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Some of Our Own Come On The Royal George

Steamer at Halifax With Soldiers HOME ON NIGHT TRAIN

Lieutenant Cudlip and Nursing Sister Maxwell of This City Among the New Brunswickers Arriving on the Ship

(Special to Times.) Halifax, Feb. 20—After an absence of more than four years the steamship Royal George is once again in Halifax harbor. Arriving early this morning she moved to her berth a little after seven o'clock and at a quarter to eight was tied up at the pier. When last she was here the Royal George was under the Canadian Northern management but this time she flies the Canadian flag and is painted the Cunard Line style with red and black funnels.

(Canadian Press) Halifax, Feb. 20—The following are among those arriving on the Royal George:—

District No. 6, Nova Scotia—Second Lieut. J. O. Healy, Pictou; Second Lieut. J. B. Palmer, North Grand Pre; Second Lieut. S. W. Jackson, Amherst; Second Lieut. M. D. Hayer, Halifax.

Military District No. 7, New Brunswick—Captain W. W. McNair, Westville, N. S.; Lieut. W. De Bow, Forest Glen, N. B.; Lieut. C. M. Cudlip, 83 Carleton St., St. John; Nursing Sister M. C. Maxwell, 183 Paradise Row, St. John; Nursing Sister J. S. Smith, West Barbour, N. B. Names

The following wife was received by Charles Robinson, Secretary N. B. Returned Soldiers' Commission:— "The following arrived at Halifax Feb. 20, S. S. Royal George and will leave Halifax this Thursday evening at eight o'clock and will arrive in St. John at six o'clock Friday morning.

All men north of St. John will stop off as they come to their homes; men for north of Moncton will change there and go to their homes. All men arriving at St. John will go direct to their homes. Men for west of St. John will (Continued on page 7, fifth column)

MRS. HASTINGS FLEWELLING OF SUSSEX DIED TODAY

Sussex, N. B., Feb. 20—Mrs. May Flewelling, beloved wife of Hastings N. Flewelling, died at her home, Fox Hill, at half-past ten o'clock this morning after a brief illness of pneumonia. She was thirty-two years of age and is survived by her husband, father and mother—Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Watson of Carpenter, Queens county—and three sisters. The body will be taken to Clifton for interment, leaving here on the Maritime express tomorrow morning. The funeral will be at Clifton at four o'clock. A private service will be held at the home tomorrow morning at half-past nine o'clock. Rev. Mr. Lawrence of Hampton officiating.

MISSIONARY INSTITUTE IS OPENED IN WEST ST. JOHN

In St. George's Episcopal church last evening non-denominational missionary institute meetings were held. Rev. W. H. Sampson, rector of St. George's, presiding. There was a large attendance of Carleton people of various church affiliations. Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong of Trinity church made a stirring plea for the support of missionary work. He was followed by Rev. H. E. Stillwell of Toronto, a returned missionary from India, who presented his mission, eastern field, through three windows, as it were, under the general title "Face to Face With the Orient." Mr. Stillwell's address was most interesting and inspirational. Rev. H. C. Priest of Toronto was another speaker, and Rev. A. F. Robb of St. John, lately returned from Korea, gave an instructive address upon the scene of his missionary endeavors of late years.

DIED HERE ON WAY TO HOME IN NEWFOUNDLAND

John Holland passed away in the St. John Infirmary this morning after a brief illness from pneumonia. He recently returned from overseas to the St. Metagans and was enroute to his home in Newfoundland. Prior to emigrating he was employed as a gardener about the government buildings at St. John's, Nfld.

CORPORAL PUNISHMENT

W. H. S. Bridges, superintendent of schools, is making a special tour of the various public educational institutions in the city to enquire carefully and impartially into the matter of bodily punishment upon pupils. Recent reports have caused considerable discussion and Dr. Bridges is probing the variety of statements very fully. He will make no public report on the matter until his investigations are completed.

FOUR ARRESTS MADE IN HALIFAX

A Sergeant Major Charged With Inciting to Riot G. W. V. A. STATEMENT

Disassociate Themselves From Such Actions and Offer Reward—Reported Attempt to Stab Police Deputy Chief

Halifax, Feb. 20—Four arrests have been made by the city police in connection with last night's riot, in which stores in Gottingen street were seriously damaged. Sergeant Major Yates of Halifax, who visited the police station last night seeking to locate Tom Andrews, a returned man who had been arrested yesterday and was charged with being a ringleader in the initial riot of Tuesday night, has been taken in custody on the charge of inciting to riot. The other prisoners include George Robinson, a young civilian, who is charged with theft from a store in Gottingen street during the disturbance last night; John Moore, charged with creating a disturbance, and another man whose name has not been given out by the police.

The president of the Halifax branch of the Great War Veterans' Association today issued a statement in which he says that this branch "wish it to be clearly known that they disassociate themselves from any acts of hoodlumism such as the recent riots." The statement concludes:—"The G. W. V. A. stands first for law and order, and no matter who the ringleaders in the recent riots may be, whether of this organization, returned soldiers who are not members of this organization or who willfully disassociate themselves from the law of this country and will do everything in their power to ascertain the names of these hoodlums and see that they are punished."

The association has offered a reward of \$100 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any G. W. V. A. man who took part in the riot. At the police station this morning it was said that an unsuccessful attempt was made during the riot of last night to knife Deputy Chief of Police Palmer.

LEAGUE BASEBALL HERE THIS YEAR?

Movement to Have St. John, Moncton, Fredericton and Amherst in It

There has been considerable talk about baseball throughout the city and the prospects for the coming season. There is a movement on foot to have a four-corners league this year, taking in a team from the North End, one from the city, one from West St. John and one from Fairville. That such a league will be formed seems assured for those interested are already out after the local stars.

There is also a movement to have a New Brunswick league with teams from St. John, Moncton, Fredericton and Amherst, and it is said that a well known local player is formulating plans for such an organization.

NURSING SISTER MAXWELL THREE YEARS OVERSEAS

Nursing Sister Marion C. Maxwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Maxwell, 183 Paradise Row, who arrived in Halifax on the Royal George has been overseas for three years. She was with Queen Alexandra's Imperial Nursing Order for one year, when she was transferred to No. 9 Canadian general hospital with which she served until she left England for Canada. Nursing Sister Maxwell will be gladly welcomed by many friends in the city.

