and the firm of Bain and Ross, over the construction of the Putnam bridge on the boundary between the two counties, was finally cleared up yesterday when Reeve A. J. McCann and Deputy Reeve Rupert Greenwood, and Reeve Burrows of Brantford waited upon the Oxford county council in Woodstock yesterday afternoon and presented the case. A part of the account of Bain and Ross, who constructed the bridge, was paid, each of the counties paying one-half. A balance was still due, of which Brant paid its share, but Oxford refused to fulfil their obligation.

tions. Extensive negotiations took place to no avail until yesterday when the difficulty was finally disposed of by the Brant deputation returning with the check covering the balance of the account which will be turned over to Bain and Ross.

CARD FROM FRONT.

A card was received this morning from Pte. Horace Ellins, formerly of the 25th Brant Dragoons, by Lt.-Col. H. F. Leonard.

BOYS' CLUB.

The weekly meeting of the St. Andrews' Boys' Club was held in the school room of the church last evening. Mr. Gordon gave a talk on personal habits. The games of the evening were trick games. The evening was brought to a close in prayer by Rev. Mr. Gordon.

CASE SETTLED

The case of Reid vs. Hendry, which was slated for a hearing at the spring assizes has been settled out of court and withdrawn. Mr. F. J. Reid was suing for damages for an accident in which he was struck by the automobile of Mr. T. Hendry.

TO MOVE BUILDING.

Mr. R. J. Thomas has been granted permission for the removal of a frame building to 131 Erie avenue, where it will be temporarily erected, to be replaced later by another structure.

PHOTO SENT.

This morning a splendid likeness of Captain William Miller and his son, Captain Fred Miller, was received by Lt.-Col. H. F. Leonard. The photo, which was taken in Folkestone, indicates that the originals are in splendid health and spirits.

POLICE COURT

W. Bruce Swazy, a driver of the Twentieth Century Motor Bus Company was reported to the police as being drunk while in charge of an automobile last Friday night. In the Police Court this morning he faced two charges, one of the breach of the Motor Vehicles Act, and the other of being in an intoxicated condition. He was remanded until tomorrow. An old charge of theft of a bicycle against Harry Taylor was scheduled to be heard but as the alleged culprit did not appear a warrant was issued for his arrest. The Harry Kirkorian case, the result of a raid on his residence some weeks ago when beer, whiskey and wine were discovered, was concluded this morning before Justice of the Peace J. H. Spence, who fined Kirkorian \$200 and costs of \$8.85.

SPRING ARRIVES.

At ten minutes to 2 o'clock this afternoon the jury left the court room after listening to a twenty minute address from Hon. Mr. Justice Medford, to come to a decision in the Ballard vs. Morris case. The hearing commenced this morning, Brewster and Hey acting for Fred Ballard, the plaintiff, and Harveley and Sweet for the defendants, George Morris and George Silverthorne, who are being sued for \$1,000 and costs by the plaintiff. Ballard lost four fingers and a thumb through the alleged negligence of Morris.

Concert Given at First Baptist

Delightful Musical Program Was Rendered Last Evening

An excellent concert was given in the First Baptist church last evening to a fairly large and enthusiastic audience. It is not often one hears singing both solo and choral. The program was well arranged and the interest and attention of the audience was held from the first item until the National Anthem which was composed of Miss Halrod, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Savage and Mrs. Dr. Nichol, sang splendidly. Their voices made a beautiful blend and "The Ladies' Quartette" which was composed of Miss Halrod, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Savage and Mrs. Dr. Nichol, sang splendidly. "The Three Fishermen" with its haunting harmonies will long be remembered by those who heard it. Miss Halrod's brilliant and her singing of "The Tambourine" and "Sing for 'tis Spring," were exceedingly well done. Mrs. Dr. Nichol with her rich contralto voice made a great impression by her singing of "My Dear Soul" and "Hushen." Her voice was well controlled and showed very great promise. Mrs. Savage sang "Don't You Listen" and "All ways be My Sweetheart," with great tenderness and feeling and the middle register of her voice showed very good quality. The Male Quartette, best known as the "Minister Quartette" has already gained repute and last night they added fresh laurels to their fame in the singing of "Comrades in Arms," "Call John," and "Tattlerbury Market." Mr. Drury sang with good artistic finish "Somewhere a Voice is Calling" and was heartily applauded. Mr. Pickering the well known tenor sang most acceptably "Queen of the Night," also joined Mr. Byers in a fine rendering of the duet "The Deathless Army" with much realism and good interpretation. Mr. Burrill added quite a pleasant touch to the concert by his rendering of "The Perfect Day." Miss Edmondson delighted the audience with her elocutionary efforts. Last but not least were two splendid piano duets rendered by Mr. Dickie and Mr. Schofield. To Mr. Schofield is due great credit for the high excellence of the concert and his accompaniments were most artistically rendered.

The proceeds are to be given to the Ladies' Aid and Choir Funds.

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CAPT. JEAKINS PRESIDENT OF WAR VETERANS

Local Clergyman, Ex-Chaplain of 58th, Honored at Toronto

Unexpected honor awaited the delegates from the local branch of the War Veterans' Association when they attended the conference of returned soldiers held at Toronto on Monday and Tuesday. Captain the Rev. C. E. Jeakins, and Sgt. Wakefield comprised the local delegates while the other representatives were taken from Edmonton, Winnipeg, Calgary, Ottawa, Peterborough, St. Catharines, Galt, Oshawa and Hamilton. Other cities who were unable to be represented wrote expressing regret at their inability to participate in the organization. The first meeting was held on Monday, being drunk until eleven o'clock at night, when it adjourned until the next morning, when continued throughout the day. Suitable recognition not only of the good work accomplished by Captain Jeakins while overseas but of the noble part taken by Brantford in the war was made, by electing as President of the organization, a local man, leged culprit did not appear a warrant was issued for his arrest. The Harry Kirkorian case, the result of a raid on his residence some weeks ago when beer, whiskey and wine were discovered, was concluded this morning before Justice of the Peace J. H. Spence, who fined Kirkorian \$200 and costs of \$8.85.

The delegates adopted the name of The Great War Veterans, and drafted a provisional constitution, and by-laws to be submitted to the various local branches for their approval and will later be ratified if amended. The organization was formed under a charter granted to the Toronto branch by the Provincial secretary, which was wider one is gained. As all the cities were unable to be represented, another meeting will be held in Ottawa on May the 12, 13, and 14, when another charter then advocated will be considered.

ACTIVITIES OF THE 215th

Major Joyce returned last night from attending a course in map reading and scouting at Toronto, bringing with him about one hundred pointers of extensive action on the west side of the Humber river. The course concluded yesterday afternoon after five o'clock, and as he returned on the train that left Toronto shortly after six, Major Joyce had little time to chase after the elusive particles of mud that adhered to him. The result of the course is not yet known. The members of the gun detachment of the Battalion now at Niagara Falls, is returning from the brigade school there to-morrow. Fourteen men comprise the class from the 215th. The Lewis anti-air gun school there, formerly of the Lewis anti-air gun school into permanent sections in each company. Instructor Sergt. G. E. Nott of the training school of signallers, Exhibition Camp, Toronto, has submitted a report on the standing of the members of his class in which are seven or eight 215th men. One of these, Lance Corporal Wentworth, heads one examination with 90 per cent. Captain S. E. McKegney accompanied by Sergeants Fairfield and Oldham, conducted a recruiting meeting in Canfield, Haldimand county, last night. The representatives of the 215th Battalion who will participate in the boxing tournament at Hamilton to-morrow night will be quartered at the depot machine gun school there, formerly the quarters of the 205th Tigers Battalion. Four men will be sent down to fight for the honors, while all those wishing to take in the trip will be granted passes until the train leaving Hamilton for Brantford. One recruit, William John Judy, born in Kent, England, aged 34 years, a married man with four years service on the Garrison Artillery. Four members of a course in the Lewis automatic rifle recently concluded at Niagara Falls, have obtained first class honors. Corp. C. V. Joyce has been promoted to the rank of Private sergeant, while Pte. W. W. Wakeling will be Prov. Corporal. Corporal C. M. Lee has reverted to the ranks at his own request. Eight N. C. O's and men have been detailed to attend a two weeks' course in bombing at Toronto. Private P. Hughes has been transferred from the 215th Battalion to

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The Forestry draft, C. E. F. Lieut. E. A. Heatley has been placed on subsistence while on sick leave in the military base hospital, Toronto. Lieut. G. E. F. Sweet has also been placed on subsistence, while on sick leave. Pte. A. Scott is confined to the house with an attack of la grippe.

