

Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

NEW MUSICAL PROGRAMME AT IMPERIAL TONIGHT
The arrival of Walter Heckman, splendid New York tenor singer, brought the Imperial's singing novelty up to full strength yesterday.

THE GEM OFFERS SOMETHING BIG AND NEW

There's a ripping good bill at the Gem for tonight and tomorrow. See criticism elsewhere. With the change on Saturday afternoon will come something big and new—Gem's Own Comedy Company, imported for a stock season.

NEW SERIAL STARTING AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

The excellent vaudeville programme at the Opera House is drawing crowds of amusement lovers this week. See it tonight—it is good and just what you want for clean, refined entertainment.

FIRST OF THE SPECIAL "LUKE" COMEDIES, UNIQUE TONIGHT

Unique will present tonight the first of the Lonesome Luke comedies, a special brand which is claimed to be as good if not better than the famous Chaplin comedies.

250 WOODEN VESSELS IN LUMBER ESTIMATE

Washington, June 7.—An official estimate made public by the Lumber Commission of the Advisory Commission of the Council of National Defense, through the Committee of Public Information, placed the number of wooden cargo-carrying ships to be constructed by the United States Shipping Board during the first eighteen months at 250.

ON ITALIAN FRONT

Udine, June 6, via Paris, June 7.—The Austrians advance on the whole Carso front shows that the enemy command, after repeated attacks in the Vedrette zone, thought it necessary to make a supreme effort on his left wing, where every Italian gain constitutes a double threat on Ljubljana and Trieste.

SEES NO REASON TO WORK

Wife Gets Most of Income and Ross Likes to Read.
Huntington, L. I., June 7.—William Ross has an income and a section of his home all to himself, and as he gives his wife the major part of his income he does not see what reason she has to bother him.

DEATHS

HALPIN.—On June 4, 1917, Nora, widow of Patrick J. Halpin, and daughter of Margaret and the late John O'Connor, leaving four sons, her mother, four sisters, and three brothers to mourn.

IN MEMORIAM

BRIDGE.—In loving memory of Robert Siddal Bridge, who departed this life June 7, 1916.
They will be done.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. John E. B. Herd wish to express their sincere thanks to all those who were so kind to their daughter, Lillian, during her illness, also for the many tokens of sympathy in their sad bereavement.

LOCAL NEWS

M. R. A advertisement, page 3. T.F. Wanted—Several waitresses. Royal Hotel.

Don't miss seeing "The Voice of the Violin" at the Imperial today.

Music for dancing—Seaside Park tonight.

"JOURNEMEN BARBERS—NOTICE"
Open meeting tonight in Jessomes' shop, King square, at 8.30.

FISH FOR FRIDAY
Small salmon; also fresh mackerel, shad, halibut, haddock and cod at Leonard's Fisheries, Ltd., Brittain street. Phone Main 450.

Get your flower beds ready now. Call or phone K. Pederson, Ltd., 86 Charlotte street, and we will supply you with the plants. We have all kinds at the right prices, or if you want a nice window box filled, we will them. Cut flowers grown at our green houses fresh every day.

UNIVERSITY COURSE IS PROPOSED FOR VETERANS
London, June 7.—An education scheme for soldiers has been proposed, which, if acted upon, would rival the Rhodes Scholarship Trust in scope and imperial bearing.

GEM'S NEW BILL HAS BIG FEATURE PICTURE
"The Hidden Scar" a Master Work—The Vaudeville Bright, Lively and Entertaining.

"The Hidden Scar" proved a gripping feature at the Gem last night. It is the story of the struggle of a cabaret singer, Janet Hall, who has been left with a nameless daughter by the death of the man who wronged her.

THIS IS A SAMPLE OF GERMAN JUSTICE
Amsterdam, June 7.—The city of Mons has been fined £20,000 because a Belgian paper published in Holland, announced that Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria was in Mons when the city was bombarded by allied airmen.

Presbyterian Assembly
Montreal, June 7.—This morning's session of the Presbyterian General Assembly was almost entirely occupied by routine organization work, the reception of minor reports, etc.

For Cash Tomorrow
The work of both Ethel Clayton and Holbrook Blinn who starred in the piece is excellent. The lesson of the story is good and is well taught.

BULGARIAN PREMIER GOES TO SEE MASTER
Amsterdam, June 7, via London.—A Sofia dispatch says that Premier Radolovoff left for Berlin on Wednesday. He was accompanied by the chief of the royal political cabinet and the director of the public debt.

OFFICER IN DENTAL CORPS
Dr. R. I. Robertson of this city has received his commission as captain in the Canadian Dental Corps and will join the unit soon.

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H. H. Health Salts..... 10c. tin

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10c. bottle Grapejuice..... 20c.

30c. bottle Grapejuice..... 30c.

50c. bottle Grapejuice..... 45c.

40c. bottle Mont's Limejuice, 35c.

75c. bottle Mont's Limejuice, 69c.

Raspberry Vinegar..... 30c. bot.

25c. tin Colman's Baking Powder..... 21c.

30c. pkge. Uncle Sam Food..... 21c.

15c. pkge. Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour..... 12-1-2c.

Pure Maple Syrup..... 40c. bot.

24 lb. bag R. H. Flour..... \$1.80

15c. Kkovah Jelly Squares..... 12c.

5 lbs. Rolled Oatmeal..... 30c.

25c. bottle Pure Gold Lemon Oil..... 21c.

Vanilla..... 1-2 lb. cake Baker's Chocolate, 20c.

Marschmallow Cream for Frosting or Desserts..... 35c.

25c. tin Baker's Cocoa..... 25c.

CANDY (Chocolate) Peanut Clusters..... 33c. lb.

Vanilla Caramels..... 33c. lb.

Peppermint Pattes..... 39c. lb.

Store Open Friday Night Gilbert's Grocery

GROWING BOYS AND GIRLS

It is a mistake to think that anaemia is only a girl's complaint. Girls show the effect of it more plainly than boys. Delayed development, pale faces, breathlessness, sick headaches, attacks of dizziness, and frequent pain in the back or side call attention to them.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are famous for making the growing youth or maiden. The anaemic boy is just as likely to become a victim to ill-health or consumption, as the pale, breathless girl with headaches and worn-out look.

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One thousand five hundred newspapers and periodicals have already ceased publication, and the war has made demands on the German newspaper industry which is characterized as frightful and entirely unexampled. Paper has reached a price which enabled most of the paper mills to increase dividends considerably, and grease and oil for lubricating machines are only obtainable at usurious prices, while the prices of colors have enormously risen.

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MORE JUNE BRIDES
McFarland-Hart
The wedding of John McFarland of Aberdeen, Carlisle county, to Miss Sarah Hart, daughter of the late Edward Hart of Indianapolis, was solemnized last evening in St. Luke's church by Rev. R. P. McKim in the presence of a few immediate friends.

Hiltz-Balfey
Miss Grace Balfey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Balfey, of Marysville, was married on Wednesday to L. T. Hiltz, Rev. E. J. Brads performed the ceremony. The bride and groom left by C. P. R. on a wedding tour, which will include cities in the United States.

Rickard-Dickson
Miss Mabel C. Dickson, daughter of Frank Dickson of Barker's Point, was married last night to Percy D. W. Rickard, also of Barker's Point. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. D. McLeod of the Gibson Methodist church. Mr. and Mrs. Rickard will reside at Barker's Point.

Fox-O'Hara
At the George street Baptist church, Frederickton, yesterday, Rev. E. W. Wilson united in marriage Fred A. Fox and Miss Jennie O'Hara, both of that city.

Gates-Ewing
The wedding of Charles B. Gates of West St. John to Miss Lucinda Ewing, daughter of the late Thomas and Annie Ewing, formerly of East Scotch Settlement, Kings county took place yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Roscoe Melvin, 289 Guilford street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Jenner. The bride, who was given away by her brother-in-law, Roscoe Melvin, looked charming in a dress of embroidered net over white silk, with veil of orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of white carnations. She was attended by Miss Myrtle Gates, sister of the bridegroom, dressed in shadow lace over pink silk, and carrying a bouquet of pink carnations. Manford Melvin acted as best man. Following the ceremony, a bounteous supper was served, at which Mr. and Mrs. Gates left for a short wedding trip. The bride wore a traveling suit of navy blue. On their return they will reside on the West Side. A large number of wedding presents, including cut glass, linen and silver, were received.

TO MEET IN SECRET, JUST AS IN RUSSIA
Winnipeg, June 7.—At a secret meeting of the committee in charge of the anti-conscription campaign in Winnipeg the advisability of abandoning all attempts to hold anti-conscription meetings and of adopting the Russian system "in secret societies and secret propaganda," will be considered, according to a statement made by F. J. Dixon, M.P.P.

BRITISH SAID TO HAVE CAPTURED MESSINES
(Continued from page 1.)
The British also captured important trench positions all the way from observation ridge south of Ypres, to Flogstert wood, north of Armentieres. More than 1,000,000 pounds of high explosives was blown up under the German forward positions. This, the most gigantic mining operation in the history of warfare, spread panic among the Germans.

ARRAS OUTSIDE
The British in their attack today used probably 20 per cent more gas, especially those of heavy calibre, than they employed in the battle of Arras.

SPY HAD SEA MAP AND A SUBMARINE CODE
London, June 7.—A despatch from Christiania says that the Tidens Tegn publishes a map found on a spy taken at Gothenburg showing the seas about the British Isles, Norway, Sweden and the Baltic. The map is marked in numbered squares and has a telegraphic code attached.

TWO AIRMEN PRISONERS
Flight-Lieut. Reginald Fred. Henry, of the Royal Flying Corps, son of Major Henry, of Edmonton, who was previously reported missing, is now reported to be a prisoner of war, according to Lieut. A. Kenneth Slater of Ottawa, also of the Flying Corps, is reported to be a prisoner at Karlsruhe. He fell behind the enemy's lines while fighting the Hun, owing to his engine failing.

THE REPLY OF SIR ROBERT BORDEN
On June 7 Sir Robert Borden replied as follows:
Dear Sir Wilfrid Laurier:—
I beg to acknowledge your letter of yesterday which you set forth the substance of recent negotiations respecting the formation of a coalition government. At our first interview you expressed the opinion that compulsory service should not be enforced until it had been approved by a referendum or join the government on the terms proposed. I asked you at the same time if you would have a closer statement of what you had in mind. At this time I always stated to you that whenever conscription was adopted, after a consultation with the people, I would certainly urge every possible way obedience to the law.

THE WHEAT MARKET
Chicago, June 7.—Large clearances and decreasing stocks today tended to lift wheat values. The market was also visibly affected by changes in the price of corn. After opening 1/4 to 3/8 cents higher, wheat scored material further upturn and then underwent something of a reaction.

ELIAS ELWOOD PETERSON, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Peterson of Marysville, died Sunday night. He was aged forty-three years. Besides his parents he is survived by six brothers, Bert J. Garfield, S. Herbert A. Clarence A. Fred E. and John M., all of Marysville, and one sister, Mrs. G. A. Bradley of Frederickton.

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RECENT WEDDINGS

Herbert R. Roberts of this city, and Miss Agnes Burton, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Burton, 362 Main street, were united in marriage yesterday at noon by Rev. John Harwick, minister of St. Matthew's Presbyterian church.

Lydia Beatrice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bolton, 20 Peters street, was united in marriage to Arthur S. Walker of the office staff of the Canadian Drug Company, yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Gustave Kuhring and took place at the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Laura Evelyn, daughter of Thos. Likely, Rockland road, was united in marriage yesterday morning at 6.15 o'clock to Gordon Smith Stevens, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stevens, Orange street. The ceremony took place in Exmouth street Methodist church and was performed by Rev. W. G. Lane.

In the church of the Assumption at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, Mrs. Leona Costigan was united in marriage to Michael Noonan by Rev. J. J. O'Donnovan.

Mike was a servant of a farmer, and in his charge was a donkey which was kept to amuse his employer's children. The donkey was following the farmer's wife round the yard one day and the farmer, turning to Mike, said: "I think that donkey is taking a liking to my wife." "Och," said Mike, "shure and it's not the first donkey that's took a liking to her, sir."

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SPEAK OF GOZZOLINO EVIDENCE

Statement is Made by W. B. Tennant

SOME EDITORIALS

What The St. John Globe And Fredericton Gleaner Have to Say About Revelations Made at Valley Railway Investigation Session Here

The St. John Standard this morning published the following:—

Mr. Tennant's Statement.

Asked in reference to the matter last night, Mr. Tennant said: "For the present I have no statement to make except this I have had for years a business connection with the Nova Scotia Construction Company, Ltd., and the whole matter between us is simply a part of that arrangement. No undue political influence was used by me in securing a Valley Railway contract for the company and I have no political friend in partnership with me to the extent of one dollar in any profits I have made through my connection with the Nova Scotia Construction Company, Ltd.

"The prices obtained by the Nova Scotia Construction Company, Ltd., for the Valley Railway work are on the average only fair, some of them being entirely too low and many of them being reduced by the directors of the Valley Railway Company from the tender price.

"There is in existence a proper and legally executed contract between myself and the Nova Scotia Construction Company, Ltd., all of which will be brought into evidence at the proper time. Considering the risk which contractors have run in such a contract as this the profits made by myself and the company are only fair and whatever my share is is nobody's business but my own."

The St. John Globe yesterday said editorially:—

"ANOTHER SCANDAL."

"Every insertion of the probe of investigation into the Valley railroad construction reveals a festering mass of rot, rancor and corruption. Disclosures made on the opening day of a new inquiry have prepared the public mind for revelations of fraud on a larger scale than previously disclosed. If Thomas Gozzolino, contractor on the Valley railroad, gave Mr. W. B. Tennant a partnership in his contract, as he advanced him \$100,000 anticipated profits, as he says he did, there must have been a reason for so doing. As Mr. Gozzolino's evidence does not present his partnership with Mr. Tennant in the light of an ordinary business agreement such as contractors and capitalists make for mutual benefit, but rather as a political agreement, it becomes necessary, in the light of what has already been told, that additional light be thrown on this strange agreement. The evidence Mr. Gozzolino has given makes it imperative that Mr. Tennant also give evidence, and that the commission follow up the lead already given and discover the reason of the partnership and the final destination of any monies the contractor paid Mr. Tennant or others. The disclosures in this latest Valley railroad investigation promise to be more sensational than those of the former inquiry, which closely touched the personal honor of one public man, and revealed very grave disregard of the public welfare. An investigation in Manitoba resulted in an agreement for the return to the province of more than a million dollars wrongfully secured on a public building contract. Is there any way for Brunswick to get back the as-yet-unknown thousands wrongfully secured through Valley railroad high finance and political jobbery?"

NOT WHOLESOME.

The Fredericton Gleaner, which has been an out and out supporter of the Murray-Baxter government, uses some plain language in commenting upon the exposé. It speaks of the condition of affairs as revealed by Gozzolino as "wholesome." It says: "The advance of \$100,000 in cash on the profit arrangements made when the contract was signed and before the work was started cannot be contemplated."

Commenting also upon Kennedy & McDonald's getting higher prices than other subcontractors, the Gleaner makes the grave statement that "it has been pretty generally claimed that one of its members is a dummy for a member of the legislature who for several reasons is conceded to have had more influence on the members of the then government than any other private member of the house." The Gleaner no doubt refers to the firm of Smith & Merrithew, which was re-organized into a limited stock company before getting its contract, and Everett Fenwick, of Apohaqui, associated with the incorporation. The notice appeared in the Royal Gazette at that time.

The Gleaner concludes by stating that "a majority of the opposition have had for some time the feeling that the provincial party's interests and the general interests were being sacrificed in some respects to serve personal greed and to promote personal ambition."

ROLE OF THE PIRATE

Galveston, Texas, June 7.—The American fishing schooner Arcas was boarded by the crew of a Mexican gunboat off the coast of Tehuantepec, Mexico, on the high seas, on May 31, and looted of clothing, fishing gear and medicine chest. This news was brought here by Captain S. A. MacDonald of the Arcas.

Father Knew Something
Jackie—"Does your father know anything about music, Tommy?" Tommy (whose father is a policeman)—"Yes." "Well, what does he know?" "He knows how many bars there are in a beat, for I have heard him tell other so."

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NOT ENOUGH COAL

That only 65 per cent. of the anthracite coal requirements is being sent into this country from the United States, is the report made at Ottawa by W. F. O'Connor, chief of living commissioner. This shortage probably accounts for the increase of one dollar which became effective here this week, making the price of coal to retailers, \$18. Local merchants state that the increase is due simply to the fact that the demand is greater than the supply.

Mr. O'Connor points out that the United States shipbuilding programme is going to tie up the transport system, and will still more seriously affect the prospects of Canada, getting coal. He reminds the minister of labor that some Canadian railways are short of coal cars, and that American coal was brought to the border last year, and could not get any further.

FIVE YEARS FOR DESERTER

Fredericton, N. B., June 7.—(Special)—James Langley was sentenced this afternoon by Police Magistrate Limerick to two years in penitentiary for deserting from the 26th battalion, two years for breaking and entering, and six months for jailing firearms; also two months in jail for assault. His brother William, was remanded until the 18th inst.

James Langley had been out on suspended sentence. The two had obtained much local notoriety as two of the "boy bandits" who have committed depredations in this section of the province for several years. The one sentenced was the younger of the two.

CHANGE IN ORGANIZATION.

The mayor and the secretary of the board of trade have been notified from Montreal that the British Sailors' Relief Fund is being discontinued, and that the Canadian branch of the Navy League, London, is being instituted in its stead. The report stated that \$200,000 has just been forwarded to the British admiralty to be employed to assist institutions aiding men of the navy or their dependents, and \$200,000 more to Sir George Perley in aid of the sailors of the mercantile marine. These amounts swell the sum contributed from Canada to \$140,000.

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ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JUNE 7.

A. M. P. M.
High Tide... 0.27 Low Tide... 7.00
Sun Rises... 4.42 Sun Sets... 8.03
Time used is Atlantic standard.

An old unoccupied house, formerly used as a boarding house and owned by Stetson, Cutler & Company, was destroyed by fire a little before midnight last evening.

A very successful piano recital was given yesterday afternoon by the pupils of Miss Alice Davidson, Rothery. The large audience greatly enjoyed the musical treat of the young ladies, and all showed evidence of careful study.

Word was received last evening that the three-masted schooner Catherine, of this city, had been wrecked off Grand Turk's Island, West Indies. The crew, most of whom are well known here, are safe.

With the exception of about 140 miles between Amherst and Halifax, the work of stringing a new copper wire from Miramichi to Halifax, via St. John, has been completed by the C. P. R. The new telegraph line was put up at the rate of fifteen miles a day.

About seventy feet of the station platform at McAdam Junction collapsed last evening about 8.40 o'clock and carried down with it a large amount of freight. One man, an employee of the C. P. R., had his ankle hurt, but there were no other serious results. Many narrowly escaped serious injury.

The Oddfellows' Fair in the hall, West St. John, was well attended last night and the many booths and the various amusements were liberally patronized. The Temple of Honor band was in attendance and provided excellent entertainment. The prize winners for the night were Miss Wayne, bean

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12 lbs. best Granulated Sugar \$1.00
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Pink Salmon... 18c.
Baked Beans, large can... 15c.
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6 cans Babbitt's Washing Powder, 25c.
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6 cakes Yezza's Soap... 25c.
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Quaker Rolled Oats... 23c. pkg.
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C. G. R. PROMOTIONS.

Moncton, June 6.—Several new appointments are announced on the Canadian Government Railways. I. S. Brown has been transferred from New Glasgow to Moncton, having been appointed general superintendent here. He will be succeeded by R. H. Martin as assistant superintendent at New Glasgow.

C. B. Brown has been promoted as assistant general manager and H. Melanson to passenger traffic manager. D. A. Storey is now freight traffic manager.

W. A. Cowan has been promoted to superintendent on the western lines under General Manager F. P. Brady, with headquarters at Cochrane (Ont.)

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AT OTTAWA

An united Canada, as a part of the British Empire, whether for war or the peace to come after the war, should be the aim and desire of every Canadian.

We shall know tomorrow, if not today, why Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier have been unable to arrive at a working agreement. In forming a judgment upon the policy of either leader, two things should be paramount, the complete mobilization of Canada, and the largest possible measure of unity in the accomplishment of that task.

"Sir Wilfrid, in announcing his attitude on the coalition and conscription proposals will, it is expected, emphasize the wisdom of following constitutional procedure and long-tested experience of government by majorities. It may be further expected that he will outline his suggestions for national organization for war effort, pointing out the mistakes of the past, which have resulted in the way of immediate enforcement of conscription for military service only.

That Sir Robert Borden has decided to keep Hon. Robert Rogers in the cabinet, and the charge made against Hon. Albert Severy, were interesting features of yesterday's news from the capital. It is quite evident that party feeling has not been overcome, but rather that recent developments are opening the gates of bitter controversy. The country awaits with absorbing interest the statements of the two leaders today.

THE PEOPLE'S MONEY

Mr. W. B. Tennant does not deny that he received \$100,000 from the Nova Scotia Construction Company, and says that profits made by him are nobody's business but his own.

This is not the view held by the St. John Globe and Frederick Gleason, whose comments are published in today's Times. They are not the views of some prominent Conservatives who have been freely discussing the amazing revelations made at the enquiry. Mr. Tennant will have an opportunity to testify, and as the \$100,000 in question was a part of the people's money the people will naturally want to know why it was paid and what was its ultimate destination.

Then there is the gift of nearly \$77,000 given to the company on the eve of the elections, when the figures for the Centreville-Anderson section were increased by the government. That is hardly a defensible transaction. The Gleason is also amazed to learn that McDonald got higher prices for the same work than other contractors were given, and it asserts that one of the members of one of these companies is only a dummy for a member of the legislature who had more influence on the members of the then government than any other private member of the house.

The Globe's comment that "every insertion of the probe of investigation into Valley Railroad construction reveals a festering mass of rottenness and corruption," and its enquiry whether any of the money can be got back or not are justified by the facts. The St. John Standard yesterday refused to print the evidence, and does not do so today, but it prints Mr. Tennant's remarks and makes a vicious editorial attack upon what it terms "Carvellian methods."

Veniot and Mr. Carvell which grows as the months pass, and more and more of the inquiry they charged and denounced is revealed.

It will not do to say that this Valley Railway affair is nobody's business. The people's money has been exploited with an audacity which fairly takes away one's breath. The enquiry has only begun, but the testimony of Mr. Cosolino stands. It tells a story that shames New Brunswick.

THE POTTS RESOLUTION

The "selective draft" affair was fairly well staged by the opposition in the legislature yesterday, but an awkward hitch interfered with the presentation of the political comedy with Mr. Potts in the title role. Something went wrong almost at the moment the curtain went up, and the hero got off to a bad start.

Mr. Potts moved a resolution favoring the selective draft. Premier Foster promptly moved an amendment declaring it inadvisable to interject any such resolution into the case when the party leaders at Ottawa are facing a serious situation and seeking to find a way out. Mr. Baxter promptly came along with an amendment to the amendment, in which the substance of the Potts' resolution was more or less artfully concealed. He made, however, a much more effective appeal for unity of action than either Mr. Potts or Mr. Murray, who had spoken after Premier Foster, and who apparently cast some reflections which were so unwarranted that he later said he must have been misunderstood. Mr. Tilley went even a step farther than Mr. Baxter, and suggested a conference of the leaders, if the Baxter amendment were not acceptable. He was promptly asked why this suggestion was not made before the Potts' resolution was introduced. And that is a perfectly natural question to ask. If the gentlemen of the opposition yearned for unity rather than for political capital, why did they not suggest a joint resolution?

WOMAN SUFFRAGE

The delegation in favor of woman suffrage were given a very courteous reception at Fredericton yesterday. Hon. Dr. Roberts welcomed them to the legislative buildings and introduced them to the government and members of the house. They were given a fine opportunity in the legislative chamber to present their case, and received a most attentive hearing. Premier Foster, without assuring the delegation that their representations would receive the most serious consideration. Later in the afternoon the visitors had the pleasure of listening to Hon. Dr. Roberts' very able address on the second reading of the bill, which has now gone to the law committee. The fact that the bill passed its second reading is a full recognition and acceptance by the house of the principle of woman suffrage. Having gone so far it would be most ungracious not to go farther, and the advocates of the bill hope that it will be adopted, although it is known there is considerable opposition, which is not confined to one party. It is not a party measure, and the delegation found warm supporters on both sides of the house. It is encouraging to note that even those who say they are not now prepared to vote for a full measure of woman franchise admit freely that it is bound to come later, and the question "Why wait?" is naturally asked of them. Why should this be the last province to grant to women a privilege that is admittedly their right?

The spot-light of investigation reveals conditions which suggest that it is time the clean and healthy influence of women was given an opportunity to assert itself at the ballot box. Because of that influence and the need of it, and because of what women have sacrificed and endured and accomplished in this war, the members of the New Brunswick legislature should agree to a man to give them the franchise.

Just when the patriotic members and followers of the late provincial government were keying themselves up to a high pitch of patriotic fervor in the legislature yesterday afternoon, copies of the Gleason, with its comments on the patriotic exploitation of the Valley Railway were brought into the chamber. It was very sad.

If Hon. Dr. Roberts brings to all his legislative work the same intelligence and ability revealed in his handling of the woman franchise bill, and his comprehensive and convincing speech therein, his maiden effort gives promise of a very useful career as a legislator.

That \$100,000 would have bought a lot of things for the boys at the front, over whom Mr. Potts and ex-Premier Murray agonized yesterday in Fredericton.

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LIGHTER VEIN.

Should Have Been "Lard." Architect—I suppose, Mr. Nurich, you received the plans I sent you for the port cochere and grand entrance. Nurich—Yes, and what do you mean by putting "Salve" over the door? That ain't what I made my money in.

Not a Pecuniary Success. "They issued over a hundred invitations." "Did they get many valuable presents?" "No, they barely made expenses."

Correctly Defined. Little Catherine was playing in the garden when she discovered a worm crawling along. "Oh, mamma," she exclaimed, "there's nothing with a tail on it!"

His Chance. "Mr. Bubkins" said the proud father, shaking the young man warmly by the hand, "let me tell you that you are a man after my own heart." "Oh, no sir," protested the blushing suitor, "I'm after your daughter's."

The First Complaint. He (to his fiancée)—"Couldn't you kiss me a little more affectionately, dear?" She—Well, I'll do my best; but you are the first one that has ever complained.

A Conditional Promise. "Ah, wants the day off, boss, ter look for a job for mah wife." "Will you be back tomorrow?" "Yes, ef she don't git it."

A Mean Insultation. Young Wife (enthusiastically)—"I've just made a pudding, dear, and it's a poem." Hubby—And I suppose I'm to be the waste basket.

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STEALS \$50,000 JEWELRY Thief Smashes Showcases in Vestibule of the Carlton, London. London, June 7.—Jewelry to the value of \$50,000 was stolen from the glass showcases in the vestibule of the Carlton hotel. Soon after the lights were out, sounds of breaking glass were heard, but the watchmen who rushed to the vestibule found the thief gone with booty to the amount stated. Some articles of jewelry were strewn about the floor. It is believed the thief had hidden himself in the palm room. Robert A. Taft, lawyer, Cincinnati, Ohio, son of ex-President Taft, has been rejected by physicians examining applicants for the officers' reserve corps. His eyes were found to be weak.

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Suffrage Bill is Introduced

Hon. Dr. Roberts Gives Able Address in Support of Measure—F. L. Potts on Conscriptio

In a stirring address in the legislature yesterday, Hon. Dr. Roberts gave an eloquent plea for votes for women. He introduced the bill as a private measure and dealt with the subject in an able manner. A large number of ladies were present in the house during the debate. The bill has been referred to the law committee.

Mr. Potts' resolution dealing with selective conscription, the need of men for the empire, the high price of food and other things, was amended by the premier, who spoke effectively on the subject. Mr. Baxter then made an amendment to the amendment, dropping all of Mr. Potts' sections with the exception of one.

The Foster government takes the stand that it is inadvisable for the legislature here to interfere with parliament at Ottawa at the present time, and Mr. Potts' resolution was amended to that effect.

WILL SELL THE OLD LORNVILLE CHURCH

The St. John district of the N. B. and P. E. I. Methodist conference met in annual session yesterday in the Carleton Methodist church, Rev. Thomas Hicks, retiring president of the conference, in the chair. All circuits were represented by clergymen and some by lay delegates. The financial report for the year showed an increase in missionary subscriptions of \$106, and an increase in membership.

Mason S. Linton, a St. John boy, passed successfully his examination and was recommended to the conference as a probationer of one year.

Rev. W. G. Lane asked for a superannuation relation. He is retiring from Exmouth street church after forty-three years in the ministry. Rev. Mr. Steele and Rev. Robert Crisp expressed the regret of the district that St. John and the



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COMPENSATION FOR WORKMEN

Report of Local Commission Which Has Been Investigating

SOME RECOMMENDATIONS

Authority to See Pay Rolls, An Official to Tabulate Them—Weekly Payments—Cannot Recommend Act Similar to Ontario or Nova Scotia's at Present

The following report will be read with interest:—
To His Honor The Lieutenant Governor in Council:
Your Honor:—
By an Order-in-Council dated 31st January last past, the undersigned were appointed a commission to enquire into the working of the Ontario and Nova Scotia Workmen's Compensation Acts, with reference to their applicability to this province. In this connection we had the honor to address you on the 31st March last, asking enlarged powers so that we might give consideration to acts other than those of Nova Scotia and Ontario.

The Commission has held eleven meetings, of which five were open to the public, and testimony was taken from representatives of the labor interests in this province, of manufacturers, of several experts from Toronto, representing insurance interests, and one F. W. Wegman, who appeared before the Ontario Commission as solicitor on behalf of Canadian manufacturers; he has also been interested in the drafting of the present Nova Scotia act. One member of this commission has had an opportunity of discussing the Ontario act with the members of the permanent commission in that province, and with those who compose the commission now administering the law in Nova Scotia. To the members of these commissions our gratitude is due for their full verbal information and for kindly courtesy in sending to us all the documents for which we asked, in order to consider the operation of each act.

We have also, as far as the time at our disposal permitted, given attention to the acts of the province of Manitoba, the province of British Columbia, and a number of states in the American Union.

There are three systems which are in operation. First, what may be called an Employers' Liability law, which finds expression in the act now in force in this province.

Second, Workmen's Compensation as represented by such an act as that in Nova Scotia, British Columbia, and to a lesser degree in Ontario, in which employers are required to file their pay rolls with a commission; the industries are grouped and classified as heavily similar as possible, and then an assessment is made upon the various groups, in order to carry the liability of the employer to the employee.

In several acts the amount so collected is defined as one and indivisible, and the amount collected from all groups may be applied to make up the deficiency in any one. There is in this case no state liability, but the assessments collected are administered by a commission consisting of one or more which fixes the amount of the assessment, adjusts the liability between the employer and the employee, and pays the amount to the employee without the intervention of any third person.

The third, is called State Insurance, which means that the state becomes the insurer, fixes rates or assessments, administers the funds, adjusts the losses, and pays in like manner, as in the case of the second class described and this system is best illustrated by the act of the State of Washington.

In considering the question of the applicability of a Workmen's Compensation Act to this province, it is very difficult to find precedent to warrant the adoption of such an act with the information now before us.

The Province of Ontario was the first one to adopt a Workmen's Compensation Act along the lines of the second class described. This passed the Ontario legislature on 1st May, 1914, and became operative as respects payments of compensation on 1st January, 1915. The act is a worked fairly well, so far as the province of Ontario is concerned, but Ontario is a very large province, having very large manufacturing industries, and consequently very heavy pay rolls upon which assessment can be made, and therefore there may not be, and in fact there is not a complete analogy between the conditions in that province and those which obtain here.

The Nova Scotia Act, and the conditions in that province more nearly approach those in New Brunswick, and other, was passed on 23rd April, 1915, and became operative 1st January, 1917.

The act of the province of British Columbia was passed 23rd May, 1916, and has since become operative.

The act of Manitoba was assented to 10th March, 1916. It will therefore be readily apparent that in the smaller provinces sufficient time has not elapsed in order to show clearly, and in what way these acts will operate, either in the interests of the employer or the employee, and in the case of the province of Ontario, the act has only been in force three years.

Under the two systems those of the Workmen's Compensation collectively, and state administered insurance, generally speaking, 95 per cent of the wages of injured workmen is paid, and if as a result of injury he died, instead of a lump sum payment as in the case of the Employers' Liability Act in this province, a pension is paid to the widow of \$20 per month until re-marriage or death. In the event of re-marriage, in the majority of acts a lump sum of two years' pension is given, which terminates the liability of the employer or group so far as the widow is concerned. But in nearly all of these acts, there is also a provision that \$5 monthly shall be paid for each child until he or she attains the age of sixteen years, when it ceases, unless the child is incapable of working, when in some instances it is continued. The total amount of pension to widow and children is usually limited to \$40 monthly.

It is therefore clear that a very heavy liability is assumed by the state in adopting the principle of either of these two last mentioned classes of acts. Then, too, the expenses of a commission appointed to administer the acts are in nearly all cases paid by the state



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and are not a charge upon the fund. For example, in the case of Nova Scotia, authority is given to pay from the public revenue \$25,000 yearly towards the expense of the commission. In Ontario the amount is \$100,000, in British Columbia \$50,000, and in Manitoba an amount to be determined by the lieutenant-governor-in-council.

If the principle of these acts is adopted it will therefore readily be seen that it will involve quite a large expense (although, of course, not as great as in the case of Nova Scotia, because that province is larger) upon the funds of New Brunswick.

It may be well to say right here, that the insurance companies have practically been displaced from business in all provinces where these acts are in force, except in Manitoba where they are licensed to do business, but all rates are fixed, and all losses paid by the Workmen's Compensation Act Commission without reference either to the insurance company or to the employer.

In view of these facts we have therefore reached the conclusion that we are not by any means able at this time to recommend the adoption of an act similar to that of Nova Scotia or Ontario, for the reason that there is no evidence before us as to what the pay rolls of the province is, and we think it absolutely necessary to determine whether the province is sufficiently large, and whether the amount of assessments which may be realized, would justify the formation of a commission and the administration of a Workmen's Compensation Act similar to those in force in other provinces.

We therefore recommend in order to determine this point, that an act be passed by the legislature empowering a commission to require pay rolls from manufacturers or employers of labor, to be filed for the year 1916, on or before the first day of October, 1917, and that it be imposed as a duty upon the sheriffs of each county, and also upon the assessors of taxes of each city, town and municipality, to secure such pay rolls within the area in which their jurisdiction extends, and that a penalty be imposed upon all employers and manufacturers who fail to file such pay rolls within the time which their jurisdiction extends, and that a penalty be made upon blanks to be approved by a government commission, or any authority having charge of the question.

If this suggestion is adopted it will be

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necessary to appoint an official whose duty it will be, and upon whom the responsibility will rest, to secure the pay rolls and tabulate the results, which is submitted is necessary before further recommendations can be made safely by any commissioner. In the course of our investigations we heard representatives from many of the labor organizations in this province, and they while seeking a Workmen's Compensation Act, when the difficulties in recommending such a proposal were placed before them, stated that they were fully prepared to await complete investigation, raising the capital sum for which the employer is liable from \$2,000 to \$2,500, the maximum weekly wages to be increased from \$12 to \$16 and that it be made compulsory that each employer should pay the amount due to the workman weekly.

It was put forward that when the present act was passed the purchasing power of \$2,000 was as great as would be \$2,500 today, and that the increased cost of living has made one about the equivalent of the other, and the same view was expressed with regard to maximum weekly wages.

On the question of compelling weekly payments, it was pointed out that while the present act provides for weekly payment, it does not make it compulsory that they should be made, for which they ask.

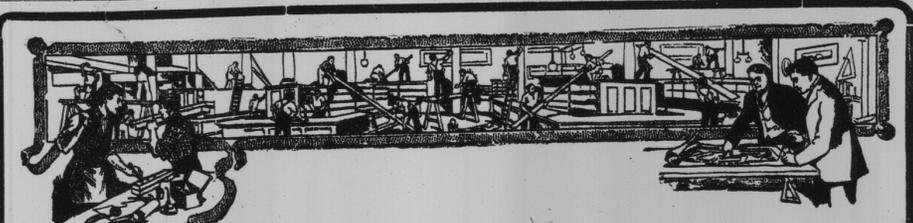
We believe that these recommendations are reasonable and should receive the serious consideration of your honor's advisers, and if adopted, would respectfully suggest that to enforce weekly payment, an amendment be made by which the employer would be so directed to a supreme or county court judge, such order to be enforceable in the same manner as a judgment of the supreme court.

Respectfully submitted,
(Sgd.) F. J. G. KNOWLTON, Chairman.
(Sgd.) ROY A. DAVIDSON, Secretary.

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White Sheets, full double bed size, strong cotton, deep hem. Sale 95c. each
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Bargain in Window Scrim for Friday, cream or white, fancy lace edge effect. Sale 5 yards for 79c.
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POLITICAL REWARDS IN
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London, June 7.—The English press on the whole approves of the very comprehensive honors list, and especially of the recognition given to overseas candidates, but The Times comes out with a remarkable attack on the political rewards, and speaks of these as being given for cash down or for parliamentary docility.

"Here and there in the dreary waste of baronets," says The Times, "one encounters a name like that of Sir J. G. Naime, or of Baron J. A. Flavell, the devoted chairman of the Canadian Municipal Board, but the old atmosphere of party bargaining hangs heavy over the list. We may be allowed to wonder, not for the first time, whether our political system really requires such wholesale periodical outputs of peerages, baronetcies and knightships in return for some heavy alibi, and the purely party services. Lloyd George, after some hesitation, seems to have swallowed the system."

GAS IN THE STOMACH
IS DANGEROUS

Physicians Recommend the Use of Magesia.

Sufferers from indigestion or dyspepsia should remember that the presence of gas or wind in the stomach invariably indicates that the stomach is troubled by excessive acidity.

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BARBERS' NEW RATES

The journeymen barbers' schedule for higher wages and shorter hours is to become effective Monday, that is if the master barbers are agreeable to its terms. At present, it is stated, there is every indication that they will grant the increased demands and to offset this additional expense there is a possibility that rates for hair cuts shaves, etc. will be a still further jump. The journeymen barbers met last night and several new members were accepted. The schedule presented for \$14 a week with half of all takings over \$12, not many favored a flat rate of \$25 or \$16 a week. Another meeting will be held before the new conditions become operative and it is possible that the flat rate clause will be substituted.

Preparedness Wins

The pacifist and the preparedness people are, respectively, like Willie and ohmy. Willie and Johnny had been very naughty, and were sent to bed by their mother. As they lay side by side outsteps were heard—it was now evening—and the two culprits realized that their father was mounting the stairs. "hey turned pale. 'I'm goin' to fold my hands as if I'd been prayin'," said 'adlist Willie, "and then I'll pretend to be asleep when he comes in." But 'reparedness Johnnie was already bustin' up swiftly around the room. "I'm goin' to put on my pants," he said, "and line 'em up with a newspaper."

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San Juan, Porto Rico, June 7.—Paul Charlton, former United States district judge for Porto Rico, died this week at Juan Diaz, following an operation for carbuncle. He was the father of Porter Charlton, who in 1910 killed his wife in a villa on Lake Como, Italy, following a quarrel on the honeymoon, and who was released from prison in 1915 and returned to the United States.

Paul Charlton was born in Harrisburg, Penn., in 1856. He was graduated from Yale in 1878 and was admitted to the bar in 1882. After practicing in Harrisburg and Omaha, Neb., he became attached to the bureau of insular affairs of the war department and later became United States district judge for Porto Rico, which post he held until 1912, when he resumed the practice of law at San Juan.

While flying over Doncaster district the machine of Lieut. A. E. Venables, R. F. C., caught fire. The unfortunate officer managed to alight, but was burned to death.

The King has appointed Major General Sir George John Youngblood to be Keeper of the Jewel House, Tower of London, in room of General Sir Arthur Singleton Wynne, resigned.

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W 866-21—Brown, W. C., res. "The Ferns", No. changed from M 2878-11, address from 88 Adelaide street.
M 1042-11—Buchanan, E. S., Chemist and Dyestuffs, 92 Princess street.
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M 8888-41—Morse, L. D., res. Renforth; No. changed from M 3291.
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M 2995—Wasson, Charles H., res. 22 Bentley street; No. changed from M 2175-11.
M 409-81—War Veterans' Association (The Great), 208 Union street.
M 226-81—Wheaton, Miss Etta, res. 68 Metcalf street.
Westfield 1-42—Holly, J. Walter, res. Westfield 2-82—McDonald, Charles H., res. Woodman's Point.
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Dom Steel—200 at 64 1/2.
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Ridion—135 at 125.
Smelters—165 at 28.
Steel Co.—85 at 68.
Toronto Railways—6 at 80.
Cottons Pfd.—25 at 81 1/2.
Steel Co. Pfd.—5 at 91 1/2.
First War Loan—400 at 97.
Unlisted Stocks.
Third War Loan—10,000 at 94 1/2, 13,000 at 94 1/2, 200 at 94 1/2, 85,800 at 94 1/2.

What You Surely Need

is a healthy, active, industrious liver. Small doses, taken regularly, insure that.

Maybe You Need a purgative sometimes. Then take one larger dose.

Keep that in mind; it will pay you rich dividends in Health and Happiness.

GENUINE BEARS SIGNATURE
Colorless faces often show the absence of iron in the blood. CARTER'S IRON PILLS will help this condition.

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Save your old radiators. We have an expert on repairing broken or leaky radiators. Let us examine yours before buying a new one.

CARLETON GARAGE
190 Rodney St., West St. John, N. B. 61192-6-14.

\$50 REWARD

For information leading to arrest and conviction of person or persons who took the boat and damaged property at Club House on Deep Lake.

H. DRISCOLL, Blagdon Station.

FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET
J. M. Robinson & Sons, 37, John, N.B. Quotations furnished by private wire of New York, June 7.

	Previous Closing	Open	Close
Am Zinc	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Am Car & Pdry	76 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Am Locomotive	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Am Beet Sugar	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Am Can	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Am Sugar	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Am Steel Pfd	74	74 1/2	74 1/2
Am Smelters	107 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Col Fuel Iron	71 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Am Woolens	65	65 1/2	65 1/2
Anacoda Mining	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
At, T and S Fe	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Balt & Ohio	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Baldwin Loco	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Butte & Superior	43 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	150	153	153 1/2
Chino Copper	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Ches & Ohio	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Col Fuel Iron	71 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Can Pac Ry	161 1/2	161 1/2	161 1/2
Cent Leather	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Crucible Steel	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Erie	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Gen Electric	164 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Gt Northern Pfd	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Inspiration	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Int'l Mar Com	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Int'l Mar Pfd Cts	80	80	81 1/2
Industrial Alcohol	156	156	157
Kennecott Copper	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Lehigh Valley	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Midvale Steel	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Maxwell Motors	50 1/2	50	50
Mex Petroleum	98 1/2	99 1/2	100 1/2
Miami	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Northern Pacific	108	108	108
Nevada	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
NY Air Brakes	154 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2
N Y Central	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Pennsylvania	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Peoples Gas	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Reading	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2
Republic I and Steel	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2
St. Paul	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Sloss-Sheridan	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
South Railway	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
South Pacific	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Slattuck Arizona	26 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Studebaker	79 1/2	80	81 1/2
Union Pacific	136 1/2	136 1/2	137 1/2
U S Steel	181 1/2	182 1/2	183 1/2
U S Steel Pfd	118	118 1/2	118 1/2
United Fruit	188	188	189 1/2
U S Rubber	69 1/2	64	64
Utah Copper	115	115	115 1/2
Wm Cor Chemical	44	44	44
Westing Electric	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Sales—Elven O'clock, 47,420.			

FRENCH AIRMEN KEPT
PRINCE ON THE MOVE

Eitel Friedrich's Headquarters North of Noyen Shelled by Aviators

Noyen, France, May 18. (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The only building remaining intact in the region of Chauny and as far north as Saint Simon, after the retreat of the Germans, was a wooden pavilion built upon a rise of ground between what was once the village of Fallouval and the ruins of Flavy Marciel. A rustic fence around the building bears in rustic letters this designation: "Eitel Friedrich Schanz" (Eitel Friedrich Redoubt).

Coalition Impossible, Elections Expected Soon

FINAL CONFERENCE BETWEEN LEADERS ENDS THE NEGOTIATIONS

Charges Made Against Two Cabinet Ministers Among Reasons for Refusal—Clears Way for More Stable Government Through Appeal to the People

Ottawa, June 6—Coalition is definitely off. Announcement as to why it will be made in the commons tomorrow by Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Negotiations were broken off this afternoon after a final brief call of Sir Robert Borden at Sir Wilfrid's office.

On the government side, Sir Robert Borden will doubtless claim tomorrow that a fair offer of coalition was made on the basis of equal cabinet representation for both parties. He will maintain that the object in view was solely concerned with secured united action for the war effort, pointing out the mistakes of the past, which have resulted in the present objections to and difficulties in the way of immediate enforcement of conscription for military service only.

Drinking Tea Upset Nerves

Mr. Burroughes Compares Canadian Customs With Those in Old Land, and Tells How Nerves Were Set Right.

Orillia, Ont., June 5—"How to be well and strong" is the question many are asking at this time of year, and in this letter you will find the answer. It tells something of the blood-forming, nerve-invigorating influence of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, the great restorative which is causing so much talk here just now.

On the coalition and conscription proposals will, it is expected, emphasize the wisdom of following constitutional procedure and long-tested experience of government by majorities. It may be further expected that he will outline his suggestions for national organization for war effort, pointing out the mistakes of the past, which have resulted in the present objections to and difficulties in the way of immediate enforcement of conscription for military service only.

Party warfare in the commons, which has not let up even during the past fortnight when coalition was in the air, will probably be continued from now on with greater intensity. But the uncertainty is over and it may be taken for granted that before long the people will have a chance to say under what banners they are to be led towards helping in the most practical and effective way in securing a triumphant peace and a united and prosperous Canada.

Ottawa, June 6—Two ministers of the crown—members of the Borden cabinet—publicly indicted for alleged dishonesty, either perpetrated or intended, pleaded "Not guilty," in parliament today.

The Name PRESIDENT on Suspenders stands for Quality plus Comfort REFUSE IMITATIONS.

capacity as advisor to the Crown, so far disciplined only by the sergeant-at-arms. Speaking in the house of commons today Hon. Albert Seigny referred to the correspondence tabled in the house yesterday regarding the removal of the effects. He stated that when these were removed after the fire, a list was made and given to the sergeant-at-arms who had shipped the goods to Quebec.

DAYLIGHT SAVING

Ottawa, June 6—Sir George Foster gave notice tonight of a government bill in connection with daylight saving. The bill provides that during the summer months the clocks may be moved on one hour throughout the dominion but the condition is stipulated that the bill shall not become operative until it is proclaimed by order-in-council.



Weak, Anaemic, Nervous Run-down

WHEN your system is undermined by worry or overwork—when your vitality is lowered—when you feel "anyhow"—when your nerves are "on edge"—when the least exertion tires you—you are in a run-down condition.

KILTIES GOING TO VALCARTIER

Now Assured of Enough Men to Permit Senior Officers to Cross—Five Recruits in St. John Yesterday.

It is now announced in official quarters that the 288th are to leave for Valcartier Camp in four days. This regiment has been holding a very successful whirlwind campaign to fill up the ranks just before going, and this is the last chance that young men who want a quick trip over with New Brunswick's last volunteer regiment will have to step lively.

CAPT. JOHN R. GALE

According to a cablegram received last night in the city, Captain John R. Gale, well known as a teacher in the High school, is in a London hospital, suffering from trench fever. While teaching here, he was greatly beloved by his scholars and all will join in wishing him a speedy recovery.



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ARTILLERY

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TUCKETTS MARGUERITE THE '3 FOR A QUARTER' CIGAR One of the few cigars popular 25 years ago and still popular to-day. Marguerite quality holds Marguerite smokers.



CAPT. JOHN R. GALE

terday that Lieut. Charles FitzRandolph, who is serving in France with an infantry battalion, has been wounded. Details are not known, excepting that the wound is in the face. This is the second time Lieut. FitzRandolph has been wounded.

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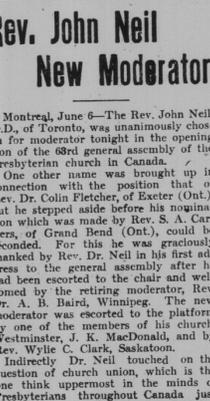
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and I know your prayer is, that we may approach the solution of these problems in a spirit of calmness, deliberation and of Christian faith.

The anticipated debate on church union may not begin until next Monday. The church union committee will meet Thursday morning so Rev. Dr. Robert Campbell announced this evening.

How He Felt

The two girls were talking with a young lieutenant who had got a bullet through his arm.

"And what were your emotions during the first battle?" asked one girl. "What were my emotions?" "Yes, how did you feel?" "Oh, slightly bored," was the reply.

Just One Application and the Hairs Vanish

(Modes of Today.) A harmless, yet very effective, treatment is here given for the quick removal of hairy growths: Mix enough powdered delatone and water to cover the undesirable hairs, apply paste and after 2 or 3 minutes remove, wash the skin and the hairs have vanished.

This will be a very important assembly. There are a great many problems to be faced and dealt with and my prayer is, original package.



The Truth About Corns

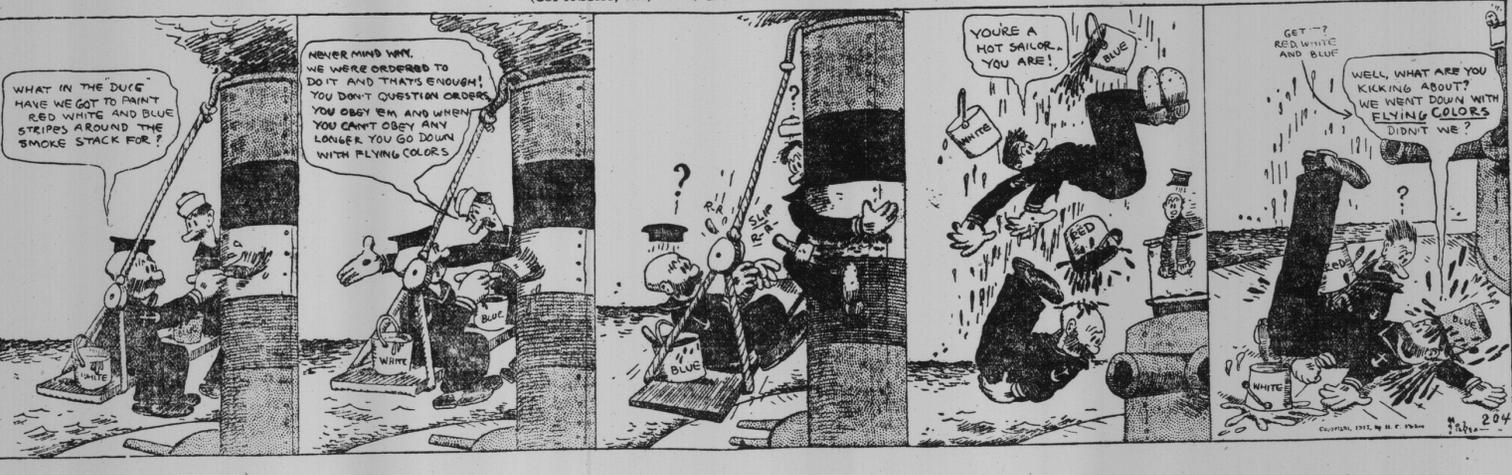
You have read much fiction about corns. Were that not so there would be no corns. All people would use Blue-jay.

Here is the truth, as stated by a chemist who spent 25 years on this corn problem. And as proved already on almost a billion corns: "This invention—Blue-jay—makes corn troubles needless. It stops the pain instantly, and stops it forever. In 48 hours the whole corn disappears, save in rare cases which take a little longer."

Blue-jay Stops Pain—Ends Corns Instantly

BRAYLEYS STOMACH PILLS AND LIVER CURE CONSTIPATION

Mutt and Jeff—Well, at That, You Can't Dispute Jeff, He Went Down With Flying Colors By "Bud" Fisher



WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

STAR THEATRE
TOMORROW
Mrs. Vernon Castle
IN FIRST EPISODE OF
"PATRIA"

SPORTS NEWS OF THE
DAY HOME AND
ABROAD

Baseball
American League
New York, June 6.—Lambeth held
York to two infield hits here today
Cleveland easily defeated the Yan-
kees a score of 6 to 1. The score:
R. H. E.
New York.....010800011—6 11 1
Cleveland.....00000000—0 0 1

Athletics Win in Betting
Philadelphia, June 6.—The hard hit-
ting Strunk and Bates featured the
which Philadelphia won from St.
today, 11 to 6. The score:
R. H. E.
Philadelphia.....002120001—6 11 1
St. Louis.....23000114—11 17 1

Tigers Win, 9-0
Detroit, June 6.—Detroit shut out Bos-
ton today. The score:
R. H. E.
Detroit.....00000000—0 0 0
Boston.....00000000—0 0 0

Senators Score Shutout
Washington, June 6.—Dumont allowed
his hits today and Washington
at Chicago 8 to 0. The score:
R. H. E.
Washington.....00000000—0 0 0
Chicago.....00000000—0 0 0

International League
Pittsburgh, June 6.—With Providence
on second and first and no one
behind in its half of the
inning of today's game, a severe
storm put an end to hostilities,
no one winning. The score:
R. H. E.
Pittsburgh.....0011100—3 7 2
Providence.....2020000—4 6 2

Wild Work Defeats Richmond
Richmond, June 6.—Two costly errors
singled with a wild pitch, and Rey-
two-base hit netted Richmond
in the eighth inning today and
the defeat of Newark. The
score:
R. H. E.
Richmond.....002001010—4 8 1
Newark.....03000005—8 11 1

Hustlers Win, 7-5
Buffalo, June 6.—Schacht held Buffalo
scattered hits today and would
score a shutout but for Schepp-
ers. The score:
R. H. E.
Buffalo.....001000000—1 5 1
Hustlers.....100010001—3 7 3

National League
Cincinnati, June 6.—Cincinnati made it
right from New York here today
four hits, an error by Hozog and
five by Tony netted Cincin-
run in the fourth inning. The
score:
R. H. E.
Cincinnati.....200100000—3 7 1
New York.....010401000—4 10 1

Cardinals Win From Braves
St. Louis, June 6.—A double by Horns-
blow, June 6.—A double by Horns-

Bigger Crowds Than Ever!
THE IMPERIAL
Our Singing Act a Tremendous
Success
HECKMAN, SHAW & CAMPBELL


Refined, Talented, New
MAE MURRAY
And Lasky Players
— IN —
'ON RECORD'
From Slums to Society
Scenic Picture "In Central
Arizona"—Pathe
FRIDAY-SATURDAY
Peggy Hyland in "BABETTE"
"SECRET KINGDOM"—No. 14

by and a single by Cruise in the eighth
inning scored the run that gave St. Louis
today's game over Boston, 8 to 7. The
score:
R. H. E.
St. Louis.....000001000—7 9 1
Boston.....000000201—8 11 1

Young Maples Win.
The Young Maples defeated the
Young Beavers last night in a baseball
match in Hazen's field by the
score of 8 to 3. The batteries
were: For the winners, T. Marx and J.
Coyle; for the losers, J. McManus and
A. Anderson.
Boys' Club League
Tuesday evening the Boys' Club base-
ball team defeated the Cubs by a score of
18 to 7. The batteries were: For the
Boys' Club, Horton and Graves; for
the Cubs, Hannah, Thomson and Kerr.
Roses Train Shamrocks
The Shamrocks and Roses clashed
last evening in a junior ball game on
the St. Peter's grounds, North End. The
game resulted in a victory for the Roses
by a score of 4 to 1. The batteries
were: For the Roses, A. Lynch and T.
Curran; and for the Shamrocks, Howard
and F. Lunney.
GOLF
3,000 Players Enlist
Showing how closely allied has been
a great sport in the dominion with the
country's call. From the Atlantic westward
golfers have rallied to the colors, and of the
8,000 who enlisted about 150 have paid the
supreme sacrifice. The list is printed in
the current number of the Canadian
Golfer.

VAUDEVILLE
All New and AND PICTURES 2.30; 7.15;
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"THE HIDDEN SCAR"
World Feature, Brady-made. A Great Hit Last
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ETHEL CLAYTON and HOLBROOK BLINN
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ing, Dialogue, Dancing,
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A Rollicking Pair of Dan-
cing Comedians. Good
We Change Whole Bill Every Wed. and Sat., 2.30
COMING SATURDAY
THE GEM'S OWN
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Further particulars in Times Tomorrow; also
June Caprice in "A Modern Cinderella"
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HAVE YOU SOLVED THE PROBLEM OF
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But Two More Chapters Remain of the Mystery
Serial
"PEARL OF THE ARMY"
This week's edition, entitled "The Modern Beau-
caineers," is chock full of situations, startling, weird
and thrilling.
Joffe as the Guest of
Premier Lloyd George
Reviewing Recruits.
Police Parade in U. S. A.
Metropolis.
A Variety of Subjects in
"The Mutual Weekly."
COMING Mon.-Tues.-Wed.—Cleo Madison in "THE CHALICE
OF SORROW"
Watch for "The Mystery of the Double Cross"

down for the count of nine in the eighth
round and the gong saved him from a
knockout, and he was still dazed start-
ing the ninth. Roddie had improved 50
per cent, since he left here and was in
great shape. Frank Hoganson of Hal-
fax referred.
Other bouts were Dan Alex McDon-
ald and Jack McDougall, Charlie Guth-
ro vs. Johnnie Gillis, Kid Burns vs.
Tommy Wells, Billy Parsons vs. Kid
Sheehan.
RING
Leonard Had Easy Time.
Philadelphia, Penn., June 4.—Benny
Leonard, the world's new lightweight
champion, simply toyed with Joe Welsh,
of this city, in six rounds at Olympia
A. A. tonight. In fact he gave the am-
bitious Philadelphia a real boxing les-
son. Several times Welsh was on the
verge of a knockout, but his wilfulness
in using the ring coupled with Leon-
ard's desire to save his hands saved him
that ignominy.
It was announced that Leonard would
enlist in the navy and tonight's contest
was his final ring appearance before
fighting for Uncle Sam.
Leonard thrilled 6,000 fans. He boxed
like a real champion, hit Welsh al-
most at will with either hand, and gave
a remarkable exhibition of free hitting,
skilful ducking, and a defense which
Welsh failed to penetrate. The men
were matched at 140 pounds, and both
were under that limit. The Philadel-
phian was careful. He had a wholesome
respect for Leonard's leuds and counters.
He took no chances in the first round.
He let Leonard do the leading, while
he boxed on the defensive.
Welsh kept his guard high and Leon-
ard's jabs failed to do much damage.
In the second, Welsh opened up, and it
was nearly his undoing. Leonard jolted
him on the jaw with his left and shot
his right for the body. Each blow he
landed stung, and he had Welsh doing
footwork around the ring. It was only

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When It Comes to Putting the Laughs Into Laughter!
**LET'S PROVE IT TO YOU:—First of Our Special Brand of
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"LONESOME LUKE'S LIVELY LIFE"
Presenting Pathe's famous
comedian in one of the best
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A roar one minute and a posi-
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SOME LUKE MAT-
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Will Receive a
Lonesome Luke Magic Card.
Come and Get One.
Third and Really Best of the Black Cat Series
"THREE WAYS OUT"
Remarkable, and Intensely Interesting
ALONG THE APACHE TRAIL
Some Picturesque Views of Arizona
MON.—Patia and Other Features
COMING
The Comedy Success of
the Year
**'THE HOUSE OF
TERRIBLE SCANDALS'**
3 Acts—3

BODY OF LES DARCY SENT HOME
Will Be Accompanied to Australia
By His Intended Bride; A Sad
Ending
The body of Les Darcy, the man who
lost his last fight, the fight that every-
one wished he could have won, has been
sent back to his home in Australia. Thus
ends the short but very unhappy stay in
America of the champion who hoped to
win fresh honors and more money
on this continent. It is a sad ending to
one of the greatest boxers the prize ring
has ever known.
Darcy's intended bride, who arrived
in San Francisco a few days ago from
Australia, will go back on the same ship
as Les' body. She came to America on
receiving a cable from Darcy. They
were to be married tomorrow and Darcy,
thoroughly disheartened over the treat-
ment received in America, had decided
to return to Australia and enlist.
It came to pass that nothing that the
happy boy did seemed to please. The
fact that he had enlisted in the aviation
corps in America stirred up a rumpus
in Australia.

each exchange. Throughout, Morris
made the fighting to his own liking, and
displayed the better ability at leading
and then following the lead through,
and at close quarters he piled his blows
frequently and with effect. For the
entire nine rounds Morris was on top
of Moran all the time, belaboring him
with heavy right and left hand blows to
the face and body alternately, and fre-
quently sending Moran's head back on
his shoulders with stiff uppercuts. Try
as he might, however, Morris was un-
successful in his efforts for a knockout
blow.
In the fifth session Moran staggered
Morris several times with his famous
"Mary Ann"—a right to the jaw—but
couldn't follow his advantage because
of his shortness of breath. The weights
were: Moran, 190 pounds; Morris, 224
pounds.
**CHILD'S SEVERE
STOMACH TROUBLE**
Harriston (Ont.) Father says Dr.
Cassell's Tablets Saved his Life
Mr. Curly, Harriston, P. O., Ont.,
writes: "Our little girl was weak from
birth, and though we tried doctors' medi-
cine and other things she got no better.
She just lay in her cot and cried, and
neighbors all said we could not save
her. The doctors said she had stomach
trouble, and that her chances were small,
yet Dr. Cassell's Tablets cured her. They
have been worth their weight in gold
to us, for we were just giving up hope
of saving our little daughter. I don't
know there is any other medicine for
children like Dr. Cassell's Tablets. Pub-
lish this letter if you like; it may help
others as the Tablets helped us."
A free sample of Dr. Cassell's Tablets
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MEL COOGAN DEFEATS HOGAN
Brooklyn Lightweight Wins The
Championship of Eastern Canada
in Fast Fifteen Round Bout
Halifax Recorder—Mel Coogan, a
Brooklyn lightweight, who won the
championship of New England on last
Tuesday, ended the championship
contest in Canada to his laurels at the
Arena last evening, when he defeated
Patsy Hagan, the title-holder, after the
scheduled 15 rounds. There was no
knockout, the bout going the limit, but
there was not a person among the 700
present who made the slightest question
as to the referee's decision. No better
tribute could be given to Coogan as to
how clear-cut was his victory, as usu-
ally there are ordinary spectators who
cannot see the same way as the referee.
But in this instance, Frank Murray, who
at all times is an excellent referee, did
not have a person make the slightest ob-
jection to his verdict, because the ver-
dict was so clear-cut, and he was al-
together too clever, giving a boxing ex-
hibition such as has been seldom seen
here. He uses his left to great ad-
vantage, he has a stiff punch and withal is
clean and gentlemanly at all times.
He was brought to Halifax through
the efforts of a local sportsman, who
said he could bring a man who could
beat Hagan, and he justified his claim.
There was not a round in the fight that
Coogan did not have the advantage. He
jabbed Patsy in the nose with his left
over and over again; he pounded him
around the head and the body, and de-
finitely Hagan's efforts, the latter could
not get through his guard. Patsy tried
hard to reach him in the first two
rounds, but Coogan was not only too
clever, but was landing hard. He made
Patsy look like a "selling plater," and
in the fifth round he walloped him so badly
that the referee was considering stop-
ping the bout. But Hagan, as soon as
he found he was outclassed, settled him-
self to stay the limit, which he did, and
gave an exhibition of gameness such as
 seldom witnessed. He was a veritable
human punching bag throughout the
greater part of the fight, but he hardly
ever broke ground; he stalled, he con-
served his energy, he used all manner of de-
fensive tactics, but he was always right
up with his opponent. There were
rounds that it seemed that he would be
knocked out, but with a minute's rest
he came back quite fresh ready to con-
tinue. He said to a friend before the
fight, who asked him about the out-
come: "I will do my best." He cer-
tainly did, and there was not a spectator
who was not enthused over the wonder-
ful gameness of the "little iron man."
No visiting boxer has ever won more
admiration here than Coogan, as apart
himself a good sport, being under wraps
towards the finish, particularly in the
last round. Both boxers had a forfeit
posted as to weight, 150 pounds at the
ring-side, and both were underweight.
Hector McInnes, the noted Boston
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boxers, was one of Coogan's seconds.

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CONVICTS IN RIOT
Joliet, Ill., June 5.—After one prisoner had been killed, eight severely injured and several others hurt today during three riotous outbreaks at the State Prison by 1,600 convicts, a rainstorm drove the last 200 of the mutineers to the cell-house although they had stubbornly refused to move before the bayonets of the National Guardsmen who quelled the outbreak.
Fires set within the prison buildings destroyed the prison yard's buildings, causing a total loss of \$20,000. Several other buildings were damaged by the flames.
PASTOR'S CRYSTAL WEDDING.
Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Poole were tendered a surprise party at their residence, 51 Queen street, Tuesday evening, the occasion being the fifteenth anniversary of their wedding, which was performed in Wolfville (N. S.), by Rev. H. R. Hutch on June 4, 1902. Some of the members of the Philathea Class and the deacons of the church and their wives were present besides a few other guests. Among the gifts, which were all of cut glass, were a vase, one half dozen glasses and one dozen frappe dishes and a fruit bowl. The presentation was made by Deacon S. H. Davis on behalf of the congregation.
A wedding cake set with fifteen candles was brought in by the girls and a bouquet of fifteen roses was also presented. Refreshments were served and a delightful time was enjoyed by all present.
Economy
A mistress found her servant burning some coal in the kitchen during the evening, and told her to burn cinders so as to save the coal. A little time afterwards the mistress found that the servant had a large coal fire in the back yard, and on being asked what she was doing the servant replied: "Why, I was just making cinders to burn tonight, so as to save the coal!"
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HERO OF THE SOMME IN CITY

Pte. J. Silver of Dalhousie Lost Leg in The Big Drive

Private J. Silver, a hero of the Somme, arrived in the city this morning on the Montreal train and later left for his home. He is on crutches, having lost his right leg during the fighting on the Somme. In company with other Canadian soldiers he arrived in Quebec two weeks ago and later was sent to Toronto. A few days ago he was given a short furlough to visit his folks in Dalhousie and while en route there failed to make the right train connections and as a result arrived here today.

In conversation with a representative of the Times, he said he was with his battalion on September 18, when they were in a terrific drive on the Somme. During the engagement a shell burst close to him and inflicted such serious wounds on his right leg that amputation was necessary. He did not seem at all discouraged and smilingly remarked that he intended to return and get on an artificial limb as soon as his furlough expired.

LOCAL NEWS

NEARLY THE SAME
The St. John bank clearings for the week ending today were \$2,136,216; corresponding week last year, \$2,136,486.

ONE ARREST
One arrest was made yesterday. William Riley, aged 21 years, was placed in custody by Detectives Duncan and Briggs on a charge of theft of a wedding ring and a safety razor from Mrs. Henry McBurney, 28 Paradise row. It is said that Riley was a boarder in the house. The ring is valued at about \$30. Both articles were pawned and later recovered. Riley maintains that he was made a present of both the ring and the razor. He was before the court this morning and remanded to jail.

BURIED TODAY
The funeral of Mrs. Nora Halpin took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from her late residence, 25 Spring street, to Holy Trinity church where funeral services were conducted by Very Rev. J. J. Walsh, V.G. Burial was made in the new Catholic cemetery. Relatives acted as pall-bearers.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Crawford took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the residence of her son, Alexander, 78 Exmouth street. Services were conducted at the home by Rev. R. P. McKim and interment was made in Fernhill. Relatives were pall-bearers.

THE DRUG CLERKS
The final paper in the pharmaceutical examinations is being written today, that of dispensing. All the examinations will, it is understood, be completed later this afternoon. N. B. Smith, who has been giving the paper in pharmacy for the last eight years, prepared the paper in this subject this year also. The examination was written yesterday. There is nothing definite as yet in respect to the recent demand of the drug clerks for shorter hours. It is said that the meeting of the druggists which will be held some time this month.

IN NEW UNIFORMS
"Neat, clean cut and tidy" was the general verdict today concerning the new police uniforms. The heavy garb of winter has been done away for the season and the policemen appeared this morning in their new summer suits. The cut is distinctly military in design with cap to correspond and altogether the uniforms give a very free and smart appearance. Many of the suits were completed weeks ago but Chief Simpson did not give the order for the change until all were completed. The men welcome the discarding of their heavy clothes as the present weather made wearing anything but comfortable. The making of the suits was divided among some twelve tailors in the city.

WANT THE SUBURBAN TO LEAVE EARLIER

Night Train From Here On I. C. R. at 10.20 Instead of 11 o'clock

An appeal for a change in the hour of departure of the late I. C. R. suburban train is being made to the management of the government railway systems. Petitions have been circulated at the various stations between St. John and Hampton and many signatures have been secured.

At present the late train leaves at eleven o'clock, arriving at Hampton about an hour later. This hour was fixed for the benefit of suburbanites who wished to spend the evening in the city and formerly was much used by the theatre goers and others who were in the city for social purposes.

Now that all the theatres have two shows in the evening and it is possible to get out at a much earlier hour, some of those whose business compels them to be in the city on some evenings for the sake of getting to bed earlier when they do reach their suburban homes.

While the movement has not received the unanimous support of the I. C. R. reasons, no organized opposition has been made so far by those who do not approve of the proposed change.

The petitions of those who want the earlier hour have been forwarded to Moncton and it is expected that a conference will be arranged between a committee of the suburbanites and passenger officials to discuss the matter.

ZIONISTS OF RUSSIA MEET IN CONFERENCE

Petrograd, June 7, via London—The first congress of Zionists of all Russia met here yesterday. Five hundred delegates were present.

YOUNG SOLDIER IS IN HOSPITAL

Pte. L. W. Andrews of Charles Street Wounded in Chest

Mr. and Mrs. William Andrews, 32 Charles street, received official word this morning from Ottawa notifying them that their seventeen-year-old son, Pte. Leonard William Andrews, was officially reported admitted to No. 18 Field Ambulance Hospital on May 20, with gunshot wound in the chest perforating.

Private Andrews is probably one of the youngest soldiers to have signed the roll of honor in this city. He went overseas with a well known New Brunswick battalion which was recruited in such a short period in this province and upon his arrival in England was drafted into another regiment with which he proceeded to the trenches. A letter was received from him under date of May 12 by his mother. At the time of writing he was well and was then going to the field of battle. Eight days later he was hit. Previous to joining, he worked in the Atlantic Sugar Refinery in this city. He was a bright young boy and made many friends who will hope for a speedy recovery.

Another and only brother, Gunner Ernest Andrews, went across with a New Brunswick battery. He has suffered from gas, but recently wrote home and said that he was all right again and able to be back in action.

MISS CHAISSON WINNER AGAIN

Captures Silver Medal For Highest Standing in Class A, Normal School

Fredericton, June 7.—The public closing of the Provincial Normal school will take place tomorrow morning. The medalists are announced today by the principal, Dr. H. V. B. Bridges, as follows:

Winner of the silver medal for highest standing in class A, Miss Mary Chaisson of St. John. Winner of the bronze medal for highest standing in class B, Miss Lydia Giberson of Bath, Carleton county.

Miss Chaisson is continuing a distinguished scholastic career. In 1916 she led the province in the university of New Brunswick matriculation examinations. She came from St. Vincent's High School, St. John.

The exercises tomorrow will include an address by the principal and teaching demonstrations by Miss Claire Wilcox of Grand Manan, Miss Josephine Dickie of Campbellton and Miss Morris of Chatham; also readings by Miss Frances Rogers and Miss Elizabeth Good of Bathurst.

The silver medal will be presented by His Honor the lieutenant-governor and the bronze medal by Premier Foster.

REV. W. M. FIELD DEAD

Was Brother-in-law of R. Duncan Smith of St. John

R. Duncan Smith, of 163 King street east, received a telegram this morning informing him that his brother-in-law, Rev. W. M. Field, of Carleton Place, had died as the result of blood poisoning. Rev. Mr. Field was in charge of a Baptist parsonage in Carleton, and is well known throughout the province. Blood poisoning resulted from a boil on his neck becoming infected.

Rev. Mr. Field had been in the ministry for many years and was formerly stationed in Fyron, P. E. I. Last year he left Andover and went to Carleton, where he had labored since with a zeal which won the hearts of his congregation and the respect and esteem of a wide circle of friends.

Besides his wife, who was formerly Miss Hewitt of Montserrat, P. E. I., he is survived by two sons and one daughter. One son, Elsworth, recently joined a siege battery unit stationed in Halifax. His daughter, Miss Letta, is a trained nurse and is practising in this city. It is understood that the body will be taken to Montague for burial.

CORPORAL H. B. KING IS WOUNDED

Mrs. Harry B. King of 83 Chapel street, received a telegram this morning informing her that her husband, Corporal Harry B. King, had been admitted to No. 3 Canadian General Hospital in Boulogne on May 30, suffering from a gunshot wound in the hand.

A short time ago she received a telegram telling her that he had been slightly wounded, but was able to remain on service. Since then she has had no particulars and thinks that perhaps the wound inflicted required attention. Prior to leaving St. John he was employed in Jordan's mill.

THE KILT'S

There is very little stir in military circles at the present time. An advance party of fifty or 100 men from the 28th will proceed to Valcartier camp for the purpose of making the preparatory arrangements previous to the arrival of the whole battalion. The announcement that the regiment will proceed to Valcartier for the summer has caused no little talk among military men. The general understanding was that the battalion would proceed directly overseas and the latest announcement has caused disappointment to many of those who were planning on getting across to France in the near future.

Four officers are assisting Lt.-Col. A. Guthrie in his whirlwind campaign for recruits throughout the New England states.

Two recruits were secured in the city yesterday for the Kiltie battalion by Pte. Charles Garnet and Pte. Hamilton, who have been actively engaged here for some time. One man who signed up was from the far away southern states and gave his birth place as Georgia. The other recruit was Joseph McEachern, of Mount Stewart, P. E. Island.

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