USE SOME GERMAN TROOPS TO SUPPRESS DISTURBANCES

Amsterdam, Feb. 20—Marshal Foch has agreed to the employment of German government troops in the neutral zone comprising the ten kilometre district east of Cologne, but not including Düsseldorf, and also in the Rhine region south to Honflet, in order to suppress local disturbances, according to a telegram received here from Muenster.

FORD'S LABEL SUIT FOR MILLION DOLLARS

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 20—By agreement of counsel a million dollar suit was brought by Henry Ford against the Chicago Daily Tribune, in which change of venue was recently granted, was announced today to Mount Clemens, Mich.

Throw Open Commons To Women of Canada

Important Legislation Foreshadowed PARLIAMENT OPENED

Speech From Throne Also Includes Extension of Prohibition Order-in-Council—The War and Reconstruction—Votes For Women

Ottawa, Feb. 20—At the opening of Canada's parliament this afternoon the speech from the throne was delivered as follows: Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate, Gentlemen of the House of Commons: Since the last session of parliament events have transpired of the highest consequence to the empire and to Canada. After withdrawing with steadfast valour, repeated assaults pressed with the utmost vigour and determination, the Allied forces, taking the offensive in all theatres of action, advanced to decisive and overwhelming victory. Upon terms of practically unconditional surrender on the part of the enemy, armistices were arranged and are now in effect, under which extensive strategic territories have been evacuated, thus annihilating our other war material and supplies rendered on a vast scale and the greater part of the hostile fleets delivered up to the Allies. A conference is now being held at Paris to determine the conditions upon peace will be concluded. As the decision of this conference will be of vital importance to Canada as well as to other parts of the empire, it is being attended by the Right Honourable, the Prime Minister, accompanied by others of the highest rank.

In the notable victories leading to the glorious issue accomplished by the arms of the Allies, none of the forces engaged were more valorous or heroic part than those of Canada, whose achievements throughout the entire war have won imperishable glory for their country. It is most gratifying to be able to state that, in the final and decisive stages of the mighty struggle, our divisions in the field were distinguished at every stage and equipped in the highest degree with all the requirements of modern warfare. The appreciation and gratitude of the nation are expressed to the gallant members of the Canadian expeditionary force, whose services, suffering for their country, played so effective a part in vindicating the cause of world liberty and civilization.

Prior to the armistice, plans and preparations had been made for the return, demobilization and re-establishment in civil life, after the close of the war, of our soldiers with their dependents overseas. These are now in operation, and while this great undertaking presents a formidable task, it is confidently expected that it will be accomplished speedily and satisfactorily.

Immediately upon the conclusion of the armistice, which necessarily involved the cessation of operations in the manufacture of munitions and in other essential war industries, it was necessary by my advisers to facilitate the readjustment of business and to provide employment for those whose means had been so severely affected by the measures adopted will be laid before you without delay.

A bill relating to the franchise, with certain provisions necessary having regard to existing conditions, and providing among other things for effectually enabling women to vote, and conferring upon them the privilege of sitting in parliament, will be submitted for your consideration.

Your attention will also be invited to bills providing for aid in the construction of highways; for assisting returned soldiers in establishing themselves upon the land, and for promoting the immigration and farm settlement.

CONDENSED NEWS

Senator McCumber of North Dakota yesterday introduced in the senate at Washington a resolution for sending of troops to Russia by the Allies and United States to defeat the Bolsheviks. The visiting newspaper men were formally entertained by Lieut. Governor McCallum Grant, at the gubernatorial residence, Halifax. A luncheon was tendered them at the Halifax hotel in noon by Senator Dennis.

THE STEAMER ROYAL GEORGE AT HALIFAX

Disembarkation was begun at 9 o'clock and the ship was cleared of troops and baggage after noon. The proceedings were witnessed by the visiting Canadian newspaper men. They expressed themselves as being much impressed. The first train got away at 11:30 and the fourth is scheduled to draw out from the pier late this afternoon. The New Brunswick men will be sent to their homes in special coaches attached to the regular night express.

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DEVALUE THOSE TARDY PAYING CITY TAXES

Mayor's Proposal; Marshalls Petition for Increased Percentage; Tributes to Sir Wilfrid Laurier; No Change in Polling Hours at Elections

A tribute was paid to the memory of Sir Wilfrid Laurier by Mayor Hayes at the opening of the council committee meeting this morning, this being the first session of the council since the death of the eminent statesman. His Worship said that Sir Wilfrid stood for all that was best in the public life of Canada for a great many years. He was of the best type of democrat, a man of the people who always was for the people. Those who opposed him in politics during his life were those who are paying the highest tribute of praise to him as a man, a citizen and a force in the empire. The city of St. John, with all other parts of Canada would join in the tributes of respect to him who had passed away and in sympathy to his bereaved wife.

Commissioner Fisher spoke briefly of the affairs of state and of the loss sustained by Canada in his death. The committee then proceeded to business and the mayor presented a petition from the city marshalls asking that their commission on collections be increased from three to five per cent. He also presented a recommendation from the city chamberlain that instead of increasing the percentage they should be given \$125,000 to \$150,000 for each year, as at present. This would cost the city about \$800 a year more while the proposal in the petition would amount to about \$2,200, it would work out on an average of an increase of about \$100 a year for each marshal.

DISCHARGED AT THE FREDERICTON DEPOT

Fredricton, Feb. 20—Thirty-two discharged were issued at the depot this morning. Thirty-six officers were struck off strength today and two nurses and one officer were transferred.

Y. W. P. A. START MANY ON ROAD TO BANK ACCOUNT

The Y. W. P. A. members are meeting with success in the street sales of thrift stamps today. Fifty of the members are canvassing pedestrians in the business sections of the city and selling them the stamps containing one or more stamps as may be required. They have been successful in starting so many additional people on this practical and patriotic method of saving. To those who are not thoroughly familiar with the plan, the canvassers furnish explanations as well as stamps.

ARREST AT DEPOT; LIQUOR IN SUIT CASE

A week of watchful waiting produced results today when Liquor Inspector Gannett and McAlish saw a man step off the Montreal train and start for the city. He had proceeded only a short distance when the two inspectors closed in on him and asked him to step aside until they were satisfied that he had no liquor in his possession. A search disclosed that he had twelve bottles and two gallons in his suit case. The man, whose name is given as Ernest Bourrier, had been suspected by the inspectors and was being watched. About a week ago he purchased a ticket for Montreal, and after his departure eyes were turned on the Montreal train pending his return. His case was to be taken up in the police court this afternoon.