REPORT OF GRAND JURY

The following is the report of the Grand Jury, submitted to Mr. Justice Middleton, at the Spring Assizes this morning: We congratulate your Lordship and the County of Brant on the fact that there are no criminal cases at this time. We first visited the Gaol, where we found everything in a very clean and sanitary condition, and the alarm system most satisfactory. There are

at present only six prisoners, all of whom are males. The roof of the gaol needs repairing in one place, and we would recommend that this be done. We next visited the House of Refuge, where there are at present 49 inmates, all of whom appeared to be contented and well looked after, under the capable management of the Superintendent and the Matron, whose efforts we heartily commend. We are of the opinion that too much work devolves upon the Matron and would recommend that she be provided with more help. Everything is clean and well-kept, but we would recommend that the hall floors in the south wing be renewed, the walls re-decorated in color, and that a window be placed in the south wall of the ladies' reading room; also that fire escapes, similar to those in use at the Institution for the Blind, be provided, the fire hose renewed, hand fire-extinguishers provided, and that a system of fire-drill be instituted. We would recommend also that the sewerage system which is at present in a very

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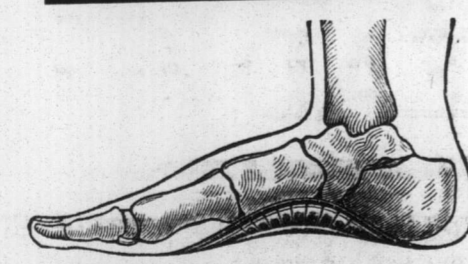
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SOLDIERS' WIVES AND MOTHERS' ASSOCIATION—A social gathering will be held at the Dufferin School Thursday evening, March 22nd, at 7 o'clock, for the Holmeale section. All come.

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VICTORY CELEBRATED BY FRANCHISE CLUB OF CITY

Granting of Suffrage to Women of Ontario Commemorated Last Evening in the Conservatory of Music—Col. McQueen an Eloquent Speaker

With becoming feminine modesty, did the members of the Brantford Equal Franchise Club, their friends, and supporters last night celebrated their recent victory, the occasion on which they were granted the vote by the Ontario legislature. Although they were undoubtedly pleased and gratified there were no expressions of anything at all akin to boasting, but rather recognition of the triumph as the result of untiring efforts, and the fulfillment of an enduring and fair demand. The ladies not only gave evidence of their approval of the measure, but voiced their intention of taking advantage of it to the fullest extent. During the evening eloquent addresses were delivered by Col. MacQueen, Toronto, Mr. W. S. Brewster, and Mr. M. M. MacBride, who have always been valiant champions of women's rights, and whose appearance was especially appropriate in their hour of victory. Principal A. W. Burt, another ardent upholder of the Equal Franchise movement, acted in the capacity of chairman, and his usual discharged his duties most graciously.

Some excellent musical numbers were rendered, Miss Marjorie Davison contributing a piano solo that was greatly appreciated, while Miss Gladys Garvin sang a solo in her own entertaining manner. An instrumental duet by the Misses Hutchinson was also well received.

In his address, Mr. A. W. Burt, the chairman of the evening, reviewed the strenuous efforts that had preceded the passing of the measure, and gave it as his opinion, that the recent added impetus, that had concluded only in the achieving of their purpose, had been hastened by the war. Mr. Burt thought that none but those of a narrow mind, who were unreasonably prejudiced against the movement could oppose it, and in his experience he had discovered that the girls were possessed of a rule of far more intelligence than the average boys, and equalled many of the brightest of them. By their activities in war work of all kinds, the women of this province had demonstrated their ability to take an equal position with men, and through these energies, had removed many objections hitherto existing. Prior to the war, political agitators had feared to grant the vote to women for the reason that they realized that should they do so, a potent force would have been vitallized that would construct many of their motives. However, that the war had of itself removed these baser motives, there was no necessity to fear the influence of women, and hence their changed attitude in regard to the question. The chairman then proceeded to introduce Col. McQueen, 1st family, and who had always been deeply interested in the movement.

Col. McQueen As a preliminary to the main theme of his address, Col. McQueen gave a comprehensive discourse on the various nations at war, and outlined their national characters. He told of the dreams which had influenced each of the combatants to enter the struggle, and provided a distinct contrast between the motives of the Entente allies and their opponents. A foolish but marvelous dream obsessed Germany and Austria in July, 1914, when, believing that they could subdue the world, they commenced hostilities. He briefly related the early plans, and the general programme of the aggressors, and passing on to that estimable country "Turkey" stated that he could neither understand why that country could go back on Britain, nor why Britain had ever backed Turkey. On the other hand the countries comprising the Entente allies had also possessed dreams, France, Italy and Russia wished to continue their progress toward civilization, the arts and the sciences, but subsequent events proved their dreams to be as futile as the baser desires of Germany and Austria. The dream of prolonged peace, enjoyed by Belgium had also been shattered when that country was invaded and devastated by the countless hordes of Teutons. At this juncture, the speaker compared the position now occupied in the world's esteem by Belgium with that of one hundred years ago, when they were considered the most cowardly of nations, and when the Duke of Wellington refused them to fight in the ranks with the British soldiers at the Battle of Waterloo. However in 1914 they fully redeemed themselves by their heroic sacrifice, and inserted the first clog in the well matured plans of Germany from which time the German power had declined, and Britain had increased its might. Last of all, Britain had also dreamed, recognizing the spirit of fairness had signed a treaty afterwards characterized by "that cultured" nation, Germany, as a scrap of paper. Britain, however, had rejoiced to fight for the rights of a smaller people. Referring to the continent of North America, Col. McQueen castigated the attitude of Canada with that of the United States. Formerly the greatest republic that the world has ever known had worshipped the goddess of Liberty, symbolized by her statue standing in New York harbor, but latterly this worship had been

supplanted by the adulation of the almighty dollar. Honorable history, freedom, constitutional government, the noble traditions of the past, linked inseparably with the future, the essence of Canada's dream. Immediately after the outbreak of war, the response had been enthusiastic from all parts of the Dominion, from the Yukon to the Province of Nova Scotia. The tramp of marching men had resounded throughout the country, men not going to fight only for the country, for the Empire of their God, but for the realization of the dream of all small nations. The crossing of the first contingent of 35,000 men over the Atlantic had witnessed the assembling of the greatest Armada ever seen by the eyes of man. It is not the duty of any man to go overseas to fight for the colors, but a privilege to do so, emphatically declared Col. McQueen.

Victory Take Three If such were possible, the speaker would enjoy hearing the Kaiser's "honest" opinion of the contemptible "recruits" of the Canadian overseas troops.

Proceeding to the main theme of his address, the speaker stated that since the time of Adam, woman had ruled the world as well as rocked the cradle of it, and as Canada was to be the cradle of the mightiest Empire the world has ever seen, he believed that it would be proper to have women share the duties and responsibilities that would fall upon women now that they had been granted participation in the guidance of the country's destinies. An honorable man, he said, taking in this war by Canadian women, and the future was now open for them to develop. Col. McQueen declared that Canada was the richest country in the world, it was the richest in manhood, and a million teams, and there was a great work for to be done by women. While congratulating the women of Ontario on gaining the franchise, he also emphasized the need of eliminating partisanship from the administration of the affairs of the country. The returning soldiers, both those wounded and those who come back physically well, must have to be looked after, and the families and dependents of the wounded heroes made comfortable and happy. There should be a united Canada, no pouring of resources of wealth and manhood, and should sink all petty dissension in upholding the supremacy of the British Empire. In concluding, the speaker appealed to the ladies present to go forth as patriots and not as party partisans, as Christians, and not as churchmen, that the country and the nation might progress.

Mr. Brewster Mr. W. S. Brewster, in opening a brief address stated that he had expected to see excited rejoicing, but thought that the absence of this element could be accounted for by the fact that women had not as yet fully absorbed the spirit of a political campaign. He certainly thought that women were as capable of exercising the franchise as their counterparts who had only lived in the country for three years, and who might not have any knowledge of the conditions here. He referred to the fact that a member of the Ontario Legislature, he had introduced a bill into the House which advocated the removal of the property qualifications for women to the municipal council. His object had then been, stated Mr. Brewster, of endeavouring to have the council consist of the men with most brains, not with those holding the greatest amount of land. Formerly, the strongest opposition to the granting of the vote to women, had been the belief that it was not wanted, but immediately it became evident that the ladies did desire the franchise, the Ontario government was only too pleased to comply with their wishes. The speaker thought that the moral standard of the country would be greatly improved as the result of the entrance into the government of the country, of the ladies, and he only hoped that they would exercise to the full, their privilege. Mr. Brewster did not agree with those who criticized the party system of government, and stated that it was the most advanced mode of government yet evolved. The evil that should be eliminated was not the party system, but the extreme partisanship that places party before country. The greatest need of the country to-day was good citizenship, and the speaker, and he pointed out the lamentable lack of interest in elections, displayed by many, and also referred to the difficulty experienced in persuading candidates to run for office. If however, the ladies would demonstrate an active interest in the affairs of the country, Canada, he felt sure, would progress and secure a position among the nations of the world that would be otherwise impossible.

Ald. MacBride Ald. M. M. MacBride was glad that he had been a small factor in securing the franchise for women, and sincerely approved of the clean, persistent, game struggle which they had made in the face of almost insurmountable odds. Personally, he was quite willing to trust the vote to that quality known as woman's intuition. He advised the

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THIS WOMAN TO THIS MAN

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Without a word he obeyed, remembering to take his hat, which had laid on the table. One of them took him out of the lighted dining room into the dimness beyond. Another step and he was on the stairs. There, for the moment at least, he was safe from detection. For a staircase faced the front door, and Mrs. Ellsworth must approach in the back. She would come straight to the door of the lighted dining room, and, expecting only the maid, would not think of spying at the foot of the stairs.

Besides there was no light in the corridor, except that which streamed out through the reddish glass globe of the chandelier above the dining table. If only the man did not stub his toe on his way up the stairs, he still be saved. And Annesley checked herself with the conviction that he was the last person in the way to be guilty of awkwardness.

He was alert, deft, quick-witted, and light of foot as a panther. Yet but he would have remembered, such a moment to snatch up a compromising hat and take it with him. The girl stood still, rigid in eye muscle, as he went to control his breath and heart throb. That might be ready to answer with calmness a flood of questions. She did not even let her sharp tongue wound to plan the ultimate event. It was all she could do to face the present. The rest must take care itself.

He had said that she would "make a good actress." Now was the time to prove that he had judged her character more truly than she herself had ever judged it! She ran slowly to unlatch one of the long gray gloves. A button flew loose. She must give it a few stitches to-morrow. Strange that the should be room for such a thought in her mind! But she caught the glance and gave it encouragement. It calmed her, as she heard the shuffling tread of slippers along the corridor; and she forced herself not to look up until she was back in the room. A button flew loose in a dressing gown filled the doorway. Like a badly painted portrait too large for its long, narrow frame, a nice time of night for you to be back! barked the bronchial voice, hoarsened by years of sick windows and dearth of oxygen. "Go you an inch and you'll take an eye out of me so early! I'm sorry I wakened you after all!"

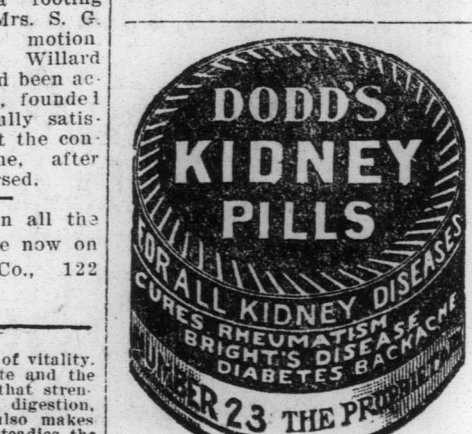
Annesley looked up as if surprised. "Oh, Mrs. Ellsworth, you alarmed me!" she exclaimed. "I came so early! I'm sorry I wakened you after all!"

"Waked me up!" repeated Mrs. Ellsworth. "I have not been asleep. I never can close my eyes when I know that anybody is in the house and has got to come back, especially a careless creature like you, as like as not to leave the front door unlatched. That's why I said half-past ten at latest. If I don't fall asleep before eleven I get nervous and lose my whole night's rest. You heard me say that twenty times, you know. And I've been in the house for a few moments. I thought I came so early! I'm sorry I wakened you after all!"

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"A nice time of night for you to be back!" barked the bronchitic voice, hoarsened by years of shouting windows and gas of oxygen. "Give you an inch and you'll take an ell!" "I told you half past ten at latest, here it is eleven!"

Annesley looked up as if surprised. "Oh, Mrs. Ellsworth, you almost frightened me!" she exclaimed. "I was delayed. But it won't be eleven or ten minutes yet. This dining room clock keeps such good time, you know. And I've been in the house for a few moments. I thought I came so softly. I'm sorry I woke you up after all."

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"This is the first time I've ever been out late," Annesley defended herself. As she spoke she looked at Mrs. Ellsworth as she might have looked at a stranger.

This fat old woman, with hard eyes, low, unintelligent forehead, and sneering yet self-indulgent mouth, had been for years the mistress of her fate. The girl had feared to speak lest she should say the wrong thing, had hesitated miserably before taking the most insignificant step. Knowing that almost surely Mrs. Ellsworth's sharp tongue would accuse her of foolishness or worse. But now Annesley wondered at her own bondage. If only the man upstairs could escape, never again would she be afraid of this vulgar old tyrant.

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the iron chain was broken and enjoying her power to wound as she had always enjoyed it. "I've been sitting up watching the clock. My fire's nearly out, and no more wood in the scuttle, the servants all three snoring comfortably in their beds while I am kept up shivering. If I'm in bed with a cold to-morrow I shall have you to thank, Miss Grayle."

"I'll get you some more coal myself if you want it," said Annesley. "Haven't you better go to bed at once now I am back?"

"Not till I've made you understand that this must never occur again," insisted the old woman. (Annesley was shocked at herself for daring to think that the unyielding bulk looked like a hippopotamus. "You do seem to realize that you've done anything out of the way at all. You're as calm as if it was eight o'clock instead of eleven. Not a word of regret! Not a question as to my evening, you're so taken up with yourself and your smart clothes—the clothes I gave you.")

"I haven't had much chance to ask questions, have I?" Annesley ventured to remind her mistress. "Won't you tell me about your evening when you are in bed and I have made up your fire? You say it is bad for you to stand."

"I say so because it is the truth, and doctor's orders," rapped out Mrs. Ellsworth. "I thought that I had been upset enough already for one evening, but this last straw had to be added to my burden."

"Why, what can have upset you?" Annesley inquired, more for the sake of appearing interested than because she was so in reality. But the look on her mistress's face told her that something had indeed happened. "I don't care to be kept out of my bed any longer, to be catechised by you," returned Mrs. Ellsworth, evidently pleased that she had aroused her companion's curiosity and determined not to gratify it. "Turn on the light in the corridor and give me your arm to my room. My rheumatism is very bad to-night, owing to the chill I've had caught, and if I don't get to bed soon I may be laid up for a week!"

Obediently the girl proffered a slender arm, hoping that the pounding of her heart might not be detected by Mrs. Ellsworth's hand. She wished that she could have slipped it under her right arm instead of the left, but owing to Mrs. Ellsworth's position in the doorway it was impossible to do so, except by pushing her aside.

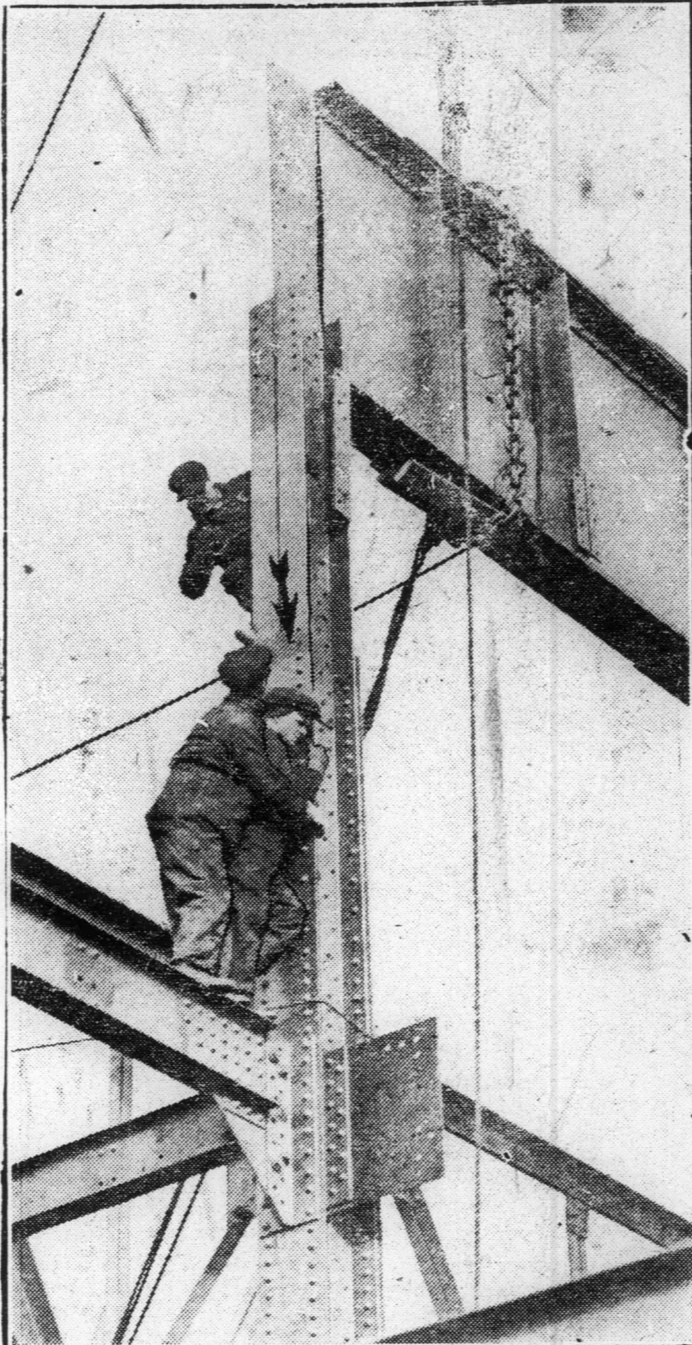
She rejoiced, however, in the order to get on the light in the corridor, for this meant that after settling her mistress in bed and transferring the dining room scuttle to the bedroom she must return to the dining room. Then, with Mrs. Ellsworth safely out of the way, she could help the man upstairs to escape, if the watchers had given up the game.

The tyrant, shuffling along in her heavy woollen slippers, made the most of her rheumatic infirmity, and hung heavily on the arm of her tall companion. In silence they passed through the dining room and into the corridor, and so into the addition at the back of the house, which contained Mrs. Ellsworth's room and bath, and another small room suitable for a maid and occupied by Annesley. This addition had been built only a year or two before Annesley's arrival, and saved Mrs. Ellsworth the necessity of daily mounting and descending the stairs, as she used the dining room to sit in and seldom went into the drawing room on the floor above.

Annesley was not surprised to see that the grate fire in her mistress's room was still a generous bank of glowing coals, for one of Mrs. Ellsworth's chief pleasures was to represent herself in the light of a martyr. The girl made no remark, however, upon the condition of the fire; she was far too experienced for such mistakes in tact. Still in silence, she peeled the stout figure of its dressing gown and helped it into a short knitted bed-jacket.

"When you get the dining room scuttle put out the light there and in the corridor," she said. "If you leave this door open you can see

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This remarkable picture shows the snatching of an iron worker from the very jaws of death. The man who is shown here seized around the waist, was working on the new Toronto Union Station, for the many railways going into that city. Alex. Ford was hit by a steel connecting link while the huge 18-ton girder shown at the top of the picture was being placed in position. The blow knocked him over and he catapulted towards the ground, ninety feet below. J. Mouldey, another workman, snatched the falling man after he had descended ten feet of his trip to the ground. The photograph shows the injured man next to the girder with his savior holding him firmly in that position until further assistance arrived, when he was taken to a place of safety.

your way back with the coal. No use your creaking about back and forth just as I've settled down to try and rest at last! Besides, there's somebody else to think of. I only hope he hasn't been disturbed already!" "Somebody else?" echoed the girl with a gasp. There was no longer any fear that her curiosity had not caught fire. Mrs. Ellsworth was satisfied.

"Yes, somebody else," she condescended to repeat. "A certain person has come here since you went out into that city. Alex. Ford was hit by the huge 18-ton girder shown at the top of the picture was being placed in position. The blow knocked him over and he catapulted towards the ground, ninety feet below. J. Mouldey, another workman, snatched the falling man after he had descended ten feet of his trip to the ground. The photograph shows the injured man next to the girder with his savior holding him firmly in that position until further assistance arrived, when he was taken to a place of safety."

(Continued in Thursday's Daily.)

Protests Against Conscription

Montreal, March 20.—A series of meetings is being arranged in all parts of the city to protest against conscription and the enforcement of the militia act.

At a meeting held last evening, in which Alderman Vandelaar urged the people not to sign the national service cards, and in which other speakers declared that the questions asked on the card were merely a card to find out who was fit for war service, a resolution was passed protesting against the action of the board of trade in urging the government to enforce the militia act. It was claimed that men were too urgently needed for production here to send more to the "abattoir of war."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

SHOCKER LEFT SICK BED TO PITCH GAME

Former Ottawa Twirler is Making Good With the Yanks

Two seasons ago Bill Donovan drafted Shocker from Ottawa for the Yanks. In the spring of 1916 the youngster showed up splendidly, but such seasoned hurlers as Ray Caldwell, Nick Cullopp, Ray Fisher, Clarence for regular turns on the rubber, and Shocker sent to Toronto for a few months' seasoning. His record with the Leafs is still fresh in memory. He joined the team in mid-season, won seventeen, and lost two, and pitched fifty-four consecutive scoreless innings. His name rang throughout balldom all over the continent.

Donovan recalled him before the season was over, and though he had been "worked to death" in Toronto, he gave a splendid account of himself. He is at Macon, Georgia, this spring, and the N. Y. Americans are counting on him shouldering much of the burden in coping New York's first American League pennant. Donovan issued a despatch from Macon stating Shocker was in the hospital with fever, and not likely to be out for a week. But the doctors didn't know their patient. Still loaded with quinine and drugs, he rushed off to the ball park, relieved Bill Pierce in the fifth inning of the game between the regulars, and finished like an Alex. Knapp and Shaw on eight pitched balls, retiring the side."

STATE OF WAR MAY ACTUALLY EXIST

Early Declaration of War by U. S. on Germany Is Approved

CONGRESS CONVENES Probably at an Earlier Date Than Expected

Washington, March 20.—For two hours today President Wilson discussed the international crisis with his cabinet and heard urgent suggestions that the date for the extra session of congress fixed for April 16 be set forward to consider further steps in defense of American commerce against German submarines. It was understood there was not a dissenting voice against this advice.

The president himself did not express his views, and as far as could be learned later had not finally determined upon the course to be pursued. The prevailing belief was that he would announce the call for an earlier meeting of congress tomorrow.

State of War Exists. Among officials virtually the unanimous opinion is that in spite of the technical armed neutrality status of the United States, actually a state of war exists as the result of the ruthless destruction of American merchant ships and the killing of American citizens in defiance of international law and of the most solemn warning one nation can give another. The only question is what should be done about it further than the arming of merchantmen to resist submarine attacks if they get the chance.

Cabinet Would Support Move. The cabinet members generally are said to have expressed today their willingness to support a program based on an early call for congress and a formal declaration that a state of war exists between Germany and the United States.

After the cabinet meeting Secretary Daniels, saying that no new naval orders had been issued, hurried to the navy department and went into conference with members of the general board. Information for the president and tentative plans for further naval activities were discussed.

SIDELIGHTS ON THE STAGE AND SCREEN

Hopes For a Holiday. The word "vacation" is more of an aggravation to motion picture stars, because it simply refers to sweets of which they seldom taste. Take, for instance, Blanche Sweet, who was granted a two weeks' vacation by the Lasky Company—the first she had received since joining the organization. She packed up her trunk, farmed the family cat, and started for Portland. At San Francisco she received a wire recalling her to start work on a new picture under the direction of Marshall Neilan, who had finished the production on which he had been working much earlier than he had expected.

More Hopes. Unless William C. DeMille comes charging out of the Lasky scenario department with a new script under his arm for Marie Doro she is going to get a month's vacation immediately after completing the difficult role of "Oliver Twist" Miss Doro began work on "Lost and Won," which was no more than finished before Frank Relcher took her in charge and began preparations for a third Paramount picture. With this completed Miss Doro had been promised a rest—but she cannot pass the door of the scenario department without an involuntary shudder.

The Grand. It can be no exaggeration to say that theater goers of this city spent last evening at the Grand Opera House were unanimous in pronouncing "The Million Dollar Doll" to be unqualifiedly and without reserve the best musical comedy seen in this city for many seasons. From beginning to end the piece is a most thorough success, being replete with catchy music and singing, clever dancing and an abundance of genuine and spontaneous comedy which place it in a class by itself far in advance of the general run of musical comedy productions. Among a wealth of such splendid entertainment as that offered, to single out for special commendation any individual numbers would be superfluous, but among those which created the greatest hits were the singing of "When the Sun Goes Down in Roman," the dancing of the Leftys, and the comedy performance throughout of the Orr brothers, who in the roles of Jasper Jackson and Melvin Meskman kept the audience in continuous outbursts of mirth. The cast is in every case an admirably adapted one, the chorus possessed of exceptional merits and ability, and the scenic effects throughout of an unusually high order, particularly in the last act, where a vivid reproduction of the California exposition is staged. A decided innovation and novelty was provided in the runway extending from the stage down the center aisle, upon which the chorus descended, to the amusement of most, and the embarrassment of a few. It will probably be a long time before Brantford will witness another musical comedy to vie with the sterling merits of "The Million Dollar Doll."

Hambourg-Hollingshead. During the visit of the most eccentric of all the world's pianists, Valdirna De Pachmann, in Toronto, he was the guest at the Hambourg Conservatory of the recently deceased director—the lamented Michael Hambourg, who was a close friend. One evening the master was induced to play for a few ardent music worshippers, among whom Redferu Hollingshead was privileged to be an entranced listener. After listening to a glittering series of rhapsody selections, played as only De Pachmann can play, someone asked the tenor to sing, and the impulsive star impromptu, Hollingshead sang one of the modern Italian arias. After finishing the final high B, Pachmann, who had been evincing evidences of delight, rushed to the singer's side, and embracing him warmly in true Russian style, kissed him on both cheeks, exclaiming "Bravo. An Englishman with a true Italian voice. Caruso startled me, but you have charmed me." Mr. Hambourg and Mr. Hollingshead will appear in recital at the Grand Opera House Thursday, March 22.

Vitagraph Pictures. Patrons of the Rex theater will be pleased to hear that Manager Moulde has secured Vitagraph features showing such famous stars as Anita Stewart, Peggy Hyland, Lillian Walker, E. H. Sothern, and many others equally well known. The Vitagraph films will be introduced on Monday next and will be thrown upon the screen every Monday and Tuesday thereafter.

Psychological Snow. Every time there is a heavy storm or a great fall of snow the statisticians compute the loss involved to the city, to various transportation companies, and to all those who are travelling and are supposed to be affected by weather conditions, but the movie man is sadly neglected in these statistics. As a matter of fact a big snow storm during a comparatively snowless winter is a very serious handicap to the motion picture producer whose studio is set in or near New York, unless he is actually planning to use snow in his scenes. For when he has once begun a picture with bare ground as a setting he is driven south by the snow in search of open fields. This is due to the fact that pictures are not produced consecutively, and that frequently the last scene, the first scenes and some of the intermediary action are all photographed at one time. If these have been taken before the snow storm occurs and the action of the picture is continued with the snow on the ground, the effect in the completed picture would be incongruous. As a result of the snow storm which occurred last Monday the Famous Players were forced to send Marguerite Clark South immediately to open fields in which to complete Paramount production, as it had already been in progress for a number of weeks before the storm occurred. It is such unavoidable incidents as these that greatly increase the cost of production.

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GREAT INTEREST IN CORNWALL TRIAL

Emerson St. Pierre and Hattie Richmire Charged With Murder

By Courier Lensed Wire.
Cornwall, Ont., March 21.—Emerson St. Pierre was formally charged with the murder of his father, William St. Pierre, in Osnaburk township on February 8, and Nettie Richmire, who lived with Emerson as his wife, with being an accessory, before Magistrate Danis in the county court this morning.

The crowd of seven hundred which attended the hearing, made it necessary to hold it in the county court instead of the police court.

At the outset Crown Attorney Harkness changed the information against the prisoners. That against St. Pierre was altered from "suspicion of causing the disappearance of his father" to "murder," and that against the Richmire girl from "murder to accessory after the fact."

The first charges were laid upon the discovery of the body of the elder St. Pierre in the cellar of his home by Detective Miller of the Ontario Attorney-General's Department, and after the Richmire girl confessed to shooting St. Pierre, a confession she afterwards cancelled by a further statement.

The little sisters of the male prisoner, Flossie and Leila St. Pierre repeated the testimony they gave at the inquest when they swore that their father, Emerson and Nettie Richmire were at home on the morning of February 8th, the day of the murder, but that when they came home from school they were told their father

had gone to the village. They never saw their father again. They identified an empty purse shown them as their father's.

Answering G. A. Stiles, who appeared for the prisoners, Flossie said they were afraid of their father who used to whip them. Leila swore she used to sleep with her father.

When Nettie Richmire took the stand, G. A. Stiles, her lawyer, stated he had advised her not to answer questions, as it was a preliminary inquiry.

Mr. Harkness contended the witness must answer questions. If she did not the case would be adjourned from time to time until she did answer. Mr. Stiles had no right to give such advice.

Mr. Stiles said he would accept all responsibility. He wanted to explain that when the girl was arrested he asked her to make no statement and sign none, but that notwithstanding this a statement had been secured from her.

The witness, with her head bent, told how she went to live at the St. Pierre house and with Emerson, who she said she thought she was going to marry. On February 8th she had trouble with William St. Pierre. They were alone in the house at the time, Emerson being away with his mother in Chesterville.

Miss Richmire could not be got to connect Emerson St. Pierre with the murder directly. She said she told her lover of St. Pierre senior's conduct. Mr. Harkness urged her to tell the whole truth about what happened in the St. Pierre home that day, and Mr. Stiles said that sort of argument had been used before to get statements from the girl.

This Mr. Harkness denied, claiming Miss Richmire had made statements voluntarily. The magistrate instructed the witness to answer.

Miss Richmire said she did not shoot St. Pierre, as she at first claimed. A shot was fired that day. The girl declined to answer a question

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as to who did the shooting. She and St. Pierre were alone in the room, Emerson had gone out. When hit, the old man leaped across the table at which they were sitting and died. The witness said the body was thrown into the cellar and Emerson buried it next day.

To Mr. Stiles, Miss Richmire said the old man threatened to murder her. He violated his own children.

Miss Richmire identified a shotgun as the weapon used to kill St. Pierre. She refused to say who fired the gun, but stated St. Pierre threatened her about ten minutes before he was killed.

Dr. Brown, of Aultsville, who performed the autopsy, said the shot which killed St. Pierre could have been fired from an upstairs room into his back.

F. Stidwell, Cornwall, a civil engineer, pointed out that there was a knot hole in the ceiling behind the table at which St. Pierre sat. Detective Inspector Miller said that when he searched Emerson he found upon him the purse the children had identified as their father's. It also found a cartridge, which fitted the gun produced, at the foot of the stairs, leading to the attic.

Emerson St. Pierre was committed for trial by the magistrate. The court then adjourned for lunch.

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Montreal, March 21.—George Barr Baker, a member of the Commission for the Relief of Belgium, states that a large amount of the energy of the Commission is being exhausted appealing for funds and explaining the terrible condition of the Belgian nation so that help may be forthcoming to save them from wholesale death by starvation.

"We have worn out one good man after another," he states, in explaining the appalling conditions and begging for help. One city sent us a ton of boot trees, for which the Commission paid the freight, not knowing the contents of the cases, and thinking that they might contain sadly needed necessities. When the cases were opened our people were broken hearted. Another consignment consisted of five tons of chiffon dresses and party shoes for peasant children to go to school in and peasant women to use in their work in the fields.

"Incidents like these show how little the public realize the appalling misery from sheer want of food with which the members of the Commission are so familiar. People here can get some idea of what conditions we are facing in Belgium when I tell them that the Commission has to serve 10,000,000 meals per day. Scanty meals they are, too, compared with what people on this continent understand as meals. There are as many as 5,000,000 people out of those to whom we serve food every day who only get to keep them alive a hunk of bread and a bowl of broth per day.

"A short time ago the need of money was so urgent that Mr. Hoover, the chairman of the commission, had to appeal to the governments of

Great Britain and France to add more to the generous aid already given, because voluntary subscriptions were falling so much behind what had been hoped, and, hard pressed as they were, they borrowed money to give him to save those poor people from death by hunger and disease and cold. The people of Britain are themselves voluntarily contributing \$600,000 a month, but we are \$3,000,000 a month behind requirements."

Will you help the Belgians? Any subscription from a dollar up will be gratefully received by the Central Belgian Relief Committee, 59 St. Peter St., Montreal, or any branch committee throughout Canada.

Darcy Declines

Toronto, March 20.—Les Darcy, the Australian pugilist, at present in New York, in a letter to the local boxing promoter, flatly refused to consider a proposition to join a Toronto regiment. He intimated that if he joined at all he would return to his own country for that purpose, but not until he had engaged in a few ring bouts.

Reception For Dentals

Toronto, March 20.—A big reception will be accorded the Toronto Dental College hockey team, winners of the Allan cup, on their return from Winnipeg. All the members of the team with one exception will enlist on the completion of their studies.

Japs Would Vote

Vancouver, March 20.—Through their counsel, Sir Charles Herbert Tupper, naturalized Japanese of British Columbia have approached the provincial government with a request that they be enfranchised for provincial and federal elections.

Murderer Escaped

Birmingham, Ala., March 20.—David Overton, former clerk of the Madison county circuit court, convicted last fall of having murdered Judge W. T. Lawler, escaped early today from Jefferson county Jail. Overton is said to have escaped with six other prisoners, two under death sentence, after they had overpowered the guards. The fugitives are believed to have gone north.

The death occurred at Galt, after only a few days' illness from pleuropneumonia, of Aid Wm. Stuart, aged 60.

Trainer Dead.
Los Angeles, March 20.—Captain Jack Bonavita, widely known animal trainer, died here last night as the result of a fractured jaw and severe lacerations suffered in a struggle with a polar bear. He was putting

the bear through its customary tricks when the animal became enraged and attacked him. The trainer was saved from immediate death by a policeman, who fired six bullets into the animal, killing it instantly. Captain Bonavita's right hand was

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for others.
Now the Good Fairies had been
watching this old woman's kind
deeds, and they wanted to help her,
so they flew to her home one night
and peeped in at the window.
"She is so unselfish, so good and
so kind, that I feel we must find a
way to give her the things she
needs," said one Good Fairy, and
she changed herself into an old man
and knocked.
"Come in," cried the old woman,
and the old man walked in.
"May I have something to eat,"
he asked.
"What I have is yours, sir," re-
plied the old woman, and she set
some dry bread and a bowl of soup
before him.
"But what will you have if I eat
this?" asked the old man, for he
saw the cupboard was empty.
"Oh, I shall fix me some after-
you have finished," replied the
old woman, insisting that she was not
the old man nodded. Finally the
old woman fell fast asleep, and the
Good Fairy called her companions.
"They hurried across and before
many seconds the cupboard was filled
with good things to eat.
They made her a beautiful gown
from a soft gray cloud, and trimmed
it with blue from the sky. Black
Spiders offered her the web for a lace,
and the Good Fairies went in search
of lady-slippers which they charmed
to fit the old woman. As soon as
they had finished their work, the
door opened and peeped in at the
window again.
When the old woman awakened
she rubbed her eyes.
"I guess I'm fast asleep," she
said, as she smelled the good things
cooking and saw the table set and
a splendid supper spread.
She started up and stumbled over
the slippers.
"Surely I am dreaming!" she
whispered, picking them up.
"No! they are real! And see!
here's a beautiful new gown," she
exclaimed, holding them tight, as
the tears ran down her cheeks.
"One never knows whom they are
entertaining these days," the old
woman said to herself, as she sat
down at the first really nice meal
she had had in many a day.
The Good Fairies, quite proud be-
cause they had made the old woman
happy, flew away to find some one
else they could help, for the Good
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knowledge the stories one frequently
hears of drunkenness and immorality
among the troops from overseas
while training in England. The let-
ter concludes. In an army of millions
of men it cannot be expected that
every individual will wear the halo
of a saintly life, though even the
meaneast dare not abuse their hono-
rable death upon the field of battle.
The average man knows that the
army is fundamentally sound and do
not bother to look up exact facts,
make inquiries, or investigate statis-
tics. It is only the "higher" one that
parade all the evil that they can
gather together, omitting and sup-
pressing the vast and utterly dispropor-
tionate mass of good.
The real facts are astonishing, a
lasting tribute to the sterling quali-
ties inherent in the race.
Drunkenness, crime and immorality
in the army have come down to a
percentage so low that no civilian
community could rival it. The stand-
ard of military good conduct is ex-
ceedingly high, framed as it was in
the past for a regular picked army.
It has not been lowered or modified
in any way to meet the needs of
citizens now entering mili-
tary life. Indeed, if one takes into
account the severity of military dis-
cipline when overseas upon active
service, it will easily be seen that
the standard is a higher one than
civilians have ever had to live up to.
To sum up the whole thing, the
honor of the British and overseas
troops is little short of marvellous in
its excellence. Take note of it for
yourself, and having seen it, pride
yourself upon it as a feather in the
national cap. London-to-day is four
times a safer and a better city than
it was three years ago. When you
hear talk of "purity leagues" and
campaigns, remember that the people be-
hind them, the subtle German influ-
ence and the mad-brained, unpleas-
ant folk who see dirt where no dirt
is. The nation is proud of her sol-
diers; let us, the great, their hono-
r; for such underhand attacks.

**CANADIAN
HONOR ROLL**

Killed in Action
London—Pte. Wesley Jenkins, Pte
C. H. Fitzgerald.
Wounded
London—Pte. M. A. Prudhomme,
Galt—Pte. Frank W. Lee,
Brantford—Pte. H. J. Hall.
Last night's casualties, following
heavy lists for several days, were
as follows:
Mrs. H. J. Hall, of 275 Brant Ave.
yesterday had word that her hus-
band, Pte. Hall of the Infantry, had
been admitted to No. 13 Field Ambu-
lance on March 1, suffering from a
gunshot wound in the leg and a
compound fracture. He left with a
battalion which wintered here. He
formerly worked on a farm at Dur-
ford.
London Men
London, March 21.—Pte. Wesley
Jenkins, a former Free Press man,
officially reported killed yesterday,
has now been officially reported killed
in action, his mother, Mrs. Ther-
esa Jenkins, of 1 Marjona street,
receiving official notification from
Ottawa yesterday. Pte. Jenkins went
overseas with the 135th (Middlesex)
Battalion. He had been rejected once
for overseas service, but tried again
and was finally passed by the doc-
tors.
Word has been received of the
death in action of Pte. C. H. Fitz-
gerald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fitz-
gerald, of Ceylon, Sask., formerly of
this city. Pte. Fitzgerald went over-
seas last October, and a letter had
just been received from him in which
he said the trenches were "quiet-
er than the streets of Toronto." He
was born in this city, but had been
resident of Toronto for 14 years.
Two brothers are at the front.
Thought to be Dead
Galt, March 21.—After 9 months
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lee, Center St.,
were officially notified yesterday that
their son, Pte. Frank Walter Lee,
had been wounded on June 13, 1916,
and had been reported dead since
last spring, and while inquiries were
made of the authorities no replies
were received. Four-
clums of Pte. Lee wrote stating that
he had been wounded, but at that
time they had lost all trace of him,
presuming he had met his death in
mud. Little hope is held out for his
being alive. He was 32 years of age
and was born in England.
The Salvation Army will build a
\$25,000 rescue home in London.

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**LAST SURVIVOR
OF MASSACRE AT
CAWNPORE DEAD**

**Gen. Sir Mowbray Thomson
Passes Away in Old
Country**

**A VETERAN OF INDIA
He Fought Against the No-
torious Nana Sahib**

General Sir Mowbray Thom-
son, K.C.L.E., last survivor of the
horrors of Cawnpore in the
Mutiny, has just died in his
bed at Reading, at the age of
eighty-four. He was twenty-five
when, in July, 1857, hun-
dreds of English men, women
and children were butchered
by their fellow countrymen.
Nana Sahib. But four brave men lived
when all others perished in
the massacre. They were Thom-
son and DeLafosse, both young
officers, and Murphy and Sul-
livan, valiant Irish privates.

India and Britain have long sin-
cerely buried the hatchet, but the story
of those terrible days will remain a
vivid memory whatever history may
have in store in the future. The
pulse stirs at the tale.

For three weeks a handful of
brave British held out at Cawnpore
against the Sepoys who had revolted.
Lieut. Thomson with sixteen
men had charge of a barracks, the
key of the position, and in such an
exposed position that he was twice
wounded. On the twenty-first day
of the siege, Nana Sahib, of infam-
ous memory, negotiated with Gen-
eral Wheeler, pledging himself that in
the event of the surrender of the
entrenchments every soul should be
allowed to march out with the hon-
ors of war, and that, in addition,
boats should be allowed them to
carry all unlooted down the Gan-
ges to Allahabad. The agreement
was solemnly ratified, and on June
27, therefore, a wretched procession
passed out from behind the shot-
torn walls. The longest column
was that of the palanquins of the
sick and wounded, which, indeed, so
far exceeded the estimates formed
that a dozen cases had even to be
left behind, the rebel chiefs promis-
ing that they should be sent on later.
As a fact, these miserable and
wounded men thus left behind, were
the first victims, being dragged
from their blankets and submitted
to every indignity and cruelty be-
fore being butchered.

The main procession meanwhile
had moved over the bare field,
three-quarters of a mile in length,
to the Sati Chaura Ghat, where were
big wooden barges, each with a thick
thatch of straw. The sick and
wounded were lifted with much in-
jury onto the boats. No treachery
was suspected, the river bank being
crowded with thousands of native
spectators. Of troops or guns there
was no sign, being behind every wall
and house, behind the trees and
Temple ti Siva, beside the ghat,
crouched the terrible Nanas men.

The first victim
The unhappy General Wheeler
was the last to leave the bank. As
he reached the side of the boat,
that already contained his wife and
daughters, the signal was apparent-
ly given. Without so much as a
cry of hatred, the sowars escorting
him struck him down. At once all
the native boatmen set fire to the
straw thatching in the boats and
leaped ashore. From every side
came a rain of bullets. Eight hun-
dred helpless people were killed.
Helpless English women were torn
out of the boats and bludgeoned to
death, the happiest those whose
heads were soonest smashed in.

Only one boat made its way out
into deep water and began to drift
downstream, leaving behind it a
hell of relentless ferocity. It was
on that crazy craft that the only
survivors who lived to tell the tale.
Sir Mowbray Thomson's story of
the amazing escape was as follows:
"I threw into the Ganges my
father's Ghuznee medal, my moth-
er's portrait, all the property I had
left, determined that they should
only have my life for a prey, and
with one final shudder at the devil-
try enacted upon that bank, and
which it was impossible to mitigate
by remaining any longer in its
reach, I struck out, swimming for
the retreating boat." He reached it,
and by midday they were out of
range of the guns which had been
firing continuously on them.
"The horrors and the lingering
hours of that day," said Sir Mow-
bray Thomson, "seemed as if they
would never cease; we had no food
in the boat, and had taken nothing
before starting. The water of the
Ganges was all that passed our lips,
save prayers and shrieks and groans.
In the afternoon I saw a sepoy
from behind a tree deliberately tak-
ing aim at me the bullet struck the

side of my head, and I fell into the
boat stunned by the wound. "We
were just going to throw you over-
board," was the greeting I had from
some of the men when I revived."
The desperate fight had floated
down the river and within a few
days they were back in the scene of
their former trials, but this time on
a mission of retribution.
Sir Mowbray took part in the suc-
sequent fighting and was wounded
in all five times, while he also had
two horses shot under him. He re-
tired with the rank of major-gener-
al, in 1895, and nine years later
joined the general, the K. C. I. E.,
being conferred on him in connection
with the Coronation Durbar at
Delhi.

Daylight Saving.
Winnipeg, March 20.—Notice was
given at the city council meeting last
night at the next meeting a bylaw
would be introduced to repeal the
daylight saving measure, which un-
less repealed comes automatically
into effect April 22. Letters were
read from trades and labor coun-
cil and the street railway men's union
asking for the repeal.

**Glass of Hot Water
Before Breakfast
a Splendid Habit**
Open sluices of the system each
morning and wash away the
poisonous, stagnant matter,
Those of us who are accustomed
to feel dull and heavy when we
arise; splitting headache, stuffy from
a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath,
acid stomach, lame back, can instead,
both look and feel as fresh as a daisy
always by washing the poisons and
toxins from the body with phosphat-
ed hot water each morning.
We should drink, before break-
fast, a glass of real hot water with
a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate
in it to flush from the stomach, liver,
kidneys and ten yards of bowels the
previous day's indigestible waste,
sour bile and poisonous toxins; it
cleanses, sweetens and purifies the
entire alimentary tract before
putting more food into the stomach.
The action of lime stone phosphate
and hot water on an empty stomach
is wonderful in its effects. It cleans
out all the four fermentations, gases,
waste and acidity and gives one a
splendid appetite for breakfast and
it is said to be but a little while until
the roses begin to appear in the
cheeks. A quarter pound of limestone
phosphate will cost very little at a
drug store, but it is sufficient to make
anyone who is bothered with bilious-
ness, constipation, stomach trouble or
rheumatism a real enthusiast on the
subject of internal sanitation. Try
it and you are assured that you will
look better and feel better in every
way shortly.

There are some subjects on which
many people simply will not use
their customary common sense.
One is love; another is money, es-
pecially in relation to its investment.
Many people who are intelligent
enough to make money are neither
intelligent or self-controlled in what
they expect that money to do.
They don't seem to have an idea
of using a two-and-two-makes-four
or can't possibly make-five brand
of common sense on this subject.
They Hope So Hard That They
Don't Reason.
I suppose they hope so hard that
hope completely dominates reason.
For instance, we were speaking of
someone who is paying for his house
co-operative bank monthly. In ten
years he will own his house.
"There," said the Authorman's
wife, "now, why couldn't you have
done that with the little house we
bought? We get thirty dollars rent
and we could turn twenty-five right
in. Why, just think, we pay a hun-
dred and twenty-five dollars a year
on our mortgage and that doesn't
reduce it one bit. I always felt there
was some better way, but you would
go to that bank."
He Thought It Useless to Explain.
The Authorman started to speak,
then gave her a look in which in-
credulity, anger and enforced toler-
ance were blended, shrugged his
shoulders and said nothing.
It was the Cynic who came to his
rescue and explained that the man
was paying for his house with
paying tax rates, water rates and re-
pairs, besides the co-operative pay-
ment; that to do as he was doing
she would have to turn over most of
the rent to the co-operative, and on
top of that pay other expenses in-
stead of getting some income as she
now was.
That, you say, was a woman.
Very well, I know an insurance
agent who had a beautiful argument
which proved that it cost so much
more to own a house than by renting
you save enough for a large insur-
ance policy.
A Great Many Men Didn't Stop to
Analyze.
He convinced a great many men
with that glittering argument, de-
spite the two glaring fallacies that he
pictured up as owning a house
much more costly than the rented
one, and that his figures for depre-
ciation and repairs were outrageous.
There are certain axioms of in-
vestment which will help keep any-
one out of trouble.
The first is this: You can get a
certain interest for your money to-
gether with reasonable guarantees of
safety. If you want more than that
you must make up your mind to take
some risk.
The second is as old as it is new.
"You can't get something for noth-
ing."

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SIDE TALKS
BY RUTH YARVIS CAMERON

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Rippling Rhymes
Walt Mason

When'er I blow myself for taters,
I whine the greedy speculators
who've made the prices high; re-
trenchment is an empty byword
when prices still are shooting sky-
ward, and no relief is nigh. It mat-
ters nothing, and the richer are held
up or gasoline; the rich folk need to do
no yawning if they, when in the mar-
ket shopping, are taxed an extra
bean. But I am sorry for the tollers,
true victims of the heartless spoilers
who make the prices soar; the hon-

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Who Pays the Penalty?

Last April two of
our representatives
solicited applications
for life assurance
from a prominent
Toronto wholesale
merchant and his son.
They succeeded in
selling to the father
a policy for a consid-
erable amount, but
the son could not be
induced to protect
his dependents in
this way against the
financial loss which
would result from
his early death.
Less than two
months afterwards
the daily newspapers

recorded the tragic
story of the younger
man's accidental
death. His failure to
act when action was
possible deprives his
family of the insur-
ance money which
he could have secur-
ed to them so easily.
Have you made any
provision for your
wife and little ones
in case you should
die suddenly? An
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tection Policy will
do it. Write for par-
ticulars to-day; to-
morrow may be too
late.

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LADY'S WAIST.
By Anabel Worthington.

As spring tries to break through the win-
ter's snow and frost the shirt waist be-
comes more than ever the garment of im-
portance in the average woman's affec-
tions. As with dresses, simplicity, of
course, rules the new designs, but for all
that the novelty effects are many. Some-
times the collar shows novel treatment,
again the cuffs, or some striking feature
of the front of the blouse may claim atten-
tion.
In the illustration you see a waist such
as we spoke of, one of truly distinctive
character, cut with simple fitness and
having the front and back gathered to
yokes. An snug vest of contrasting
goods, outlined by satin or other ma-
terial in opposing color, is the striking
feature of this model. The covered
buttons suggest front-closing, but in reality
the blouse slips on over the head. The
further attractiveness of the model, for
fall length sleeve a smart cuff is another
detail with charm.
The waist pattern No. 8,178 cuts in sizes
15 and lace, voile also in combination, and yards of 36 inch material and 3/4 of a yard
linen in two colors are a few suggestions of contrasting goods. Use 2 1/2 yards all one
color for copying the model. The way of the material.
To obtain the pattern send 10 cents to
the office of this publication.

Rev. H. J. Harwell, of Drayton,
has been invited to the Fergus
Methodist church.
Kitchener's Patriotic Fund last
night totalled \$105,000 with more
to come.

The wife and infant daughter of
J. L. Scheiter, barrister, died in St.
Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton.
News has been received by rela-
tives of the death in action of F. A.
Jackson of Duncan, B. C.

