

ALLIES REJECT NEW OFFER OF GERMAN GOV'T

French Declare Proposal is Really a Step Backward in Negotiations.

DEMAND DAMAGES FOR WAR CRUELTIES

Brussels Declares Latest Offer Differs Little from One Made at London.

Paris, April 27.—Jean Jules Jusserand, French ambassador to the United States, has been informed by the German Government that the German reparations proposals, as transmitted to the Washington Government, are absolutely unacceptable.

The French point of view is that these proposals, instead of making any advance toward a satisfactory settlement of the reparations questions, are rather a step backward.

What is Decided

The reparations commission has fixed 120,000,000,000 gold marks as the total damages for which reparation is due by Germany under Article 233, second paragraph, and under other parts of the treaty of Versailles.

Damages For Cruelty

Included in the various categories for which compensation is demanded under the treaty are damages suffered from cruelty, violence or maltreatment, all positions to the naval and military victims; the cost of assistance by the Allied Powers to prisoners of war and their families and dependents; allowances for similar purposes, and all losses, fines and other exactions imposed by Germany and her allies upon civilian populations.

Nothing to Approve

Brussels, April 27.—The German reparations proposals with regard to cruelties were declared in political circles here today to be entirely unacceptable. It was pointed out the new proposals did not differ materially from those submitted by the Germans at the London conference.

Germans Are Vague

It is pointed out in official circles that the Germans in their proposals are precise in their demands and extremely vague in their offers, and that what they propose would yield to France only one-third of the French reparations claims, and that only conditionally.

The Germans, on the other hand, demand: First, release of all pledges held by the Allies in the way of occupation or claims upon German property abroad; second, that Upper Silesia shall remain German territory; third, release from all the cost of the military occupation of the Rhineland, as well as the evacuation of other German territory.

This amounts, according to the French view, to giving up all guarantees without any alternative security or definite assurance that the promised amount will be paid.

Indemnity Difference Small Says Berlin

One London Paper Declares German Proposals Are Worthy of Consideration.

Paris, April 27.—The German embassy here has issued a lengthy explanatory statement regarding Germany's reparations offer. It claims that the difference between the sum offered in Berlin's last proposal of two hundred billion gold marks and the 120,000,000,000 gold marks under the Paris terms "is but small."

Deserves Consideration

London, April 27.—The Daily Mail in an article printed this morning concluding the German note says the British Government's attitude is that it "deserves examination." Premier Lloyd George, it is understood says the Daily Mail has declared privately that if Germany arbitrarily makes her offer dependent upon having her own way in Upper Silesia and upon the immediate withdrawal of the Allied troops from the Rhine—measures which are generally read into paragraph twelve—it will be impossible to consider it at the Supreme Council tomorrow.

Two Killed, Score Injured in Fiume

City Votes for Autonomy and Will Form Soon a New Administration.

Fiume, April 27.—Final returns from the elections of Sunday show that the Anzianisti under the leadership of Benito Mussolini, were victorious by more than a thousand votes. The old provisional government has resigned, but is remaining in office until the new administration takes up its duties. In the riot following the balloting two persons were killed and a score wounded. Italian alpine troops now occupy the city and order has been restored.

Greek Ships Sunk By Soviet Submarine

Munition Craft Fall Victims in Western Mediterranean to Russian Boats.

Rome, April 27.—Turkish merchant ships arriving at Brindisi from Constantinople say Mustafa Kemal, Turkish Nationalist leader, has been getting money from Lenin to carry on the war with Greece. In addition they say, the Ankara Government has received from Russia several submarines which are already working in the western Mediterranean and the Black Sea, cutting off Greek supplies. It is said the Greeks have lost several ships, including the Arcadia, loaded with munitions, recently by these undersea craft.

GALLERY PACKED FOR DEBATES ON PREMIERS' MEET

Sir Robert Borden Says Britain Hesitant to Declare War Canada Opposed.

HON. MR. KING IS CRITICAL OF PLANS

Premier Declares Delegates Must Not be Sent With Hands Tied.

Ottawa, Ont., April 27.—Parliament passed today in the wider field of constitutional development and imperial relations. It was the day set aside for discussion of the coming London conference of Prime Ministers of the Empire—a conference preliminary to the Imperial Conference proper of which the date has not yet been fixed.

It was a day of earnest, thoughtful speeches of discussion closely followed by a well attended house and well-filled galleries. Appropriately, the debate was opened by Sir Robert Borden. Sir Robert stressed imperial development from the days of the Georges when government was not responsible to parliament and parliament was not responsible to the people.

Today, Great Britain would hesitate to engage in any war if public opinion in Canada and Australia were against her, he said, and here Sir Robert emphasized that any important constitutional change must have behind it the weight of public opinion.

Hon. Mr. King's Amendment

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, leader of the opposition, who followed, raised an issue which brought protest from the government side of the House. In amendment to the supply motion, which gave opportunity for the discussion, Mr. King moved that no step should be taken at the conference in any way involving any change in the relations of Canada to other portions of the empire, and that, "in view of the present financial position of Canada, no action should be taken implying any obligation on the part of Canada to undertake new expenditures for naval or military purposes."

Seven Thousand Men Laid Off For Week

Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Shut Down Shops in Montreal.

Montreal, April 27.—The Grand Trunk Railway shops here closed today for a week. Seven thousand men are affected. The men, who are temporarily laid off, had long indignation meetings, claiming that they were being laid off under a contract which would give them steady employment.

Hudson Bay Ry. Cost Already \$20,000,000

Original Estimate Was \$8,410,000—Now Said Much More Will be Required.

Ottawa, April 27.—That a total of \$20,000,000 had been expended on the Hudson Bay Railway, and that \$24,254,862.62 of this amount was expended on the railway, and \$5,745,861.71 on the Port Nelson terminals, was stated in the House of Commons this afternoon in answer to a question by Thomas McQuest, Saltcoats. An estimate, based on the original estimates, placed the cost of completing the railway at \$2,410,000, but the previous was added that under present conditions the cost of completing the railway would probably be twice the amount.

MONTEAL POPULATION, 758,045

Montreal, April 27.—The population of Montreal last year, according to estimates made by the city assessor, was 758,045 people, of whom 478,803 were French-Canadian; 161,371 English; 55,373 Irish; 31,724 Scotch, and 34,668 of other nationalities.

FARMERS OF WEST REDUCE CROP AREAS

Advised to Sow Only What They Can Harvest Without Assistance.

APPEAL TO RAIL BOARD FOR HELP

Prairie Governments Say Situation is Most Critical for Entire Dominion.

Winnipeg, April 27.—Emergency relief at the earliest possible date in order to prevent production from falling to so low a level that it may constitute a most dangerous situation not only for the country at large but also for the railways interested, was requested by H. J. Symington, K. C., on behalf of the governments of Manitoba and Saskatchewan at the afternoon and concluding session of the railway commission today. Mr. Symington declared that never before had similar conditions existed in the West and that farmers' organizations were instructing the farmers to produce only what they could harvest themselves. The farmers, he said, were becoming dependent and urged that something be done to save the situation.

NEW BRUNSWICK LEADERS ATTEND BIBLE MEETING

Rev. H. A. Goodwin of St. John on Committee Advising Changes.

ST. STEPHEN RECTOR ELECTED TO OFFICE

Half Million Dollar Deficit Reported by British and Foreign Bible Society.

Ottawa, April 27.—In future the work of the Canadian Bible Society will be carried on by two sub-committees, one East and one West, of the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence river, the parent body. This decision was reached at the meeting of the General Board of the society, which was held at St. Stephen, N. B., this afternoon. It was the result of a report made by Rev. S. J. Farmer, Ottawa, director of the parent body. This decision was reached at the meeting of the General Board of the society, which was held at St. Stephen, N. B., this afternoon. It was the result of a report made by Rev. S. J. Farmer, Ottawa, director of the parent body.

Prince Edward Island Wants Lower Freights

Legislature Will Appeal to Minister of Railways to Give Assistance to Potato Growers

Charlottetown, P.E.I., April 27.—The Provincial Legislature prorogued today after a seven weeks' session. Thirty-six bills were assented to, including amendments to the school and tax act, and a number of other measures, the most important being an act, incorporating the Prince Edward Island Light, Heat and Power Co. with a capitalization of two million dollars, the company proposing to operate throughout the island from one central coal-burning plant. Another bill provided for the franchise with the telephone company for five years, under certain conditions.

Last night a resolution was passed asking the minister of railways to reduce the freight rates on potatoes, one-third until June 15, to enable farmers to dispose of their large surplus stock.

No Word From Allies At Washington Yet

But America is Not Expected to Delay Forwarding German Terms to London.

Washington, April 27.—The United States Government tonight was still without any official information as to the attitude of the Allied Powers with respect to Germany's counter proposals on reparations. Consequently a reply to the communication received from Berlin yesterday has not been prepared.

Only three days remain before the date set by the French Government for the beginning of its move into additional German territory it is expected that a reply to the German communication will not be long delayed.

German Labor Heads Leave For London

London, April 27.—The German labor leader, Peter Grassman, Wilhelm Dittmann, Otto Hue and Herr Silberschmidt, have left Berlin for London for the purpose of discussing questions regarding reparations and reconstruction of the devastated areas of France with British labor leaders, says the Central News' Amsterdam correspondent today.

GET BIG CONTRACT

The contract for the construction of the structure for an international bridge at Edmundston, N. B., has been awarded to D. Burpee & Sons, South Doron, N. B. It was reported yesterday. The bridge is to be financed by Canada and the State of Maine, jointly. The cost of the structure is estimated, it is said, at \$25,000,000.

KILL EIGHT HORSE DAY

Winnipeg, April 27.—The bill introduced by A. E. Smith, labor member for Brandon, giving executive recognition to the eight hour day and the 48 hour week, was defeated on second reading in the Legislature last night by 29 votes to 14.

World News Today

CANADA Division in Ottawa gives Government a majority of 33 votes.

True bills for murder are found against Beekel Berry and O. Gains Steeves at Hopewell Cape, N. B.

Farmers of the West refuse to sow more grain than they can harvest themselves easily.

UNITED STATES Embargo bill amendments all adopted and bill will go to Senate early next week.

United States has not been informed yet of possibility of view of the Allies on German offer.

THE BRITISH ISLES Pong Irishmen are to be executed this morning for attacks on Crown forces.

Settlement of the coal miners strike is once more possible at early date.

EUROPE France and Belgium definitely announce that German offer is not acceptable.

Berlin voters declare that to pay the indemnities will require a twelve hour working day for many years.

UNEMPLOYED COST ALREADY \$23,133,093

West Makes Biggest Drains Upon the Canadian Purse to Feed Hungry.

Ottawa, April 27.—That up to April 23, \$23,133,093 had been paid by the Dominion Government to municipalities throughout Canada under the emergency appropriation for relief of the unemployed, was stated in the House of Commons this afternoon.

Winnipeg lead the list with \$61,003.49, and Vancouver next with \$49,457. The municipalities and the amounts paid to them as the government's share of the relief plan, follow:—Amherst, N. S., \$380.54; Montreal, \$3,111.03; Winnipeg, \$61,003.49; Moose Jaw, \$7,506.18; Saskatoon, \$1,330.37; Regina, \$10,540.24; New Westminster, B. C., \$112.30; Vancouver, \$49,457; St. James, Man., \$347.47; West Kildonan, B. C., \$216.49; Burnaby, B. C., \$149; Nelson, B. C., \$186.51; Prince Rupert, B. C., \$1,653.43; the district of South Vancouver, B. C., \$5,519.23; Cumberland, B. C., \$232.21. Total \$23,133,093.42.

Three Bills Before House of Commons

One Would Make Armistice Day a Perpetual Memorial in Canada.

Ottawa, April 27.—Three bills were introduced at the opening of the House of Commons this afternoon. The first which was followed by Dr. H. S. Boland, Beauce, provided for the day of the word "maple" in connection with adulterated maple products, if the fact of adulteration is clearly indicated on the package.

The second was the government bill to amend the Bankruptcy Act which stands in the name of the Solicitor-General. No explanation of this bill was given.

The third which was introduced by H. M. Mowat, Parkdale, seeks to set aside Monday of the week in which armistice day occurs, as a day of general thanksgiving.

Greeks Await More Troops For Battle

Turks Think They Will Get Reinforcements from Cilicia—Both Sides Marking Time.

Athens, April 27.—The much discussed removal of the Greek offensive against the Turkish Nationalists has again been postponed and the present activities on the front are being confined to sporadic encounters in the Southern sector, yielding no decisive results. Both sides are apparently marking time. The Greeks awaiting fresh troops and supplies in order to present an unbroken front to the enemy and the Turks anticipating further forces from Cilicia.

Fur Prices Much Higher At Winnipeg

Silver Fox Advances One Hundred Per Cent. and Lots Bring \$55,000.

Winnipeg, April 27.—Advances of 100 per cent. in silver fox featured the sale of furs held here today by the Winnipeg fur auction company. Two hundred and sixty-two lots were disposed of, totaling \$55,000. Lynx advanced 50 per cent, fisher 40, mink and beaver 30, and marten 20. Prairie wolf, skunk and weasel suffered ten per cent. decline. Spring, fall and winter muskrat, otter, cross and red fox, wolverine and black bear were unchanged from the last sale.

KILLED BY LIVE WIRE

Montreal, April 27.—Picking up a charged wire which had fallen in the yards of the Dominion Glass Company, Limited, 804 Wellington Street, of which he is the night watchman, I. Chaput, 55, of 1179 Wellington Street, Verdun, was instantly killed this evening.

PROSPECTS FOR STRIKE ENDING MUCH BRIGHTER

Government Proposes a State Grant for a Period of Three or Four Months.

GUARANTEES STEADY BUT SMALLER WAGE

New Plans to be Considered at Meeting of All Parties Involved This Morning.

London, April 27.—A settlement of the coal strike tonight appeared more likely than at any time since the men laid down their tools. The government during the day made another concession, further narrowing the gulf between the miners and the mine owners by proposing a state grant for a transitional period of three or four months, under which the miners would be insured against their wages being reduced more than three shillings per day.

Owners Not Agreed. The mine owners have not yet agreed to this plan, but both they and the government will consider the new situation further tomorrow, and the hope was expressed tonight that an agreeable basis will be arranged between them for presentation to the miners' conference Thursday evening.

As the miners already have agreed to a two shilling reduction, it is considered that there are good prospects the coming week will see a settlement of the dispute.

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Four Rebels Will Be Executed Today

Irishmen Are Charged With Levying War Against the British Crown Forces.

Cork, April 27.—Four men are to be shot tomorrow morning at the military barracks here. They are Patrick O'Sullivan, Maurice Moore, Patrick Roosen and Thomas MacCahy. The men were convicted of levying war against the British Crown forces. The corporation and harbor board of Cork have passed a resolution saying that as the British high court in Ireland and the British ministry recognize the state of war existing, the executions will contravene civilized warfare and the dictates of common humanity.

Copies of the resolution have been sent to the United States President and Pope Benedict.

TWELVE HOUR DAY REQUIRED TO PAY ALLIES

Germans Wail They Cannot Pay Indemnities on a Shorter Period.

BERLIN WORRIED OVER THE FUTURE

Bankers Declare Entente Demands Will Ruin the Nation for Years to Come.

Berlin, April 27.—The German workman will have to become reconciled to a twelve-hour day if the economic obligations involved in the German proposals are to be redeemed, says the Red Flag, the communist organ today, which estimates that the working hours for fifteen million workers will be increased by one-third or more if the nation is to raise six billion gold marks annually.

Chancellor Pessimistic

While the political writers are optimistic in their appraisal of the prospective outcome of the appeal of the foreign minister, Dr. Brüning, to President Harding, the financial writers, looking further ahead, take an extremely gloomy view of Germany's ability to carry the self-imposed burden.

The total present Bourse value of the shares of German industrial corporation is estimated by the Vossische Zeitung at eight billion marks, thus representing only a fraction of the amount named in the counter-proposal. The annual payments on the German offer, the newspaper states, exceeded the present total income tax revenue.

What Will Germans Do?

Just what will be the state of German finances in the event Germany's offer is accepted can only be conjectured, said a leading banker today. He called attention to the present state of the national exchequer which is struggling with a current deficit of eighty billion marks and an uncollected national debt of 150 billion marks to which must be added eight billion marks in unredeemed war loans and an equal amount of paper currency.

The banker declared the Entente statement must proceed cautiously, when prescribing the manner in which the German counter-proposal should be carried out, if accepted, in order to prevent Germany from lapsing into the partial state of anarchy prevalent in Austria.

Industrial centres are inclined to view the proposal as a "political offer," whose authors did not take the trouble to inform themselves of its ultimate feasibility.

Lemieux Promises To Hasten Action

So Election Committee Decides to Take No Action Against Him.

Ottawa, Ont., April 27.—After listening to a statement by Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux to the effect that he had not colluded in any way with the petitioner or who is protesting his election in the constituency of Maisonneuve, and receiving from him an undertaking that he would do his utmost to have the hearing of the petition pressed, the committee on privileges and elections this morning decided that no action should be taken. The case of the member for Maisonneuve and Gagne was disposed of in about half an hour.

Extraditable Crime To Desert Children

Washington, D. C., April 27.—The treaty between the United States and Great Britain to make desertion of children an extraditable offense between the country and Canada was ratified today by the Senate.

STEEVES AND BERRY MUST STAND TRIALS

True Bills Found Against Prisoners Held on Murder Charge.

STEEVES' TRIAL IS SET FOR MAY 10TH

Sensational Nature of Cases Draws Big Crowd to Opening of the Court.

Moncton, N. B., April 27.—True bills were found against O. Gains Steeves and Beekel Berry, both charged with wife murder, by the grand jury at the opening of the April term of the Albert County Circuit court at Hopewell Cape this morning. Chief Justice McKowen presided.

There is much interest in the Steeves and Berry cases throughout the county and the result was that there was a very large attendance at the court.

There were two other criminal cases on the docket: The King vs Elmer Mellish, charged with striking and assaulting, and The King vs Charles M. Steeves charged with theft of a dead, at the registrar's office at Hopewell Cape. After finding true bills in the Steeves and Berry murder cases the grand jury adjourned until tomorrow morning to take up the other cases.

Grand Jurors. The grand jury is composed of Samuel Wilbur, Spurgeon Lauder, Arthur Rogers, Joshua B. Joubert, A. W. Lutes, W. H. Martin, Clifford Price, Elsworth Porter, Scott Hoar, Simon Colwell, J. S. Hayward and Herbert Hatfield. A panel of fifty jurors had been warned to attend the session. The trial of Gains Steeves and Beekel Berry will begin in the afternoon of May 10. Senator Geo. W. Fowler who will defend Steeves and was in attendance at court today left tonight on his return to Ottawa to attend to his Senatorial duties.

The Berry Case

Beekel Berry, charged with the murder of his wife at Forest Hill, Albert County, on December 10 last, will be defended by James Friel, K. C. of Moncton. The Crown is represented by T. T. Goodwin and Ivan C. Rand of Moncton. When the trial of Beekel Berry will begin is not yet certain. It is stated that the other business of the court will be disposed of before the murder trials will be taken up.

St. John Man Is Married in Montreal

Harold Parks Weds Miss Jean Wells—Mrs. Flewelling at the Marriage.

Montreal, April 27.—The marriage of Miss Jean McAdam Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wells, to Mr. Harold Parks, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Parks, of St. John, N. B., took place this evening at seven o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 4096 Montrose Avenue. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. D. Reid, of Stanley Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Wells, the mother of the bride, and the bride's sister, Mrs. Flewelling, of St. John, N. B., were also present. Following the ceremony, a reception was held after which Mr. and Mrs. Parks left for New York, the bride wearing a travelling suit of navy blue tulle, a sand-colored hat, trimmed with French flowers, and mink fur. On their return, they will reside in Montreal.

DIVISION IN N. S. HOUSE

Halifax, April 27.—There was a spirited debate in the House of Assembly today when G. W. Allen, Farmer-Labor member for Cumberland, moved a resolution criticizing the Provincial Government for not appointing returned soldiers to the liquor commission.

The resolution was defeated on a straight party vote.

TODAY

IMPERIAL—Charles Chaplin in "The Kid."

OPERA HOUSE—Mabel Taliferro, and four other acts.

QUEEN SQUARE—First National Feature "The Unseen Forest"—Alfred East.

STAR—"Lady in Love"—Ethel Clayton.

PALACE—George Carpenter in "The Wonder Man."

EMPRESS—Norma Talma in "The Woman Giver."

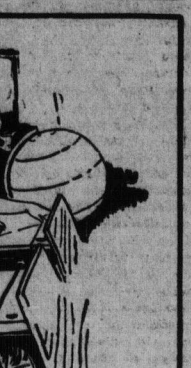
"Staggering Unemployment" State

Soldiers, Says Delegates, Industrial Plants on Extensive Scale

The necessity of this time for unemployment... before the special session and re-establishment in a letter from C. G....

Trade Started. Soldiers are not petitioning... to prevent starvation...

Some were destroyed with official statement attributed to...



Nerves

During examinations a vasocover... and vigor is soon... F. Flarity, Warton...

Milk

ORANGES... Groceries... Milk... Groceries... Milk... Groceries...

5c. a Day For Hood's Sarsaparilla, the Best Medicine Treatment That Will Purify Your Blood

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A PAGE OF NEWS ABOUT THE MARITIME

TWO SPEAKERS AT HEALTH STUDY IN FREDERICTON

Dr. MacMurphy and Hon. Dr. Roberts Give Addresses at Conference. BETTER FOOD TO GET BETTER HEALTH

Moncton Lady Chosen President of the New Brunswick Branch. Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., April 27.—The second meeting in the health week campaign was held at the Fraser Memorial Hall this afternoon when Dr. Helen MacMurphy, Chief of the Child Welfare Department of the Dominion Department of Health, Ottawa, spoke on child welfare.

Fredericton Strike Is Authorized. International Sanctions Going Out of Men at Victoria Mills. Fredericton, N. B., April 27.—The strike of the mill men at the Fraser Companies Victoria mills in this city has been authorized by the International Union of Timber Workers from its headquarters at Seattle.

Revise Emergency Embargo Measure. Bill Likely to be Completed Tomorrow and Reported to Senate Early. Washington, April 27.—Revision of sections of the House Emergency Tariff Bill was agreed upon today by the Senate finance committee. It was decided to strike out the clause authorizing customs collectors to estimate depreciation of foreign currency up to 25 per cent.

Constitution Committee. The committee on Constitution was appointed as follows: Miss K. Stewart, Mr. C. C. Jones, Mrs. Hooper, Mrs. Holman and Miss Eliza Campbell and they reported as follows: Name—New Brunswick Child Welfare Association.

Honorably Acquitted. Halifax, N. S., April 27.—Arthur N. Burgess, who was arrested in Toronto and was brought to Halifax to answer the charge of the theft of \$700 worth of goods from the Robert Simpson (Eastern) Limited, was honorably acquitted by Magistrate O'Hearn in the police court this morning.

Busy with the Gardens. Residents of the city so fortunate as to possess lawns and gardens are busy with their spring work now. Yesterday there was much raking, cleaning and burning after the storms of the winter.

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Claim Dope Was Bought in St. John

James and Mazie McDonald, on Trial at Woodstock, Deny All Knowledge of Theft. Special to The Standard. Woodstock, N. B., April 27.—The criminal case against James and Mazie McDonald, of Bangor, charged with breaking and entering and stealing from three stores in town, was continued this afternoon and adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock when Judge Barry will address the jury.

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Killed by Explosion

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Harbor Full of Herring

Special to The Standard. Charlottetown, April 27.—Charlottetown harbor is literally teeming with herring and the unusual circumstance of fishermen from the north side of the island—where no herring are being taken this season—bringing their nets and gear to the capital and securing big catches has now become the regular order of the day.

Jail and Lashes

Benjamin, April 27.—Ambrose Murphy, of Restigouche county, has been sentenced by Mr. Justice Chandler to five years' imprisonment in the Maritime Penitentiary at Dorchester, with the additional sentence that during his period of imprisonment he shall be twice whipped, twenty lashes each time being ordered.

Income Tax Changes

Ottawa, April 27.—In the House this afternoon Sir Henry Drayton, minister of finance, said there was no proposal to change the date on which income tax returns had to be in, but a consolidating bill would be brought down. The penalties for non-observance of the act would be ameliorated, but there was no provision for changing the method of securing information.



Very hard to understand

Rev. A. H. Whitman Quits At Dorchester

Special to The Standard. Dorchester, N. B., April 27.—Rev. A. H. Whitman, who has served in the pastorate of the First Baptist church here for a period of more than three and a half years, has tendered his resignation as pastor, and has accepted the unanimous call of the Baptist church at Lawrenceport, N. S. The resignation becomes effective on May 22nd.

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Special to The Standard. Charlottetown, April 27.—Charlottetown harbor is literally teeming with herring and the unusual circumstance of fishermen from the north side of the island—where no herring are being taken this season—bringing their nets and gear to the capital and securing big catches has now become the regular order of the day.

Jail and Lashes

Benjamin, April 27.—Ambrose Murphy, of Restigouche county, has been sentenced by Mr. Justice Chandler to five years' imprisonment in the Maritime Penitentiary at Dorchester, with the additional sentence that during his period of imprisonment he shall be twice whipped, twenty lashes each time being ordered.

Income Tax Changes

Ottawa, April 27.—In the House this afternoon Sir Henry Drayton, minister of finance, said there was no proposal to change the date on which income tax returns had to be in, but a consolidating bill would be brought down. The penalties for non-observance of the act would be ameliorated, but there was no provision for changing the method of securing information.

Weak And Miserable Describes the Condition of People With Thin, Watery Blood.

Thin-blooded people experience a form of fatigue which robs them of strength to get about and deprives them of restful sleep. This fatigue is not to be confused with the healthy reaction which follows a day of work and is relieved by sound slumber. The fatigue which accompanies an anemic or thin-blooded condition robs women of beauty, for it causes their color to fade and leaves the face haggard and drawn. In addition to a feeling of exhaustion there is generally nervousness, headache, a loss of appetite and dizziness. These symptoms indicate the need of a tonic, and the best tonic for enriching the blood is the one taken by Mrs. C. R. Taylor, Bass River, N. S., who says: "I was completely discouraged. I was so short of breath that at the least exertion I would have to sit down and rest. I often had headaches, and my appetite was poor and sleep disturbed. A friend recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I have reason to be grateful that I followed the advice. I continued using the pills until I had taken ten or twelve boxes, and I can truthfully say they have made me feel like a new woman and I know in my case they have done all that is claimed for them."

John Anderson, Aged Ninety-Nine, Is Dead

Fredericton, N. B., April 27.—The death occurred at The Barony at six o'clock this morning of John Anderson, ex-M. L. A., at the advanced age of 99 years and 4 months. He was born in the Parish of New Maryland, York County, of Scottish parents, on Dec. 2, 1821, and has resided in York County all his life. When a young man he removed to Kingsclear, but for sixty years he resided at The Barony. He was said to be the oldest Free Mason, as well as the oldest politician, in Canada.

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Halifax Defeats Labor Candidates

Four Aldermen Elected by Large Leads Over Their Workingman Opponents. Halifax, N. S., April 27.—Very little interest was taken in the civic elections in Halifax today and only a small vote was polled. Contests were held in only four wards, and not a Labor candidate was elected. The results were: Ward 1—Alfred Whitman, 231; Jas. Halliday, 190. Ward 4—Robert Guildford, 414; Harry Hains (Labor), 146. Ward 5—John J. Power, 251; Joseph S. Wallace (Labor), 224. Ward 6—Ernest Husley, 361; Robert Law (Labor), 239.

Big Health Meeting Held At Chatham

Special to The Standard. Chatham, April 27.—The Opera House here was crowded this evening for a meeting in the interests of public health in the province of New Brunswick. Over 300 members of the International Longshoremen's Association marched in a body from their rooms to the meeting at which Mayor Mersereau presided. On the platform were the members of the town council, clergymen, physicians and members of the provincial and civic health departments. Addresses were delivered by Dr. Bates of Toronto and Dr. Hincks each dealing with the health problems of the district. John Redfern spoke too, of the working of the health measures in the lumber camps and also of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

THREE YEARS FOR THEFT.

Fredericton, N. B., April 27.—George Ferguson, who pleaded guilty to stealing from the mails while employed as a clerk at the Fredericton post office, was sentenced in the police court at noon today by Judge Limerick to a term of three years imprisonment in the maritime penitentiary at Dorchester.

SECURES POST IN AFRICA

Fredericton, N. B., April 27.—Major H. G. Deedes, who returned to England about two months ago, has gone to West Africa, where he has obtained a position. His wife and daughters will remain here until the autumn, when they will return to England, where Major Deedes' people reside.

Black, Henna and Brown Paradise were in greatest favor in the Atlantic City recently, the natural being the least popular.

STEEVES AND BERRY MUST STAND TRIALS

True Bills Found Against Prisoners Held on Murder Charge. STEEVES' TRIAL IS SET FOR MAY 10TH Sensational Nature of Cases Draws Big Crowd to Opening of the Court. (Continued from page 1.) The cases of O. Gaius Steeves and Ezekiel Berry who are to be tried for their lives on the charge of murdering their wives, have attracted much interest in eastern Canada both being surrounded by many sensational features. Burned in Beds. About the middle of February last Mrs. Gaius Steeves and her five young children were burned to death in their home at an early hour of the morning. Steeves was arrested charged with their murder and the evidence given at the preliminary examination was of a sensational character the hearing before Magistrate J. W. Gaskin at Coverdale resulting in his being committed for trial. More Circumstantial. In the case of Ezekiel Berry the evidence given at the preliminary examination was somewhat similar as in the Steeves case being largely circumstantial. Berry's wife was alleged by her husband to have left her home on Saturday night about ten o'clock, Dec. 18 and did not return. Next morning her husband alleges he found her body in a spring two or three hundred yards from the house. The coroner's jury was not satisfied that the woman had committed suicide and neither were the neighbors the result being that three months after Mrs. Berry's death the Crown took proceedings against Berry and he was also committed for trial by Magistrate J. W. Gaskin at Coverdale shortly after Gaius Steeves was committed.

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GIRL IS SOUGHT IN WALL STREET BOMB EXPLOSION

Search Made for "Betty," Sweetheart of Bomb Suspect, Now in Prison. GONE SINCE ARREST OF ALLEGED BOMBER

Detectives Discover Shaft Leading from Old Mine to Ligi's Home.

Bethesda, Pa., April 27.—The Lackawanna Valley, Pa., town of Wiltshire, was covered by detectives today in the search for the mysterious "Betty," who is said to be the sweetheart of the Ligi, the street bomb suspect. She has become the central figure in the investigation of the local, New York and Federal officials since the admission of Ligi that he is an anarchist and the identification Saturday as a man who stood beside the "death wagon" in Wall street a few minutes before the explosion.

Betty, whose name has entered the news before, is described as a pretty Italian girl, who has been almost constantly in the company of Ligi for more than a year. She at one time worked in a restaurant, where the suspect was a waiter and disappeared simultaneously with his arrest last Tuesday afternoon. Friends of the girl in this city insist that she can account for Ligi's movements between September 8 and September 22.

Before coming to Wiltshire, Betty is understood to have lived in Old Forge, eight miles south of this city. Old Forge was the centre of radical activities of Northwest Pennsylvania during the war. The headquarters of the I. W. W. in that town was raided two years ago, more than 150 arrests being made by the State police.

Old Forge was one of the first places the detectives went to today. They interviewed several persons acquainted with Betty, but all agreed they had not seen her in many months. From Old Forge the detectives went to Wiltshire, where the girl was employed at one time, but their search was equally unsuccessful.

While the search for Betty was being made, Detective Sergeant Conroy, chief of the New York bomb squad and Detective John Gilroy of the Seaman police revisited the abandoned mine shaft in South Scotland. The local police have expressed the belief that the Wall street bomb was manufactured in a mine shaft in the Lackawanna Valley and possibly in the one in South Scotland, which is the centre of an Italian mining colony.

The suspicions of the local police were first aroused two months ago when reports were received from a woman which name the section is known, reported having heard explosions almost nightly in the woods directly east of the shaft. The woman, who is believed to be a flapper, was accompanied by a man as though some one was experimenting with explosives.

Resemblance to Cop Brought Him Trouble

Victims of "Hooch Raider" Took Vengeance on His Double.

New York, April 27.—Solomon Davis of 104 West 123d street discovered yesterday morning that he resembled a detective of the Fourth Precinct district. He said he gained this knowledge after he had been seized by four men when on his way home early in the morning and had heard the cries which they uttered as they beat and kicked him with blackjacks.

Seventeen stitches were taken in Davis's scalp, and toward noon, when he felt better, he gave Detective White a description of the man who attacked him. Later Theodore Sherman of 1164 Seventh avenue was arrested and held in \$2,000 bail in Washington Heights court on a charge of felonious assault. The police were looking for the other alleged members of the gang. Several policemen said Davis resembled a detective who had been raiding saloons.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at 4:45 yesterday afternoon in the German Street Baptist Church, when the pastor, Rev. S. S. Poole, united in marriage Miss Audrey Frances Cross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cross, 218 German street, and Harold Everett McLean, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McLean of Milltown, N. B. The bride carried a beautiful bouquet of Opelia roses. She was attended by Miss Florie B. Peck of Hillsboro, N. B. Fred McLean of Hillsboro, brother of the groom, was groomsmen. Little Miss Ruth Frances Kitchen of Grand Falls, N. B., niece of the bride, was flower girl. The ushers were Miss Marie C. Staples and Miss Katherine G. McLean, sister of the groom. T. C. Ochoana, church organist presided at the organ and played Mendelssohn's "Bere" Comes the Bride" as the bridal party entered the church. Soft music was rendered throughout the ceremony and as the brides party left the church the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march peered out. During the signing of the register Paul B. Cross, brother of the bride, sang "Became."

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents which was handsomely decorated with lavender and yellow flowers. The guests, to the number of more than a hundred, were received by Mrs. Cross, mother of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. McLean left on the Montreal train for a trip to Montreal, Toronto and other Upper Canadian cities and on their return will reside at 158 Sydney street.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McLean, Miss Beulah McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McAllister, Abner McAllister and Evans Hill, all of Milltown, N. B.; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Peck, Hillsboro, N. B.; Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Kitchen of Grand Falls, N. B.; Miss Lillian P. Kitchen of Cambridge, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Garfield White of Sussex.

A quiet wedding was solemnized with nuptial mass in the Cathedral yesterday morning at seven o'clock, when Miss Genevieve Brophy, formerly of Woodstock, was united in marriage to John Joseph Casack, son of Mrs. and the late George Casack, 29 Marsh road. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. M. Duke, and they were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cogger. The bride was given away by John Cogger. After the ceremony a dainty wedding breakfast was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cogger, 364 Haymarket square, and Mr. and Mrs. Casack left on the afternoon train for a honeymoon trip to Montreal, and on their return will reside in St. John.

Evans-Fleet A wedding of interest to a large circle of friends in the city and elsewhere took place yesterday afternoon at 8:30 o'clock in the German Street Baptist church, when Miss Eva M. Fleet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Robert Fleet of Broad street, became the bride of Walter A. Evans. Seely street, the son of the late Captain George Evans. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. S. S. Poole, in the presence of many friends and relatives. The bride and groom were attended by her father. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion with cut flowers and other appropriate decorations. Robert Fleet, brother of the bride, and Harry Barton acted as ushers.

BABE REARED IN INCUBATOR FOOLS DOCTORS

Hovered Between Life and Death for Months; Now is Healthy Girl.

WEIGHED TWENTY-ONE OUNCES AT HER BIRTH After Months' Long Struggle Victory Was Won and She Began to Grow.

Denver, April 27.—Eight years ago a tiny ring of humanity which could be held in the palm of one hand—today a robust, romping, rollicking child, normal in every respect. This is Rosemary Fouts, Denver's incubator baby.

Rosemary has defied tradition, the prediction of scores of experts, the handicaps under which she entered the annals of medicine by living. When she was born, May 24, 1913, Rosemary's chance for life wasn't worth the snap of your fingers. For she weighed just twenty-eight ounces. A mere pound and three-quarters of humanity. As her mother, Mrs. Cassie Fouts, held her in the palm of her hand, with the child's head resting on her finger tips, the baby's heels barely touched the mother's wrist. Her mother's wedding ring easily passed over the child's tiny fist, and over her arm clear to her shoulder—with lots of room to spare.

Scores of babies, born under similar circumstances, had lived but a few hours. Doctors gravely shook their heads and tried to smile as they sought to comfort the young mother. Rushed to Incubator. But Dr. C. A. Ellis, child specialist, beloved in thousands of homes, held out a ray of hope. Out at a Denver hospital, he carried a beautiful, glowing baby, conducted by Dr. Conroy, Dresden specialist. It was only a chance, but—

The driver of the automobile carrying the bundled mite was arrested for speeding as he shot across the city. For seconds were very precious and the speed was meant nothing. But the driver was meant nothing when the circumstances were explained. The baby reached the incubator, still alive.

Long Struggle Begins. Then began the months-long struggle to keep glowing the spark of life within Doctors gravely shook their heads and tried to smile as they sought to comfort the young mother. Rushed to Incubator. But Dr. C. A. Ellis, child specialist, beloved in thousands of homes, held out a ray of hope. Out at a Denver hospital, he carried a beautiful, glowing baby, conducted by Dr. Conroy, Dresden specialist. It was only a chance, but—

The moment the mother could leave the hospital, she went to the amusement park to live. She also slept near the incubator. For many months she never left the park. Thousands of pleasure seekers daily gazed through the plate glass front of the baby incubator. Wholly unaware of the life-and-death struggle which was taking place before their eyes, they commented on Rosemary, the baby miniature, and her doctor incubator companions, and she passed on to the next attraction.

"I'll tell the World" Baby's Own Soap. The fragrant creamy lather of "Baby's Own Soap" and its absolute purity have won a great popularity.

Many Men Under Arms in Europe Nineteen Countries Have Nearly Four Million Men in Their Armies.

(Copyright 1921, By Public Ledger.) London, April 27.—Europe exclusive of Great Britain, Russia, Turkey, Latvia, Estonia and Lithuania has 3,585,000 men under arms. These colossal and surprising figures are based on the latest available budget of each country as reported to the British War Office.

O. B. U. Gets Hard Blow At Winnipeg Street Railway Men Likely to Withdraw from the One Big Union Camp.

Winnipeg, April 27.—A Winnipeg paper tonight says: "Impending withdrawal of the street railwaymen's union from the One Big Union, coupled with the announcement this morning of the resignation of Victor R. Midgley, general secretary is regarded by international labor men as the death blow of the One Big Union. The street railway conductors and motor men are holding a mass meeting tonight ostensibly to consider their new wage schedule, the old one expiring at the end of this month. It has developed, however, that the street railway company has refused to negotiate with the One Big Union for a new agreement."

Saved By His Cigar When Bees Awaken

Owner Puffs Until Smoke Screen Settles Protectingly About Him.

Astoria, Ore., April 27.—Orin W. Whitman, stationary and book dealer, swears by "rolled cabbage leaves." During the winter months Whitman, who lives on his ranch several miles from this city, has been in the habit of tapping on his bee hives as he passed out each morning to see if the bees had survived the frigid rains and snows. When reassured by a warning buzz he would pass on in a comfortable train of mind. Recently, however, he received a shock which will probably cause elimination of his practice.

Following the morning routine Whitman walked up to his largest hive and gently tapped on it. He received the warning hum and with it a flock of bees which settled in a huge brood swarm about his body. Whitman found the key to his dilemma in the cigar which he had in his mouth. He puffed like an overworked freight engine and soon had a smoke screen about him. The bees half awake, suffered a knockout. Whitman was unharmed.

Growing Old Gracefully

Are you growing old gracefully? Who wins in the race of life? Is it the man who is thin blooded, weak, tired all the time? An athlete trains for every race. A man is as strong as his blood and as old as his arteries. Make the blood redder, your health better, by taking that old-fashioned blood tonic—sold 50 years ago and still "good as gold"—namely Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This tonic and blood purifier is made without alcohol in liquid or tablet form. It puts vim, vigor, vitality into your blood and arteries. Try it now.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—"As my parents have used Dr. Pierce's remedies with wonderful and quick results, I take great pleasure in sending you good word to boost the cause of 'Freedom from Illness.' I have used the 'Golden Medical Discovery' at times for the past three years. My occupation is quite fatiguing and injurious to the system, but to-day business has no drawbacks for me. Three cheers for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.—Wm. H. DEMESTR, Jr., 32 Bridge St.

Grippe Outbreak Occurs in France Disease Attributed to Vermin Has Caused Many Deaths Among Soldiers.

Paris, April 27.—A new outbreak of the grippe is reported from Central France, where numerous deaths have occurred, chiefly among soldiers in barracks. At Orleans there have been more than a score of victims in the boys' class of 1921; at Saint Etienne, ten of the Thirty-eighth Infantry Regiment, and at Albi two of the Fifteenth Regiment, as well as civilians. Doctors at Orleans believe that the disease is spread by vermin in the barracks. It is not generally known that the great epidemic of Spanish influenza which ravaged the world in 1918 and 1919 began at the barracks in a small Spanish town among young conscripts mixed with troops from a Spanish colony who are supposed to have brought the disease with them. The epidemic spread so rapidly among the conscripts that the authorities lost their heads and sent them all home, thus propagating the malady throughout Spain, whence it spread over the world.

MANY RUSSIANS IN EXILE New York, April 24.—Reports that nearly 1,500,000 Russian exiles are scattered over the four continents were made public here today by the League of Nations news bureau. Of these exiles, some of whom are voluntary, it was estimated 300,000 are in Germany. The situation has become acute, the bureau's statement said, due to the fact that many of them are starving or diseased, while most of them are penniless. The exiles began to leave the league bureau said, after the Bolsheviks came into power in 1917.

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NEW PROFESSORS FOR WESLEY. Winnipeg, Man., April 27.—Five new professors have been appointed to Wesley College here upon recommendation of the special committee on staff. The new professors, who will assume their duties at the beginning of the next academic year, are: Rev. Prof. W. G. Smith, M. A., Ph. D., of Toronto, to be professor of philosophy and sociology; Prof. Arthur L. Phelps, of Cornell College, Mount Vernon, Iowa, to be professor of English; Prof. T. J. Parry, of Wales, to be professor of church history and homiletics; H. M. Thomas, M. A., of Toronto, and C. B. Brady, of Toronto, to be lecturers in undergraduate history.

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BEWARE OF BRONCHITIS.

Bronchitis is generally caused by spitting a cold, or exposure to wet and inclement weather. It begins with a tightness across the chest, difficulty in breathing, and a wheezing sound comes from the lungs. There is a rattling of phlegm, especially the first thing in the morning. This is at first white, but later becomes a greenish or yellowish color and is occasionally streaked with blood. On the first sign of bronchitis you should check it immediately by using Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, thereby preventing it becoming chronic, and perhaps developing into some more serious lung trouble. Mrs. Bruce Callahan, Sheffield, Ont., writes:—"In December, 1919, I was very sick with bronchitis, and had to stay in the house all winter. One day I saw Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup advertised, so I got a small bottle, which helped me very much; I then got a 60c. size, and it completely relieved me. I cannot praise 'Dr. Wood's' enough for what it did. Two of my neighbors are now using it for colds." Don't accept a substitute for Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; the genuine is put up in a yellow wrapper; three pine trees the trade mark, price 35c and 60c.; manufactured only by The T. M. M. Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.



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Fire Almost Wiped Out Quebec Village

Dozen Places of Business and Three Residences Are Burned at Shawville.

Ottawa, April 27.—The greater part of the business section of Shawville, Que., is in ruins today as a result of a fire which broke out about one o'clock this morning and lasted until about 4.30 o'clock. A rough estimate of the damage is between \$60,000 and \$10,000 the greater part of which is covered by insurance.

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Hon. Mr. Carvell Silent On Railways

Reconsiders His Decision to Make a Statement on Lord Shaughnessy's Views.

Toronto, April 27.—A despatch from Winnipeg says: "At least one person will not voice an opinion on the proposals of Lord Shaughnessy. This is Frank Carvell, chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners. He was all settled Tuesday night to give out a statement when told that the public had been waiting. Then he suddenly changed front and said 'No, I guess I have been talking too much already. I have nothing to say. Many think I have been making a fool of myself and I am not going to give them the opportunity to say it on this issue.' His 'no' was emphatic and he persisted in that stand."

CIRCUIT COURT.

The case of C. R. Carmichael vs. J. W. Brown and B. V. McCabe was continued yesterday in the Circuit Court before Mr. Justice Crockett. Amendments to the original pleadings were objected to by counsel for the defendants, and the matter was allowed to stand over for decision. In the morning the plaintiff was on the stand and told about the contract and communications he had with the defendants. He concluded his evidence in the afternoon, and the rest of the day was taken up with the reading of evidence taken under commission in New York state. The court then adjourned to 10.30 this morning when the plaintiff's case will be resumed.

Ontario Dependent On U. S. For Coal

Situation Can be Righted Only by Use of Peat Says Fuel Commissioner.

Ottawa, April 27.—From its geographical position Ontario is now absolutely dependent upon the United States for its coal supply, said H. A. Harrington, ex-fuel administrator for Ontario before the House Fuel Committee this morning. The province burns annually 3,000,000 tons of anthracite and 10,000,000 tons bituminous coal. The United States would, however, be sending less and less anthracite as its mines became exhausted and population increased. The solution of the problem lay out in bringing in Canadian coal from the East or West but in the use of peat.

Delights of the Movies.

One of the main delights of the pictures is to see the palaces of European noblemen surrounded by South Sea Cannibals.—Dallas News.



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WOODSTOCK—Stewart & Armour
ROGERSVILLE—John Maloney.

Theodore Amburg Given Seven Years

Obtained Money Under False Pretences—Charge Against Six Boys Resumed.

Competition is Real

The volume of overseas imports shows merely that the competition between a high-priced Canadian product and a cheaper foreign product is in good earnest. It shows the world is making paper, that high prices cannot be maintained, and that there is in sight a possible over-production with an accompanying glut. I have for many months, pointed out to investing readers that the position of most of our Canadian pulp and paper concerns has been steadily moving in an over-expanded in many directions. The opinion was expressed that it would be poor policy to start expansion in these lines, and that most of the companies were short of working capital and would have to finance. I think it is very questionable that paper and pulp concerns have seen their worst days, and despite the optimistic utterances of large financial and promotion houses who ought to know better, I think these securities should be left alone for the time—Saturday Night.

Object To Judges Acting For Provinces

Bill to Tax Income of the Chief Justice of Canada Comes Before the Senate.

Ottawa, April 27.—In the Senate today on the bill to amend the Judges Act exempting the salary of the Chief Justice of Canada from income taxation, Senator Ross (Independent) moved an amendment in committee which would prevent judges accepting commissions from Provincial Governments. Senator Ross (Independent) moved an other amendment that before judges could act on these commissions, they should receive the consent of the Chief Justice of the Province, or, in the event of his absence, the consent of the senior justice, and of the minister of justice.

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another. The charges to which he pleaded guilty were: On April 4, 1920 obtaining money under false pretences by passing a worthless check for \$48 on Morris Johnson and obtaining goods and clothing; on April 4, obtaining goods and money under false pretences by passing a worthless check for \$48 on Edward Watson; April 3, for passing a worthless check for \$48 on Abraham Jacobson and obtaining goods and money; and on April 5, passing a worthless check for \$32.80 on Kominsky Bros and obtaining goods and money.

Amburg was held by the Woodstock police on a description sent out by the local detectives. He was brought back to this city of which he is a native by Detective Hiddescombe, Saturday.

A case against Fred Roberts, on suspicion of breaking and entering the La Four apartments and stealing several articles was resumed and the evidence of Mrs. C. A. MacDonald was taken. She identified a watch which she said she missed some time ago. The case was postponed for further evidence.

One man charged with drunkenness for passing a worthless check for \$48 on Abraham Jacobson and obtaining goods and money, and on April 5, passing a worthless check for \$32.80 on Kominsky Bros and obtaining goods and money.

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Meeting At Halifax

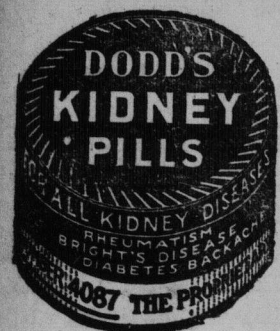
Mrs. Morrow is Elected New President of the Provincial Order.

Halifax, N. S., April 27.—Over 200 were in attendance at the annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Chapter of the Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire at the Church of England last night. Mrs. Morrow was elected president.

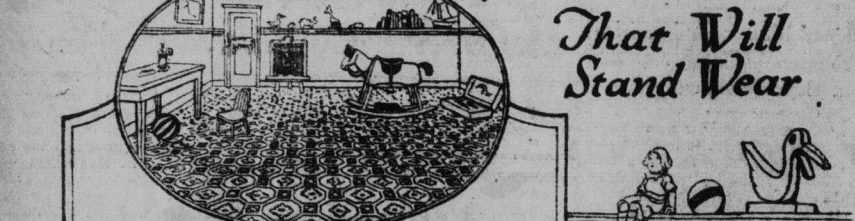
New Officers.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. MacCallum; Vice-President, Mrs. MacCallum; Secretary, Mrs. M. C. H. Covert; Treasurer, Mrs. Allan Duffus; Steward, Mrs. M. C. H. Covert; Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Whitman, Cassco.

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TIPS TO HOUSEWIVES.

To remove spots from a carpet with-out leaving a stain cover with coarse salt and sweep up. If melted paraffin is poured over the carpet it will not melt and will keep indefinitely. If you wish your bread to have a soft crust wrap in a clean cloth as soon as it comes from the oven.

Cheese biscuits, made by adding grated cheese to the biscuit dough, are delicious served with salad. To prevent starch from sticking to the iron add a little borax when mixing. Wash dried fruits, dry in oven, and place in glass jars ready for use. If an oil stove smokes, drop a small piece of gum camphor into the tank.

When washing a clothedial wrap around washboard and scrub with soapuds. The Japanese dry white silks in a dark room. This prevents their turning yellow. When buying peaca wais avoid those which have been treated with a bright red color. If you wish to keep parsley, place in fresh water in ice chest and change water every day.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR GIRL.

By HELEN ROWLAND (Copyright, 1920, by The Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

A "DUE," according to a "Job," is a man who can't even take a kiss from a girl "against her will," without making her indignant. In these days of repeated divorces and progressive matrimony, one can never tell "Who's Whose in America." Happily wives are so apt to slump down and vegetate; because, somehow, a successful marriage seems to take all the competition out of life, for a woman.

Never believe that justice is all you owe your husband; and every normal man needs from the woman who loves him is MERCY! Where is the modest young girl who used to hesitate to cross a gutter for fear of showing her ankles? Gone, gone, dear heart, with the modest young man, who used to hesitate to stare at her!

Sentimental boatists, who dissect their love to see what it is composed of, get about as much satisfaction out of life as diet-craaks out of a good dinner.

Why is it that a woman's heart always feels less tender toward a man who paints his virtues in three colors and begs her to marry him than toward the one who paints his sins in vermilion and begs her to "save" him?

A man's notion of escaping from a love-entanglement "honorably" is to do something so unpardonable that the girl will break it off, herself. Blind love can sometimes see an awful lot of things to criticize, through the magnifying lens of matrimony.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

"Time and Tide" is the name of a London newspaper which is owned and controlled entirely by women. Probably among the oldest twin sisters in America are Mrs. Phoebe A. Cook, of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Martin A. Solomon, of Grand Rapids, who have just celebrated their ninety-first birthday.

Fifteen denominations are represented in the membership of the International Women Preachers' association, organized in St. Louis a year ago and of which Madeline Southard, of Winfield, Kan., is the president.

The late Queen Victoria did her shopping by summoning tradesmen to send samples of their wares to Windsor, and the same procedure was followed by Queen Alexandra, Queen Mary, as Princess of Wales, however, made her regular visits to Bond street and has continued the practice since her accession to the throne.

Curry of Mutton With Rice. Cut a pound of stewing mutton in small pieces. Place in a saucepan and add cold water to well cover, 1/2 bay leaf, 1 sliced carrot, a few celery tops and 1 chopped onion. Simmer until the meat is very tender and cut in small cubes. Strain the gravy in a colander and add water to make about 2 1/2 cups. Thicken by the addition of 2 tablespoons of brown flour mixed with a little cold water and stir until smooth and the sauce boils over. Season to taste with salt and paprika and add 1 tablespoon of chopped parsley and a scant teaspoon of curry powder. Stir in the cooked mutton and 1/2 teaspoon of kitchen bouquet; heat over hot water and serve.

LESS COLOR USED. While there undoubtedly is some tendency to a use of higher colors in clothes there seems to be a more restricted use of colored accessories than has been the case formerly. American women used sometimes to be criticized for their penchant for very bright silk petticoats worn with dark street suits or for indulging in brightly colored hand bags, gay neck ruffles of feathers or tulle, bright beaded bunches of artificial flowers—bought without much regard to the costume with which they were to be worn. We have just passed through a vogue for colored handkerchiefs, said to have been introduced into fashion when society first took credit to have reappeared periodically ever since, even though snuff is only a memory. The pure white handkerchief is the more usual choice of most women now, and one hardly needs to mention the passing of the polychrome finger—which was perhaps worn more often by the wax figures in the shop windows than by women of our acquaintance.

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Women's Auxiliary Annual Convention

Second Day Taken up With Receiving Reports—Committee Meetings Held.

The second day of the Women's Auxiliary's annual diocesan meeting opened in the Stone church at 9:30 with the Quiet Hour. Adornment was then made in the school room where the minutes of Tuesday's meetings were read by the recording secretary, Mrs. H. J. Roberts. A number of committees submitted their reports, and an adjournment was made for luncheon.

During the luncheon hour the halting for Diocesan officers began and continued until 3 p.m. when the ballot was closed. During the afternoon conferences of the branch secretaries of Junior, Dorcas and Literature work was held.

The Quiet Hour was conducted in St. John's church from 9:30 to 10:30 by the Pastor of St. John's church, the Rev. J. H. A. Holmes. On adjournment to the school room the president, Mrs. G. F. Smith, expressed her appreciation of the service which she said, had exceeded that of any other year in helpfulness. She then introduced Miss Harris, a returned missionary from Cairo, Egypt, to the meeting. Miss Harris received a very cordial welcome.

Convener of Literature. The convener of the literature committee, Mrs. J. F. Robertson, then submitted a report showing that two boxes of books had been sent to luncheon and that the mission classes had shown an increase over last year.

The Church of England Literature had given much valuable help and the speaker urged on members the greater use of the Library. Records during the year had amounted to \$73.75, and there was an expended balance of \$1.14. A new study book on Canada had been published. The speaker returned thanks to Mr. Dobbie, St. James' church, for help in packing boxes.

The secretary-treasurer of literature Mrs. C. M. Sparrow, in the advance of the price of the leaflet, due to the increased cost, which had caused a falling off in the number of subscribers, she reports this year being only \$1,386. Ten new branches were added this year. She reported a working balance of \$406.35.

Secretary-Treasurer. Mrs. Fred Foster, in submitting her report as secretary-treasurer of the Little Helpers, said that the organization included 1,110 members, with receipts of \$400, an increase in membership of 200 and a gain in money of \$80. There were 37 branches, three new ones having been opened during the year.

Miss Hensley was the banger branch, having an increase of 63 members. There had been a loss of eight branches through death of children. The sum of \$500 was voted to be divided equally for the Door of Hope, China, and kindergarten of Japan.

Organizing Secretary. The organizing secretary, Mrs. G. A. Kuhring, reviewed the work of the year and told of organization at St. George's, Newswalks and White's Cove. She paid tribute to the girls' work and urged the delegates to secure suitable representatives of branches and a systematic visiting.

The means of expense was a big one, but there was a way. Speaking of expense of visiting organizers she suggested that some of the money received from the membership be expended in this respect. The members spent their Christian life here, therefore, she suggested that \$100 of the membership money be used in organizing work.

Bishop Richardson called upon by the president, said that the great secret of W. A. extension was the work of the organizing committee. If they would extend the work of visiting, it would not be long before branches had been established in every section.

A new period of development lay before the W. A., and in every parish it had become possible for women to take up a greater share of work.

The Good Work. Representatives from various sections of the province spoke of the good work accomplished by visiting officials to branches and the sum of \$125 was voted to be taken from the Life Members Fund to be devoted to this work.

Mrs. John M. Hay, Dorcas secretary, spoke briefly on the Dorcas conference to be held in the afternoon and pointed out the necessity for Christianizing the Chinese in Canada.

At noon hour Bishop Richardson offered up prayer and branch reports were submitted, and halting took place for the election of diocesan officers to the Triennial convention. Miss Fischer, of Saskatoon spoke at luncheon.

The conference held in the afternoon were of much benefit and profit to the officers of the different branches as they met and exchanged views with each other. Mrs. A. C. McIntyre, the diocesan treasurer presided at the conference of branch treasurers, who assembled at 3 o'clock. The Junior Work secretary convened at 3:30, Miss Portia, Mackenzie, diocesan Junior secretary presiding. The diocesan secretary of Dorcas work, Mrs. John M. Hay, presided at the Dorcas conference at 4:45, and Mrs. James F. Robertson, the convener of the literature secretaries occupied the chair at their meeting, which was held at 5:15. Adjournment was then made to 3 o'clock for the public missionary meeting.

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For the elaborate evening dresses, fine tulle brocaded with large flowers and satin combined with silk lace or with long panels of embroidered tulle puffed with jet and metal threads are favored in this collection. There are some small squares and some pointed trains and many shoulder straps consisting of a single strand of jet.

The camel, while never a companionable beast, has one human weakness, an insatiable love for tobacco.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Many a man gets into society and gets butted out. A banana peel on the sidewalk is a nuisance, and the man who steps on it usually tumbles to the fact. The man who imagines that he never did a foolish act is too stupid to know what folly is.

A man's character resembles a fence—you can't strengthen it by using whitewash. Be sure of your foundation before trying to put up a bluff.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

When grease or milk is spilled on a hot stove the odor arising from this may be removed by sprinkling with salt. Shabby leather bags may be improved in appearance by being rubbed over with well-beaten white of an egg and then polished with beeswax and turpentine, the final rubbing being given with a soft, clean cloth.

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THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Limit in Speed Almost Reached

Prof. W. R. Anderson, Kentucky State College, Says Improvement to be Slower

Lexington, Ky., April 27.—The limit in speed of trotting and running horses has almost been reached, according to Prof. W. R. Anderson of the Animal Husbandry Department of the Kentucky State College of Agriculture. Improvement in the future will be much slower than at any time in years passed, he said.

Study of Records.
Prof. Anderson has been making a special study of record-holding "standard-bred" trotters and "thoroughbred" runners and bases his conclusions on the study of records and histories of the animals covering a period of more than fifty years. In 60 years, the record of three-year-old trotters has been lowered from 2:40 to 2:02 1/2, a reduction of 37 1/2 seconds. Professor Anderson finds, in 48 years the American record of running horses over a distance of one mile has been lowered from 1:24 1/2 to 1:14 1/2, a reduction of six and four-fifths seconds. Neither breed has failed to make improvement during a generation, according to Prof. Anderson, and in some cases improvement has been so rapid that many new records have been made in the life of a single horse.

Gradual Improvement.
The gradual improvement in the speed of trotting horses, according to Prof. Anderson, is shown clearly in the records of 3-year-olds and the years they were made. These are as follows:

1850—Elvira Whitehead, 2:39; 1874—Lady Stout, 2:29; 1883—Hinda Rose, 2:16; 1888—Axtell, 2:14; 1892—Arion, 2:10; 1910—Colorado B., 2:04 1/2; 1914—Peter Volo, 2:03 1/2; 1917—The Real Lady, 2:03, and 1920—Sister Bertha, 2:02 1/2.

When Peter Volo established his unprecedented record of 2:03 1/2 in 1914 the prediction was made that the limit of speed for his age had been reached, but Miss Bertha Dillon equalled the record in 1917, while the Real Lady cut out the half-second off it. Three years later, Sister Bertha, a full sister of Miss Bertha Dillon, placed the time at 2:02 1/2. Prof. Anderson said that there are reasons to believe that the ambition of breeders to place the 3-year-old record at two minutes may be realized.

Peter the Great.
Peter the Great, Stoughton A. Fletcher's great stallion, has placed an important part in the improvement of trotting horses, according to Prof. Anderson. This great sire has produced 69 horses which have made records from 2:10 down to 2:02 1/2. He also sired Miss Harris M., which holds the record as the fastest packing mare in the world with a pack of 1,584.

Some idea of the progress made by running horses, according to the Professor, may be obtained from the record of their achievements, which follows:

1872—Alarm, 1:42 1/2; 1875—Searcher, 1:41 1/2; 1877—Ten Broeck (against time), 1:39 1/2; 1890—Racine, 1:36 1/2, and Salvo (straight course), 1:35; 1900—Vote and Orimar, 1:33; 1901—Brigadier, 1:32 1/2; 1905—Dixie, 1:27 1/2; 1914—Amelia, 1:25 1/2; 1918—Su Brier, 1:26 1/2; 1918—Roamer (against time), 1:24 1/2; and 1920—Man of War, 1:23 1/2.

The most remarkable thing about the running records, Prof. Anderson said, is the fact that Man of War, a 3-year-old, holds the record for all ages of thoroughbred horses in a race.

National Athletic Contest Results

First of Events for Turin Boys Took Place at Y. M. C. A. Wednesday Night

The first of the events for "Turin Boys" took place at the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday night, at 7:30, when boys from Fairville, St. George's and Ludlow street squares took part. The events were—Shot Put, Three Potato and Five Potato races, High and Broad Jump.

The interest was very keen, and some of the scoring very good. In the high jump, Lewis Nicks, of St. George's did five feet, thus scoring one hundred points for his group, and in the broad jump he scored 95 points. The scoring in the three potato race was low, Ed Richter, of St. George's being highest, with fifty points. In the shot put, J. Fox, Fairville Baptist, scored 90 points, and in the five potato race George Waring, of Ludlow scored 75.

The averages as completed to date for the three groups are as follows:

Fairville	315 3 5
Ludlow Street	312 2 7
St. George's	267 2 7

These figures may be corrected in the final checking up of the results. The final results will not be known until Tuesday or Wednesday of next week, when all the Squares have taken part. On Thursday night, the "Trail Rangers" from Portland, St. Bartholomew's, St. Mary's and Central Baptist churches will compete, and the results will be ready for Friday morning.

Baseball Games With Big Leagues

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Detroit vs. Cleveland 2.
At Cleveland—
Detroit 010000013—5 14 3
Cleveland 010000010—3 5 0
Sutherland, Holting, Leonard and Basler, Alminth; Coveski and O'Neil.
Washington 5; New York 3.
At New York—
Washington 10000022—5 7 2
New York 20100000—3 8 2
Shaw, Magee and Garrity; Shawkey, Mays and Schang.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Boston vs. Philadelphia 2.
At Philadelphia—
Boston 000010408—5 13 0
Philadelphia 010000010—3 9 2
Watson and O'Neill; Causey and Bruggy.
At Pittsburgh 7; St. Louis 4.
At St. Louis—
Pittsburgh 163200001—7 8 2
St. Louis 010091200—3 5 5
Hamilton and Schmidt; May, Walker, Goodwin, Sherdel, North and Clemens, Difoerfer.
Brooklyn 5; New York 4.
At Brooklyn, N. Y.—
New York 000002110—4 12 0
Brooklyn 100000202—3 12 2
Barnes and Snyder; Mitchell, Bernaux and Miller.
Cincinnati 2; Chicago 1.
At Cincinnati—
Chicago 000100000—1 9 1
Cincinnati 200000000—2 4 1
Hanson and O'Farrell; Marquard and Wingo.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Rochester 8; Newark 2.
At Newark—
Rochester 123000101—6 16 4
Newark 000002000—3 9 2
Johnson and Mattox; Burditt, David and Smith.
Toronto 6; Jersey City 5.
At Jersey City—
Toronto 000100050—6 13 0
Jersey City 000040105—3 9 1
Rois, Williams and Winters and Saborg; Matviev, Tecar and McNeill.
Buffalo 6; Baltimore 0.
At Baltimore—
Buffalo 030010011—6 10 0
Baltimore 000000000—0 6 0
Werra and Bengough; Ogden and Egan.
Reading 8; Syracuse 2.
At Syracuse—
Reading 003,000,000—3 7 3
Syracuse 340,000,100—8 13 0
Sell, Olson and Niebergall; Kraft and Herbst.

Local Bowling
Team seven took three points from Team Six in the Two Men League game on Black's alleys last night. The scores follow:

Team Seven.	
Gormley	73 99 107 279 83
A. Jordan	84 95 94 274 90 13
158 194 201 553	
Team Six.	
Tuzzor	104 82 81 266 83 13
F. Jordan	74 99 76 247 83 13
177 183 156 515	

ST. JOHN Y. M. C. I. BOWLERS LEADING IN THE TOURNAMENT

Frederickton, N. B., April 27.—The Y. M. C. I. team from St. John jumped into the lead in the Maritime and Maine Bowling Tournament tonight when they beat Frederickton by twenty-four pins in what was regarded as the crucial game of the competition which opened here yesterday morning and will be concluded on Thursday afternoon.

The Y. M. C. I. Frederickton game was the most closely contested of the tournament until the final team cracked under the strain in the third string, and the St. John bowlers breezed ahead. The Frederickton team led by two pins in the first string, but Y. M. C. I. beat them by one pin in the second. In the third string Sandy Staples and Cecil Brewer were the only ones of the local team to stand the crucial test, and Y. M. C. I. gained 25 points on that string alone. McDonald beating Edney by just that many pins.

After Midnight
It was after midnight when the second day's play was finished, and while Y. M. C. I. have it still a possibility of a two or three-cornered tie, Y. M. C. I. have two games to play yet, one with Amherst at 1 p. m. and then with Houlton at 3 p. m. while Frederickton has one game to play with St. John Y. M. C. I. at 3 p. m. If Y. M. C. I. win both their games they will have the championship; if they break even and Frederickton wins, there will be a three-cornered tie, the St. John G. W. V. A. team having finished their schedule with a standing of five victories and two defeats. If Y. M. C. I. lose both their games and Frederickton is beaten, too, G. W. V. A. will be the winners, unless Houlton happen to clean up Calais as well as Y. M. C. I., which would make the St. Croix Club tied with G. W. V. A. for the leadership.

The two games to be played in the morning, Y. M. C. I. vs. Black's and Calais vs. Houlton, will be of no bearing on the championship as those teams are now all out of the running. Each of the other four teams, however, still have a chance of some kind.

The Standing
The standing of the teams at the end of the second day:

St. John Y. M. C. I.	4	1
St. John G. W. V. A.	4	2
Frederickton	4	2
Houlton	3	2
Calais	2	2
Black's Alley, St. John	1	4
St. John Y. M. C. A.	1	4
Amherst	1	4

Eleventh Game.
At Amherst.
St. John Y. M. C. I. 81 89 97 267—86 2 3
Pletcher 83 93 93 276—83 2 3
Watling 87 77 102 266—87
Record 89 80 86 265—86
Smith 84 105 90 279—83

Twelfth Game.
At Houlton.
Frederickton 84 79 79 252—85 3
Moit 83 109 79 270—83
Stone 69 87 82 248—82 3
Dunphy 88 90 76 254—83 3
MacIntyre 88 89 91 265—83 1 4

Thirteenth Game.
At St. John G. W. V. A.
Quinn 85 103 71 259—83 1 3
Hunter 79 84 71 240 89
Roberts 95 90 87 272—90 3 3
Appley 82 78 76 236—78 1 3
Morgan 83 103 78 264—83

Fourteenth Game.
At Calais.
Casey 89 100 87 276 92
Hollingsdale 73 95 87 255 89
Sanders 79 84 71 240 89
Norwood 93 81 87 266 83 3
Rutherford 90 85 84 269 83 3 4

Fifteenth Game.
At Amherst.
McLaughlin 77 76 78 230 76
Fletcher 79 89 81 249 89 3
Halling 116 79 95 290 86 3
Record 76 83 88 243 81
Smith 94 101 84 279 83

Capablanca Is World Champion

Tournament Committee at Havana Decided to Grant Dr. Lasker's Request

Havana, April 27.—The tournament committee which had in charge the international chess championship match between Dr. Emanuel Lasker of Germany and Jose R. Capablanca, the Cuban expert, decided today to grant Dr. Lasker's request to resign the series and concede Capablanca the world championship chess title. Dr. Lasker gave himself as the reason for his desire to cease playing.

The twenty-five thousand dollars involved in the match is being divided among the players as though the full twenty-four games of the series had been played.

SIXTEENTH GAME.
G. W. V. A., St. John.
Quinn 75 90 73 238 79 1 3
Hunter 86 80 91 257 85 2 3
Roberts 104 86 76 266 83 2 3
Appley 113 91 101 305 101 3 4
Morgan 1 89 85 247 82 1 3

Seventeenth Game.
Black's Alley, St. John, N. B.
Covey 81 81 88 253 87 2 3
Maxwell 81 90 73 244 81 1 3
Riley 95 82 82 287 85 2 3
Sullivan 79 86 119 284 94 3 3
Wilson 79 78 78 273 81 3 1

Eighteenth Game.
Calais.
Casey 83 83 79 244 81 1 3
Gillespie 81 77 83 261 87 2
Kierstead 85 86 83 254 83 2 3
Rutherford 85 82 86 256 86
Norwood 84 90 91 265 83 1 3

Nineteenth Game.
Frederickton, N. B.
Paynter 89 81 78 268 89 1 3
Kierstead 85 82 86 254 83 2 3
Brower 80 110 23 243 84 1 3
Edney 73 86 86 255 85
Staples 85 90 106 281 93 2 3

Twentieth Game.
Calais.
Trumble 83 88 87 258 79 1 3
Gillespie 80 88 106 294 93
Sanders 80 83 83 253 87 2 3
Hollingsdale 79 77 80 276 92
Norwood 88 89 88 265 85 1 3

Twenty-first Game.
Frederickton.
Paynter 85 82 86 254 83 2 3
Kierstead 84 77 96 257 85 2 3
Brower 100 87 112 299 92 3 3
Staples 96 91 104 297 99

Twenty-second Game.
Amherst, N. S.
Bess 81 81 81 243 81
Fletcher 87 95 89 268 86
Watling 79 72 81 233 74 1 3
Coan 93 78 84 254 89 2 3
Smith 82 71 86 264 88

Twenty-third Game.
G. W. V. A., St. John.
Quinn 83 85 81 253 89
Hunter 83 79 85 263 84
Roberts 86 89 78 264 81 1 3
Appley 77 83 85 250 83 1 3
Morgan 81 83 84 268 86

Twenty-fourth Game.
G. W. V. A., St. John.
Quinn 104 78 96 278 93 3 3
Hunter 80 84 84 248 83 2 3
Roberts 84 86 90 260 83 1 3
Appley 104 106 87 297 99
Morgan 100 80 86 293 87 2 3

Twenty-fifth Game.
Amherst.
McLaughlin 77 76 78 230 76
Fletcher 79 89 81 249 89 3
Halling 116 79 95 290 86 3
Record 76 83 88 243 81
Smith 94 101 84 279 83

Gandil on Bail.
Los Angeles, Cal., April 27.—Arnold "Chick" Gandil, former Chicago White Sox player, arrested here last night, to answer charges of participation in the alleged "throwing" of the 1919 world's series, was released upon his own recognizance today. The police said they acted upon instructions from Chicago.

Antions to Please Men.
Houlton (at the party)—Miss Robison has no partner for this waltz. Would you mind dancing with her instead of with me?
Hawthead—On the contrary, I shall be only too delighted.

Question Put To Geo. Carpentier

Is He in America for Commercial Clean-up or Sincere Attempt to Lick Dempsey?

A new York sporting writer brought up a good point in reference to Carpentier's activities in America. He put the question to Carpentier whether he was here for purely commercial clean-up or a sincere attempt to prove his superiority over the greatest fighter of the age. He is so confident that he can vanquish Dempsey that he would be willing to fight winner take all as Corbett did when he met the mightiest slugger of his time, John L. Sullivan.

Jack Dempsey Began Training

New York, April 27.—Champion Jack Dempsey today began formal training at Summit, N. J., for his match with Georges Carpentier in Jersey City July 2. Discarding his usual routine play schedule, he did both road work and sparring, and will hereafter work on a regular daily schedule.

Following a short walk and runs on the roads about his quarters, he boxed eight rounds with two of his sparring partners. In the first set he faced Joe Benjamin for four rounds and then took on Jimmy Darcy for a similar number.

Johnny Kilbane A Poor Champion

A POOR CHAMPION.
Johnny Kilbane is frequently referred to as featherweight champion of the world. Of course, he is nothing of the sort. The last featherweight champion of the world was Young Corbett, who won the title from Terry McGovern at 126 pounds. After Corbett outgrew the class he fought open-air play schedule, he did well and was generally recognized as featherweight champion of America. The only foreign champion Atoll boxed was Jim Driscoll, and in that bout he lost to the world champion, McGovern really held three titles. He beat Ted Palmer for the bantam crown. Then he defeated George Atoll, who was a world's champion, for the featherweight coronet. And finally, if you will remember, he trimmed Frank Erne when the latter was lightweight champion.

Corbett, McGovern and Atoll as champions were the sort who were willing to take on all comers, but Kilbane has risked his title in decision bouts about twice in nine years. A champion always points to Bob Fitzsimmons as an example, but they forgot how Bob's weight of 156 pounds was calculated. First you had to allow 303 pounds for his body and then you subtracted fifty pounds for his legs.

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Dempsey Trains By Doing The Fox Trot

Champion in Festive Mood Postpones Work for Title Bout With Carpentier.

New York, April 27.—Reports from the headquarters of Jack Dempsey are to the effect that the champion is already training with the greatest industry. He has been photographed in the act of ploughing the soil, mowing the lawn, chopping trees and doing other strenuous things. These pictures give the impression that Dempsey is working hard already and therefore will be in the fettle for his bout with Carpentier.

A few years ago Dempsey, who was supposed to be working in a shipyard, was photographed in overalls and was industriously working a drill. The only drawback to the photograph was the fact, disclosed by the camera, that the champion wore patent leather shoes on his feet.

Billy Rocap, the Philadelphia critic, is a bit sceptical about Dempsey's training, for he makes this comment: "World's Champion Jack Dempsey came East to finish his training for the Carpentier bout. This is how he started the first day: Shook hands with Babe Ruth and fox trotted at a party long after midnight. Strenuous work for a man who is expected to hold the heavyweight title in America, July 2, the date set for the Carpentier-Dempsey contest, is a trifle more than sixty days distant, and as neither man will train heavily after June 30 the time is not too long for the title-holder to seriously begin light work."

There is every reason to believe that Dempsey will need all the preparation he can get to fit him for the contest, and unless he is to throw the ring in the condition he showed when he met Brannan he will have to cut out the fox trotting and settle down to the business in hand.

The American public will pay large sums to witness the contest and it is high time the festive champion gave evidence that he intends to be in good physical condition on July 2.

Old Country Football Games
Glasgow, April 27.—Results today of games in the Scottish League Association Football were:
Rangers, 0; Hearts, 0.
Ayr, 5; Lanark, 1.
Hibernian, 2; Partick, 0.

CHRISTY MATHEWSON
Saracac Lake, N. Y., April 27.—Christy Mathewson, former major league baseball pitcher, who has been ill here since last July, soon will be able to go automobile, his physician, Dr. E. N. Packard, announced today. Mathewson now is able to be dressed for a short time each day and has no cough or temperature, the doctor said. He expects Mathewson to begin taking light exercise shortly.

FIFTH HOME RUN.
In a National League game yesterday, Kelley of the New York Giants in a game against Brooklyn made his fifth home run for the season.

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Fishing Fleet Sees Cup Defender Test

Schooner Mayflower Makes Thirty-Five Mile Trip in Heavy Sea.

Boston, April 27.—The schooner Mayflower handicapped by the weight of rain-soaked rigging and sails, by the heavy seas outside and by a deck load of passengers, made a thirty-five mile trial trip out of this port today. When she returned to her berth yesterday afternoon, she called aboard her as guests, said that the schooner, which will meet the Canadian challenger, Blue Nose, in Fisherman's races of Halifax next fall, met their full approval.

A large crowd gathered this forenoon to greet the Mayflower as she slipped away from her moorings in the tug, on her deck were a number of twenty-five gun boats, and a tug, on her deck were a number of twenty-five gun boats, and a tug, on her deck were a number of twenty-five gun boats.

The Mayflower went out into Massachusetts Bay through the narrows and once outside met a rough sea and a tempest north wind. Her rigging was heavy with rain and it was with difficulty her sails were handled, but she held her way in the sea, coming in stays and tacking readily without loss of momentum.

At the end of this week the Mayflower will leave for a fishing trip on the south bank in the Gulf of St. Lawrence to comply with the rules of the international fishing races, which require participating schooners to have a season on the banks.

Local Bowling
Team seven took three points from Team Six in the Two Men League game on Black's alleys last night. The scores follow:

Team Seven.	
Gormley	73 99 107 279 83
A. Jordan	84 95 94 274 90 13
158 194 201 553	
Team Six.	
Tuzzor	104 82 81 266 83 13
F. Jordan	74 99 76 247 83 13
177 183 156 515	

Babe Ruth Fined.
New York, April 27.—Babe Ruth appeared today in traffic court and was fined \$25 for driving his automobile up Broadway last week at 27 miles an hour on his way to keep an engagement with the Yankees at the Polo Grounds.

New York, April 27.—The Prince of Wales and Lord Lansdowne, head of the National Sporting Club of London, have been invited, it was announced today, to attend the Dempsey-Carpentier fight as guest of Tex Rickard, promoter. A letter was mailed to Lord Lansdowne yesterday and through him the invitation is extended to the Prince.

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THE STANDARD FINANCIAL SECTION

U. S. BUSINESS STATE HURTS WALL STREET

European Indemnity Tangle Adds to Disturbing Influences of the Market.

RAILS ENJOYED A VERY BRIEF SPURT

But Cut in Pennsylvania Dividend from Six to Four Per Cent. Ended All.

New York, April 27.—The uneven and irregular course of today's stock market was influenced by the conflicting and confusing developments such as the United States Steel quarterly report, the Pennsylvania Railroad dividend cut and fresh complications in the German indemnity tangle. Of these the most influential was the showing made by the United States Steel Corporation which fully confirmed the general impression of its increasing lackluster in that industry. Steel common reacted an extreme 2 points, and most of the so-called independents made gross recessions of 2 to 4 points.

Money Unchanged.

The money market followed its recent monotonous course, all demand loans being made at the fixed rates of 6 1/2 per cent, that figure being fully one per cent over outside quotations. Indicators of outside ease were seen in time funds, including commercial paper.

All foreign exchange quotations were lower, the French franc substantially advanced and Scandinavian rates, especially Stockholm, breaking sharply. Liberty bonds continued to lose ground and Pennsylvania Railroad bonds were affected by the reduced dividend on the stock. Other changes, domestic and foreign were irregular. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$9,860,000.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

Open High Low Close	
Am Car Pfd	125 1/2
Am Loco	86 1/2
Am Steel	42 1/2
Am Tole	41 1/2
Atchafson	107 1/2
Am Tel	87 1/2
Am Wool	30 1/2
Gen Motor	41 1/2
Gen Elec	35 1/2
Gen Power	32 1/2
Gen Paper	30 1/2
Gen Steel	38 1/2
Gen Sugar	30 1/2
Gen Tobacco	30 1/2
Gen Rubber	30 1/2
Gen Cotton	30 1/2
Gen Petroleum	30 1/2
Gen Chemical	30 1/2
Gen Machinery	30 1/2
Gen Textile	30 1/2
Gen Paper	30 1/2
Gen Steel	30 1/2
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Gen Petroleum	30 1/2
Gen Chemical	30 1/2
Gen Machinery	30 1/2
Gen Textile	30 1/2

MEM AND BUSINESS

Hugo Stinnes, greatest of German industrial leaders, would visit America, he says, but for doubt as to being welcome.

Neither did he worry about a little thing like American opinion when he favored the deportation of Belgian men and women to Germany in the war period to labor in mines and factories in place of his workmen who were taken into the Kaiser's army or who occupied Belgium and northern France.

Neither did he worry about American opinion when early in the war he had various ships masquerading under American registry. To be sure they soon were put on the British list and Herr Stinnes didn't get very far with his scheme, but it was clear that he worked out as he planned, sending flying the American flag might have been used as supply boats to German submarines engaged in operations.

Bank Stocks Were Montreal Feature

Papers Were Fractionally Weaker in Less Active Trading and Tractions Are Shaded

Montreal, April 27.—Outstanding in point of net changes in today's trading on the local stock exchange was the banking group which while not active was weak. The shares of Merchant's Bank sold down 8 1/2 points to 170; 35 shares Commerce were down 4 1/2 points to 177; and 32 shares of Nova Scotia sold down 2 at 255. Union was, however, up 2 at 152; Molson's gained a fraction and Royal a point. In the paper group the trend was downward with Wayagmack unchanged and Howard Smith up 1 at 81. Abitibi was down 1 7/8 points at 30 3/4; Brompton down a point at 32; Riorion down 3/4 at 31 3/4. Spanish common down 3/4 at 68 and the preferred down 1/2 point at 76. Breweries lost 2 1/4 points at 42 and Dominion Steel preferred was down 1 7/8 points. Tractions were shaded and other utilities were steady. Power was active and unchanged. Bonds were relatively strong although the 1937 Victories in which dealings totaled half the whole turnover was a fraction lower.

MONTREAL SALES

McDougall & Cowans	
Abitibi	30 1/2
Brazilian L H and P	30 1/2
Brompton	31 1/2
Canada Cement	68 1/2
Canada Cement Pfd	90 1/2
Canada Cotton	72 1/2
Detroit United	72 1/2
Dom Bridge	71 1/2
Dom Cement	75 1/2
Dom Iron Pfd	38 1/2
Dom Iron Com	38 1/2
Dom Text Com	117 1/2
Laurentide Paper Co	38 1/2
Macdonald Com	16 1/2
McL L H and Power	82 1/2
Ogilvie	30 1/2
Pennant Limited	30 1/2
Quebec Railway	24 1/2
Riorion	30 1/2
Shaw W and P Co	103 1/2
Spanish River Com	75 1/2
Spanish River Pfd	75 1/2
Steel Co Can Com	57 1/2
Toronto Ralis	70 1/2
Wayagmack	68 1/2

Morning

Steamships Com—3 at 20 1/2, 5 at 21. Steamships Pfd—90 at 44, 1 at 43 1/2. Canada Cem Pfd—12 at 91. Canada Cem Com—3 at 68 1/2. Dom Iron Pfd—20 at 65. Dom Iron Com—50 at 39 1/2. Steel Canada Pfd—25 at 90 1/2, 25 at 90. Shawinigan—21 at 104 1/2. Montreal Power—200 at 82. Abitibi—135 at 32 1/2, 25 at 32 1/2, 270 at 31 1/2, 50 at 32 1/2, 25 at 32 1/2, 25 at 32 1/2. Bell Telephone—56 at 107. Toronto Railway—35 at 70. Howard Smith—37 at 81. Price Bros—25 at 27 1/2. Gen Electric—1 at 108. Cante de Woods—4 at 49. Smelting—30 at 16, 75 at 15 1/2, 15 at 15 1/2. McDonalds—60 at 107. Wayagmack—60 at 68, 50 at 67 1/2. Quebec Railway—165 at 54 1/2. Atlantic Sugar—100 at 20. Winnipeg Electric—50 at 40 1/2, 25 at 40.

Afternoon

Breweries—140 at 44. Span River Com—58 at 63, 25 at 62. Dom Cement—50 at 25. Span River Pfd—85 at 76 1/2, 375 at 76. Brompton—25 at 32 1/2, 100 at 32 1/2. Dom Cement—50 at 25. Dom Bridge—65 at 71. 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BARBARITIES OF THE TURKS ARE RECOUNTED

Young Priest Gives Account of His Experiences During War-Time Wanderings.

ARMENIANS HAD CRUEL USAGE

Mothers Died With Babies by Wayside—Charity of Man Saved His Life.

Beyrouth, Syria, April 27.—Out of the welter of blood and confusion that has swept Syria and Armenia during the past few years the Oriental Seminary of St. Francis Xavier is now being reconstituted to continue the work of preparing a native priesthood to fill the ranks decimated by war and massacre.

As the students, one by one, find their way back to the institutions that sided over by Father Malro, they bring with them many strange tales of persecution and suffering or of remarkable escapes and deliverances. One of the most remarkable of these tales is that told by Bedros Arakelian, a young Armenian, who miraculously escaped the massacre that decimated the Armenian people.

Ordered Out of Home.

Bedros Arakelian was 13 and a student at the Seminary of Amasia, when, in 1914, the war broke out and the fathers were compelled to leave for France. Bedros returned to his native village of Nev Chehr.

One day in July, 1915, a public order passed through the village proclaiming that all Armenians must leave the city. The following morning government employees, followed by gendarmes with firearms, entered the houses and seized and imprisoned all the males between 15 and 60.

The women and children, with some young boys, among them Bedros, were told to depart.

Immediately Bedros and his sister, who had with her two children, vacated the house. Five young Turks entered and divided the furniture. Part of the sister had twenty Turkish pounds. Provisions, blankets and a few clothes were packed and the sorry caravan took the road from Nev Chehr to Bozanti, whither they were ordered. To add to the general terror there were only two gendarmes to guard the party. The next day the party arrived at Ouriou Kichla, where it remained five days.

Mothers Died With Babies.

From Bozanti the pilgrims were pushed on to Tarsous, a journey of several days, during which many women, in endeavor to save their children, who could not keep up with them, stayed by the roadside and died with them.

From Tarsous to Adana, and from Adana to Gaziantep, and from Gaziantep to Kastana, and thence to Aden the little family was pushed cruelly forward by the officials. Their store of money was exhausted to pay the fees. The state is now being completed in the Italian studio of Mrs. Adelaide Johnson, an American sculptress. Jane Addams of Chicago has been selected to preside at the state in behalf of the women of America.

BEAUTY OF THE SCHOOL.

New York, April 26.—Miss Allison McLean, of Sherbrooke, Que., was selected by Coles Phillips, an artist, as the most beautiful girl in New York University circles last night at a concert of the combined musical clubs of the university in the town hall.

She is the daughter of James McLean, of Sherbrooke, and when in this city makes her home at 13 West Fifty-first street.

Miss McLean is a blonde, and was selected, because of her "grace, personality, magnetism and line."

The opening day of the national convention of women voters to be held in Washington in February will be in the nature of a suffrage jubilee during which the memory of the great suffrage pioneers will be honored by the unveiling in the rotunda of the National Capitol of a memorial statue in heroic size.

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Sobriety in Dress.

Collegiate styles in men's clothes are to be "along sober lines." This will leave out the hip pocket.

MARINE NEWS

Thurs.	6:17	7:35	8:43	4:15	10:04	10:25
Fri.	5:15	7:35	4:25	5:09	11:15	11:35
Sat.	5:15	7:35	4:25	5:09	11:45	12:05

STEAMERS IN PORT

Canadian Hunter—Strom.
Panad Head—No. 4, Sand Point.
Canadian Sower—Sugar Refinery wharf.
Canadian Gunner—Long Wharf.
Chaister—McLeod's Wharf.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived Wednesday
Coastwise—Schr Walter C. 12, Belding, Chance Harbor; star Glenholme, 125, McKel, Windsor; star Bear River, 70, Moore, Bear River; star Valinda, 66, Lewis, Digby; gas schooner Bear River, 70, Moore, Digby; star Valinda, 66, Lewis, Digby.

Cleared Tuesday

S. S. Manchester Merchants, 2707, Musgrave, Norfolk, Baltimore and Philadelphia.
Schr Ononetta, 483, Longaire, New York.

Cleared Wednesday

Coastwise—Schr Gopher, 4, Des Lauriers, Quebec; schr Walter C. 12, Belding, Chance Harbor; star Glenholme, 125, McKel, Spencer's Island; star Bear River, 70, Moore, Digby; star Valinda, 66, Lewis, Digby.

Canadian Sapper

S. S. Canadian Sapper passed Cape Race April 24 en route from St. John's, Nfld., to Halifax, S. S. Canadian Sapper arrived at Antwerp on April 5 from South American ports. S. S. Canadian Winner sailed from Littleton, N. Z., for Seattle and Vancouver on March 21.

Canadian Hunter Here

S. S. Canadian Hunter arrived in port Wednesday morning and is anchored in the stream.

Week's Sailing

This week's sailing list shows the usual amount of activity in all corners of the globe. The Canadian Adventurer sailed from Halifax on April 21 for the West Indies. The Canadian Conqueror, which sailed from St. John on December 14, arrived at Colombo on April 12. The Canadian Importer, which sailed from St. John on February 18, arrived at Sydney in April 19, and sailed on April 20 for Vancouver via Melbourne. On her arrival there she will have practically circled the world. The Canadian Mariner, which sailed from St. John on February 27, arrived at Port Said April 23. The Canadian Miner arrived at Havana on April 23 from Halifax.

Off For Philadelphia

S. S. Manchester Merchant sailed Wednesday morning for Philadelphia. Furness, Withy & Co. are local agents.

Fanad Head Sails Friday

S. S. Fanad Head will sail Friday for Belfast, Dublin and Cork. McLean, Kennedy, Ltd., are local agents. Halifax, N. S., April 27—Arrd star Waaalaven, Rotterdam; star Imperator, St. John.

2nd star Sable I, St. John's, Nfld.

H. M. S. Cambrian, Bermuda.

C. P. R. SUBURBAN SERVICE

Effective Monday, May 2nd, partial suburban service will be inaugurated. Train No. 150 arriving in city from Wolford at 7:50 a.m., Atlantic time. Train No. 137 will leave St. John for Wolford at 6:10 p.m., Atlantic time. With the exception of Saturdays, May 7th, 14th and 21st, this train will be cancelled and suburban service out, leaving city at 10:15 p.m. instead of 6:10 p.m. This arrangement on account of stores being open late during said period.

In addition, there will be noon suburban trains on May 7th, 14th and 21st, which will leave St. John at 1:50 p.m., Atlantic time, for Wolford, returning to the city, leaving Wolford at 2:30 p.m.

The above service will be in operation until May 22nd, after which date practically the entire suburban service will go into effect. The mid-day train running on Wednesdays and Saturdays until July 1st, when it will run daily, except Sunday.

Between May 1st and 22nd, train No. 106 will leave Fredericton and arrive St. John one hour later than shown in schedules.

The company desires to have their patrons note that suburban trains will be adjusted after May 22nd to conform with Daylight Saving time.

Put His Foot in It.

"The Newriches are furious at this society reporter for saying that there wasn't a jarring note in their last affair."

"How! I suppose he didn't know that Newriches had made his fortune in preserves?"—Boston Transcript.

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DEPARTURES

No. 101 at 6:05 AM—Local express for Fredericton, and North and South of Meadams.
No. 116 at 9:30 AM—From West St. John for St. Stephen.
No. 15 at 3:45 PM—Montreal Express, making Branch Line connections.

ARRIVALS

No. 40 at 5:35 AM—Express from Montreal. (Daily).
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No. 104 at 11:45 AM—Express from Boston.
No. 16 at 12:00 PM—Montreal express.
No. 116 at 2:30 PM—At West St. John from St. Stephen.
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SUMMER SAILINGS, MONTREAL-GLASGOW.

May 6, June 11, July 16, Casandra
May 27, July 2, Aug. 6, Saturnia

HALIFAX TO

PLYCHERBOURG and HAMBURG
T.S.S. Saxonia, Apr. 28

N. Y.-GLASGOW (via Moville)

May 14, June 25, July 16, Algoria
May 21, June 11, July 16, Columbia
May 17, June 15, July 16, Carmania
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GOODS FOR SALE

THE WEATHER

Toronto, April 27.—A disturbance which developed in the Upper Mississippi Valley last night has moved eastward, causing rain on the upper lakes from Lake Huron eastward and also in the western provinces. The weather has been this and moderately warm.

St. John's .. 44 70
Dawson .. 119 44
Victoria .. 43 59
Calgary .. 24 52
Edmonton .. 34 56
Bathurst .. 30 56
Prince Albert .. 23 58
Moose Jaw .. 33 54
Saskatoon .. 30 56
Regina .. 22 56
Winnipeg .. 38 42
Walla River .. 46 53
London .. 53 59
Toronto .. 54 73
Ottawa .. 46 73
Montreal .. 46 73
Quebec .. 46 73
Halifax .. 48 68

Forecast
Maritime—Light to moderate winds, fine and warm.
Northern New England—Generally fair Thursday and Friday, cooler in interior Friday; moderate to fresh east winds and overcast weather Saturday.

AROUND THE CITY

HAVE AWARDED CONTRACT
The contract for an additional story on the Boys' Industrial Home building has been awarded to John A. Adams.

VISITED QUEEN SQUARE
The mayor and commissioners yesterday morning visited the West Side and looked over the Queen Square situation. They looked over the old city hall and a building for which the Colwell Fuel Co. is asking a lease.

DOUGLAS AVENUE WORK
Thomas Stephen of the Stephen Construction Co. will leave today for Upper Canada to purchase plant for the job. It is his intention to buy a complete asphalt plant and he hopes to be ready in about two weeks.

LADY INTERNE
The commissioners of the Public Hospital have secured a lady interne to go on duty at the hospital about July 1st. The new interne is specializing in work among children and is expected to prove a valuable acquisition to the hospital staff.

SEA DOG IS DROWNED.
A seadog was drowned in a weir of Wilson's wharf last night. The dog was attracted considerable attention later when it was hauled ashore. The harbor is full of the dogs at the present time; seven were seen at one time last night a short distance off the wharf.

WOODSTOCK FAIR
D. V. Storm, secretary of the Woodstock Fair Association, accompanied by Mrs. Storm, is visiting in the city. Secretary Storm reports his association already at work planning for a bigger, brighter fair next September than ever. The "best yet" is the slogan.

PUBLIC UTILITIES.
The monthly meeting of the Board of Public Utilities was held yesterday morning in the government rooms. An application was received from the Bathurst electric light and power Co. for approval of a schedule of reduced rates. An order returnable on May 25 was made. Hearing in the application of the Canadian Gas Co., of St. Stephen, for increased rates was set for May 26 at St. Stephen.

BACK TO GLASGOW
Rev. T. Hunter Boyd and Mrs. Boyd sailed Wednesday on the Melita on their return to Glasgow, where Mr. Boyd will resume the work in relation to immigrants which was interrupted by the war. He and Mrs. Boyd have just come from Toronto, Kingston and Montreal, where he was very busy delivering addresses and holding conferences. St. John friends extended hearty good wishes to them for a pleasant voyage and success in their work.

DECIDE MATTER OF CARING FOR SAILORS
At a meeting of the commissioners of the General Public Hospital held yesterday afternoon in the office of the county secretary, the matter of caring for the sailors in port was taken up and it was decided to continue the same arrangement with the Dominion Government for another year, namely \$3 per day for each seaman cared for in the hospital.

Shippers Clash On Fifteen Per Cent. Cut
Conference Ends Without Any Sign of Agreement Between Board and Men.
Washington, April 27.—The conference today between Chairman Benson of the Shipping Board and spokesmen for the marine workers, in an effort to avert a threatened strike on United States steamers on May 1, was adjourned until Friday without having reached a final conclusion.

There were sharp differences in opinion as to wage reductions during the discussion, Chairman Benson urging the necessity for a reduction in marine wages because of the present economic conditions, and Andrew Furuseth, president of the International Seaman's Union, declaring that the proposed 15 per cent cut was unacceptable to the unions.

Hon. C. W. Robinson, acting Premier, was in the city yesterday. J. D. Patner, Fredericton, arrived in the city last night.

Winter Port Season Brought To Close

Season of 1920-21 Suffers in Comparison With That of 1919-20—Freight Scarce.

The Melita has gone, and with the departure of the Panad Head and C.G. M.M. steamers, scheduled to sail tomorrow, and no more steamers headed this way the shipping season for 1920-21 may be said to have been brought to a close.

Arrivals Fell Off

From the 10th of November, 1920, to the 27th of April, 1921, there have been 208 steamers dock at the Winter Port to discharge and take on cargo. For the corresponding period of the 1919-20 season 310 steamers entered the harbor. The tonnage for the season of 1920-21 totalled 691,008, against 748,988 for the corresponding period of 1919-20.

Fort officials report a satisfactory season in view of the general business depression which prevailed everywhere. There was not the usual rush of freight and many of the steamers arriving have carried but partial cargoes and frequently departed under cargo. The falling off in freight offerings affected the longshoremen and they were unable to secure a good season of work.

C.G.M.M. Prepared

Officials of the C.G.M.M. are well pleased with the showing of their line this season.

Throughout the winter months frequent sailings took place from this port, and several new services were operated. Last season practically the only regular schedules were for London and Liverpool, while this year services were maintained to Cardiff and Swansea, Australia and New Zealand, India and the far East, Glasgow and West Indian ports in addition to the old services. No regular sailings took place to America ports, what ships left for there being on private charters.

The Montreal season will begin at once. No arrivals are reported from there as yet, but the Canadian Forester from the West Indies and the Canadian Raider from Cardiff are due at any time. Two new steamers are now in port there, the Canadian Commander and the Canadian Leader. They will leave on their maiden trips during the first week in May, and will be the first C.G.M.M. sailings from Montreal this year. The Commander goes to Avonmouth and the Leader to India and the East.

Men Should Have Special Licenses

Building and Construction Industry Branch Discuss Explosive Handling.

A regular monthly meeting of the St. John Branch of the Canadian Building Construction Industry, was held in the Board of Trade rooms last evening, with Vice President, H. I. Macdowan in the chair.

Joint Conference

After routine business had been transacted the matter was taken up regarding the National Joint Conference between representatives of the building construction industry and the representatives of the International Trades Union to be held in Ottawa commencing on May 1st.

The Subjects

The subjects to be taken up are as follows: Existing conditions in our industries; Apprenticeship and Craftsmanship; Cost and production; Conditions of employment; Joint Industrial Councils.

Delegates Appointed

W. J. Crawford has been appointed by the Dominion department of labor as a delegate, and George H. Waring will be the representative of the St. John Branch of the C. B. and C. I. Delegation from all over the Dominion will be present at the conference and the local delegates would like to receive views from St. John citizens interested and they would be pleased to put the same forward, as the local association thinks matters will come up both for the interests of the city as well as for the Association.

A unanimous vote was passed favorably on the apprenticeship and craftsmanship clause as it is pointed out that in the near future there will not be many competent mechanics in the building trades. After considerable discussion, F. C. Robinson, vice chairman of the Workmen's Compensation Board addressed the members on the working of the Act and dealt thoroughly with many questions occupying the same.

Handling of Explosives

It was the view of the meeting that those handling explosives should be made to take out special licenses and have a permit from the Compensation Board, also that greater care should be taken for the storage of explosives. It was pointed out that a man driving a small engine or in charge of a boiler used for hoisting purposes must have a certificate, where a man handling explosives is not required to have any, and at the present time any man whether competent or not will be given the duty of handling explosives which in a great many cases is dangerous to life and property.

Is Responsible

There was considerable discussion regarding two men doing work not being assessed or the Compensation Act. Speakers stated emphatically that every employer came under the Workmen's Compensation Act and was liable under Part One of the Act of two or more men, or Part Two for one man.

Any man or corporation who gives a

Meeting Held On Hospital Matters

Considered Proposition for Increased Accommodation—Estimate Prepared.

The hospital commissioners, building committee of the municipal council and a committee from the staff of the General Public Hospital, met yesterday afternoon in the office of the county secretary to consider the proposition for increased accommodation asked for by the doctors.

The suggestion set forth was for the building of a new wing to the east of the present building to give accommodation for 90 patients, and to have a maternity and children's ward and private rooms; to remodel the present building to provide about 50 more beds, and build an epidemic on the hill facing City road to accommodate 60 patients. The estimated cost of this work was \$325,000, but this was only a rough estimate.

After considerable discussion it was decided to send the matter back to the hospital commissioners and ask them to prepare an estimate of the revenue which would be derived from the new unit if built, and their report will be presented to the municipal council at its May meeting.

Crowds Cheer As Melita Sails Away

An Aged Couple Missed Passage by Ten Minutes—Many Local People Aboard

With the departure of the Melita for Liverpool at 3.30 yesterday afternoon the C. P. O. S. sailings from this port for the season of 1920-21 were brought to a close. The Melita sailed with one of the biggest outgoing passenger lists of the season, taking 300 cabin and 525 steerage.

The liner had an ideal day for her departure and the passengers lined the dock rails shouting and cheering, waving handkerchiefs and farewell to friends on the dock. A large party of sailors from H. M. S. Cambrian, returning to England, sang merry songs as the steamer pulled away, and a corvette from the top deck sent forth the strains of "Auld Lang Syne" and the crowd on the dock answered him with a cheer.

Two Missed Boat

Two passengers, an aged gentleman and his wife, missed passage on the liner. Their baggage had been placed aboard ship, but they did not arrive at the dock until the Melita had been ten minutes away. The old gentleman pleaded with the officials to secure a tag to take him to the Melita, but this was impossible as there were no tags available. He frantically pleaded that they hold up the Melita by wire less until he could get to it, but it was explained that before a wireless could reach the Melita it would be off Grand Manan. Another man, an aged one, came very near missing his passage over. He was able to climb aboard the tug Gopher, however, which had orders to place him on the liner.

Local Persons Aboard

Several well known people from the Maritime Provinces are aboard, including Coy Malcolm McArthur, accompanied by his wife and two sons, John and Douglas, Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Caldwell, Leslie Bewick of the Furness Wilby staff, who accompanied by his mother and sister, intends to revisit his old home in Durham, returning in about two months. Other passengers include Mrs. J. A. Chandler and Master Peter, Chandler of Moncton, Mr. Bannister of St. John, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Orchley, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher and Mr. Flowers of St. John, Miss Violet Rose of Moncton, Miss M. Harrison of St. John, Miss Florence Johnson and Miss Florence Wilson of Moncton, Mrs. Joseph W. Sackville, A. G. Turner of Fredericton, his bride, and Lieut. Col. Gam of Ottawa and his wife and daughter.

Here To Discuss Industrial Matters

Executive C. M. A. in City to Meet Members of New Brunswick Branch.

J. E. Walsh, General Manager of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, having his headquarters at Toronto, arrived in the City Wednesday morning and he addressed the members of the Commercial Club of that City Tuesday evening.

Mr. Walsh is on a tour of the Maritime Provinces and his trip will extend as far as Sydney. Being the chief executive of the C. M. A., the National organization of the manufacturers of Canada, he is making the trip in order to meet Maritime members of the Association, discuss with them the problems confronting the manufacturers, the industrial and commercial interests of the country, and secure first hand information on the industrial situation in this section of Canada.

The chief executive of the C. M. A. will meet with members of the New Brunswick branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' branch, many of whom arrived in the City last evening to attend the conference to be held.

This evening at 6.30 a dinner will be tendered Mr. Walsh at Bond's.

contract is responsible for assessment if the contractors do not pay.

There was a good attendance at the meeting last night and the members were enthusiastic on every subject brought up for discussion.

Lecture On Egypt Interests Audience

Miss Harris Takes People on Sightseeing Trip Through Land of Pharaohs.

The public missionary meeting held last evening in Stone Church school room under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary was attended by a large crowd who listened with interest to the message of Miss Harris, a returned missionary, as she told the story of Egypt.

Lecture on Egypt

Miss Harris first gave a real demonstration of how the natives dress, having a number of ladies, gentlemen and little girls in full native costume march around the room and explaining what each one represented.

She then gave a most interesting illustrated lecture, tracing the history of the country from the land down to the present day. A number of views of Cairo and the surrounding country were greatly enjoyed.

Miss Harris dwelt on some length on the history of the Coptic church, which at one time numbered over 5,000,000 but today was less than 800,000, this being brought about by their lukewarmness and calling in the Moslems to help drive out the Romans. At the close of the address a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speaker by the chairman.

Today's Programme

Today there will be sessions morning and afternoon. In the morning there will be a meeting at 9.30 when the reports of the Chinese work, extra-cent-a-day treasurer, Picket Memorial Fund, prayer partners' secretary and of the branches will be reported and delegates on the extra-cent-a-day and Diocesan Fund done.

At the afternoon session which meets at 2.15 there will be reports by Tomalin, Mrs. J. H. McAvity, Miss Hunter, Mrs. City and Mrs. Kauring on "Looking Over the Field" and "Springs of Service." The announcement of the election of officers and delegates to the Triennial will be made and the closing address given by Bishop Richardson.

New Heat Record For Month of April

Thermometer Reached Highest Point Wednesday Ever Recorded for 4th Month.

Yesterday was a sweltering day. The thermometer went skyward and before it had stopped on its upward climb a new heat record for the month of April had been established. The records of the Meteorological Observatory show a register of 74 degrees for April 27, 1921. This is the highest reading for the month of April since the Observatory was established in 1874.

Previous Highs

The previous high records for April were 72 in 1903 and the same temperature recorded for April 1886. The highest point the thermometer reached in April 1920 was 67 degrees.

Wednesday's sudden rise in temperature caused some discomfort for those garbed in winter apparel. Overcoats came off, were left at home, carried on the arm or tossed into an ash barrel. Anything to keep cool was the order of the day. King and Queen Square Parks were thronged with people, and the kiddies sported on the lawns. The day brought out for the first time this season the old stereotyped phrase, "Hot, ain't it?"

R. K. Y. C. MEMBERS SHOWING INTEREST

From present indications the present season will be one of the best the R.K.Y.C. has had since its organization, and the members of the club are showing more interest than for many years past. The boats are being prepared for the summer cruising and will all soon be in the water. Plans are being made for a big celebration on July 1st, and the Westfield Fair Vale and Reinforth Associations are going to join hands with the yachtmen for that day to make it a success.

AN INTERESTING MEETING AT THE BOARD OF TRADE

Dr. George Porter, M.B., Secretary Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, to give instructive address.

Next Friday evening at 8.30 o'clock an organization meeting for a Provincial Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis will be held at the Board of Trade rooms, at which time Dr. Geo. Porter, M.B., one-time champion athlete of Toronto University, will speak.

Dr. Porter has addressed large meetings from one end of Canada to the other. He is an enthusiast of the Prevention of Tuberculosis, and handles this subject in a clear and masterly way.

Other speakers on the platform will be:—

Dr. C. M. Hincks, Secretary National Committee for Mental Hygiene, and Dr. Gordon Bates, Secretary Canadian National Council for Combating Venereal Disease.

The question of the Prevention of Consumption is one of the most important topics of the day. Every body is, or should be, interested.

This lecture being free to the public presents a most unusual opportunity to gain at first hand important information from men of wide reputation and lifelong experience. A full attendance is expected.

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Ladies are all invited to attend.
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Some of the very dressy models are embroidered or trimmed with rows of heavy silk stitching; others are button trimmed and belted. Beaver, sand and tan shades are favored.
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Hon. J. E. Hetherington was in the city on business Wednesday.
OPEN EVERY EVENING.
The office of the Dominion Inspector of Taxation will be open every day this week from 9 a. m. until 3 p. m. to enable all to make their returns and pay their income tax before the expiration of the days of grace.
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The Smith Foundry Company, Fredericton is prepared to meet all necessary repairs in connection with Cadillac cars, and would be pleased to demonstrate the 1921 models, both enclosed and open cars.
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