NOW WANT PRICE FIXED FOR THIS YEAR'S CROP

Winnipeg, Feb. 20—The Manitoba Agricultural Society, in annual convention here, adopted a resolution asking that a price be fixed for the 1919 wheat crop.

Clemenceau Has Good Night

PAY HOMAGE TO CARDINAL GIBBONS

Golden Jubilee of Head of Catholic Church in States A NOTABLE GATHERING

Archbishop Cerretti, Cardinal O'Connell and Cardinal Begin Have Prominent Part in Observance in Washington

Washington, Feb. 20—Catholic clergymen and laity gathered here today to pay homage to the venerable head of the church in the United States, Cardinal Gibbons, at the celebration of his golden episcopal jubilee. Pope Benedict was represented by Archbishop Cerretti, who came from Rome to bring the pontifical blessing to the aged prelate in testimony of his services as bishop for half a century and as a cardinal since 1886. Dignitaries of the church said the celebration was the most notable gathering of the Catholic hierarchy in North America in more than thirty years, including Cardinal Begin of Quebec, Cardinal O'Connell of Boston, Archbishop Bonzano, the papal nuncio in the United States, and a great host of archbishops, bishops and monsignors. The lay membership was represented by distinguished businessmen and government officials.

LOCAL NEWS

FUNERAL AT LORNEVILLE The funeral of Mrs. Walter Evans took place this afternoon from her late residence at Lorneville. Rev. Mr. Bevis conducted the service, and interment was made at Lorneville.

MRS. MARY DEGAN The death of Mrs. Mary Deegan, wife of John Deegan took place on Wednesday, February 19 at the General Public Hospital. Besides her husband she leaves three daughters, Mrs. B. S. Moore, Mrs. Carl F. Dacey and Mrs. Sidney Chillever, all of Brockton, Mass.

IN THE HOSPITAL It is reported from the St. John Military Hospital that there is a slight improvement in Lieut. Carr's condition. Miss Irvine, who is at the General Public Hospital, is reported to be steadily improving.

STREET PAVING PLANS Commissioner Fisher this morning consulted with Commissioner Jones regarding the former's street paving plans for next year. Mr. Fisher hopes to be able to lay pavements in City road and Douglas avenue then and he has so notified the commissioner of water and sewerage by order that the latter may prepare to put the underground facilities in these streets in order this year.

PERFORMERS ENTERTAINED

The Great War Veterans' Association, through a committee, entertained the young ladies and gentlemen who took part in the recent presentation of "The Man on the Box" at a dinner and dance in Bond's last evening. The affair was very much enjoyed and the "Vets" again proved themselves good hosts and appreciative. The affair was under the chaperonage of Mrs. A. C. D. Wilson, director of the theatricals, and besides the dinner and dance there were vocal and dictionary numbers.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Bradley took place this morning from the residence of her sister-in-law, Mrs. James O'Donnell, 382 Main street, to St. Peter's church. Requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Cloran, and interment was made at Rothesay.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Martin took place this afternoon from her late residence, 95 Winter street, to Holy Trinity church, where service was conducted by Rev. J. J. Walsh, V. G. Interment was made in the old Catholic cemetery.

GOING TO ENGLAND

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Groves of King street east are to return to England, where they expect to make their home, they will be missed by a large number of friends in St. John. Mr. Groves, who was a member of the "Fighting 26th," was wounded in the left leg while in Belgium, in November, 1915; he returned to St. John in 1916, and was discharged from the Canadian expeditionary force in 1918.

Aged French Premier Sleeps Soundly

CHAUFFEUR DECORATED

Paris, Feb. 20—Premier Clemenceau spent a good night, the Associated Press representative was told when he called at the premier's house this morning. The premier rested quietly through the night and did not awake until eight o'clock. His first remark to Sister Theonnes, the nun who is attending him, was: "I am a lazy man. That is the first time in twenty years that I have been late getting up." The premier was not suffering from any fever.

Paris, Feb. 20—The premier certainly is seriously hurt; his condition is not satisfactory as possible," Georges Mandel, Premier Clemenceau's chief clerk, is quoted as saying at an early hour this morning. The quotation is attributed to the clerk by Marcel Hutin, in the Echo de Paris.

Paris, Feb. 20—Premier Clemenceau, who was wounded in the shoulder yesterday in an attempt by a young anarchist, Emilio Cottin, to assassinate him, was in a satisfactory condition this morning, according to the latest reports. No fever has developed. His enforced inaction is weighing heavily upon the premier, however, and the doctors finally had to insist, unwilling to obey all their orders. He insisted in receiving visitors all day yesterday and in discussing current business with Foreign Minister Pichon, who called upon him late in the evening for the third time after the shooting.

The premier raised the question as to whether the supreme council should sit this afternoon as had been arranged and expressed the wish that the decision be left to the delegates of the peace conference. Conspicuously, Paul Dubaut, general secretary of the peace conference, was instructed to call upon the British, American, Italian and Japanese delegates and get their views. It was considered probable early today that the delegates would suggest waiting for a few days possibly until the beginning of next week before resuming their work.

A bulletin issued just before midnight is given by the Journal as follows: "The premier is resting. His condition is satisfactory. There is no temperature." An X-ray examination will not be made until today. The doctors, despite M. Clemenceau's appeal for an immediate examination, have ordered rest. M. Clemenceau told the physicians that he wanted it done as soon as possible, so that he could get back to work in a few days.

Chauffeur Decoded. Emilio Cottin, who attempted to assassinate the premier was taken to Sainte Prison last night. Premier Clemenceau asked Major General Mordecai, his military aide, to decorate Chauffeur De Cassin. The ceremony took place in the premier's bedroom, according to M. Clemenceau's request. De Cassin was driving the car when the premier was fired upon.

Seven shots were fired, three of which struck the premier. One bullet lodged in the muscles of the shoulder, penetrating deeply, but not injuring the spine or penetrating the lungs. Two bullets bruised the right arm and hand, while two other bullets are reported to have passed through the premier's clothing.

ADJOURN CONFERENCE BECAUSE OF ATTACK ON FRENCH PREMIER

London, Feb. 20—The peace conference at Paris has decided to adjourn as a result of the attack upon Premier Clemenceau, says an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Paris this morning. The day will be no session of the conference today, the message adds.

MAYOR ENLARGES ON THE MATTER OF TAX PAYMENTS

Discussing his proposal to add one-half of one per cent each month to the bills unpaid after the expiration of the discount period, Mayor Hayes this afternoon amplified his programme somewhat. It was suggested that a taxpayer who was even a month or less late in paying his taxes already was penalized by the loss of his five per cent discount and the municipal fees which were added to the bill and that the addition of the interest, increasing every month, would make the comparison even more unfavorable from the standpoint of the man who was not able to pay promptly. The mayor remarked this difference might be lessened by cutting down the amount of the discount. It was his own impression that those who paid promptly to save a five per cent discount would pay as promptly to save two per cent.

WEEKLY REPORTS ON EMPLOYMENT IN CANADA

Ottawa, Feb. 20.—Weekly returns as to employment conditions in Canada are being received by the department of labor from a representative number of Canadian employers. The results are summarized in a statement issued yesterday. It shows that for the week ended Feb. 1, reports were received from 881 establishments employing 59,515 persons. All provinces, except Quebec, were represented, though slightly more than forty-five per cent of the returns were from Ontario. The firms reporting anticipated for the week ended Feb. 8, a reduction of 89 in their staffs. This is slightly, but it is slightly larger than the anticipated reduction of the previous week. If it should continue it would represent a considerable total for a full month. More than eighty per cent of the net loss, according to the statement, occurs in Ontario, where the mining industry expected to lay off 238 men. The winding up of shipbuilding contracts accounts for considerable decline in Nova Scotia. New Brunswick also shows a decline. The returns received do not include metal working trades and other industries less important have also not yet reported.

Springfield, Ohio, Feb. 20.—The sum of \$66,800 was paid for fifty-four hogs by breeders from all parts of the United States who attended a sale of hogs owned by Ira Jackson, breeder, near here. One boar brought a top price of \$10,500.

Wasson's Dollar Day bargains continue Friday and Saturday. See big list in Wednesday's papers.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

DYKEMAN—To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Dykeman, 50 Princess street, a daughter.

JONES—On the 19th. inst. to Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Jones, a daughter, Roberta Jane.

NOBLE—On Feb. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Fred Noble, 1 Havoc street, Lancaster Heights, a daughter, Lillian Godfrey.

DEATHS

BRADLEY—In this city, on the 18th inst., Margaret, widow of Michael Bradley, late of Riverside, St. John county. Burial at Rothney's.

HIGGINS—Suddenly in this city on Feb. 17, Harold Edward, eldest son of Reuben and the late Lena Beatrice Higgins, leaving, besides his father, two brothers and four sisters to mourn.

FUNERAL—Friday afternoon at four o'clock from Chamberlain's undertaking rooms, Mill street.

DEGAN—In this city, on the 19th inst., Mary, widow of John Degan, leaving three daughters to mourn.

FUNERAL PRIVATE.

BEST—At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. William Munford, 56 Portland street, Feb. 19, John Best, aged seventy-eight years.

(Fredericton papers please copy.) Funeral service Thursday evening at 56 Portland street, at nine o'clock, body to be taken to Stanley, York Co., Friday morning for interment.

COUGLE—At her father's residence, 105 St. James street, West, on the 18th inst., Mary S., youngest daughter of John P. and Mary Cougle, leaving her father, mother, two sisters and one brother to mourn.

FUNERAL ON FRIDAY. Private. No flowers, by request.

IN MEMORIAM

DAWSON—In memory of our dear daughter, Maudie Wilsey Dawson, who departed this life January 21, 1910. Gone but not forgotten.

Through all the pain at time she'd smile, A smile of heavenly mirth; And when the angels called her home, She smiled farewell to earth.

Heaven retaineth now our treasure, Earth the lonely casket keeps.

And the sunbeams long to linger Where our sainted darling sleeps.

MOTHER. MURDOCK—In loving memory of David Murdoch, who entered into rest Feb. 19, 1914.

Until the day breaks and the shadows flee away.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Nicole and daughter, Mrs. Edwin Hamilton, wish to thank all friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and at the death of E. H. Nicole, and at the death of Mrs. Paul's (Valley) church and ladies of Dominion Lodge, No. 18, L. O. B. A.

LOCAL NEWS

From now on. 2-21

Fresh native oysters, 75c. quart. Hygienic Fish Market, 60 Mill street. 8-2

NOTICE

Union Jack Lodge No. 35, P. A. P. B., concert and sale Wednesday night, Feb. 27, at eight o'clock, wherry. All lady lodges and 'Prentice Boys' lodges invited to be present. Come. All welcome.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

A memorial service will be held in the German street Baptist church on Sunday evening next in honor of Kenneth E. Daley, David Wells, Walter C. Smith, Alfred R. McKinnon, H. Rutherford Simms, Wm. H. Mildon, who have made the supreme sacrifice in the great war.

PROTEST AGAINST INDECENT DRESS

Members of Catholic Women's Federation Pledged to Restrain Tendency

(Montreal Gazette)

"That each member of the Federation and affiliated groups pledge herself to use her personal influence among her friends and among designers and importers, with a view to restraining the tendency to indecency in evening dress." This resolution was passed at the first annual meeting of the Catholic Women's Federation, held yesterday afternoon at 818 Lagache street west. The delegates present were asked to present the resolution to their respective groups. This action was determined upon following a similar line of protest by the Federation of Women's Clubs, New York.

The housing movement now before the public was also discussed, and it was decided that delegates be sent to the meetings and data collected covering the condition of not fewer than 1,000 houses in the slum sections of the city and the unsatisfactory features reported to the authorities. Miss Barry told of some appalling conditions that had come under her notice while visiting in the homes of the poor during the influenza epidemic. On inquiry, she elicited the fact that one house had not been cleaned up for fifteen years and the place was so filthy that Miss Barry considered it unsafe to take away again the remainder of a large quantity of bedding which was first brought into that particular house.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Wiley arrived on the Boston train on Friday from Boston and are staying at the home of Mr. Wiley's father, Joseph Wiley, of 42 Protection street. They are expecting their son, Roy A. Wiley from France to join them before they return to their home in Boston.

Colonel F. B. Black of Sackville is at the Royal Hotel.

G. H. King of Chipman and Dr. J. E. Hetherington of Cody's, representatives of Queens county in the legislature, arrived in the city last evening.

A. R. Slipp of Fredericton is at the Royal.

THE BRITISH SEAMAN SPEAKS

Carry food to Germany? What? Me? Listen, mate! The sea is red With the blood of comrades shed. Every night I see them there, Writhing in the searchlight's glare; Hear my pal with fear and hate— God! my pal! They tied him, mate, To their U-boat's deck—then down, Down—and laughed to see him drown!

Travel through that haunted sea To feed the swine of Germany? Not me! Not me!

Carry food to Germany? What? Me? Mate, I dare not sleep for fear Of the things I see and hear— Glassy eyes that stare and stare Through a woman's floating hair; Pleading hands held out to me, Drowning men that shout to me; Empty seas that moon and throb With a lonely baby's sob!

Guide a ship through such a sea To feed the damned in Germany? Not me! Not me! —Vilda Savage Owens.

RECENT DEATHS

The death of William Mitton occurred at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Bruce Keith, Moncton, on Tuesday. He was eighty-one years of age and is survived by two sons, Alexander Mitton of Wheato, Settlement, and Walter Mitton of Hillgrove; also five daughters, Mrs. Joanna Steeves, Elgin; Mrs. Martin Cain, Hillgrove; Mrs. Bruce Keith, Moncton; Mrs. Ira Wright, Petitcodiac; and Mrs. Benjamin Keith, Havoclock; also three brothers, Enoch Mitton of Salisbury; Rowland Mitton of Little River; and Earle Mitton, Hopewell Cape.

The death of Mrs. James Robinson occurred at Blissfield on February 12. She was sixty-five years of age and is survived by her husband, three sons, Steven, Esuel, at home and Edgar of South Devon; five daughters, Mrs. Harry Phillips of Nasonworth, Mrs. Robert Hunter of St. Stephen, Mrs. Laura Sweet of Hermon Lake, Maine; Mrs. E. Lee of Fort William, Ontario; and Miss Etr. Robinson of Manitoba; three sisters, Mrs. George Donald, Mrs. William G. Kennedy, No. 10, St. John's; and Mrs. Valentine J. and Peter Mitchell all residing at Blissfield.

Again Bereaved. London, Feb. 19.—(By C. A. P.)—My sympathy is felt for Sir Edward Kemp, Canadian overseas minister, in the loss, within four months, of his second son-in-law, Lieut. Walter Scott Waldie, who died from pneumonia following influenza, at Kinnel Camp.

Granulated Eyeids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Wolfe's Eye Remedy. No Stinging, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Sale of the Eye Free write Maurice Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

PAPAL DELEGATE

WILL OFFICIATE

Will be Celebrant of Mass at Funeral of Sir Wilfrid Laurier

Ottawa, Feb. 20.—Monsignor Petro Di Maria, Papal Delegate to Canada, will be the celebrant of solemn pontifical high mass at 11 o'clock on Saturday morning at the funeral of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. A representative of Assumption College, alma mater of Sir Wilfrid, will be sub-deacon of the mass.

Canon J. A. Flaminio, deacon of the mass; Rev. J. A. Myrand, parish priest of St. Anne's.

Choir of the Basilica, under direction of J. F. Champagne, organist, Amedeo Tremblay, Péro's mass will be sung. Blessing of the tomb at Notre Dame cemetery, Rev. Father Lajeune, O.M.I., M. P.'s on Solemn Duty.

Ottawa, Feb. 20.—Yesterday hundreds of people visited his late residence where Sir Wilfrid Laurier sleeps amid a wilderness of flowers. They included many senators and members of the house of commons who are here for the opening of the session and to attend the funeral. While the body will lie in state in the chamber of the house from Thursday night till Saturday morning members of parliament will in turn keep watch and ward beside the casket.

London, Feb. 20.—(By Canadian Associated Press)—A requiem mass for Sir Wilfrid Laurier will be celebrated in the Catholic cathedral at Westminster on next Wednesday.

Ottawa, Feb. 20.—The acting prime minister received yesterday a cablegram from Hon. W. A. Watt, acting minister of Australia, expressing the Commonwealth's sympathy in the death of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. It says "In this portion of His Majesty's dominions he was held in the highest esteem on account of his talents and distinguished services."

READING SAILS FOR THE UNITED STATES

London, Feb. 20.—The Earl of Reading, British ambassador to the United States, sailed today to resume his post at Washington.

APPEAL DISMISSED

Judgment was given by Chief Justice McKeown today in the case of Sgt. Gordon Gay, who had been court-martialled on January 8 on a charge of a military offence, and whose case was appealed by J. E. M. Baxter, K. C. His Honor dismissed the appeal and the sentence will stand. F. R. Taylor, K. C., appeared with Captain G. Earle Logan on behalf of the military authorities.

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1 lb. Pure Lard 32c.

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10c. tin Devilled Ham 3c.

15c. tin Devilled Ham 15c.

30c. tin Devilled Tongue 21c.

25c. tin Shrimps 21c.

1-2 lb. Flat Salmon 15c.

1-2 lb. Red Middle-cut Salmon . . 15c.

Fancy Seeded Raisins 21c.

25c. bottle Gold Extract 16c.

12c. Eagle Extract 9c.

15c. Macaroni 11c.

30c. tin Maple Butter 25c.

3 lbs. Mixed Starch 32c.

TEA

1 lb. Lipton's Tea 53c.

1 lb. Red Rose Tea 60c.

1 lb. Fine Oolong 70c.

1 lb. Quality Blend 90c.

BEANS

1 qt. White Beans 24c.

1 qt. Chilian Beans 19c.

1 qt. Soya Beans 15c.

25c. tin Clark's Beans 21c.

PICKLES

15c. bottle Heaton's Pickles, 10c.

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THROW OPEN COMMONS OF CANADA TO WOMEN

(Continued from page 1)

"Bills will also be submitted for the promotion of vocational education for the creation of a department of public health, for the promoting of better housing conditions throughout the dominion by loans made for the purpose to the several provincial governments and for the validation by parliament of orders-in-council prohibiting the importation and manufacture of intoxicating beverages and the transportation thereof into any community where their sale is contrary to law. Other necessary legislation dealing with matters, including pensions to soldiers and their dependants, now regulated by orders-in-council, will be laid before you.

Further important measures, designed to promote the welfare and prosperity of the people in the new era of reconstruction, social as well as material, upon which the world has entered will be recommended to your consideration.

After more than four years of war, and notwithstanding the sudden dislocation brought about by the armistice, Canada's industrial, commercial and financial stability has been well maintained. It is the expectation that in addition to business arising from the resumption of public and private undertakings in Canada which were suspended by the war, and needed improvements and betterments throughout the dominion, Canada will obtain substantial participation in the expansion of export trade following the conclusion of the war, and the liberation of commerce from the restraints which have existed during its continuance. Steps have been taken by my advisers to promote and facilitate such participation.

"Gentlemen of the House of Commons: The account of the last and the estimates for the next fiscal year will be submitted to you without delay, and you will be asked to make the necessary financial provision for meeting the remaining expenditures arising out of the war, and connected with demobilization; also for the establishment of credits for the financing of purchases of our agricultural, industrial and other products."

Honorable gentlemen of the Senate: It is appropriate that we should acknowledge our thankfulness to Divine Providence for the successful issues of the terrible struggle in which for so long a period our armies have been engaged and for the restoration of peace to the world. Through the long conflict, with its dire vicissitudes and varying fortunes, our people never allowed themselves to doubt that victory would finally crown our cause, which was that of truth and justice. The deeply loyal and earnest co-operation of the overseas dominions and dependencies with our mother country must more firmly cement for all time those ties which bind the empire in indissoluble union. The spirit borne of common sacrifice, suffering and heroic endeavor will also, it is confidently hoped, permanently unite the Allies by the bonds of a great memory and tradition and effectually promote the formation of a league of nations which will assure for all time the peace of the world.

Ottawa, Feb. 20.—When parliament opened today the note of mourning in hanging crepe and half-masted flags was everywhere. There was none of the usual social display. No invitations were issued to the ceremony—usually a social event of the year—there was none present but the governor-general and his staff, members of parliament assembled to hear the speech from the throne, judges of the supreme court and a few of the men of prominence gathering here to pay their last respects.

SAYS FOREFEATHER IS BOUGHT FOR ST. JOHN MAN

(Fredericton Gleaner)

Budlight, 204 1-4, the former member of the racing stable of Tommy Murphy, the premier driver of the Grand Circuit, for several years past, has been shipped this week from Boston to his new owner, Aid. P. A. Belliveau, of Moncton, according to the Boston Globe.

Budlight has been for some time at the Charles River Speedway Stables in Boston, where New England horsemen have been giving him and Billy Jackson, 204 1/4, the "once over." Nothing further has been heard here regarding the proposed sweepstakes for \$10,000 a corner for the recently imported fast record pacers in the province, as suggested by the Halifax owners of Adios Guy, 208 1/4.

The Boston Globe announces the following new purchases by Hector McInnes, of South Boston, for patrons in New Brunswick:

"Acting for David Keefe of St. John, N. B., Hector McInnes has purchased from Gil Wetmore the 6-year-old trotting stallion Forefather, 234 1/4, by San Francisco, dam Fruitful, by Monro; Forefather was third in a race at the Syracuse Fair last fall in 2:10 1/4."

"For Patrick O'Keefe, of Moncton, N. B., Hector purchased from Mr. Wetmore the 2-year-old colt Native Hall, by Native King, dam Nonna, 2:16 1/4, by Walnut Hall. This colt stepped an eighth last Friday in 18 1/2 seconds."

BANK CLEARINGS

The St. John bank clearings for the week ending today were \$871,054; for the corresponding week last year, \$1,822,928 and in 1917, \$1,675,802.

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1 Tea Set—Gold Band China. \$15.00
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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

THEATRE GOSSIP

Special Attractions Coming in Near Future

It is quite probable the St. Patrick's Day theatricals of the Cathedral parish will this year be held in Imperial Theatre. The offering is to be a light comedy entitled "Eliza Comes Back. Specialties between the acts.

Early in March the splendid Metropolitan Stock Company now delighting Halifax will give a short season of four performances in the Imperial here while the admirably officers of the sister city occupy the Majestic Theatre stage over there with an amateur show. The coming of this high-class company is causing quite a flutter. "In Lilac Time" or "The Only Girl," will probably be the bill. Laura Arnold, a New York leading woman of international reputation, heads the company.

Keith offices in New York are completing arrangements for the presentation in the Imperial here of the charming little comedy "The Fox" sometime after Easter. It is understood Eliza Ryan heads this company, which will tour the provinces.

During Easter-time it is highly probable the music-lovers of St. John and New Brunswick will have the opportunity of hearing one of the greatest songbirds of the day, Anna Case. A local organization has received from Miss Case manager a favorable reply to their enquiry and although the figure asked for our numerals the local parties are going ahead with the contract. Imperial Theatre will house this grand musical vent if it materializes.

Grand opera in English may be the apex of local enthusiasts in the spring if negotiations now about closed to not slip. A large and capable touring aggregation with foreign stars and symphony orchestra are seeking dates with Manager Golding of the Imperial. Halifax and St. John are being asked in this far-east trip, the company proposing to sing four or six operas in each city.

Classy Bill Last Times Tonight—Features of the Next Programme

That real good vaudeville programme at the Opera House that everybody in town is prising is on for tonight only—ostensibly the last time. If you enjoy a hearty laugh and want to forget our troubles, now is your opportunity. First show at 7.30, second at 9 o'clock. This is a good chance to get interested in the circus serial drama, "The Iron Rest." It is a smashing good story.

Tomorrow night comes the regular range of programmes, the new bill including Johnson and Crane in a classy singing and dancing skit; Peete and even, the Chinaman and the coon, in "An in a Chinese Laundry," a sketch at will tickle your risibilities; Fox and ox, in "Funnities;" the Ziras in a witty club juggling act; one other odd feature and the fourteenth chapter the serial, "The Woman in the Web."

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- lbs. Oatmeal. \$1.00
lbs. Buckwheat. 1.00
lbs. Corn Flour. 1.00
lbs. Flour. 1.00
lbs. Prunes. 1.00
lbs. Soap. 1.00

Potatoes

- Best Delawares. 30c per lb.
1 lb. Barrel Bag. \$1.65
4-Eyed Beans. 23c. qt.
White Beans (Best Canadian). 20c. qt.
Onions. 25c.
Tomatoes—Per can. 18c.
ms—Per can. 13c.
n—Per can. 20c.
Cream of Empire Beans. 25c.
Eggs, Cornstarch. 25c.
Corn Syrup. 25c.
Rolled Oats. 25c.
Corn Flour. 25c.
mkn—Per can. 11c.
b. can White Swan Baking Powder. 28c.
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The members of the senior men's class were entertained last evening by the Young Ladies' League in the Union hall to commemorate the memory of Miss Frances Willard, the founder and leader of that organization.

The North End W. C. T. U. held a meeting yesterday in the Union hall to commemorate the memory of Miss Frances Willard, the founder and leader of that organization.

WATCH OUR PRICES

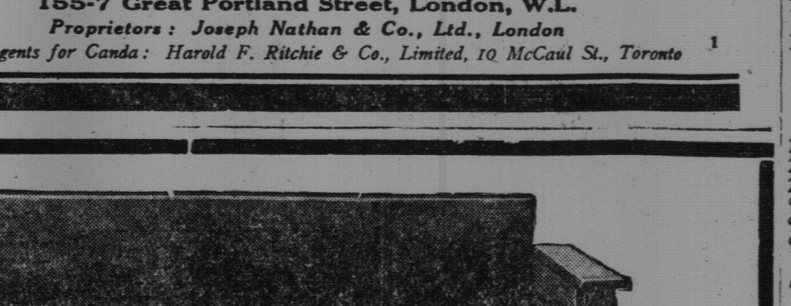
Prices on foodstuffs are bound to come down, but it isn't within reason to suppose that the entire line will be affected at once, or that any large number of items will have the prices busted at one time. But we make the prediction that there will be gradual and considerable declines in prices on many of the staple foods, and that before many moons have rolled around.

Table listing prices for various goods: OLEOMARGARINE, FLOUR, SUGAR, POTATOES, BROOMS, ONIONS, RAISINS, CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS ORANGES, MILK, etc.

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WHEN War came our resources were placed at the disposal of the Authorities. The number of orders we have received since that time have been very gratifying as evidence of the confidence of the Public in our preparation.



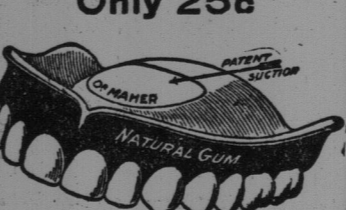
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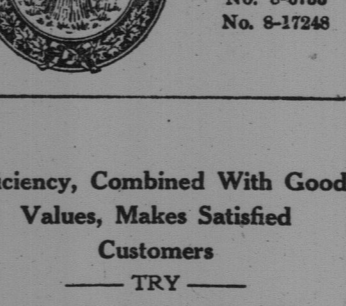
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PARLIAMENT

Parliament met at Ottawa today under the shadow of a great national bereavement. In all minds was thought of him who lies silent, awaiting the last sad rites which mark the end of an earthly life.

Laurier and Bourassa

At the time Sir Wilfrid Laurier declined to enter union government it was known to many of his Liberal friends that his refusal was based on his fear that Quebec would go over to Bourassa and a race war would be brought nearer at the very time when Canada was at war with Germany.

The Toronto Globe enters the following plea in behalf of the consumer: "The consumer has been overshadowed and neglected too long. During the war the emphasis was laid on production. The consumer was left to fend for himself, and he thinks he had the worst of it."

Maximilian Harden says most people in Germany still believe they were right in the war, and that Germany did not cause the war. He says they were and are deceived by their leaders.

The secretary of the Sinn Fein boasts that the organization has three representatives in Paris and that there will be no league of nations until Ireland is independent.

SCHOOLS AND THE PEOPLE

It is worth while to quote some extracts from the last annual report of the deputy minister of education for the province of Manitoba. Remarking that true education must look forward to producing both manual and mental efficiency, he notes that eighty schools report some instruction in manual training.

The growing interest of communities in the work of their schools and increased co-operation of ratepayers in promoting the welfare and education of the children is shown by the large attendance at the various school fairs and boys and girls' club fairs.

M. Clemenceau justifies his title as "the tiger." The bullet of the would-be assassin did not weaken his nerve. His physicians complain that he will insist on seeing people and discussing public affairs when he should be resting.

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THE NIGHT IS PAST.

(So many inquiries have come in for copies of this poem that it is here reprinted.) Now comes the shining splendor of the dawn, On all the hills of all the weary world; The deathful shadows of the night, long-drawn, downward into darkness hurled.

And foolish pleasure of the jaded throng;

Embraced the higher destiny and laid its sons upon the altar of the race, To them the glory, them the tribute paid, Who dared to meet the evil face to face. The long, long night is past, now comes the day—Oh man! To you what message hath it brought? What human wrong to right? What good-evil wrong to pay? What simple service to be kindly wrought?

Rejoice that this our nation bore its part, In that great strife of right against the wrong—Forgot the sordid traffic of the mart,

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RELIGION AND BUSINESS. A very interesting testimony as to the reality of religion in life has just been given by a well-known clergyman. A manufacturer of Wichita, Kansas, some years ago, found himself bankrupt. All he had in the world was his home and nine children. He mortgaged his home to pay a subscription to the local Y. M. C. A. building, which was soon afterward sold for its mortgage.

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WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT			
\$1.00 White and Colored Satin Pumps Big Bargain	\$1.24 Kid Boudoir Slippers—All colors. Good Value	\$2.95 Cloth Top Button Boots. Very Cheap	\$3.95 Grey, Brown and Ivory Laced Boots. Spring Styles
MEN'S DEPARTMENT			
\$3.65 Patent Leather Button Boots for Dress Wear Best Quality	\$4.65 Black Calf Lace and Button Boots—Also a few pairs Brown Lace.	\$6.50 "Slater" Brown Military Boots — Plain toe; good water-proof boot.	
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Dublin, Feb. 20.—Speaking at a demonstration here in connection with the arrival of Mrs. Thomas Clarke, released from Holloway prison because of ill-health, Harry Boland, M. P., secretary of the Sinn Fein Association, said that, although they had been told they could not get to the peace conference, they had three men in Paris now. He said that President Wilson had gone to the United States, but that Ireland would be stuffed down his throat from the time that he landed there until he got back to Paris again. He declared that they were going to let it be known that there would be no league of nations, and no Anglo-American alliance until Ireland had a place on the same plane as every other nation in the world.

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SEE OUR DISPLAY IN MILLINERY SECTION

BARGAIN IN LINEN ROOM CONTINUED FOR THE WEEK-END

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RECENT DEATHS

John Best.
John Best, for some years a resident of this city, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Munford, 56 Portland street, aged seventy-eight years. Mr. Best was born in Stanley, York county, but had made his home with his daughter for several years. He is survived by four daughters and one son, Mrs. Fred Conley, St. John; Miss Katie Best, St. John; Mrs. William Munford, also of this city; Mrs. Fraser Thoborn of Stanley, and Arthur Best of St. John. Two sons, John and William, were killed in the war during the past two years. Funeral services will be held at the home of Mrs. Munford, 56 Portland street, tonight, at 9 o'clock. The body will be taken to Stanley for interment tomorrow morning.

Stephen McKay died recently at his home in Richibucto. He is survived by his wife, two daughters and one son.

Miss Nellie McKee of 47 Rock street received word yesterday that her nephew, Gunner Harry S. MacDonald, had died in France from pneumonia. He was a member of the 4th Siege Battery.

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The day after the raid the book was found by the Huns. No doubt they were delighted with such an important find and thought that our men had had no time to remove it before the ship's bottom was blown out.

A few days later, having given the Germans time to digest the code, a carefully compiled message was flashed across the Channel and duly picked up by the enemy. But it is feared that it must have badly misled them as to the intentions of the British.

GET SALE PRICES ON RUBBERS AND RUBBER BOOTS

For the Slushy Walking

Men's Fine Light Rubbers "Merchants," the best produced, every shape	\$1.25
Men's Heavy Rubbers	1.12
Men's Red Sole, Extra Wearing Rubbers	1.48
Men's 2nd Grade Rubbers85
Boys' Heavy Rubbers, 1 to 599
Boys' Heavy Rubbers, 11 to 1377
Boys' Red Sole Extra Wearing Rubbers, 1 to 5	1.12
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Boys' Second Grade Rubbers70
Ladies' Light Rubbers, the best produced, every shape90
Ladies' Rubbers, Odd Lots and Broken Sizes, Medium and Low Heels75
Misses' Rubbers .65c, 77c, 86c	
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Men's, Women's, Boys', Youths', Misses' and Children's Rubber Boots Reduced a straight 10 Per Cent. during our sale.

Sales Goods Cash. No Approbation

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19 KING STREET

Doctor's Formula

OVER 100 YEARS OF SUCCESS

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT

(Internal as well as External use)

A soothing, healing Anodyne that speedily stops suffering. Wonderfully effective for Coughs, Colds, Grippe, Sore Throat, Cramps, Chills, Sprains, Strains, and many other common ills.

For more than a century humanity's best "Friend in Need"

Code Book Planted To Fool Germans

London, Jan. 9.—(Correspondence)—Another good spy story has just been revealed on Admiral Sir Reginald Hall, chief of the British naval spy system, whose recent resignation was announced. It is the story of the "code book bluff" and is even better than the other anecdotes concerning him.

It was before the Zeebrugge operations began that Admiral Hall gave instructions for the printing of a new and elaborate code book. The book was duly compiled. It was neatly bound, and so that it should not look too new was carefully thumbed in many pages. Of course, all the codes in the book were wrong and very misleading to any German who might get hold of it. But that is what the admiral wanted.

When the Zeebrugge raid was settled upon and the vindictive went over with the blockships this "valuable" code book was carefully placed in one of the blockships where it was likely to be quickly discovered.

To Cure a Cold

In a few hours take **DOMINION C. B. Q.** Tablets (in the red box) 25 cents.

Alkali in Shampoos

Bad For Washing Hair


Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain mulled coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

"We Want Candy Cascarets"

Resolved: That when our tongues turn white, breath feverish, stomach sour and bowels constipated, that our mothers give us Cascarets, the nice candy cathartic, and not nasty castor oil, mineral oil, calomel or pills. Cascarets "work" without griping and never hurt us kids. Cost only 10 cents.



KID'S INDIGNATION MEETING

TO MOTHERS! Learn to give harmless Cascarets to your cross, sick, bilious, constipated pets and save coaxing, worry and money. Children love this candy cathartic. Nothing else cleanses the little liver and bowels so effectively. Each 10 cent box of Cascarets contains directions for dosage for children aged one year old and upwards.

Sure Way to Get Rid of Dandruff

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and flaking of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and four ounces is all you will need. This simple remedy has never been known to fail.

A Never Failing Way to Banish Ugly Hairs

(Aids to Beauty)

No woman is immune to superfluous growths, and because these are likely to appear at any time, it is advisable to always have some delicate powder handy to use when the occasion arises. A paste is made with some of the powder and water and spread upon the hairy surface; in about 2 minutes this is carefully removed and the skin washed. You will then find that your skin is entirely free from hair or fuzz. Be sure, however, to get real delatone.

LONDON NOW BENT ON MIND CULTURE

Discovery of Ignorance One of Chief Reactions From the War—Museums Are Popular.

London, Jan. 18.—(Correspondence)—London has laid down the sword literally, and more literally taken up the copybook. War as a popular entertainment, like all sensations, has snuffed out like a candle.

With the reaction the average Britisher has discovered himself lamentably ignorant. A mind culture boom is now well on its hind legs. Educational parties are more prevalent even than society women nurses in the picture-papers.

The latest improvement is the installation of a guide, J. M. Leonard, B. Sc., who convicts the seeker after truth round the galleries from 12 to 1 p. m. and delivers entertaining lectures on the exhibits by the way.

Today the correspondent found him on the top floor, where the upper mammals live, explaining the Javan Pithecanthropus to a lady officer, one school girl, five men and four small boys with large notebooks.

It was an interesting lecture on popular lines, and only once or twice did it stray above the level of the non-scientific mind.

"Those of you who have read Prof. Somebody's 'Ancient Hunters'—," said Mr. