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THINK EARLY PEACE IS STILL POSSIBLE; BRITISH RY. STRIKE AVERTED FEW DAYS; PREMIER A GERS AN OVER DELEGATION

THE RAILWAY MEN'S STRIKE IN ENGLAND AVERTED UNTIL NEXT WEDNESDAY AT LEAST

Delegates Representing the Miners of the United Kingdom Were in Session Yesterday.

THE SANKEY REPORT UNDER CONSIDERATION

Leader of Miners Expresses Regret at "Foolish Utterances" of Bonar Law in House of Commons.

London, March 21.—By Saturday night the nation will know first whether the "triple alliance"—miners, railwaymen and transport workers—intend to paralyze the country's industries and disrupt those who are the life of Britain; second, whether the coal mines are going to be nationalized, an event which certainly would be followed quickly as far as the railway and steamship lines are concerned.

This week is most critical in British industrial life, and the decisions reached will have a profound effect, not only here, but throughout Europe. Many keen observers consider the outlook black, especially as the railwaymen and miners have adopted an uncompromising attitude.

The railway men, miners and transport workers, at a conference tonight, reviewed the whole position of the mine, railway, and transport workers, and passed a resolution recommending that the railway men continue at work, pending further negotiations with the government with a view to removing the deadlock. This action is interpreted to mean that there will be no strike before next Wednesday.

Miners' Meeting.

One hundred and fifty delegates representing the miners of the United Kingdom met this morning to discuss the interim report of the coal commission, of which Justice Sir John Sankey is chairman, issued last night, and decide as to whether there would be a strike or the mining industry.

The Sankey report recommended seven hours of work underground for the miners instead of eight from July 15th next, and six hours from July 13th, 1921, subject to the economic condition of the industry, with an increase in wages of two shillings per shift for colliery workers now on the sliding scale, and an advance of one shilling for workers under sixteen years. An effective vote in the direction of the mines for the colliery workers was recommended as was the substitution of nationalization or unification, by national purchase or joint control, for the present system of ownership and system of working.

After reviewing the report of the coal commission, Robert Smillie, the leader of the miners, said he deeply regretted the "foolish utterances" of Andrew Bonar Law, the government spokesman, in the House of Commons yesterday, in which he threatened the miners.

If a strike ensued and the government beat the miners, or they beat the government, the result would only show which side was the stronger, Mr. Smillie declared.

RONIKER GETS FIVE YEARS AT ATLANTA

Boston Bank Embezzler Pleading Guilty to Charge of Taking \$25,000.

Boston, Mass., March 21.—A maximum sentence of five years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, was imposed in the federal court today upon William Roniker, former teller of Merchants National Bank of Cambridge, for embezzlement of \$27,000. Roniker had pleaded guilty to the charge. He was apprehended in Montreal.

WESTERN STATES SNOWBOUND

Denver, Colo., March 21.—The western section of the country is isolated today as the result of a snow and sleet storm that swept western Colorado and Wyoming last night. All wire communication west of Denver has ceased and transcontinental trains are reported to be behind schedule.

Internal Events Dependent Upon Quick Peace

Paris, Mar. 21.—"The first result to be obtained is peace, and the quickest peace possible," said David Lloyd George, the British premier, in a statement printed in today's issue of the Excelsior.

"All internal events in every country, Allied or enemy," continued the premier, "are dependent upon that peace, which we expect and desire to come at the earliest possible moment. Pending this everyone is living in a state of expectation and uncertainty. Commerce and industry are kept in a kind of stagnation which can only engender disorders."

"I shall, then, remain in Paris, unless something unexpected arises, until the text of the peace preliminaries are definitely drafted and ready for submission to the German delegation, not let me say for discussion, but simply for signature."

RAILROADS GET GOV'T MONEY

One Hundred Millions Advanced by U. S. War Dept. to Tide Transportation Companies Over Difficulties.

Bulletin—Washington, March 12.—One hundred million dollars was advanced by the War Department to the railroad administration today to assist in tiding the railroads over the period until additional funds are made available by congress. It was announced that approximately fifty per cent. of this sum was due to the administration on current bills and that the remainder represented an advance on bills yet to fall due.

THE UKRAINIANS ENTER LEMBERG

Resistance of Polish Reinforcements Broken After Five Days of Hard Fighting.

Warsaw, Thursday, Mar. 20.—(By The Associated Press)—The Ukrainians besieging Lemberg have entered the city after five days of hard fighting, according to an official statement issued today.

AMERICAN SOLDIER IN WILD WEST ACT

Held up by Frontier Guard, He Cuts Loose With His Revolver and Kills Three.

Amsterdam, March 21.—A despatch from Frankfurt-on-Main gives the report that an American soldier on Monday night slayed three persons in a small town of Hesse-Nassau. A German frontier guard asked two American soldiers for their passes, which they did not possess, and turned them back, according to this report, whereupon one of the Americans drew a revolver and shot the German dead, and then fled. While running he turned back and again fired, accidentally killing his comrade, as well as a German farmer. An American officer, it is said, is making an investigation.

Japan Sure of Wilson Approval For Her Racial Equality Clause

Paris, Friday.—The League of Nations Committee when it holds its next meeting will have before it the text of Japan's proposal regarding racial equality, and it probably will be written into the draft of the covenant. The following is an authoritative copy of the proposal as it will be considered by the committee for endorsement in the League of Nations.

"Equality between nations being a basic principle of the League of Nations, the high contracting Powers agree to accord as soon as possible to all alien nationals of states members of this league equal and just treatment, making no distinction either in law or in fact on account of race or nationality."

Leading Japanese here believe that the attitude of the American delegates with regard to their proposal is friendly. This, they said, leads them to believe that their proposal will be favorably acted on.

They are, however, somewhat worried over the attitude of the British representatives, which is based on Australian, British Columbia, Canadian and South African views. They expressed the opinion that there is widespread ignorance of the serious international policies involved for Japan.

Presentation of the proposal to the next meeting of the League of Nations Committee is evidently in the hope for forestall a race mass meeting in Tokyo next Sunday.

Baron Makino and Viscount Chinda, Japanese peace plenipotentiaries, have, it was authoritatively said, suggested to Colonel E. M. House that President Wilson call the League of Nations Committee to meet as soon as possible.

Analysis of the proposed League of Nations covenant is occupying much space in the Japanese press, and some of the leading and most influential newspapers declare that racial equality will be the test question to determine whether the league will be based on the principles of justice and humanity or whether it will be an Anglo-American instrument to conquer the world.

A portion of the press also blames the Japanese government for "permitting America to establish special interests in connection with joint Siberian railroad control."

Meanwhile the Foreign Office has issued a denial of reports which have been current in Tokyo that Japan will insist on the Lansing-Hait agreement being embodied in the constitution of the League of Nations if the Monroe doctrine is included therein.

At the same time, the government, replying to the criticism of its Siberian railroad policy, denied the implication of the newspapers and declared the American pledges showed their unselfish motives.

RHINE THE ONLY GOOD LINE OF DEFENCE

Foch Says the War Will Have Been in Vain if It Not Made the Barrier.

Wonderful Soldiers Gave the Victory

Said His Only Merit Was to Have Had Faith and Never to Have Despaired.

Paris, March 21.—(Havas Agency)—"The Rhine is our only good line of defence. I do not demand annexation, but if we do not secure this military frontier, we will have fought in vain," is a statement made by Marshal Foch in an interview in the Matin today.

In discussing the last days of the war, the marshal said: "It was the wonderful soldiers who gave us victory. My only merit was to have had faith and never to have despaired. We signed the armistice, in spite of the certainty of crushing the German armies, to avoid killing one more man and because it gave us everything necessary to a 'French victory.'"

The writer asked the Marshal if his strategic sense was a doctrine that could be taught, or if it was rather not that faculty "to divine and improvise," called genius.

"Strategic sense," said Marshal Foch, "can be acquired, but it is not a group of formulas or a set of principles. It is a knowledge which the chief must make part of himself, so that it will guide all his decisions. This mental discipline can be gained by a study of history and by a study of concrete examples. It must leave the mind of the commander so open that he acts on accurate information, and not on preconceived ideas and hypothesis, but the most brilliant qualities of intelligence are nothing without the will to victory. The battle won is not a matter of chance, because the army is to the chief what the sword is to the soldier. Its value lies in the hand that wields it."

SEPTEMBER MORN WAS ARRESTED

Brings Suit Against Officers and Gets Jury Award of \$25,000 in Damages.

Chicago, March 21.—Mrs. Margaret Reeves, wife of Melville Reeves, known as the "Sky scraper burglar," today was awarded \$25,000 in damages against Nicholas Hunt, former chief of detectives, and Detective Sergeant Charles Gratton, on her charge of false arrest. Mrs. Reeves charged the officers, while seeking her husband, broke into her hotel apartment while she was in her bath, compelled her to dress in their presence, and she sued for \$75,000. The award was made by a jury.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON SAILING FOR STATES

Will Confer With American Yachtsmen About Resumption of International Yacht Racing—Has Offered Cup for "P" Yachts.

Marblehead, Mass., Mar. 21.—A cablegram was received by the Corinthian Yacht Club from Sir Thomas Lipton stating that he was sailing on the Aquitania and would reach the United States about March 25, where he would confer with American yachtsmen and about the resumption of international yacht racing.

Sir Thomas has offered a cup for class "P" yachts, to be contested in races to be arranged this year, but the New York club replied that it preferred to wait until 1920 before resuming the international competition.

In 1914 Sir Thomas challenged for the America's cup and entered Shamrock IV. The war prevented this race from being held and the Shamrock IV has since been in dry dock in Brooklyn. Members of the Corinthian Yacht Club believe that Sir Thomas will inspect the Shamrock IV, to decide if it can be used for racing.

GERMAN SEAMEN GETTING FUSSY

London, March 21.—A Central News despatch from Amsterdam says German seamen at Hamburg have decided that they will not man ships carrying entente troops.

ALSACE LORRAINE HAS NEW GOVERNOR IN MILLERAND

Paris, Mar. 21.—President Poincaré at a meeting of the cabinet today signed a decree appointing Alexandre Millerand, former minister of war, governor of Alsace-Lorraine. M. Millerand's headquarters will be at Strasbourg.

The governorship of Alsace-Lorraine recently was declined by Charles C. Jonart, formerly French governor-general of Algeria.

ORDERS WARRING FACTIONS CEASE HOSTILITIES

Allied Supreme Council Takes Hand in Ukrainian-Poland Scrap, and Promises to Adjust Matters.

Paris, March 21.—(Havas)—Carrying out its recent decision to take action for bringing on a cessation of hostilities between the Ukrainians and the Poles, the Allied supreme council has sent a wireless message to Colonel Paolenko of the Polish forces and another to General Kosevsky, of the Ukrainian army, enjoining both commanders to cause a suspension of hostilities by their forces on the Lemberg front immediately. The council states that the troops shall retain their positions as at present between Lemberg and Przemyel, but permit sufficient freedom of passage through the lines for the daily provisioning of Lemberg.

The council sets forth its willingness to hear statements from both sides as to their territorial claims and allow each to be represented in Paris by such qualified persons as they may desire to advise the council as to their view to extending the truce into an armistice. The hearing according such representatives, however, would be entirely conditional upon the immediate cessation of fighting.

RUSSIAN PATROLS CLASH IN WOODS NEAR VALOGDA RY.

Small Bolshevik Raiding Party Surprised an Allied Artillery Position in the Forests.

Raiders Repulsed With Losses

Believed Bolshevik Will Have Big Advantage as Spring Advances and Rivers Open.

Archangel, Thursday, March 20.—A small Bolshevik raiding party, making its way over the snow, surprised an Allied artillery position in the forests near the Valogda railway.

After considerable fighting in the darkness, the raiders were repulsed, leaving a number of dead behind.

Following up last Friday's success on the Dvina, when the Americans and Russians repulsed a raid against the Allied lines of communication, an American patrol today encountered a Bolshevik patrol in a wood. A number of the Bolsheviks were killed and the others in the party were made prisoners.

As the winter has been unusually mild in North Russia, it is expected that within a month the thaw will come to make extensive land fighting impracticable. The Bolshevik will have a big advantage when the rivers open. The Dvina and Vaga, River will be navigable near the fighting front before the Dvina is opened further north around Archangel. This condition would permit the Bolshevik gunboats which have spent the winter at Krasnoborsk and Kotlas to reach the vicinity of Berezniki before the Allied river flotilla can steam southward to meet them.

Efforts are being made, however, to speed up the arrival of the Allied fleet in the fighting zone in order to confine the Bolshevik advance to the shortest time possible. In the meantime, as long as the present cold weather continues, it is a race against time to move over the snow before the thaw comes, sufficient big guns and ammunition to hold the enemy boats in check until the Allied vessels can move southward. In this work the Allied transport service is performing a stupendous task, in spite of the shortage of hay and oats, which has weakened the horses for the long hauls over the snow, and added greatly to the difficulties of the situation.

BETTER OUTLOOK REPORTED ON EARLY PEACE

Agreement Reached on the Necessity for the Quickest Completion of Terms to Be Imposed.

EARLY PEACE NOW BELIEVED POSSIBLE

All Future Work of Council of Ten to Be Preceded by Conferences Between Heads of Governments.

Paris, March 21.—The system by which the heads of the associated governments discuss and agree upon matters of great importance, outside of the council of ten, seems to be producing results tending to show that an early peace is still possible.

It is understood tonight that an agreement has already been reached regarding the necessity for the quickest completion of the terms to be imposed upon Germany; also that those terms are to include not only military, naval and aerial clauses, but also financial and territorial clauses, and finally the league of nations.

It also has been agreed among the heads of the associated governments that the council of ten will be delimiting the frontiers of Italy shall be drawn up simultaneously, thus satisfying the Italian demands, which recently have been growing more acute.

Having regard to the advanced state of preparation where the various commissions concerned find themselves, it is believed in high circles here that fifteen days hence the German-Italian report will be ready.

It is understood that all the future work of the council of ten will be preceded by conversations between the heads of governments, such as produced the above decisions, and it is expected that much time will thereby be saved in the council sessions.

Today the council of ten discussed the Polish-Ukrainian dispute over Lemberg, with especial reference to the despatch to Poland of the Polish divisions now in France, and also debated the western frontiers of Poland.

Next in order for discussion is the question of Schleswig-Holstein, also the question of German Austria, whose independence Germany probably will be asked to respect.

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Dissatisfied With Economic Conditions in United States and Want to Get Back to Homeland.

New York, March 21.—Because of dissatisfaction with economic conditions in the United States, the executive committee of the second-All-Russian convention today announced the incorporation of the Svoboda Steamship Company, the purpose of which company will be to charter or purchase steamships for the transportation of one million Russian workers, Bolsheviks and others, to Russia.

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PREMIER FOSTER DISAPPOINTS RY. DELEGATION

Tells Them Valley Road Will Not Be Built from Centreville to Andover by the Local Government.

REMINDS OF PRE-ELECTION STATEMENT

Delegation Returns Home With Minds Made up That Victoria County Will Have Different Representatives in the Assembly.

Fredericton, March 21.—A very large and important delegation waited upon the government this morning, with regard to the extension of the Valley Railway from Centreville, Carleton County to Andover, Victoria. This delegation was composed of representative men of both political parties from the counties of Victoria and Carleton. R. W. Demings of Victoria county was the first speaker and presented the resolutions passed by a meeting held in Andover on March 14. After a long preamble came the following:

"Therefore resolved, That this meeting desires to impress upon the government in the strongest manner possible the absolute necessity of having the railway built from Centreville to Andover without any further delay. Premier Foster told the delegation that the local government would not build the Valley Railway from Centreville to Andover, but was willing that the Dominion government should take over the road and extend it. One reason was that the Prudential Trust Company had taken the bond proceeds of over twelve miles of road, and invested the money in business on the Pacific coast where it would remain for five years. To extend the railway a bond issue of \$1,000,000 would be necessary. The Premier was reminded that at Grand Falls he had stated that while he would not make a good representative as Mr. Burgess, his prestige as Premier would enable him to have the Valley Railway extended to Grand Falls and connected with the Transcontinental. The Premier answered that he did not remember making such a promise.

The delegation was very much dissatisfied with the Premier's attitude. They say neither the Premier nor Mr. Tweeddale will get another election in Victoria.

Some days ago the Premier told the House that the delay in the extension of the Valley Railway was due to the fact that it was intended to make another survey.

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SPORTING GOSSIP

U. N. B. LOSES IN DEBATE TO MOUNT ALLISON UNIV.

U. N. B. Had Negative Side of Resolution That Dominion Should Nationalize All Canadian Railways.

Fredericton, March 21.—The Mount Allison University debating team won the intercollegiate debate here tonight from the U. N. B. team, two of the judges voting in favor of awarding the decision to the visitors.

Dr. C. C. Jones, Chancellor of the University of New Brunswick, acted as chairman, and the subject was resolved that our Dominion government should nationalize all Canadian Railways.

U. N. B. had selected the negative and Mount Allison the affirmative side.

Mount Allison's team were R. D. Milton, leader, F. Rowe and W. G. Greyville. U. N. B. was represented by George T. Milton, leader, J. W. Sears and J. Miles Burpee.

The judges were Hon. C. W. Robinson, and Rev. J. A. McKelgan, of St. John, who decided in favor of Mount Allison, and Mr. L. P. D. Tilley, M. L. A., who voted in favor of giving U. N. B. the decision.

LOCAL BOWLING ON BLACK'S ALLEYS.

Last night on Black's Alley, T. McAvity and Sons and W. F. Hatheway teams met in the Commercial League. The hardware men proved too many for the grocers and captured all four points. In the special two-man team match, Copp and Coughlan carried off the honors. Following are the scores:

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE. T. McAvity & Sons. Ramsay 83 84 84-231 82-23 Myers 96 77 75-243 82-23 Fohay 90 96 92-278 92-23 Harrison 84 85 111-293 93-15 Fohay 85 91-276 92

W. F. Hatheway. McGrath 68 66 69-223 74-13 McKim 73 74 67-214 71-13 Hohl 89 88 78-256 85-13 McKee 81 78 76-235 78-13 McDonald 79 69 86-234 78

Special Match. Copp 110 98 92 Coughlan 83 107 90

198 205 182-580 Belyea 102 95 93 Bailey 88 110 88

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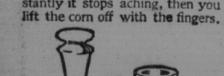
175 189 190-542 This afternoon teams representing the North and South Wharves will clash, and tonight's game in the Commercial League will be between the A. L. Goodwin and G. E. Barbour quintettes.

RESTRICTIONS REMOVED ON ITALIAN EXCHANGE

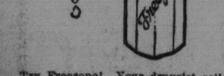
New York, March 21.—While all restrictions on Italian exchange are removed as far as the United States government is concerned, regulation of exchange by the Italian institute of exchange was still in force today although it was understood that its restrictions would be removed shortly. The minimum rate was further reduced by the institute today to 6.45 lire on the dollar.

YOU'LL LAUGH! CORNS LIFT OFF

Doesn't hurt at all and costs only few cents



Magie! Just drop a little Frezone on that touchy corn, instantly it stops aching, then simply lift the corn off with the fingers.



Try Frezone! Your druggist sells a tiny bottle for a few cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and calluses, without one particle of pain, soreness or irritation. Frezone is the discovery of a noted Cincinnati genius.

GIRLS! TRY IT! HAVE THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL HAIR

Every particle of dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.

Draw a moist cloth through hair and double its beauty at once.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Dandarine hair cleanser."

Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Dandarine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Dandarine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you will actually see new hair—long and downy at first—yet really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely invest a few cents in a bottle of Knowlton's Dandarine at any drug store or toilet counter, and just try it.

Save your hair! Beauty it! You will be the best money you ever spent.

NEW STREET FOR ST. STEPHEN

Town Council Authorized to Build Tarcia Thoroughfare from Ferry Point Bridge to Corner of King and Union Streets.

St. Stephen, March 21.—At a citizens' meeting held Thursday evening, and very largely attended, the town council authorized the town to build a permanent street of tarcia from Ferry Point bridge to the corner of King and Union streets, at an estimated cost of \$4,000 and according to plans submitted by Major Ernest Pitt, of the R. C. engineers, recently returned from service in France.

AMERICAN BOWLING CONGRESS EVENTS

Toledo, Ohio, Mar. 21.—Today proved to be largely for the Wayne day in the American bowling congress tournament now on here.

W. Doebeman and F. Farnan, who helped shoot the Lincoln Life Insurance Company here in first place last night, bowled 1,204 in their women event and tied for seventh place in the standings with Schneider and Wanzung of Chicago. Farnan also took fourth place in the all events with 1,865 for his nine tournament games, bowling 643 with the Lincoln Life's 622 in his doubles and 610 in his singles. A second pair showed up in the doubles today when P. Miller and E. Schmalz of Hamilton, Ohio, bowled 1,233, nine points below the leaders, A. Dukler and E. Wetterman of Cincinnati.

There were no changes today in the individual standings.

RUTH CAME TO TERMS.

New York Paper: "Babe" Ruth, pitcher and hard hitting outfielder of the Boston Americans today, came to terms here with Harry Frazee, President of the Boston Club, and signed a contract for three years. The amount of his salary was not mentioned. Ruth leaves here tonight to join the other players of the club at their spring training camp at Tampa, Florida.

Women Not Good Smokers.

New York Paper: "Dat" William P. Merritt, manager of the Martha Washington Hotel, declared the question of women smoking to be a moral issue.

"I hate to see women smoking," he said. "Apart from the moral reason, they really don't know how to smoke. One woman smoking one cigarette at a dinner table will stir up more smoke than a whole tubful of men smoking cigars. They don't seem to know what to do with the smoke. Neither do they hold their cigarettes properly. They make a mess of the whole performance."

OUR BROTHER.

We miss him our brother, so far away On the camping grounds of England today. But were living in hopes and still do yearn For an early date of his return.

We miss him because of his tender years His gentle manner, his dauntless fears. But as we listen we can hear him say "Follow me, I am the way."

In early years with ambition and name, He left his home and gained his fame. Three years he served with pen and sword, And gained the favor of all mankind.

'Twas then he heard the call "to arms," And heeded not the false alarms. He donned the helmet, not for merriment, But to battle for country, justice and right.

We trust him, we honor him, we owe him much. Our love, our sympathy, our prayers and such. And while we live we will do our best. Knowing that God will do the rest. —Composed by Harold McMann, Newcastle Creek.

JUDGE LANGELIER AGAIN DEFIES AUTHORITIES

Refuses to Turn Over to Receiver General Fines Collected by Him from Defaulters.

CERTIFICATES ARE NOT ISSUED

Judge Says They Must be in Accordance With Agreement, Before He Turns Over the Fines.

Quebec, March 21.—The Quebec Telegraph published the following today:

In answer to a circular letter, which he received this morning from Mr. H. H. Brien, inspector-in-chief of the Dominion Police, in which he was asked to place the amount of the fines, collected as a result of the condemnation of defaulters to the credit of the Receiver-General, Hon. Judge Langelier has replied that he will not comply with this until the department of Justice has kept to its promise, made before the Newcomb-Langelier incident that a special guarantee certificate would be given to defaulters cleared by the courts.

In a statement given to the Telegraph, Hon. J. G. Langelier said: "The letter above mentioned I have answered that the money thus collected is at present in a bank, and that when I imposed fines I have been given written assurances that defaulters would get a special certificate so as to protect them and give a practical form to my judgment. However, later on, after issuing a few of those certificates, this system was abandoned in this district and later on Mr. Newcomb ordered that no certificate would be issued, in consequence I have advised the chief inspector that I will not hand over the fines unless certificates are issued."

The first certificates issued were marked defaulters, but allowed those who had not attended the courts to be protected and to find employment. As it is now, it is very hard for them to obtain any proof that they are not defaulters.

NEED THIS SPRING

Of a Good Tonic Medicine, Nerve Builder and Blood Purifier

Is greater than ever before. The nervous strain, worry and anxiety caused by the war. The debilitating effects of the terrible influenza, grip and pneumonia. The depletion of the blood by indoor life in winter.

Have tremendously overdrawn the reserve strength of nearly every man and woman.

This makes the favorite Spring medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, more of a necessity now than ever before.

For your impure, exhausted blood, and for that extreme tired feeling sure to come, prepare yourself now.

Today begin to recover your lost strength by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the standard Spring medicine and blood purifier, which creates a new appetite, aids digestion and assimilation. Remember Hood's Pills if you need a mild laxative.

THE SENIOR LEAGUE.

The matches last night at the Y. M. C. I. resulted in the Autos taking three points from the Swans. Individual scores follow:

RUB YOUR BACK! STOPS LUMBAGO

Don't drug kidneys! Rub the pain right out with old "St. Jacobs Liniment"

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now, listen! That's lumbago, sciatica, or maybe rheumatism. Nothing else will give relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Liniment." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on and out comes the pain. It is perfectly harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

Limpers! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store, and after using it just once, you'll surely think you've had the devil lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years. Stop drugging kidneys! They don't cause backache, because they have no nerves, therefore can not cause pain.

Absorption Process Makes Faces Young

Suppose at last has come to scientists the method of removing the outer veil of facial skin which would be both painless and harmless. The method is simple, so simple that the wonder is it has not been applied long ago. It has been applied, and it has been applied successfully. It was first applied in 1892, and it has been applied since. A simple and harmless wrinkle-remover which has proved quite successful can easily be made at home in a few minutes. It is made of a mixture of powdered aspirin in a half pint of water. After the application the face in the solution once a day for awhile. After the first application the fine lines disappear and the deeper ones soon follow.

BIG FEATURES FOR CHARLOTTE. CO. EXHIBITION

Washington County (Me.) to be Allowed to Compete With the Provincial Exhibitors.

St. Stephen, March 21.—At a meeting of the Charlotte County Exhibition Association held this evening, it was decided to open the eleventh annual exhibition, to be held here Sept. 9-12, to competition from all parts of New Brunswick and Washington County, Me. Steps were taken to insure big features for the vaudeville attractions and for the midway. For horse racing the sum of \$3,000 had already been appropriated, of which \$700 will be for a big free-for-all.

JOTTINGS BY WILHELM.

Emphatically deny report that "in order to disguise himself Wilhelmshaven." A barbarous idea.

Hollanders very rude to me as I pass by. They might at least leave the dam out of Rotterdam.

Just had a letter from my eldest son. Affectionately refers to me as his "Dear old Dutch." Says this is the right place to come to for courage.

Wrote by return asking if he'd join me in starting a kingdom of our own, Ailtes, who have no sense of humor.

Shock Left Her Weak and Nervous COULD NOT SLEEP.

When the system receives a shock of any kind, the heart becomes weakened, the nerves unstrung, the appetite poor, faint and weak feelings come over you, you can't sleep at night, and you wonder if life is worth living.

To all those who suffer from nervous shock we would recommend Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills as the best remedy to tone up the entire system and strengthen the weakened organs.

Mrs. J. J. Bunyan, Pilot Butte, Sask., writes:—"I have used Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills after having suffered from a terrible shock by my whole system. I was so utterly weak, and nervous I could not sleep at night, and my appetite was very poor. I could not walk across the floor without trembling all over."

I had hot flashes and fainting spells. When I was on the second box of your Heart and Nerve Pills, I began to feel that they were doing me good, so I kept on until I had used six boxes, when I felt like a different person."

I am never without them in the house, and highly recommend them to all who suffer with their heart."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 60c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

HOW TO ECONOMIZE IN COAL

It Appears There is More to Consider Than Price in Buying.

Like Gault, all coal is divided into three parts. Two of which—carbon and volatile matter—will burn and produce heat. The third "ash" including stones, clinkers, etc., is pure waste. Ash will not burn but prevents quantities of the carbon and volatile gases from burning, and is an expense to cart away.

You buy coal solely to make heat. The more carbon and volatile matter and less ash, the more value in a ton of coal. Most everybody knows this in a general way. But suppose you were offered hard coal at \$15 and \$16 which would you buy? If ten per cent. or one-tenth of the \$15 coal was ash you would have 1,800 pounds of burnable matter to the ton—at a cost of \$15 or \$16 per one hundred pounds of burnable matter. Now, say your \$16 coal had twenty per cent. or one-fifth ash—and remember there are many hard coals with much over twenty per cent. ash—you would have 1,600 pounds of burnable matter for \$16. The cost is exactly the same except that in one case you would have 400 pounds of ash to remove, in the other only 200 pounds. Showing conclusively that the low price does not make a cheap coal. But how is the householder to know which is the cheapest coal? One way is to buy RADIO coal. It is clean, free-burning hard coal and has the organization and name of the Consumers' Coal Co. behind it. It is inspected, tried and tested on arrival and every load is re-screened to remove the slack and dust before delivery. RADIO coal is \$17.25 less fifty cents discount, or \$17.75 for cash, is, we believe, the most economical coal in St. John today. It certainly is high in heat value and low in ash, and checks full of satisfaction.

To those who used RADIO before the war the Consumers' Coal Co. wish to say that they can now obtain it in all sizes. To those who have yet to know the goodness of RADIO we would suggest they try it now. There is no risk for we would gladly remove and refund on any purchase of RADIO coal not being up to the standard we have set for this American anthracite's.

Don't miss wonderful Exhibition of Captured German Guns, and Canadian Official War Photographs. Full particulars on page 6.

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Maritime—Strong northeast and north winds, cloudy with local rains.

Colds Cause Headaches and Pains. Feverish Headaches and Body Pains caused from a cold are soon relieved by taking LAXATIVE BROMO GUININE Tablets. There's only one "Bromo Guinine." E. W. Groves' signature on the box, 30c.

Look to its Laurels. New York Herald: The United States is to have a World War Veterans' Association also. The old Grand Army of the Republic will have to look to its laurels if it would not have their lustre dimmed. The new association is likely to be a big one and popular.

Now Published for the First Time To Be Had Only in This Week's Literary Digest

Gen. Pershing's Own Map of the Great St. Mihiel Battle

This large, colored Map of the St. Mihiel salient was made by headquarter's experts on the battle ground for the official use of General Pershing, and was sent by him to "The Digest." It shows the day-by-day positions and progress of all American Divisions engaged in this great offensive, also the locations of the French colonial troops, the enemy defense lines, and all railroads, tramways, towns, villages, rivers, etc. It is indispensable in tracing the progress of this brilliantly victorious drive, the first all-American offensive on a large scale. The Map is accompanied by a highly interesting descriptive article drawn from the Commander-in-Chief's own report. This authentic Map is well worthy of preservation, and as the demand for it will undoubtedly be very heavy, we advise you to go to your news-dealer at once and get your LITERARY DIGEST.

Bolshevism's "Heaven on Earth"

"A Nightmare in a Lunatic Asylum" is the Way Russian Fugitives Who Straggle Into Switzerland Describe Life in Russia Under Lenine's Rule.

When England's Navy Was Unprepared Tasks for the New U. S. Congress

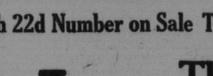
Home Rule Agitation in Spain Germany's Good-bye to War Prisoners To Argentina By Rail Testing Brain-speed By Reaction to Pain The Tide in the War Poets' Inspiration Long Hair and Statesmanship The Episcopal Plan of Union Diplomacy Ignoring God Poetic Tributes to Roosevelt

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COMPROMISE EARLIER

Revised Balance Sheet Standard's Char Earlier Report—Nearer \$300,000 Been Charged to ed on Ordinary A DISGRACEFUL A

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THE GOVERNMENT REVENUE RECEIPTS

Dominion of Canada— Annual Subsidy \$281,511.20 Allowance for Government, etc. 180,000.00 Allowance for Export Duty 150,000.00 Interest at 5 per cent on Deposit (\$529,239.39) 26,464.90

Territorial Revenue— Stumpage \$476,679.40 Royalties 42,120.43 Wild Land Tax, 1917-1918, 30,993.00 Forest Fire Tax 30,554.60 Fishing Licenses 25,532.40 Timber Licenses 8,112.60 Game Licenses, Fines, etc. 30,165.00 Mining Licenses, etc. 10,593.60

Fees, Provincial Secretaries, Railway Companies, etc. 3,170.70 Letters Patent 4,120.00 Moving Pictures 8,165.30 Commissions 355.00

Taxes, Incorporated Companies— Banks 14,800.00 Trust and Loan Companies 1,400.00 Fire Insurance Companies 22,194.00 Life Insurance Companies 7,730.00 Accident and Guarantee Companies 2,467.00 Express Companies 500.00 Telegraph Companies 1,500.00 Telephone Companies 2,808.00 Street Railways, etc. 3,129.00 Sundry 10,293.00

Taxes, Amusement Admissions— Railway 1,400.00 Motor Vehicle Fees 1,500.00 Agriculture— Greater Production, Grant \$25,000.00 Greater Production, Fertilizer 1,218.00

Sheep, Sale of 1,400.00 Seed, Sale of 1,400.00 Miscellaneous Receipts and Notes 42,120.43 Provincial Prohibition 1,400.00 Patriotic and War Purpose Assessment 33,115.60 Probate Court Fund 1,400.00 Supreme Court Fund 1,400.00 Fuel Controller 1,400.00 School 1,400.00 Provincial Hospital 49,067.00 Provincial Hospital Inventory 1918 16,968.00

Jordan Sanitarium— Railway Earnings— Southampton Railway for 1 year to Oct. 31st, 1918 1,661.00 St. John & Quebec Railway for 1 year to Oct. 31st, 1918 39,550.00

Interest Received— Factory Inspection 1,400.00 Succession Duties 1,400.00 Private and Local Bills 1,400.00 Printing—King's Printer 2,808.00 Miscellaneous Receipts— Public Works Department 1,046.00 Health Department 331.00 Crown Land Department 1,577.00 Education Department 1,595.00

Rent Reversing Falls Bridge Wharves, Half Cost (Dominion Government) 1,400.00

Total Receipts 1,400.00

Balance being Deficit for year carried to Balance Sheet 1,400.00

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COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S FINAL REPORT ADMITS MISREPRESENTATION IN EARLIER FINANCIAL STATEMENT—NOW SHOWS A DEFICIT OF \$134,656 IN YEAR'S OPERATIONS, INSTEAD OF BALANCE OF \$30,951 AS CLAIMED

Revised Balance Sheet for Year Ending October 31, 1918, Proves Conclusively The Standard's Charge That Liabilities Incurred During Year Were Not Included in Earlier Report—As a Matter of Fact Actual Shortage on Year's Operations is Nearer \$300,000—Patriotic Funds Have Been Used for Roads and There Have Been Charged to Capital Account on Highways Great Sums of Money Expended on Ordinary Repairs.

A DISGRACEFUL ADMISSION OF DELIBERATE DECEPTION AND OF MISMANAGEMENT IN EVERY DEPARTMENT

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THE GOVERNMENT'S REVISED BALANCE SHEET FOR 1918

Table with columns: REVENUE RECEIVED AND DUE, DISBURSEMENTS, and Balance Sheet. Includes sub-sections like Dominion of Canada, Territorial Revenue, Taxes, Amusement Admissions, etc.

LABOR CONVENTION FINISHED WORK FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Question of Co-operative Officers Elected for Ensuing Year. Fredericton, March 21.—The New Brunswick Federation of Labor Convention closed this afternoon when the final business was discussed and officers elected.

DO YOU WANT PINK CHEEKS?

They Can be Had by Keeping the Blood, Rich, Red and Pure. Every woman—every girl—wants pink cheeks. They mean not only beauty but good health.

DRINK HOT WATER IF YOU DESIRE A ROSY COMPLEXION

Says we can't help but look better and feel better after an inside bath. Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and racy—a good clear skin; a natural rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood.

THE MARKETS AT A GLANCE

Coffee markets continue the tendency towards higher level and it looks now as though a general recovery in prices to the trade must soon be necessary. Stocks in hand in Canada are becoming pretty well depleted, and new arrivals that about have been bought at figures which will mean a probable advance of about four cents per pound.

ALMOST BLIND FROM HEADACHES

It is hard to struggle along with a head that aches and pains all the time. Headache seems habitual with many people; indeed some are seldom, if ever, free from it, suffering continually and wondering why they can get no relief.

DIED.

McCORD—At his late residence, 101 Acadia street on the 20th inst. Samuel H. McCord, in the 67th year of his age, leaving three sisters to mourn. Monday from his late residence. Service at 2.30 o'clock.

C. P. R. OFFICIALS IN CONFERENCE

Discussing Subjects Pertaining to Railway Efficiency. Montreal, March 21.—Five hundred officers of the C. P. R. are holding a conference on subjects pertaining to railway efficiency in Montreal and Quebec, commencing today and lasting till Monday evening. Eighty of these have come from the west, and many others from points in Ontario and the Maritime Provinces.

MONTREAL HAS ITS WIRELESS TELEPHONES

Montreal, March 21.—Wireless telephones are being installed in the Montreal Board of Trade. The phone will enable brokers to talk with Three Rivers, Quebec, Kingston and Ottawa. Ultimately it is expected conversations will take place between the Board of Trade and Ireland over the Marconi Company wireless plants.

PATROL ACTIVITY

Archangel, Thursday, 20.—(By The Associated Press)—Patrol activity has increased considerably along the Volodga Railway and on the Drina front. On both sectors the Bolsheviks have been defeated by the Allied and American troops.



Yes, you've guessed it. "Winter lingering in the lap of Spring." But Spring will win out. Here are all the new styles to great gentle spring.

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Map

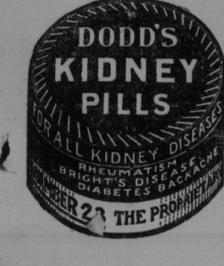
Experts on the battle front. It shows the most offensive, also the tramways, towns, victorious drive, the interesting description. Map is well worthy of your attention.

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Special Sale Hams Bacon, Etc. Having secured the salesroom at 9 King Square, formerly occupied by the Hygienic Packing Co., we are offering to the public for a limited time: Choice Mild Cured Hams 28c. lb. Choice Mild Cured Bacon 26c. lb. Choice Mild Cured Shoulders 24c. lb.

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Ladies' Silk Dresses . . . from \$20.00 to \$39.00
Less 10 Per Cent. Saturday and Monday

Ladies' Serge Dresses . . . from \$13.98 to \$30.00
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JUST A WORD TO THE SOLDIER BOYS BUYING FIRST CIVIES

Every store in town is allowing you 10 per cent. discount—ourselves with the rest—but for Saturday and Monday we are going 5 harder.

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IT PAYS TO SHOP AT Charlotte Street WILCOX'S Corner Union

CANADIAN WAR PHOTOGRAPHS AND CAPTURED GERMAN GUNS

Exhibition Opens Monday at Reed's Point Warehouse—Pictures Enlarged from Those Taken at the Front—Painted in Water Colors by Leading Canadian Artists for Dominion Government—Interesting Scenes in Daily Life of Troops.

The official Canadian War Photographs and captured German guns exhibition, which opens in the new freight shed of the International S. S. Company, Reed's Point, on Monday, will give the people of the province of New Brunswick an unequalled opportunity to follow the heroism of the land of the Maple Leaf, all the way from Arras to the Rhine and to view some of the weapons used by the Hun in the great war and taken from him by the brave boys from Canada.

The pictures are enlarged from photos taken at the front and have been painted in water colors by the leading Canadian artists sent over to England by the Dominion Government especially for that purpose, and show many interesting scenes in the daily life of the troops. They were shown first in the Grafton Gallery, London, and drew large crowds for one month. The period of time they were kept on exhibition. They were then sent to Canada, and arrived here in the Gramplan. St. John will be the first city in Canada to have the privilege of seeing the pictures and guns and no person should miss them.

CATHOLIC ARMY HUT WORK PROGRESSES
That Performed in St. John But Typical of Other Centres from Coast to Coast—Charlottetown and Halifax Also Looking After Heroes.

The work being carried on by the Catholic Army Huts in this city is but typical of that which is being done in other centres, and from coast to coast the work progresses. In the maritime provinces the work is meeting with good results, and under capable officials.

In this city every effort is being made to look after the comfort of the boys immediately after landing. In West St. John, where the steamship dock, an attractive canteen has been provided and fully equipped, where are furnished free to the returned men before boarding the troop trains for their respective destinations. In St. John proper, where the most up-to-date club houses has been secured from the Young Men's Catholic Institute on Cliff street, who in the meantime can enjoy all the comforts required.

The chief secretary of the hut was Quartermaster Sergeant George P. Hennessy, a former member of the "Pictou" ship, who saw two years' service in France. About two weeks ago Sergeant Hennessy on the information bureau, Canterbury street, was given a position in that office.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Reuben Chase.
Saturday morning, March 15th, Mrs. Reuben Chase, one of the respected residents of Briggs' Corner, Queens County, passed away at her home. To all appearances she was a well woman up to within a few days of her death; but to her immediate friends it was known that she had been in ill health for some time. Notwithstanding this, she spent much of her time through the winter in the homes of her neighbors, where influenza and resulting illnesses prevailed, doing all she could to make things easier for them.

Nellie McKay.
There occurred at the General Public Hospital the death of Nellie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Colin McKay, of Pennfield Ridge. The deceased was thirteen years of age, and had been operated on for appendicitis, but the operation proving unsuccessful, the child succumbed at 2 o'clock on Saturday, March 15. Besides her grief-stricken parents, there are left to mourn four brothers: Earle, Gerald, Morrell and Gordon, and four sisters: Beatrice, Lillian, Augusta and Frances. The funeral cortege went by the N. B. Southern Railway to their home in Pennfield yesterday morning, where they were met by the Rev. Mr. Spencer of St. George, and interment was made in the Anglican cemetery at Pennfield Ridge.

The Boy Scouts are going to capture the city today. Provide yourself with a ticket to the great exhibition of Canadian Official War Pictures and several German Field Guns. That's your passport, and the Scouts will sell them. Full particulars on page 5.

On Saturday and Monday

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Dull Calf and Patent Button and Lace Boots, some with cloth tops
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Come and see if your size is among them.
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NOTICE

A meeting of the Weir-owners' Association will be held at Imperial Theatre, St. George, on March 28. All weir-owners are requested to be present.
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Oscar Hanson, treas.

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BILL RELATING TO JURIES GIVEN CAREFUL CONSIDERATION FRIDAY

Considerable Discussion Arose as to the Age Limit for a Qualified Juror—Bills Affecting St. John Introduced—More Notices of Enquiry Presented.

Fredericton, March 21.—The House met at 8 o'clock.

Hon. Mr. Veniot moved that the order for the third reading of the bill relating to wharves be rescinded, and the bill be referred back to the committee for a correction in the schedule.

Mr. Burchill submitted the report of the committee on standing rules.

Notices of inquiry were given as follows:

By Mr. Dickson, as to whether the correspondence between the premier's secretary and the Great War Veterans' Association of Kings County is to be tabled in the House.

By Mr. Campbell for Mr. Potts, as to the name of the superintendent of immigration and whether he has been service overseas.

By Mr. Murray (Kings), as to the operations of the farm settlement board during the year, also as to the amount paid to the individual directors of the St. John and Quebec Railway for travelling expenses, also as to detail of expenditures on account of the Stevens inquiry and the Gould arbitration.

By Mr. Tilley, as to tenders invited for the painting of bridges during the year.

By Mr. Smith (Albert), as to the intention of the government to rebuild Little River bridge, Albert County.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill requesting St. Andrew's church, St. John, to be a corporation.

Mr. Tilley presented the petition of the Municipality of St. John for the passage of an act respecting the Lancaster and Inlandtown ferry.

The House went into committee and agreed to the bill respecting provincial railways with an amendment submitted by the honorable minister of public works.

The committee also agreed to a bill to amend the Schools Act relating to the City of Moncton, after it had been explained that the bill merely increased the amount of the authorized assessment from \$100 to \$125,000. The committee also agreed to a bill amending the Judiciary Act, 1909, and the act respecting the education of the blind. The last named act provides for an increase in the amount to be paid by the government of amount per pupil from \$125 to \$150 and a decrease in the case of municipalities.

Upon the speaker resuming the chair the bills were reported.

The House again went into committee and took up consideration of the bill relating to jurors and juries.

Hon. Mr. Byrne on the section dealing with the age of jurors, made an expression of opinion as to the advisability of increasing the age limit from sixty to sixty-five years. He said the present law set forth that jurors must be between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years.

Hon. Mr. Foster said he would be very sorry to think when he reached the age of sixty years he would be disqualified from serving on a jury. He thought that a man of sixty-five years would be just as capable if not more so because of experience than one of twenty-one years. Men of sixty-five years today were apparently much younger and more active than was the case 25 or 30 years ago.

Mr. McGrath did not think it advisable to increase the age limit on psychological grounds.

Mr. Murray (Kings) said that while this used to be looked upon as a young man's era, and that the dead line was sometimes drawn at forty, the stirring events of the past four years had brought about a change. Men between the ages of sixty and seventy years had performed remarkable work during the war. He was in favor of extending the age limit of jurors to 65 years, and did not think that even seventy years would be out of the way.

Mr. McGrath said that while the average man might be bright and intelligent at sixty-five, there were others who might be suffering from a blurring of their intellectual faculties. A man of that type should not be allowed to sit in judgment on his fellow men.

The section was amended to make the age limit sixty-five years.

Mr. Tilley, on the section relating to excursions, expressed the opinion that it would give an elevating tone to the work of jurymen if clergymen were permitted to act.

Hon. Mr. Foster—How about women?

Mr. Tilley said that in view of the fact that they were to be given the franchise, it might be necessary, before long to amend the act to permit them to serve on juries.

Hon. Mr. Byrne, on the section which permits the selection of a panel three months in advance of a court sitting, explained that the provision was inserted with the object of saving of expense to the municipality. It was in accordance with jury acts of other provinces, and did not seem to be an unfair provision. The bill had been submitted to the Barristers' Society and no objection had been raised to it.

Mr. Tilley thought it might not be wise to have a jury selected three months in advance of the court sitting. While the members of the board were sworn to secrecy, information might possibly leak out as to the names chosen.

Hon. Mr. Byrne said that a bill consolidating the County Court Act had been prepared, and would be submitted to the House during the present session.

Mr. Campbell, on the section relating to the summoning of jurors, said

THE RHYL RIOT BEING THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED

Officers Had Tip That Something Was Going to Happen and Had to be Prepared—Attacking Party Uses Pieces of Rifles and Clubs.

Rhyl, North Wales, March 21.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The riot was resumed yesterday on the five soldiers of the Canadian army who met death in the Kinnel Camp riot on March 5.

Major St. George, assistant provost marshal, again represented the military authorities.

Major C. W. MacLean, commander of the military district of Kinnel Camp Park was the first witness. He declared the trouble arose on the afternoon of March 2, when half a dozen men carried a red banner towards the camp main entrance. There was a picket at the gate to warn the men that the camp was organized and to resist any attempt to wreck it. The men, however, pushed on to the guard. The quarter guard then rushed the men, and beat down the leaders with the red flag, locking them in the guard room.

The remainder of the party dispersed and took up a position opposite the guard room, where they began to shout and throw stones. When an officer's party went to parley with them, telling them the camp was organized and to resist any attempt to wreck it, they refused to listen, and kept shouting: "Come on boys." Numerous shots were exchanged between both sides.

Major MacLean said he went to headquarters to explain the situation, and on his return the trouble had subsided.

To the coroner Major MacLean said that he had warning of the coming disturbance about ten o'clock in the morning. He had also been aware that trouble had occurred the previous night at the other end of the camp.

Some of the attacking party, which numbered three to four hundred, were carrying parts of rifles, and others were carrying rifle barrels with the stocks broken off. He did not see any with complete rifles.

In camp 18 he could see three or four carrying rifles, but a lot were under cover.

To the coroner the Major said there were about forty rifles in possession of the defending party. They had been handed out at 1:30 p.m. when the usual parade was held. They were handed out as a precaution, but at that time no ammunition had been supplied them.

The major added that up to a certain stage, instructions were that company and platoon commanders should organize and protect the record office. The adoption of a position was left to their discretion. The impression he got during the morning was that the men would be no respecters of the record office or canteen, but would break straight through. There was no reason why they should want to go at the records, but at that time, no ammunition had been supplied them.

Major MacLean said there were seventy or eighty arrests made. They were all in different military prisons and will ultimately be tried. Only one of the killed soldiers, Private Dillon, belonged to the defence party. The major said he could not say whether or not the other four were attackers or onlookers.

Some of the attacking party received gun shot wounds, and the coroner asked how it was that the defending party were in possession of ammunition, and when it was procured.

Major MacLean said his experience had been that most soldiers, returning home from France, have a few rounds in their kit as souvenirs, and when the men found how serious the situation was, they used what they had on their persons.

The Major said he believed two or three rushes were made against the attacking party, and prisoners were brought in. He was not there, however.

The coroner disallowed a question by a jurymen as to whether or not the first shot was fired by the attacking or defence party, on the ground that the witness was not an eyewitness of the opening incidents.

that the jurors should be summoned from the body of the county. He remembered an occasion on the Westmoorland circuit when the point was taken that all the jurors had been summoned from one parish.

Hon. Mr. Byrne said that the point was a good one but, in this case, a jury list of the whole county would be available.

Mr. Sweeney said it would be proper to preserve the old form, as suggested by the honorable member from St. John (Campbell). The section might stand.

Mr. Burchill expressed the opinion that consular agents should be exempt.

Hon. Mr. Byrne said he had no objection to that exemption. With regard to the section dealing with the completion of the jury, in the case of a default of jurors, he believed it would be proper to amend the section so as to make any person who might be found liable to be named to complete the jury.

Mr. Tilley said that that would be establishing a dangerous precedent and really avoiding the purpose of the act which is considered in general to be a good act. To his mind the persons selected to complete the jury should be those whose names were on the original list.

Hon. Mr. Byrne said that this was along the line of the Ontario act. He hardly felt willing to consent to the amendment.

Mr. Dyson said he was impressed by the view expressed by the honorable member from St. John (Tilley). It was prudent that men required to complete the jury should be selected from the prepared list.

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Mr. Campbell said the word "qualified" does not refer to the list but to the use in the old act.

Mr. Dyson pointed out that qualification as defined in the bill did not refer to the list at all.

The section was allowed to stand.

The committee reported progress on the bill.

The House adjourned at 5:22 p. m. until 8:20 p. m. Monday.

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Nursing Sister Addie Woods has returned from overseas, and is staying with her sister, Mrs. Fred Jones.

Mrs. H. W. Woods spent the weekend in St. John, the guest of Mrs. William Brittain.

Mr. and Mrs. William Spight have returned to Welsford after spending the winter at Hillandale.

Mrs. Harry Johnstone had the misfortune to badly sprain her wrist, by falling on the ice.

Miss Dorothy Lewin is staying a few days with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Lewin, after a trip to Boston and New York.

Mrs. H. W. Woods gave a very enjoyable tea on Friday afternoon in honor of Nursing Sister Addie Woods.

Mrs. A. A. Lewin is spending the week-end in St. John.

The Royal Standard Chapter I. O. O. E. have arranged for a most wonderful Exhibition of Official Canadian War Photographs, and German Field Guns. The Boy Scouts are selling the tickets today. Don't refuse, and thus miss your chance of a lifetime. See page 5.

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be left to the trade unions and employers' associations in the industry. Indeed, the whole scheme has been left with a great deal of obscurity in order that it might be best, and shaped to suit the individual needs of whatever industry might elect to make use of it.

The report does not attempt to detail every item which may be taken up through Whitley Council machinery, but it does suggest certain matters to be taken up by the national councils or referred by them to the district or shop councils. Its suggestions are: "The better utilization of the practical knowledge and experience of the work people.

"Means for securing to the work people a greater share in and responsibility for the determination and observance of the conditions under which their work is carried on.

"The settlement of the general principles governing the conditions of employment including the methods of fixing pay and readjusting wages, having regard to the need for securing to the work people a share in the increased prosperity of the industry.

"The establishment of regular methods of negotiation for issues arising between employers and work people, with a view both to the prevention of differences and to their better adjustment when they appear.

"Means for insuring to the work people the greatest possible security of earnings and employment, without undue restriction upon change of occupation or employer.

"Methods of fixing and adjusting earnings, piecework prices, etc. and of dealing with the many difficulties which arise with regard to the method and amount of payment apart from the fixing of general standard rates, which are already covered by paragraph 3.

"Technical education and training.

"Industrial research and the full utilization of its results.

"The provision of facilities for the full engagement and utilization of inventions and improvement designed by work people, and for the adequate safeguarding of the rights of the designers of such inventions.

"Improvements of processes, machinery and organization and appropriate questions relating to management and the examination of industrial experiments, with special reference to co-operation in carrying new ideas into effect and full consideration of the work people's point of view in relation to them.

"Proposed legislation affecting the industry."

The report sets forth as a settled fact that there must be "adequate organization" on both sides, and says that "what is wanted is that the work people should have a greater opportunity of participating in the discussion—both of adjustment of those parts of industry by which they are most affected."

That is the Whitley Council idea—joint standing bodies to discuss and act upon trade problems in shop, district and nation, with a possibility of a great inter-trade or super-council later on, standing in relation to industry as parliament stands to the political life of the nation.

How seriously the whole project is regarded may be seen from the committee's suggestion, accepted by the government, that it may be advisable later on to give the sanction of law to Whitley Council agreements.

Will this idea work in America? There are those to whom all things "look good when they're far away." English life is not American life. English institutions differ in a great many important factors from American institutions. What is done in England should be studied in America, but not necessarily copied in toto. And, besides, it has not been proved that the Whitley Council will do the work its sponsors hope it will do for England.

is it a Soviet?
The plain fact is that the Whitley Council machinery looms in the future of English life as a new branch of government, differing from the Soviet only in the fact that the Whitley Councils supplement and are subordinate to political government, with capital as a vital factor, while the Soviet supersedes all of these and does so by violent and automatic methods if need be.

The Whitley Council machinery is composed of three sets of councils—work councils, district councils and national councils, corresponding locally to American city, state and national government, or in labor circles to city central bodies, state federations and national federations.

Organization on both sides of industry is a prime requisite, if the Whitley Council is to have life. Employers must be organized; so must employees. The approval of these two organized forces is necessary to the establishment of Whitley councils. The British government has accepted and is promoting the Whitley Council idea, thus taking its stand for the proposition that all employers ought to be organized and that all workers ought to be organized. The whole thing is a final recognition, so far as England is concerned, of the idea that individualism is not the concern of individuals as such, but is the concern of organized society and that every individual has a responsibility toward the industry and the public which cannot be discharged by individuals separately.

So anxious is the government to secure the organization of Whitley councils that the Ministry of Labor is conducting a propaganda for that purpose, offering to provide meeting places and secretarial aid for industries wishing to organize councils.

For a view of the machinery let us go to the Whitley report:

"In the well organized industries one of the first questions to be considered should be the establishment of local and works organizations to supplement and make more effective the work of the central bodies. It is not enough to secure co-operation at the centre (the national organizations); it is equally necessary to enlist the activity and support of employers and employed in the districts and in individual establishments. The National Industrial Council should not be considered as complete in itself; what is needed is a triple organization—in the workshops, the districts and nationally. Moreover, it is essential that the organization at each of these three stages should proceed on a common principle and that the greatest measures of common action between them should be secured.

"With this end in view we are of opinion that the following proposals should be laid before the National Industrial Council:

"(a) That district councils, representative of the trade unions and of the employers' associations in the industry, should be created or developed out of the existing machinery for negotiation in the various trades.

"(b) That works committees (shop committees), representative of the management and of the workers employed, should be instituted in particular works to act in close co-operation with the district and national machinery."

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MONTREAL SALES. (McDougal and Cowans.) Morning. Montreal, Friday, March 21.—Vic Bonds 1922-2500 @ 100 1/2, 1000 @ 100 1/2. Vic Bonds 1927-600 @ 102 1/2, 1000 @ 102 1/2. Vic Bonds 1937-1400 @ 105 1/2, 200 @ 105 1/2, 1000 @ 105 1/2, 7000 @ 106. Steamships Pfd 33-35 @ 77 1/2. Steel Can Pfd 3 @ 117 1/2. Textile Bonds-2000 @ 99 1/2. Can Com-17 @ 99. 1922 Vic Loan-1050 @ 103 1/2, 5000 @ 100 1/2, 5000 @ 100 1/2, 25000 @ 100 1/2. Steel Can Pfd-17 @ 99. Steel Can Com-75 @ 63 1/2, 25 @ 61, 440 @ 61, 80 @ 63 1/2, 50 @ 63 1/2. 1928 Vic Bonds-11000 @ 104 1/2, 4000 @ 104 1/2, 500 @ 104 1/2, 1000 @ 104 1/2. Can Com-150 @ 65 1/2, 45 @ 65, 20 @ 65. Iron Ore Com-275 @ 61. Shawinigan-3 @ 117 1/2. Can Pfd-45 @ 97. Montreal Power-61 @ 91 1/2, 25 @ 91. 1921 War Loan-1500 @ 98 1/2, 500 @ 98. 1925 War Loan-1000 @ 98. Bell Telephone-22 @ 120. Laurentide Power-7 @ 94. Can Car Pfd-40 @ 88. Laurentide Pulp-85 @ 207, 15 @ 207 1/2, 50 @ 208 1/2, 100 @ 208 1/2, 200 @ 208 1/2, 20 @ 208. Rioron-10 @ 118. McDonalds-250 @ 214. Wainamacke-1000 @ 88. Scotia Pfd-1 @ 105. Scotia Bonds-6500 @ 87 1/2. McDonalds-250 @ 214. Laurentide Power-7 @ 94. Asbestos Pfd-10 @ 73. Feil-25 @ 7. B. C. Fish-10 @ 97. Glass-25 @ 44 1/2. Nor Amer Pulp-210 @ 58, 100 @ 58. Merchants Bank-7 @ 106. Can Converters-50 @ 50 1/2, 2 @ 51. Afternoon. Vic Bonds 1922-1500 @ 100 1/2, 100 @ 100 1/2. Vic Bonds 1927-450 @ 102 1/2, 300 @ 102 1/2. Vic Bonds 1937-2000 @ 106, 100 @ 106. Steamships Com-200 @ 43. Steamships Pfd 33-35 @ 77 1/2. Steel Can Pfd-15 @ 94 1/2. 1922 Vic Bonds-2500 @ 103 1/2, 100 @ 103 1/2. Steel Can Com-275 @ 61, 25 @ 61, 125 @ 61 1/2. 1925 War Loan-1500 @ 104 1/2, 500 @ 104 1/2, 7000 @ 104 1/2. 1925 War Loan-500 @ 98. 1921 War Loan-1500 @ 98 1/2. Shawinigan-260 @ 117 1/2. 1927 War Loan-500 @ 100. Can Car Com-30 @ 81. McDonalds-25 @ 214. Montreal Power-450 @ 91 1/2, 100 @ 91 1/2. Laurentide Pulp-50 @ 208. Rioron-10 @ 118. Quebec Railway-10 @ 201. Laur Power-125 @ 60. Asbestos Pfd-105 @ 73. Glass-25 @ 44 1/2. Woods Mfg Co-2 @ 90 1/2. Spin River Com-25 @ 104, 75 @ 104. Nor Amer Pulp-250 @ 58, 75 @ 58. Can Car Pfd-3 @ 82 1/2, 10 @ 82. Can Converters-20 @ 50 1/2, 2 @ 51. (McDougal and Cowans.) Bid Ask. Ames Holden, Com. 75. Ames Holden, Pfd. 75. Brazil L. H. and P. 54 1/2. Canada Car. 30 1/2. Canada Cement. 45. Canada Cement Pfd. 99. Dem Iron Com. 61 1/2. Dem Tex Com. 107. Laurentide Paper Co. 208. Lake of Woods. 158. Macdonald Com. 24 1/2. M. L. H. and Power. 91 1/2. Ogilvie. 200. Penman's Limited. 20 1/2. Quebec Railway. 20 1/2. Shaw & P. Co. 117 1/2. Spanish River Com. 19 1/2. Spanish River Pfd. 78 1/2. N. Y. Cotton Market. (McDougal and Cowans.) High. Low. Close. Mar. 21. 34.80. 34.40. 34.80. May. 34.80. 34.40. 34.80. Jul. 34.80. 34.40. 34.80. Oct. 34.80. 34.40. 34.80. Dec. 34.80. 34.40. 34.80.

U. S. STEEL IN THE LIMELIGHT. Great Portion of the Day's Trading Centered on it, and Passed Its Forenoon High. (McDougal & Cowans.) New York, March 21.—The market continued strong in the early afternoon, although less active for a time. U. S. Steel, in which a great proportion of the trading centered, passed its forenoon high. The stock met heavy selling between 97 and 98, but moved up more easily thereafter. In the last hour a new burst of buying occurred, similar to that with which the day opened and the price went to within a fraction of par, more than four points up for the day. The character of the buying indicated plainly that it was largely for the short account. The other steel stocks were strong in sympathy with the leader, but did not move up as much. International Harvester, which is being held on the prospect for planting of an unprecedented acreage by the farmers this year, and on the reduction in rates, which will induce it to buy its raw materials more advantageously, moved up half a dozen points. The remainder of the industrial list and in places increased them. The Bulls were again neglected and the local traction stocks had another sinking spell. The street contents that within a few days it will be generally understood that no further reductions in steel prices are to be made for an indefinite time, and that then the orders will pile in. The point is made that steel is in a different position from copper, because there is no such over stock of the commodity in hand as in the case with the red metal. E. & C. RANDOLPH.

INDUSTRIAL GROUP TAKES NEW LIFE. Removal of Long Existing Uncertainty Over Prices Giving it a Tremendous Impetus—U. S. Steel Dominated Market. New York, March 21.—One popular issue, United States Steel, dominated today's stock market from start to finish. Removal of the long existing uncertainty over prices giving it a tremendous impetus to the entire industrial group. Other speculative favorites in the advance a few scoring even greater gains than the market leader. Rails and metals lagged until the final hour when they responded to the general buoyancy of that period. The demand for United States Steel was on a scale unequalled since its last boom, one commission house alone having buying orders for 10,000 shares. At an extreme advance of 4 1/2 points to 97 7/8 Steel contributed forty per cent. of the day's total. There was a widespread feeling that the outcome of the Washington conference would go far toward restoring confidence in the new price schedule being tentatively on many lines of industry. In the excitement created by the heavy trading in Steels, little attention was paid to the further varieties of foreign exchange, the domestic money market and the New York Railway Company, although reactions again weakened. Knitted Steels and equipments made gains of 3 to 6 points, motors and oils 2 to 5 and 8 points, tobaccos, fertilizer, paper, sugars, 2 to 7 points, but coppers and shippings were only moderately strong. In the metal market, approximately the day's maximum quotations. Sales amounted to 1,250,000 shares. Foreign bonds, including Anglo-French five's and French municipals, were fractionally lower and Liberty 4 1/2 1/4 made a net advance of 1/8. Old United States Steels were unchanged on call.

REDEMPTION OF CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS. Washington, March 21.—The United States treasury today authorized the immediate redemption of a block of \$613,000,000 loan certificates of indebtedness dated December 5, and maturing ordinarily May 6, at par and accrued interest to the date of redemption.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS. (McDougal and Cowans.) Open. High. Low. Close. Am Beet Sug 75 76 75 75 1/2. Am Car Fdy 90 91 90 90 1/2. Am Loco 68 69 68 68 1/2. Am Sug 122 123 122 122 1/2. Am Smelt 67 68 67 67 1/2. Am Sulf 81 82 81 81 1/2. Am Sulf Fly 81 82 81 81 1/2. Am Woolen 52 53 52 52 1/2. Am Tele 104 104 104 104 1/2. Anaconda 61 62 61 61 1/2. A. H. and L. Pfd 93 94 93 93 1/2. Am Can 48 49 48 48 1/2. Atchafon 92 93 92 92 1/2. Bait and Ohio 48 49 48 48 1/2. Beth Steel 68 69 68 68 1/2. Brook Rap 22 23 22 22 1/2. Butts and Sup 20 21 20 20 1/2. C. F. I. 42 43 42 42 1/2. Ches and Ohio 58 59 58 58 1/2. China 37 38 37 37 1/2. Cent Leather 7 7 7 7 1/2. Can Pac 160 160 158 159 1/2. Distillers 64 65 64 64 1/2. Erie Canal 16 17 16 16 1/2. Erie 1st Pfd 29 29 29 29 1/2. Gr Nor Pfd 93 94 93 93 1/2. Gr Nor Ore 40 41 40 40 1/2. Royal Dutch 94 95 94 94 1/2. Ind Alcohol 143 144 143 143 1/2. Gen Motors 161 162 161 161 1/2. Inspira Cop 47 48 47 47 1/2. Kenno Cop 30 31 30 30 1/2. Lehigh Val 53 54 53 53 1/2. Mer Mar Pfd 113 114 113 113 1/2. Mox Petrol 184 185 184 184 1/2. Midvale Steel 45 46 45 45 1/2. Miss Pac 25 26 25 25 1/2. NY NH and H 20 21 20 20 1/2. Nor and West 104 105 104 104 1/2. Nor Pac 92 93 92 92 1/2. Penn 44 45 44 44 1/2. Press Sub Car 71 72 71 71 1/2. Reading Com 84 85 84 84 1/2. Republic Steel 82 83 82 82 1/2. St. Paul 38 39 38 38 1/2. Sou Pac 101 102 101 101 1/2. Sou Rail 28 29 28 28 1/2. Studebaker 61 62 61 61 1/2. Union Pac 129 130 129 129 1/2. U. S. S. I. Com 95 96 95 95 1/2. U. S. Rob 84 85 84 84 1/2. Utah Cop 73 74 73 73 1/2. Westhouse 47 48 47 47 1/2. West Union 80 81 80 80 1/2.

TORONTO BOARD MARKET REPORT. Toronto, March 21.—Board of Trade quotations today were as follows: Manitoba Wheat—In store Port William No. 1 northern, 2 1/2 to 2 1/2; No. 2 northern, 2 1/2 to 2 1/2; No. 3, 2 1/2 to 2 1/2; No. 4, 2 1/2 to 2 1/2. Manitoba Oats—In store Port William No. 2 C.W., 73; No. 3 C.W., 69 1/2 to 69 1/2; extra No. 1 feed, 69 1/2 to 69 1/2; No. 1 feed, 64 1/2 to 64 1/2. Manitoba Barley—In store Port William No. 3 C.W., 102 3/8; No. 4 C.W., 96 7/8; selected, 91 7/8; feed, 90 7/8. American Corn—Traction Torontonian shipment No. 3 yellow, 1.73 nominal; No. 4, 1.70 nominal. Ontario Wheat—According to freight outside, No. 2 white, 65 to 67; No. 3 white, 65 to 65. Ontario Wheat—F. a. b. shippings, according to freight, No. 1 winter, per car lot, 2.14 to 2.20; No. 2 winter, 2.11 to 2.19; No. 3 winter, 2.07 to 2.15; No. 1 spring, 2.09 to 2.17; No. 2 spring, 2.06 to 2.14; No. 3 spring, 2.02 to 2.10. Canadian Flour—According to freight outside, milling, 92 to 97 nominal. Buckwheat—According to freight outside, No. 2, 65 nominal. Manitoba Flour—Government standard, Toronto, Ontario flour, Government standard, 89.55 to 89.75; Montreal in Jute bags, prompt shipments; Toronto, 89.55 to 89.75. Millfeed, car lots, delivered Montreal, freight, bags, included—Mont, \$40.25; shorts, \$42.25; good flour, per bag, \$3.25 to \$3.50. Hay—Track Toronto, No. 1, per ton, \$20 to \$21; mixed, \$18 to \$19. Straw—Track Toronto, car lots, per ton, \$10.

CANADA STEEL IN ADVANCE. (McDougal & Cowans.) Montreal, March 21.—The strength in New York today was an improvement in our market. Steel of Canada, advanced a point and closing strong. Laurentide Paper and Montreal Power were at the highest price on record. The Montreal market lacks the snap that it ought to have, lacking in consideration the advances that have taken place in the bond list and in the money market, but we believe there will be an improvement here if New York continues strong, and our information from that source leads us to believe that it will. The price fixing of steel created a very buoyant American market in the steel securities, U. S. Steel closing four points higher than it did yesterday. The only thing that is needed there now is some favorable news on the railway securities which would undoubtedly bring about a very big market. The United States has almost all the money in the world; they are getting fancy prices for their food-stuffs, and peace will probably be signed shortly, they will no doubt discount all these things. (McDougal & Cowans.) MONTREAL MARKET. Montreal, March 21.—OATS—Canadian Western No. 2, 82. FLOUR—New Standard Grade, \$11 1/2 to \$11.20. BOLLEED OATS—Bags 50 lbs., \$3.50 to \$4.00. MILLFEED—Bran, \$40.25; shorts, \$42.25; middlings, \$64; meal, \$64. CHEESE—Finest easterns, 24 to 25. BUTTER—Choicest creamery, 53 to 55. POTATOES—Fresh, 56; selected, 35. POTATOES—Per bag, car lots, \$1.50. DRESSING HOGS—Abattoir killed, \$25.50 to \$27.00. LARD—Pure, 28 to 30 1/2. On preferred stock, President Franklin says, after the board meeting, that no action would be taken relative to dividend until negotiations concerning the sale of company's British tonnage are completed or dropped. Twenty Industrials 87 1/2 off 45.

CHICAGO PRODUCE. (McDougal and Cowans.) Corn. May 142 1/2, 143 1/2, 143 1/2. July 137 1/2, 137 1/2, 137 1/2. Sept. 131 1/2, 129 1/2, 131 1/2. Oats. May 68 1/2, 68 1/2, 68 1/2. July 66 1/2, 66 1/2, 66 1/2. Sept. 62 1/2, 61, 62 1/2. Pork. May 45 1/2, 45 1/2, 45 1/2. Chicago, March 21.—CORN—No. 3 yellow, 1.52 to 1.55; No. 4 yellow, 1.47 to 1.51; No. 5 yellow, 1.47 to 1.47 1/2. Oats—No. 3 white, 65 1/2 to 66; standard, 66 1/2 to 67 1/2. Rye—No. 2, 1.72 to 1.72 1/4. Barley—\$1.05 to \$1.15. Timothy—\$7.00 to \$10.00. Clover—Nominal. Pork—Nominal lard, \$28.50; lard, nominal.

NEWS SUMMARY. (McDougal & Cowans.) New York, March 21.—New York Railway Company's in receivership hands. Stock Exchange governors meet this afternoon to decide on whether or not to close March 25th. Japan to force her equality clause at Paris, takes the stand that if U. S. will not waive racial discrimination now it will not be inclined to do so later. State Comptroller Travis outlining plan for new state tax, which will be thirty million dollars more is needed, suggests increase on inheritances and stock without further levy on income and realty. Mercantile Marine, only routine business transacted at regular meetings of directors. Asked regarding report that directors had under consideration 20 per cent. payment on behalf of 67 per cent. accumulation.

DORCHESTER PROPERTY FOR SALE. We will receive tenders for the purchase of the residence of the late Hon. H. R. Emmerson, at Dorchester, Westmorland County, New Brunswick, with barns, stables, outbuildings, grounds and lands attached, including a 100 over 21 acres of marsh, land adjoining until noon, April 1st, 1919. Terms cash. FRIEL & CLARK, Solicitors, 308 Mall Street, St. John, N.B. 13th March, 1919.

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Brown's Flat, March 21.—A very successful concert and pie social was held by the young people of Brown's Flat in Kitchener Hall, Saturday evening, March 15th. A large crowd attended and enjoyed the evening very much. Ice cream and home made candy were on sale during the evening. When the proceeds were added up the tidy little sum of \$178.25 was raised to go toward the Baptist Church.

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army sent overseas and to protect its communications and supplies. "To prevent invasion of this country and its various dominions by enemy forces."

Bought Means to an End. The destruction of the enemy fleet was a means to an end, but neither the only means nor the end in itself, as the events of the war have amply proved, he says.

Quitting his book "The Westminster Gazette" says: "For the purpose of ensuring these points of policy the battle fleet took up a position in the northerly section of the North Sea based on Scapa Flow, whilst the sea itself was mapped out into 'cruiser patrol areas.' In addition, periodical sweeps southward by cruisers and the battle fleet were undertaken in the hope of catching the enemy at sea. The capital ships were thus ensured against unnecessary casualties from mines and submarines. These dispositions had to be amended by the withdrawal of the larger cruisers from ordinary operations in the central and southern parts of the North Sea.

The strength of the fleet was to some extent dissipated by fears of invasion entertained by the Admiralty, which necessitated the basing of the 3rd Battle Squadron on Rosyth. This division of force was also necessary to deal with the German bombardments of our undefended coast, which Lord Jellicoe thinks were partly undertaken for that specific purpose. The enemy would have had a greater chance in action in the early days of the war than at any later time, as they had an actual superiority in available first-class destroyers. Lord Jellicoe thinks that they never risked an attack owing to fears of losing control of the Baltic, and of being in consequence exposed to a Russian invasion supported by naval forces. A detailed description is given of the routine work of the fleet, the difficulties of defending Scapa from sub-

marine attack, and the consequent move to Lough Skilly, and the loss of the Audacious, which was kept secret at Lord Jellicoe's own request. On January 25 the points of departure for Rosyth to undertake a sweep in conjunction with the light forces based on Harwich. An action with similar results occurred on the night of the 19th, when the Derfflinger and the Seydlitz damaged, Sir David Beatty's flagship, the Lion, being also damaged. The grand fleet did not come into action, and nothing very new is to be learned from Lord Jellicoe's account.

Sir David Beatty's report is given in an appendix. This action was a short interlude in the routine work of the fleet, of which Lord Jellicoe goes on with his excellent account, and the reader gains from it some idea of the unremitting toil and constant exposure to danger which our naval forces faced in order to maintain the blockade and to keep up the watch on the German high sea fleet. An example of the difficulties encountered is given in the case of the German raider Grief, sunk by the Alcantara. The Grief was flying the Norwegian flag, and in order to board her the Alcantara had necessarily to come within range of her torpedoes, from one of which the Alcantara sustained damage which caused her eventually to sink.

Tells of Jutland Battle.

"Before dealing with the tactics of the battle of Jutland itself, Lord Jellicoe brings forward certain considerations which weighed with him when he had to decide the extent to which he ought to risk the loss or severe damage of the Grand Fleet in a first-class action. He points out that the Grand Fleet contained practically the whole of the capital ships of the navy. There was no possibility of replacing it. In the central position with that of Nelson before Trafalgar, who had with him only a small proportion of our total naval force. Moreover, the command of the sea was of considerable importance, and was absent in Nelson's epoch. That admiral could rely on a straight fight with guns only. Lord Jellicoe had therefore worked out in his mind a certain scheme for adoption in the case of a destroyer attack and had submitted it to the Admiralty, where it had received complete approval. He goes on to explain that our rather heavy loss in battle cruisers during the action was due to the inadequate armored protection of these ships as compared with German vessels of the same class. We had gone in for greater gun power at the expense of protection. Our disadvantage in protective armor extended to under-water armor, with the result that ships mined or torpedoed rarely escaped. The whole was due, according to Lord Jellicoe, not to mistakes on the part of our designers, but to inadequate dock accommodations during the early dreadnought period, which led to an attempt to reduce displacement.

Lord Jellicoe devotes three chapters to a description of the action at Jutland, and an account from the pen of the man in control of the central fleet is obviously more authoritative than any previously published. It is, however, impossible to follow him through the details of the extraordinary point of Lord Jellicoe's description is that whereas there was never any misgiving as to the result of a gun duel between the two fleets the effect of a torpedo attack was always an unknown quantity.

As ships steaming in line provided a favorable target, any threat of such an onslaught by destroyers or other vessels had to be met by a turn toward or away from the enemy on the part of all ships in the line. It would appear that after touch had been established with the German fleet in the evening, the latter took advantage of one of those partial turns of our vessels to turn directly away and to draw out of sight in the falling light. After night fell Admiral Jellicoe steered on a southerly course, being then between the enemy and his base, in the hope of keeping in that position and of renewing the action at dawn. This opportunity was, however, denied to our forces, as the enemy slipped behind his minefields in the early morning.

Feared for His Ships.

In his reflections on the battle Lord Jellicoe again lays stress on the anxiety he felt about a possible destroyer attack on his capital ships. The element of luck in such an attack and the superiority of the Germans in large destroyers made this the one doubtful point in his calculations. He had given much thought to the matter during the month preceding the action, and had discussed it with his staff and subordinates, but only battle experience could provide the necessary data on which tactics could be based. When the destroyer attack developed he put into practice the theory worked out by himself and approved by the Admiralty. The enemy seized the opportunity to disengage, and when morning came it had escaped. But the fruits of victory had been reaped. The enemy never risked another action; according to their own statement, by Captain Perle, this one battle had been sufficient to make another out of the question.

Lord Jellicoe concluded with an account of the circumstances of Lord Kitchener's lamentable death, caused by a mine field laid by a submarine, and with his efforts to meet the submarine menace as a whole. How successful he was in this task the country is only now, as facts leak out, beginning to realize.

**PRE-JULY THIRSTS
REDUCING SURPLUS
WHISKEY STOCK**

Only 50,000,000 Gallons Will be in Bonded Warehouses When Drought Starts at Present Rate.

Washington, March 15.—National prohibition next July 1 will find only about 50,000,000 gallons of liquor in bonded warehouses, barred from disposition for beverage purposes, if the present demand for whiskey continues during intervening months. Officials who have observed the effect of high taxes in the past believe, however, that withdrawals from bond will decrease under the new revenue law, and that between 60,000,000 and 70,

000,000 gallons will be left in warehouses July 1.

It is conceded that it is impossible to foresee the effect of approaching prohibition on the demand for liquor to be stored away by consumers, and officials say a big movement of buying even under the increased tax may develop and leave the quantity of liquor left in bond smaller than the advance estimates.

The estimates do not take into consideration liquor which may be stored in cellars or attics of prospective consumers. Nor do they include any stocks which wholesalers or retail dealers may not sell before the prohibition wave catches them. These are not measurable by any official reports. Revenue bureau officials calculate that at present bonded warehouses connected with distilleries, but under lock and key of government agents, hold less than 40,000,000 of the 200,000,000 gallons in stock when manufacture ceased September 9, 1917, under the food conservation act. Withdrawals in January and February have been less than the 10,000,000 or more gallons in December, according to indications based on preliminary reports from revenue agents.

On January 1, 112,000,000 gallons of distilled spirits were reported in bond, including 6,600,000 gallons not available for beverage purposes. About 15 per cent of those figures must be deducted as allowance for leakage and evaporation from barrels. On December 1, the latest date for which itemized figures are available, the stock of distilled spirits in bond was distributed, as follows: Whiskey, 108,848,000 gallons; rum, 606,000; gin, 2,338,000; alcohol, 5,760,000; refined alcohol or "high wines," 3,744,000, and brandy, 2,215,000.

Demand Jumps Suddenly.

The normal rate of demand, measured by withdrawal from bond, had been between 4,500,000 and 5,500,000 gallons a month until last October, when withdrawals jumped to 8,358,000. In November they were 9,597,000, and in December it is estimated they ran over 10,000,000 gallons, while in January and February indications are that the demand probably was nearer 9,000,000 gallons. Most of this liquor was taxed when taken out of the bonded warehouse at the rate of \$3.20 a gallon. Under the new revenue act the rate is doubled, amounting to \$6.40. Consequently, the increase amounts to \$3.20 a gallon, or 80 cents a quart, and the aggregate tax per quart is \$1.60.

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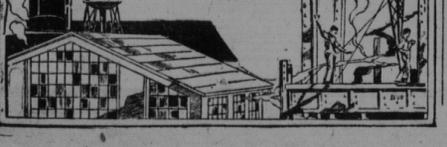


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"When you were as young as I, Aunt Margaret, there wasn't any Cream of the West Flour."

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ST. JOHN

The event of the week from a point of view of general social interest was the St. Patrick's tea at the Studio, Germain street, given by the Royal Standard...

The engagement is announced of Lady Blanche Cavendish, the second daughter of Their Excellencies, the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire to Captain Ivan Cobbold of the Strath...

Miss Edith Skinner entertained at the tea hour on Saturday at the family residence, Coburg street. At the party arranged tea table Mrs. Frank S. White presided...

Mrs. L. W. Barker gave an enjoyable tea at the Green Lantern on Saturday in honor of Lieut. H. Barker, who returned last week from overseas...

Mrs. J. M. Robinson gave an enjoyable luncheon at her residence, Rothersey, on Wednesday, in honor of Mrs. James Boucher of London, Ontario...

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Mrs. Vassie is entertaining at luncheon at the Green Lantern today.

On Tuesday evening at the family residence, Seely street, Miss Alice Young entertained at an enjoyable dancing party. Among the guests were Miss Freda Davidson, Campbell street, Miss Amber Teed, Miss Marjorie Russell, Miss Elsie Neville, the Misses Marjorie and Mary Robertson, Miss Dorothy Love, Miss Evelyn Currie, Miss Lou McDiarmid, Miss Marion Terry, Miss Frances McInerney, Miss Loraine Evans, Miss Freda Davis, Miss Alice Hayes, Miss M. Wisely, Miss Marjorie Robinson, Miss H. Fleming, Miss Mildred Carter, Lt. Reginald Dean, Mr. Hugh Gregory, Mr. Edwin Armstrong, Mr. Roy Lewis, Mr. Stanley Rankine, Mr. John Gifford, Mr. Lee Waring, Mr. Arthur Schofield, Mr. D. Humphrey, Mr. Don Armstrong, Mr. John Russell, Mr. Reginald Barbour, Mr. Harold James, Mr. Currie and Mr. Lloyd Ryan.

Mrs. Stuart C. Mitchell, Mecklenburg street, entertained informally at bridge on Monday evening.

Mrs. Le Mesurier was hostess at the tea hour on Saturday at the Sign of the Lantern, Germain street, including among the guests were Mrs. Roland H. L. Skinner, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Kilian, Mrs. S. S. McAvity, Mrs. Frank Munnell, Mrs. H. L. Abramson, Mrs. Percy, Mrs. T. W. A. Plinston, Mrs. Hedley V. MacKinnon, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Eustace Barnes, Miss Barnes and Miss Elsie Hanford.

General Macdonnell entertained on Thursday evening at dinner at the La Tour Apartments.

That Mrs. John Sealy has consented to repeat her most interesting illustrated lecture, "The Near East," in the Centenary school room in the near future is a source of pleasure to those who were unable to avail themselves of an opportunity to hear Mrs. Sealy's address on a former occasion.

Capt. Irwin left on Monday evening for Toronto after having spent several weeks of the winter at Mrs. F. P. Starr, Carleton street.

News of the continued improvement in the condition of Major Roderick MacLachlan is received by his many friends. He is expected to return to W. A. MacLachlan is a guest at the Patricia, 45 Metcalf street, Montreal.

Mrs. Frank Allison has returned from England and is visiting his mother, Mrs. F. O. Allison, Garden street.

Miss Marjorie Smith, superintendent of York Hospital, Pennsylvania, and her secretary, Miss Jacobs, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. Neve of West St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron expect to sail from England for Canada on March 22nd to visit Mrs. Cameron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Macaulay, Mecklenburg street.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mullin and children have taken a suite at the La Tour Apartments.

Mrs. A. S. Creighton entertained at her residence, Germain street, on Monday evening. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sayre, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Adams, Mrs. George K. McLeod, Mrs. Bushy and Mrs. Charles Coster.

Miss White, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. V. MacKinnon at the La Tour, has returned to her home in Sussex.

Mr. Shirley Peters has returned from a pleasant visit to Pinehurst, N. C.

Mrs. Eustace Barnes entertaining a few friends at the tea hour on Tuesday at her apartments at the La Tour.

Mrs. Frank T. White expects to leave on Thursday next week for Saratoga, N. Y., to accompany Mr. White to St. John. Mr. White's many friends here are delighted to hear of the continued improvement in his condition.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Elkin, Douglas Avenue, left this week for Boston on a short pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Logan and little son left on Monday for Montreal.

Miss Edith Hogan is spending a few days in Ottawa.

Mrs. George Robertson, who has been a guest at the La Tour, left this week for Montreal to visit her son.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fleming arrived home from Montreal on Wednesday. Mrs. Fleming has been the guest for three weeks to visit friends at Fish, Sherbrooke street, Montreal.

Mrs. Percy McAvity has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Ottawa and Toronto.

Mrs. Frank Elkin left on Wednesday evening for Boston to visit friends.

Mr. George McAvity left this week for Charleston to join Mrs. McAvity and Miss Rosemond McAvity, who

have been spending the winter in the south.

Mrs. T. William Barnes, Hampton, spent a few days this week the guest of Mrs. Walter Gilbert, Charlottetown street.

Mrs. Warren Winslow is a guest at the La Tour Apartments.

ROTHESAY

Rothersey, March 21.—Several members of the Canadian Club are in St. John tonight hearing the lecture given by Dr. Marjory and Harold, expert authority on the subject of aviation and wireless telegraph. Rev. Canon Daniel and Rev. W. R. Hibbard are among the number.

The Red Cross circulating library is now in charge of the I.O.D.E. Chapter representatives of which will be at the Sunday school house every Monday and Friday afternoons, from 4:30 to 5:30 o'clock, for the giving out or exchange of books.

That Mrs. Beverly H. Armstrong and her two children expect soon to sail for Wales, will be interesting news to many Rothersey friends. They go to visit Mrs. Armstrong's parents. Dinner guests of the Misses Gilbert on Wednesday evening were Judge and Mrs. George Gilbert of Bathurst, Mrs. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gilbert of St. John.

Mrs. J. Roydon Thomson is on a short visit to hear River this week, expecting to be home again before Sunday.

The Misses Fairweather and Mr. J. H. A. L. Fairweather entertained informally at bridge on Tuesday evening. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. John M. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Drink, Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Fairweather.

Mrs. Oliver R. Peters has been enjoying a visit from her father, Mr. George E. Corbett, who returned home to Annapolis Royal, N. S., on Tuesday.

Over the last week-end Miss Beardsley of St. John, was guest of Mrs. C. W. McKee at Riverside.

Mrs. Harold Ellis, who with her two children, Marjory and Harold, spent seven weeks at the home of her parents, Montreal, has returned to Rothersey. She is expected to return home after a week's visit to Montreal.

At the week night lenten service in St. Paul's last week, Rev. H. A. Cady was the preacher, and this week Rev. R. T. McKim preached. The visitors were guests at the rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Robertson left for Montreal Monday on a trip to Charleston, South Carolina. On the way they expect to make a short visit both at Boston and New York.

On Tuesday John M. Robinson had as luncheon guests Mrs. Leonard Tyler of St. John, and her sister, Mrs. Buncher of London, Ont.; Mrs. Harry Robinson, Mrs. Helen Barker, Mrs. J. Lee Day, Miss Puddington and Mrs. Walter E. Foster.

Several friends who knew Miss Marjory Mowatt when as a little girl she resided here with her parents, went to St. John, West Side, this afternoon, hoping to see her on her arrival from England, and before leaving for her home in British Columbia.

Members of the Duke of Rothersey Chapter, I.O.D.E., having decided to hold a sale of useful and fancy articles, candy, ice cream and afternoon tea on either the Wednesday or Saturday afternoon of the present week, in April, are working to make it attractive and successful. Mrs. H. F. Puddington convener of the fancy work department had a meeting at her home last Thursday and Mrs. W. S. Allison invited the members to her residence to sew on Wednesday this evening. Tea was served on both occasions, also some pretty articles made.

Mrs. Joseph Prichard of St. John, Wednesday with Mrs. Walter Fleming at Riverside.

At the tea hour on Tuesday, Mrs. Roydon Thomson's guests were Miss Gannon, Miss Pitcher, Miss Stoddard, Miss Gillies, Miss Fraser, Miss Lila Foster, Miss Cummings, Mrs. Fred Crosby, Mrs. Alex. Gray, Miss Alice Davidson, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. W. J. Starr, Mrs. John Belyea, Mrs. Hugh Campbell.

Mrs. A. C. Skelton was over last week-end, guest at the Kennedy House.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster, who motored from St. John on Sunday and had tea, were Mr. and Mrs. F. Lawton Foster, Miss Lou Robinson, Miss Mary White and Lieutenant Harry Barker.

The study of the book "Jesus Christ and the World's Religions," was begun on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. J. Davidson, who is leader of the class, which meets fortnightly and should be largely attended.

Miss Louise Purvis of St. Andrews, was guest of Mrs. Fred Foster over last Sunday.

Also for the week-end Mrs. George McKinnon of St. John, was guest of Mrs. George McArthur at Riverside.

A bridge and dance was enjoyed on Friday evening at Renforth. Mrs. Price, Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. Anderson being the hostesses.

Friends are delighted to hear that the two and a half year daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morton of Renforth, is recovering from a very serious attack of pneumonia.

Miss Christie, who has been here visiting her niece, Mrs. Fred Foster, returned to Renforth on Tuesday. The Reading Club had a "sonnet evening" at the home of Mrs. and Miss Davidson on Thursday, favorite sonnets were brought and read by different members and greatly enjoyed. The next poem to be taken up by the club is Robert Browning's "The Ring and the Book."

The tea and pantry sale to be held in St. Paul's church Sunday School house tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, is sure to be a great success, being conducted by the new branch of the Woman's Auxiliary St. Paul's 2nd Senior Branch.

See the great exhibition direct from London. Captured German Guns; Hand-painted Canadian Official War Photos; music, and other attractions. Get your tickets from the Boy Scout's TO-DAY. See page 8.

APOHAQUI

Apoahqui, March 21.—The annual mite box opening and entertainment of the Mission Band, took place in the Baptist Church on Wednesday evening. The Supr. Mrs. Murray Giehrst, presided and a very pleasing programme was given by the members.

During the evening the mite boxes were opened and the contents amounted to \$17.25, the birthday box \$1.63 and the evening offering \$6.90, making a total of \$25.77.

Capt. H. D. Titus of Moosejaw, Sask., is paying a visit to his native county and will be the guest of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Titus and his brother, Capt. M. P. Titus and Mrs. Titus at their residence here, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Doherty will remove to Riverside to make their home early next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilly Gannon and Miss Gannon were week-end guests of relatives at Carville.

Miss Edna Burnett of Bloomfield, spent part of last week with Mrs. M. P. Titus.

Mrs. Harley S. Jones spent the week-end in Moncton, guest of her brother, Dr. S. W. Burgess and Mrs. Burgess.

Mrs. I. D. Pearson spent the early part of the week with friends at Lower Millstream.

Largely through the efforts of the teaching staff of the Lower Millstream School, the necessary funds have been procured from the ritzopere to purchase an organ for the use of the school.

The instrument is a piano, cased model of a reliable make and fills a long felt want in the musical attainments of the pupils.

Mrs. Frank Melin is a guest of Mrs. Edmund Puddington.

Friends of Mr. Geo. W. McLeod are pleased to see him out again after his recent illness, but regret to know that Mrs. McLeod and William McLeod are still indisposed.

Miss Ella Freeze, professional nurse, is caring for them.

Mrs. Herbert S. Jones and Master Claire Jones, were guests on Saturday of Mayor and Mrs. Jones Sussex.

A very delightful pie-supper was held in the Lower Millstream Hall, which proved a financial success as well as a social one, the sum of \$75 was taken in, which will be utilized in making some necessary repairs to the hall.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Crothers in the death of their little son, which occurred last week.

Lieut. Guy Patterson, who has recently returned from France, is the guest of his uncle, J. E. McAuley and Mrs. McAuley at their home in Lower Millstream.

J. L. McAuley returned to Moncton on Monday after spending the week-end at his home.

ST. GEORGE

St. George, March 21.—Miss Edna Brown of St. John, is enjoying a week at her home here.

Mr. Edward McHugh of Boston, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Ellen McHugh.

Misses Laura and Ethel Mooney enjoyed a visit with friends in Calais this week.

A number of friends gave a surprise party in honor of Miss Mae Epps at her home on Monday evening. The invited guests were Misses Gertrude Wallace, Ethel Clinch, Laura Mooney, Ethel Mooney, Evelyn Clinch, Grace Doyle, Helen McMullin, Zena Cawley, Laura McMillin, Beatrice Campbell, Laura Meating, Edna O'Brien, Messrs. Arthur Johnson, Mr. Emerson, Frank Chaffey, James Chaffey, Marion Chase, Colin Spear, Beverly Peeney, Ralph Doyle, Charles Cawley, Herman Spofford and Guy Bradshaw. A very enjoyable evening was spent with dancing, music and other resorts of amusement.

Mrs. Cecil Orr of Bonny River, was a recent guest of Mrs. Jack McGrath.

Miss Zena Cawley is visiting her home in Pennfield.

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Exceptionally smart are these new Dresses of Taffeta. One lovely little dress is of Saxe Taffeta, made with Apron front, hand embroidered in sand silk, round neck, cowl collar, fancy set on pockets, and wide girle sash with tie at back. Also Navy and Saxe Taffeta, trimmed large plaids and buttons.

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Mr. John Humphrey and daughter, Miss Edna Humphrey, were here for the week-end, guests at the Ford Hotel.

Mrs. H. H. Johnson is visiting friends in different parts of Nova Scotia.

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Mrs. Collins of St. John, is visiting her sisters, the Misses Sarah and Emma Duncan.

Miss Mollie Pickard and her cousin, Miss Alice Pickard, left Tuesday for Montreal, where they will take up nursing at the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Judge and Mrs. A. W. Bennett were last and loudest at a very enjoyable dinner party on Saturday evening. The guests included Ex-Gov. and Mrs. J. H. Borden, Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Borden, Prof. and Mrs. DesBarres and Prof. and Mrs. Hinton.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Triton on the birth of a son, March 14th.

Mrs. W. T. Wood, who has recently returned from England, with her husband, Capt. W. T. Wood, received for the first time since her marriage, at the home of Mrs. Josiah Wood, on Thursday afternoon and evening of last week. The drawing rooms were artistically decorated with palms, ferns and carnations during the afternoon piano solos were rendered by Mrs. N. Duncan and Miss Giles of Mount Allison Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. Wood, wearing a smart brown georgette and satin gown, was assisted in receiving by her husband's mother, Mrs. Josiah Wood, who wore a handsome black georgette costume. In the dining room the handsomely appointed tea table which was covered with daffodils, was presided over by Mrs. H. B. Bigelow. Assisting with the refreshments were Mrs. Maurice Fisher, Mrs. J. Edgar March, Miss Gladys Borden and Miss Edith Hinton. Mrs. Wood was assisted in receiving by her husband, Capt. W. T. Wood, presided at the tea table and had as assistants Mrs. D. S. Campbell and Miss Margaret Bland. Mrs. H. B. Wood cut the loaves and Mrs. H. B. Bigelow ushered.

A delightful programme of music was furnished by a stringed orchestra composed of Misses Miller, Rand, Boutlier and Mayor Wood, with Miss Gertrude Borden accompanying.

Miss Vera Ferguson of Amherst, spent the week-end here, guest of the Misses Henderson.

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couple of tables of bridge on Tuesday
afternoon in Black Hall, at the
Chapman of Moncton. The prize was
won by Miss Tweedie. The guests in-

cluded Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Freeman-
Lake, Miss Lou Ford, Mrs. H. E.
Fawcett, Miss Tweedie, Mrs. V.
Bennett, Mrs. B. Duncan and Mrs.
Herbert Read.

Miss Mabel guest left Friday for Am-
herst, where she will spend some time,
the guest of her brother, Mr. James
Read.

Mr. William Campbell was hostess
at a very enjoyable dinner party on
Thursday evening.

Mr. Mottimer H. Smith has returned
from a trip to Kentville and Hal-
ifax.

Rev. J. B. Merrill and family were
the guests of Prof. and Mrs. H. W.
McKillop on Sunday.

Mrs. Henniger, Miss Alice Hart,
Mrs. C. J. Mercer and Mrs. Robt.
Duncan were among the visitors in
Amherst on Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Turner entertained a few
friends very pleasantly on Tuesday
evening, in honor of her sister, Mrs.
Rev. Mr. Green's sermon in the morn-
ing, especially was dignified, im-
pressive and inspiring and after the
service many favorable comments
were heard regarding it. The music
at this service was also worthy of
special mention. In the evening Rev.
Mr. Green spoke particularly to the at-
tention of Mount Allison institutions.

Miss Minnie Miller, assistant violin
inspector at Mount Allison Conserva-
tory, spent Sunday in Amherst. Miss
Miller played in the evening at the
services in Trinity Methodist Church.

Mrs. J. L. Dixon is spending a few
days in Moncton, guest of her sister,
Mrs. J. P. Avery, 85 Cameron street.

A very successful ban supper and
fancy sale was held in the basement
of the Baptist Church Saturday after-
noon and evening. The interior of
the room was attractively decorated
in green and white and the tables
looked especially attractive. A large
number attended the supper, which
was under the auspices of the Young
Ladies' Bible Class. The sale of fancy
articles was held by the sewing circle
in the afternoon. The proceeds amount-
ed to about \$150.00.

Mrs. A. G. Miller, Mrs. E. Hazen
and Mrs. M. H. Smith spent Satur-
day in Amherst.

Mr. D. Baird has returned to his
home in Moncton, after spending a
short time here, guest of his brother,
Col. J. M. Baird.

Miss Eleanor Sutherland of Amherst,
is visiting at the home of her
cousin, Miss Muriel Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashby George enter-
tained informally on Friday evening,
when a large number of friends en-
joyed their hospitality.

Mrs. C. Fred Ayer entertained on
Saturday evening, when those present
were Mr. and Mrs. William Camp-
bell, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Campbell,
Mr. and Mrs. R. Grey Prescott,
Misses Al and Helen Smith and
Messrs James and Chapman Smith.

Miss Sarah Smith of Moncton, is
the guest of Mrs. Chalmers Hicks,
Middle Sackville.

Mrs. S. W. Hulton has returned
from a trip to St. John. She stopped
off at River Glade and spent a few
days with her daughter, Miss Dorothy
Hulton, who is on the staff of the
Sanitorium.

WOODSTOCK
Woodstock, March 21.—Lieutenant
Woodford attended the auto show
held at Fort Fairfield last week.

Mr. Thomas Gabel of the Fisher
Memorial Hospital staff, is quite ill
with pneumonia.

Mr. Joe J. Bradley, who has been
ill with influenza for the past three
weeks, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Simms and Mas-
ter Graham spent the week-end at
Harvard.

Miss Agnes Gallagher has returned
from a trip to Boston and New York.
Dr. A. Ross Currie has returned
from overseas service.

Mr. and Mrs. John McElwaine,
who have been the guests of Dr. and
Mrs. A. H. Prescott for the past
two weeks, returned to Carleton this
week.

Miss Margaret Cowan spent last
week at Presque Isle.

Mr. G. W. Upland, Odell, spent the
week-end with his family in town.

Gibson Fleming and Jack Chan-
der were recent visitors to St. Ste-
phen.

Miss Alice Nell is visiting Frederic-
ton friends.

Miss Kathleen Lyott is the guest of
her sister, Mrs. Carl Rhodes Douglas,
Bangor, Me.

Mrs. E. L. Roddick of Fort Fair-
field is the guest of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. William Stevens.

Mrs. E. J. Mahoney arrived here
Wednesday from Sydney, C. B., and
left on the evening train for Ottawa.

Rev. J. C. Stevens of Centreville
were visitors in town last week.

Sergt. Raymond Jones and Wilfred
Hand were in Fredericton last week
called there by the Military authori-
ties. They are anxiously awaiting
their discharge.

Hon. J. K. Fleming, Mrs. Fleming
and their daughter, Mrs. M. H.
Stairs are spending a month or more
at the home of Mr. Fleming in New
York. Hon. Mr. Fleming is under
the doctor's care on account of the
recurrence of his old trouble,
anemia, and has hope that he will
recover his health there, as he has on
former occasions.

Mr. F. S. Wilbur of Crossman,
Sask., spent Wednesday and Thursday
in town visiting old friends.

Mr. R. P. Hartley and Mr. J. S.
Leighton were in Fredericton, on busi-
ness last week.

The death took place at Grand Falls
on Wednesday last week, after an
illness of a week, of Capt. Robert J. A.
Patrick, for many years Customs Offi-
cer, Debec. He is survived by his
wife and six sons, Dr. Ernest of Cross-
man, Sask.; Clifford in Alberta; Mark
J. G., overseas; Archibald, manager
of the Bank of Montreal in Hal-
bury, Ont.; Dr. Clarence and Elder,
with her sister, Mrs. Octave Lavoie,
Master Bernard Lavoie accompanied
her.

Mr. Edward Deming has returned
from Presque Isle, where she was the
guest of Mrs. Geo. Simpson.

Mrs. Charles Whitaker is visiting
friends in St. John, after returning
in Fredericton, before returning to
Woodstock.

Mrs. Ernest Brewer of Houlton, Me.,
received a telegram Friday, con-
taining the sad news of the death of
her husband, who was with the U. S.
Army. Mrs. Brewer was formerly Miss
Ida J. W. of Moncton, and has re-
cently visited Woodstock, where she
has many friends who sympathize with
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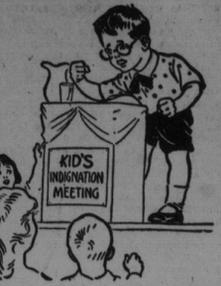
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Mr. and Mrs. Jessie C. Guphill of
G and Mann, were registered at the
Queen on Monday this week. Mr. and
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WORDS OF PRAISE FOR BABY'S OWN TABLETS

No medicine receives such great
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Baby's Own Tablets. Once a moth-
er has used them for her little ones
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They regulate the bowels and
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Our tongues turn white, our stomachs and bowels constipate...



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Motto: Kindly Deeds Make Happy Lives

WEEKLY CHAT.

Boys and Girls—After all the warm rains of the last few days Mother Nature should be thinking seriously of taking away her white carpet from off the earth...

ANSWERS TO LETTERS

GERALD HOLLAND, Back Bay—Am glad you are showing your interest in our contest and also in our Children's Corner.

I am still pleased with the great interest taken in our contest and as usual have a few remarks to make. Now that the list of buds has been nearly completed I trust little folks are not expecting to win prizes by sending the leaves which will in short time appear from those buds...

WALTER GOGGIN—After the long silence, your letter arrived just a little late for last week's page, and unfortunately all your "signs" were listed in that edition of our Corner. Hope for better luck next time.

Don't forget that good contributions to our puzzle column and to our stories are always welcome. There is another little matter which I must remind the members of, and that is that our rate is all written and closed up by Thursday mornings...

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS To the members who have a birthday during the coming week we wish them a happy day.

In reading a paper for boys the other day I came across something which I thought might be good for any boy to read, so am going to put it right in today's chat in case some of our own fellows need a little "work" at themselves.

SMILE KIDDIES, SMILE Denied, But—A gentleman tells how, when, as a boy, he was spending a holiday in Scotland...

"The boy is not worth anything if he is not efficient," wrote Roosevelt in a message to the boys of America which has been called "Boys' Life." I have no use for molly-coddles...

UNCLE DICK. Took the Hint. A hungry young eyelid had put up for the night at a wayside inn, and found the supper rather scanty...

Try These Tongue-Twisters. A good one to start with is, "What a pity poor Peter pecked pretty Polly's pies!"

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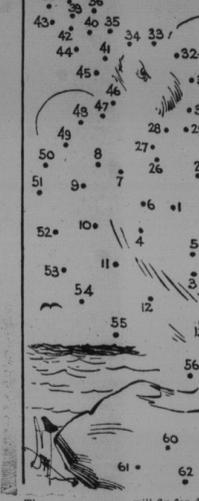


CHILDREN'S CORNER

Fugitives in Peril

(Continued from last week.) The soldier leapt backward, staggered, tripped, and fell, and so sudden was the dash of the fugitives that the rest of the dragons, stationed as they were around the granary, had no time for combined action.

THE DOT PUZZLE



The will fly for days without a rest, my history says. Complete the picture by drawing a line through the dots beginning at figure 1 and taking them numerically.

JIMMY COON STORIES

By Dr. Warren G. Partridge

JIMMY COON ON A VISIT TO THE HOME OF CARRIE COON. That was a visit that Jimmy Coon never forgot, when Mr. and Mrs. Coon invited Jimmy Coon to their guest in their lovely southern home in the big Sycamore tree, because he had been a hero, and saved their eldest daughter from a terrible death.

CAN ANIMALS THINK?

Opinions differ on the question whether animals can reason, but it is certain that some of them act as though they had the intelligence of human beings. Like for example, the case of a dog which sells newspapers for its master, a newsboy in the American city of Boston...

A Regular Saturday Page for the Kiddies

PUZZLES.

Punctuation Puzzle.

(From Jolly Book of Funecraft, by Patten Board, Published by Frederick A. Stokes Co., N. Y.) NO. 1—A funny old man told this to me I fell in a snowdrift in June said he I went to a ball game out in the sea I saw a jelly fish float up in a tree I found some gum in a cup of tea I stirred my milk with a big brass key

ANSWERS TO PUZZLE

NO. 1—S O P A O V E R F E T H A R T S NO. 2—Blight, Flight, Light, Right, Sight, Sligh. NO. 3—The mouse brought out its own two ears when coming out. So it took fifty days to empty the box.

Word Square.

1, a month; 2, certain; 3, rustic; 4, to move slowly on hands and knees; 5, a common word of exaltation. J. Ensign.

Word Diamond.

1, a consonant; 2, to end life; 3, a good book; 4, a deer; 5, a vowel.

RIDDLES

Riddles Sent in by Edna M. Dibbles. 1.—What game do the waves play at? 2.—Of what color is the grass when it is covered with snow? 3.—What is that which never asks questions, yet requires many answers?

LUMINOUS DIAL WATCH

Shows time clearly day or night. The very newest thing—You'll be proud to show this watch to your friends. The works are fully guaranteed for 6 years. The nickel case is strong, very neat and polished like a mirror.

Talking-Crying Doll GIVEN AWAY

She laughs and cries, says "Papa and mama," and she can stand alone. This wonderful, most lovable little lady you ever saw. And won't your little friends open their eyes when they hear her piping little voice?

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PRIZES GIVEN FOR BEST LETTERS. The handiest little typewriter you ever saw. Use it for writing letters, cards, programmes, etc. Does the same work as a big machine. Has letters, numbers and punctuation marks, new style roller feed and is self-inking and spacing.

"Sign of Spring Contest"



Name of Specimen Date found Sent in by Address Age and Birthday This week's offering to our contest was not as large as last week's, which goes to show that too trees are pretty well listed and the ground signs have not become so evident. As stated in the Chat the members will please not send the leaves belonging to the wild flowers, but wait until the blossoms themselves appear. The prize winners of Thrift Stamps for this week are as follows: Round berry and birch—Gerald Holland, Back Bay, Char. Co. Whitewood—William Pierce, Bloomfield St.

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- WANTED**—Second or Third Class Male or Female teacher for District No. 11, Parish of Havelock, County of Kings, to take charge of school for balance of term. Apply stating salary to James P. Jackson, secretary, Butterfield Ridge, Kings County, N. B. R. R. No. 2.
- WANTED AT ONCE**—Elevator girl. Apply Standard office.
- Experienced general servant for small family. Must have references. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. Sparrow at cottage, St. John County Hospital, Telephone M-1481.
- Good working housekeeper for small family. Must have references. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. Sparrow at cottage, St. John County Hospital, Telephone M-1481.
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- MESENGER WANTED.**
 Boy wanted to act as messenger between Standard and Telegraph newspaper offices at night. Hours, seven p.m. till three a.m. Apply to The Telegraph.
- WANTED**—Married couple for up-to-date dairy farm. Husband to work on farm, wife to work in house; pay \$45 per month including. Apply Box 9 care Standard.
- WANTED**—Maid for general housework. Apply Mrs. F. W. Daniel, 116 Wentworth street.
- WANTED**—A second or third class female teacher for District No. 17, District rated poor. Apply, stating salary, to Albert E. Gerstade, Secretary, Starkey's, Queens Co., N.B.
- MEN**—Age 17 to 65. Experience unnecessary. Travel; make secret investigations, reports, etc. Expenses. American Foreign Detective Agency, 728, St. Louis, Mo.

MALE HELP WANTED

PEACE WORK at war pay guaranteed for three years. Knit urgently needed socks for us on the fast, simple Auto Knitter. Full particulars today. Stamp. Auto Knitter Co., Dept. 560, 607 College Street, Toronto.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given by the City of Saint John that at a meeting of the Common Council of the said City, held on the eighteenth day of March, A. D. 1919, the following resolution was unanimously adopted, namely:

Resolved, That the paving of that portion of Prince William street from Princess street to St. Edward's street is necessary, and that in the public interest such paving should be done;

Further Resolved, that the Common Clerk publish a notice of the passing of this resolution, and also an estimate of approximate cost per lineal foot of such paving, as required under section 1, sub-section (d) of the Act of Assembly 7, Edward VII, Chapter 87, intitled "An Act relating to the paving of streets in the City of Saint John"; Estimated cost \$23,540.00.

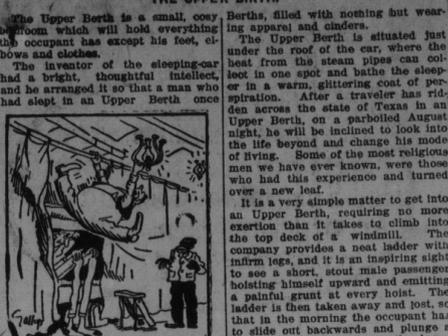
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AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that after publication of this Notice as required by the said Act, the City may proceed to perform the work of paving the portion of street mentioned in the said resolution, unless within one month after such publication of this notice a petition against the same being done is presented to the City by the owners representing more than one-third the lineal feet of the real and rateable frontage on the sidewalk of the street or portion of street so proposed to be paved.

Dated this nineteenth day of March, A. D. 1919.

ROBERT T. HAYES, Mayor.
 HERBERT E. WARDROP, Common Clerk.

RANN-DOM REELS
 BY HOWARD L. RANN
 THE UPPER BIRTH.



The Upper Birth is a small, cozy bedroom which will hold everything the occupant has except his feet, clothes and clothes.

The inventor of the sleeping-car had a bright, thoughtful intellect, and he arranged it so that a man who had slept in an Upper Birth once would not want to sleep in any other.

SIR DAVID BEATTY

I'm only a lubberly dry-land sailor
 ((Eave up the Capstan and chop down the Log!))
 I know no more of the sea than a tall-
 or
 ((Pipe all 'ands an' sarve out the grog!))
 But 'ere is a song about the Navy,
 Concerning an admiral who by gravity
 is Nelsing's successor; I call 'im
 Davy—
 ((Who grudges the son is a dirty dog!))

To collar the German fleet was 'is
 'obby,
 An' take 'im in custody, same as a
 'obby;
 So 'e done wot 'e said an' 'e done it
 fally,
 An' the 'Uns the seas no more will
 sully,
 For Davy 'as dropped it across the
 bully—
 ((Pipe all 'ands an' sarve the grog!))

At Jutland, afore, 'e nearly nabbed 'im,
 But Fate proved a beast an' the pitee
 'e crabbid it;
 An' the German ships to port went
 slinkin',
 'Cept them Dave 'andled, which they was
 drinkin'
 Huge swipes o' the grey North Sea,
 'e sinkin'
 ((Who grudges this song is a dirty
 dog!))

But the long, long vigil at last was
 ended,
 The 'Uns, in an 'ole, saw it couldn't
 be mended;
 They put up their thumbs—you are
 'right, they wot 'right—
 An' they wot 'right "Kamerad!" and
 looked quite shirty,
 'Aquotin' some poetry written by
 "Gertie"—
 ((Eave up the Capstan and chop
 down the Log!))

So David 'e sails aboard o' the "Liz-
 ie,"
 An' sez, "We're goin' to be fairly busy;
 The 'Un 'I surrender—that's all very
 well,
 But 'ave the guns loaded, me lads,
 with shell.

**How Do You Suppose the Fuel Board's Gas Saving Plan Struck the Bird
 Who Used to Act Like T his?**



THE EVENING STORY

"WHY DOESN'T HE PROPOSE?"

The Girl Who Used To Be Giddy
 By Frances McDonald.

Has the only boy in the world, after months of courtship and devotion and duly gone cold for no reason at all and left you wondering what on earth made the change? If so your case is no doubt identical with that of a dear girl who writes me that her "heart is aching" to see a certain boy who has come back from France badly wounded—but she fears he might not care to see her as it was her "giddiness" which drove his love away. So she asks "Don't you think I might send him a little note to the hospital and let him do the rest?" Do the rest! Dear little girl do not wait for the boy to "do the rest." Badly wounded soldiers are by no means aggressive lovers. Of all the hearts in the world in need of love—that of the boy who has come back disabled is at least to voice that need. I do not believe that this boy with the unhealed wound in his body and the unhealed heart in his heart would be in a mood to "do the rest."

If he is really badly injured he is depressed. For no matter how brightly these boys may smile at a sight of home, the hour inevitably comes when the world seems a very busy, unhealing sort of place for a fellow strapped to a cot; when visits however frequent, seem all too few; when the future looms very dark and very dark indeed; when eyes which used to be unflinching grow wide and dark with fear—a fear that is only a mental phase, a fear that will pass because it has no real foundation.

But the boy lying there wide-eyed in the dark does not know that. And if I were the boy and at that moment I received a little note from a girl whose "giddiness" had once hurt me deeply, I think that I would simply shut my eyes and groan and remember some of the wicked, cruel things she had done to me, and I would imagine that now she was going to plan some more things like that to do, and I would groan again and wish that I had stayed in France.

No Longer a Silly Empty-Head.

But should I turn some day and see my nurse standing there, and just behind her a little figure once very dear; a little face once very full of tender, wistful joy; a little girl once giddy and cruel and indifferent, now sober and real and sincere; I think that I would say, "God bless the Kaiser" and

RIPPLING RHYMES
 By WALT MASON
 END OF HATING.

My heart is full of joy and mirth, I do not hate a soul on earth.
 Before the armistice was signed, hate of the Teuton filled my mind;
 I hated everything that bore the German trade mark, more and more.
 Alas, the hate I used to feel, before and after every meal! And when
 to bed I journeyed late, I'd be awake, and hate and hate! I thought
 that I should never live to see the time when I'd forgive the cruel
 Hun of evil words, the Bulgars and the bossy Turks. I don't forgive
 them even yet; I don't make any Teut my pet, or carry lilies, pure and
 pale, to any Hun who is in jail. My aunt shall not become the bride of
 any Turk with sallow hide. I'm willing that the Turk and Hun may
 have forgiveness—when it's won; but years must pass in solemn train
 before they can our trust regain. Now I don't hate them any more; I've
 found that hatred is a bore. The tyrant's taken in his sign; he sees his
 way and I go mine; and if I hated him, by day, and hating passed the
 night away, I couldn't add an ounce, or row, to that huge load he's
 bearing now.

HOW TO HAVE A HOME GARDEN

How to Use the Method.
 While the small hotbed is primarily for the use of the home gardener in sowing seeds from which to produce young plants, it is a fact that by a little economy of space it is possible to raise a taste of several of the early succulent vegetables, and at the same time accomplish the original intention. It will astonish the beginner to gradually radiate out from practice just how much stuff can be grown in one winter season in a hotbed six by six feet in size. Realize that that is thirty-six square feet, and that young seeds require, prior to transplanting to the flats of cold-frames (the latter is the better), very little room, as they have scarcely cast off the cotyledonous leaves when it is time to put them elsewhere. This allows of what is otherwise but thought to be crowding, and in the space thus saved can be grown a few very choice radishes and some crisp lettuce, which will taste all the better for being the product of your own handwork, and you very likely will say that none ever tasted as good as yours.

For the hotbed select some of the earliest strains of forcing radishes. There are two kinds generally used for this purpose, the turnip-rooted and the "finger" radishes. The former is the larger red, scarlet turnip, scarlet button, white tip, halstone, new perfection and cardinal globe. Many of the red and white turnip-rooted ones are strains from the old French breakfast, which was a favorite for many years.

If you desire to plant some of the finger or long-rooted radishes, there are some good ones from which to make a selection. There probably has been a choice of radish that is the best white icicle, which is the best long forcing. Other good ones are Wood's early frame, Cincinnati, long cardinal, and long white icicle. When growing this class of radishes you must have in the hotbed a deeper soil than for the turnip-rooted ones. At least seven inches should be used. Sow the seed in drills two to three inches apart, and half an inch deep. In a short time the plants will appear, unless you are not sure of your seed, in which case drop them an inch apart, and thin out when an inch high. It is best to plant the radish in the north side of the hotbed, so as to get

the most of the sunshine. Cover the seeds with a sprinkling of fine soil, and press gently with a piece of board and water well, using a fine nozzle so as not to wash them out of the drills. Give plenty of ventilation, giving them air every day as soon as they show through the top of the soil, excepting when the weather prohibits. Sixty-five degrees in daytime and fifty degrees F. at night are about right for the radish. This relates to sun-dried. They will stand a higher bottom heat—seventy-five for the first week will not hurt.

While the radish is perhaps the choicest vegetable it is possible to grow in the hotbed according to the taste of the knowing gardener, yet the most attractive to most persons is the lettuce, owing to its entrancing appearance. Have you ever seen a hotbed full of lettuce, crisp and green, while standing ankle deep in the snow, with the wind whistling over the landscape? If not, you have cooking one of the most charming sights which can meet the eye of your own enthusiast. Those who have greenhouses can grow the head-lettuce of different kinds, of which there are a number of choice varieties which do well for this purpose. But in the hotbed where every inch of space is at a premium, it is best to grow one of the straight-growing lettuces, of which the Grand Rapids is one that has no superior. This is a selection of the old favorite Simpson, known to your grandmothers. It matures early, can be grown closely, without getting tough, and it requires less attention than any other. This is an item in winter when there may come several days on which it is not safe to open the hotbed. It is also less susceptible to rot and mildew—the handicaps on lettuce growing under glass.

Lettuce should be sown in drills the same as the radish, using plenty of seed, so that they will be half an inch apart, and when they came through the soil thin to an inch and three to two inches when they touch. When these touch, thin out and use the ones removed for salad, and a supply can be had for some time by the thinning process. Lettuce should not be watered except on the morning of a sunny day so that the plants will be dry before night or they may develop rot or mildew. Keep the temperature at 60 degrees at night, and ventilate during all mild days by opening the sash opposite to the direction of the wind. A good day temperature is 60 degrees.

ADVICE TO THE MARRIED

By Aunt Sophie.
 My husband is a lovely man.
 Built somewhat on the noble plan
 Of a big Harlan moving van!
 But he can scold, my husband can!

With this touching verse Mrs. Alicia Artichoke begins her long complaint in a letter I received from her this morning.

I was feeling happy this morning when I blew into the office and opened my letter. I had heard the song of the last Autumn robin, had enjoyed a good breakfast, and was ready for anything that might come along in the way of double or disappointments, but I was not ready, and could never be ready, for a letter so sad as the letter of Mrs. Alicia Artichoke.

Mrs. Artichoke says in this letter that before she married her Henry she had heard him spoken of in the kindest terms by their mutual acquaintances. She was not prepared for the disillusionment she received, and now she says she just doesn't know which way to turn.

Aunt Sophie is used to these yelps. They do not sadden her. Long years of experience have taught her that almost every married woman can find something in the way of a fault, when she begins picking her hubby to bits. But there is something curiously sad about this letter before me.

"Most husbands at least make a bluff at kindness and then," she writes, "but not my Hank. He is about as full of human pity and kindness as a chunk of frozen sandstone. He kicks when I have breakfast early, and he kicks when it is a little late. He never eats lunch when I prepare it, and when I prepare no lunch he says his stomach is rumbling. He is fierce."

"Well, well! It would appear that

Those Mad Wags.
 "Do you want a mauterlist?"
 "Aren't you in the wrong place?"
 "This is a bakeshop."
 "I thought you might need one to attend to the lady-fingers."

ONCE-OVERS

GOOD-BY, MR. GLOOM: COME IN, MISS JOY.

How about it—are you allowing that grouchy feeling in the morning to get a stronger hold on you every year?

Feel pretty good when you wake up, mind and body rested.

No reason in the world why you should not be good natured.

But the habit of being grouchy has become so much a part of you that you greet your family at the morning meal with a frown as black as after dinner coffee, and you are not satisfied till you have found something to complain about.

Get a better grip on yourself.

CLEMENCEAU.

George Clemenceau was born at Foete, in the Department of Vendee, France, in December, 1841. He married an American, but is separated from her. His education was obtained at Nantes. He came to Paris in 1860; resided in the U. S. from 1865 to 1869. He was elected Mayor of Montmartre when the republic was declared, and to the National Assembly; member of Chamber of Deputies 1876-1893, and since 1902; founded La

OUR SHORT STORY

HER MASTERPIECE.

Dardenella Spont was not a brilliant conversationalist, and couldn't see the point of a joke without a complete diagram, and when it came to cooking was simply not there, but she girl could paint!

As today's story opens she is completing her masterpiece. With deft strokes she is applying the finishing touches.

"It will be a triumph, an overwhelming triumph!" she breathed ecstatically. "The great prize shall be mine! A touch or two in the foreground, and it's done."

And she added the touch or two, and although she was her own severest critic, she could not, as she stood off to gaze, find one single flaw.

"Perfect!" she murmured, the thrill

"CAP" STUBBS.



IT TOOK A LOT OF NERVE!



By EDWINA.



THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FACING THE FACTS

By William T. Ellis.
The International Sunday School Lesson for Mar. 23 is "Israel Warned Against Compromise."—Joshua 23:1-24:26.

The first test of intellectual honesty is willingness to face and admit all the facts. Lacking this, a man is a negligible quality. No matter how much he may be able to do, he will not accept any unproved truth. This is the heredity which often parades as orthodoxy. No man is orthodox who goes back on what is true. This pusillanimous course may save him some hard knocks, but it will shrivel up his own soul, which, after all, is the one great disaster most to be feared.

The call of the day is the call to face the facts. Let a man examine himself to see where he stands in all of life's big questions. Stock-taking in character is not so common as in business. Even in the commercial world there is a tendency to be found a man who was not admitted to himself what are the real conditions; he dodges the actualities until, one day, the great crash comes. That sort of self-deceiving temperance always comes up with disaster. One reasonable eye can see many moral catastrophes in life's life that the victims have simply drifted into sleep-wood. Their life was never stored. They had no definite purposes. They simply went along, letting chance winds and currents direct them. Amazingly few persons think things through for themselves, or have a frequent reckoning with their own life.

Stock-Taking in Life.

The wise man occasionally takes time to sit down and cross-examine himself. He does as Israel did, under Joshua's dying instructions, have an understanding as to where he stands. Taking nothing for granted, he retraverses the old ground of first principles. He goes down into life's deep relationships first, he renews

his own character; just what sort of person is he at heart?

Then he sings a song of praise for his physical well-being. It rarely occurs to one to be thankful for good health until it is gone. Home and family are themes for meditations and gratitude; oftentimes a man is so engrossed in making money that he does not find time to entertain the thought that in his wife and children he has a priceless fortune.

A man's neighbors congratulate him when he is promoted to a five thousand dollar job, or when he falls heir to a few thousand dollars. They are not aware of the greater fortunes that come in life's spiritual relationships; nor frequently is the man himself. An intelligent acceptance of the fact that real riches are of the heart, and that life's most important concerns are those which belong in the realm of the spirit, would cause many a person to write down as his greatest asset the old, old fact—God.

He is following the wisdom of the Israelites who review his position with respect to Jehovah. A reaffirmation of one's fundamental religious beliefs wondrously clears life's atmosphere. For or against, every thinking person owes it to his own character and capabilities to decide the question of his attitude toward God.

The Idols Under The Floor.

A side-light upon the situation in Canaan is shed by old Joshua's exhortation. "Put away the gods which your fathers served beyond the Jordan." In this plea to serve Jehovah in sincerity and in truth there is an implication that Israel was covertly clinging to the old idols.

That is understandable. The breaking of a new religion requires a tremendous wrench. It is a break with all the past—with the ideas, fears, superstitions and associations which have been ground into his consciousness since earliest infancy. The wonder is scarcely that so many converts relapse into the old worship, but that so few do. Missionaries have told me that sometimes converts, instead of throwing away or utterly destroying their idols, have put them under the



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Education is the knowledge of how to use the whole of one's self.—Beecher.

If you have a task worth doing, do it now!
In delay there's danger brewing. Do it now!
Don't be a "by-and-by-er!"
And a sluggish politician! If there's aught you would acquire, Do it now!
—Nixon Waterman.

To him that will, the way is e'en wanting.—Old Proverb.

Teach me Thy way, O Jehovah; and lead me in a plain path, because of mine enemies.—Ps. 27:11.

He who for love has undergone the worst that can befall, is happier a thousandfold than one who never loved at all.
—Lord Houghton.

Why destroy present happiness by a distant misery, which may never come at all.—Sidney Smith.

CAPTAIN KETTLE ON THE WARPATH

(Continued from page 1, section 2)—bawled down the hatch. A rash of armed men answered him, and then Captain Kettle connected the loose terminal.

When the sailor came to his senses, Dr. Mary Brown had his head on her arm; and was looking down at him with a serene tenderness that he considered wholesome for a married man.

"I thought the end of the world had come," she told him. "I never dreamt such an explosion could be possible, and there is no vestige of anything left. And the cliff has fallen down on the top of where it was."

"But, my dear Captain, you must make use of a patient medicine at a time like this. You are really wounded, and though you keep on forgetting it, I am really a doctor. I will dress it for you."

"I am sure you are what you say," said Captain Kettle soothingly. "But you see, Miss, this wound is rather personal in nature, and I wish it properly attended to. I am going to dress

LABOR TREATY BETWEEN FRANCE AND ITALY

Rome, March 16.—It is learned authoritatively from a ministerial source that the new labor treaty between France and Italy will be signed soon. The treaty establishes equality of treatment among national workmen and immigrants in wages, in assistance, in social protection, while the benefits of the labor laws are extended to the workmen of the opposite country. Thus Italian workmen in France are admitted to participation in pensions for laborers on the same footing as the French without exception or restriction, and the same thing applies to French workers in Italy.

The treaty also establishes the principle of transferring individual accounts from one savings bank to another. The details and methods for procedure are determined by a special regulation which establishes the rights of the Italian or Frenchman who returns to his native land before attaining the maximum limit of residence demanded by old marks to enable him to enjoy the benefits of the law to share them whether in Italy or France.

Equal treatment is guaranteed also in rights and civic and professional privileges from which French laws until now had excluded them. The provisions which prescribe conditions, granting little favor to foreign laborers, especially in regard to giving them a couple of old marks to be educated in their mother tongue. Disputes will be arbitrated.

It with Horner, and I am going to drink him the rest of the flask. "I believe, by the way, Miss, I never told you where that submarine was getting her fuel oil from. They had it stored in a couple of old marine boilers from some wreck which were lying just under the surface of the bay. I could see them quite clearly.



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The Competition of Gods.

This Western world is so monotheistic in all its thinking that it often fails to read the Bible sympathetically. Undoubtedly there existed, in the Old Testament era, in the minds of both the Jews and the Gentiles, the notion of a national deity, as opposed to the deities of other nations. The idea that Jehovah was the only God, and that his gods clearly run through the history of early Israel. Joshua put it baldly when he said, in the words which are the sub of this lesson. "If it seem evil unto you to serve the Lord, choose ye this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell; but as for me and my house we will serve the Lord."

That old competition is settled, so far as the Western world goes. It is dead and buried. Today, but even there, the most enlightened observers declare, the issue is clear. As against the ancient idolatries, Jehovah has won. The very great of the gods of Israel's neighbors are mere matters of antiquarian interest. In the expressive colloquial speech of the day, they are "dead ones." Today the nature of the conflict has shifted. Now it is between Jehovah and human selfishness. These are the twentieth century idols that dispute Jehovah's claim to the allegiance of man. Here it is that choice must be made by everybody; the issue is not evaded; deliberate decisive choice must be made.

That was a wise word of Joshua's, and an instructive one really, when he made choice for himself and his household. He could not decide for Israel; he did not have to. No man can do everything for another, or for any one to set the whole world right. But he can get right himself, and keep his household right. Bolshevism dream of a transformation of society in the mass and wait for that day without mending their own ways. That is folly. It is a regenerated individual which is the world's only hope. It is the man who achieves the greatest contribution to his time, who is the philosopher scots at the old religious training which bade a man save his own soul and his family's. It is not sufficient, but it is absolutely the first essential. The very most important gift that man can give the world is a life that is saved. And it is God. Only such a one can make over the mass of lives.

The Bishop of London's Counsel.

Joshua called his people back to first things. He compelled them to face a decision. By his example and counsel, pointing out the perils of a contrary course, and reminding them what Jehovah had done for them in the past he led them to renew their ancient allegiance. He recalled them to the ultimate spiritual verities which have been applied condensed into a modern phrase, "Get right with God."

This recall to first things is a note that is being sounded by the world's religious leaders today. The Bishop of London never spoke truer words than those uttered at the capital of the United States, when he said: "No church on earth will produce an effect upon the world if it has not still one further characteristic. It must clearly and unmistakably and before all the world be unworship itself. Dear with me, then, when I say as my last word that the greatest danger of the Church on both sides of the Atlantic is worldliness.

Health and Happiness



Women of today seem to listen to every call of duty except the supreme one that tells them to guard their health. Home duties, church duties, war activities, and the hundred-and-one calls for charitable enterprises soon lead women to overdo. Nervousness, headaches, backaches and female troubles are the inevitable result.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was very weak, always tired, my back ached, and I felt sickly most of the time. I went to a doctor and he said I had nervous indigestion, which, added to my weak condition, kept me worrying most of the time—and he said if I could not stop that, I could not get well. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my husband wanted me to try it. I took it for a week and felt a little better. I kept it up for three months, and I feel fine and can eat anything now without distress or nervousness. Health and happiness? Yes, I have both now."—Mrs. J. WORTHINGTON, 2842 North Taylor Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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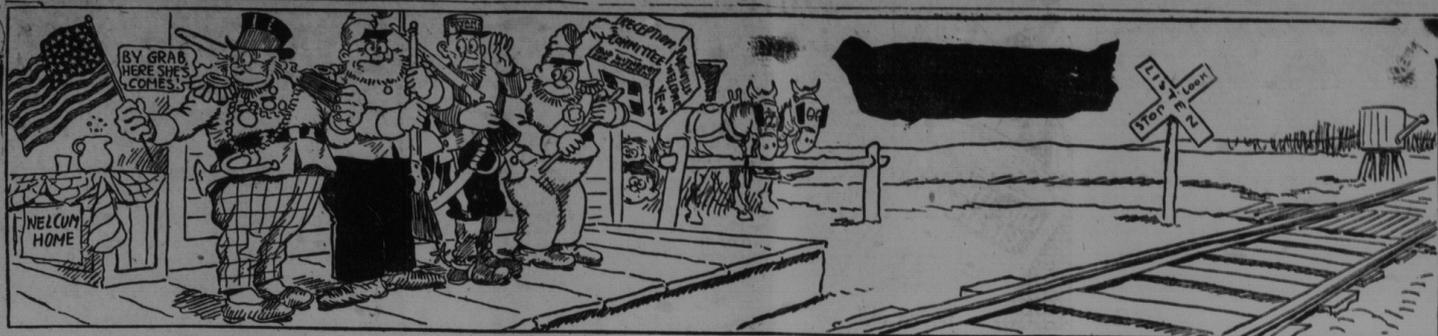
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For many years we have been telling you that no makeshift truss will ever help you. We have told you about the harm ill-fitting trusses are doing. We have told you that the only truly comfortable, sanitary and scientific device for holding rupture is the Brooks Rupture Appliance.

Now we offer to prove it to you, entirely at our risk. We will send you a Brooks Rupture Appliance on trial. If you really want to be rid of your rupture fill out the coupon below and mail it today.

Instead of wearing a steel spring or inflexible harness, try the velvet-soft Brooks Appliance.

Instead of the old hard or stuffed pad, use the soft rubber automatic air-cushion of a Brooks Appliance?

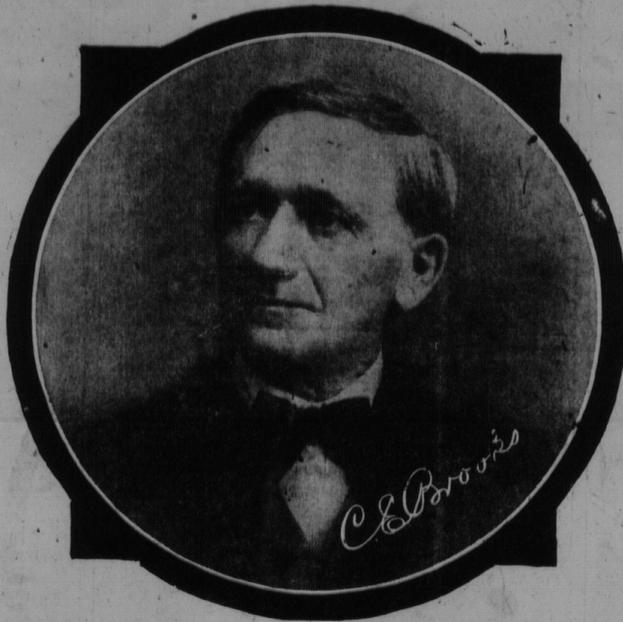
The Brooks Appliance clings to you without force and you are hardly conscious of its presence. But above all else, it **HOLDS** always.

Within an hour after you receive the Brooks Appliance, if you take advantage of this remarkable trial offer, you will throw away your truss forever.

Over 685,000 People Have Accepted This Offer. Why Not You?

Doesn't that prove that the Brooks Appliance is not an experiment but a positive success—that it does all we claim for it? Among these 685,000 men, women and children there must be hundreds whose condition was identical with yours. Can you afford not to investigate and satisfy yourself when it costs you nothing to prove what the Brooks Appliance will do for you?

This wonderful device is a triumph of scientific and mechanical genius, the outcome of more than 30 years' ex-



Mr. G. E. Brooks, inventor of the Appliance. Mr. Brooks cured himself of rupture over 30 years ago and patented the Appliance from his personal experience. If ruptured, write TODAY to the Brooks Appliance Company, Marshall, Michigan.

perience and the results accomplished by its use are little short of miraculous.

Many hundreds of physicians and surgeons recommend the Brooks Appliance and condemn makeshift trusses as more harmful and dangerous than any other method of retaining and treating rupture. Thousands of people have written us testifying to the amazing results they have secured from this great invention. Many of these people live right in your vicinity and we will be glad to send you copies of their thankful letters if you will ask for them when you write.

Men, Women and Children Find the Brooks Appliance Equally Effective.

No matter if your rupture is old and severe or only recently developed, no matter if you are young or old, you should not fail to profit by this **No-Risk Trial Offer.**

No other rupture support, truss, lock, device, pad or plaster is offered to the public under so broad a guarantee of satisfaction.

If for any reason whatever you do not wish to keep the Brooks Appliance after you try it, send it back. You don't have to give any reason. You are to be the sole judge. There will be no argument, no dispute or misunderstanding.

Ten Reasons Why You Should Accept This Offer.

1. It is absolutely the only Appliance embodying the principles that inventors have sought after for years.
2. The Appliance for retaining the rupture cannot be thrown out of position.
3. Being an air cushion of soft rubber it clings closely to the body, yet never blisters or causes irritation.
4. Unlike ordinary so-called pads, it is not cumbersome or ungainly.
5. It is small, soft and pliable, and positively cannot be detected through the clothing.
6. The soft, pliable bands do not give the unpleasant sensation of wearing a harness.
7. Nothing to get foul; it can be washed without any injury.
8. There are no metal springs in the Appliance to torture one by cutting and bruising the flesh.
9. All materials are the very best that money can buy, making it a durable and safe Appliance to wear.
10. Our reputation is so thoroughly established and our prices so reasonable, our terms so fair, that you should not hesitate to send the free coupon today.

The Brooks Appliance Co.
781 B State St., Marshall, Mich.

Without cost or obligation on my part please send me by mail in plain wrapper your illustrated book and full information about your Appliance for rupture, and your Trial Offer.

Name

Address

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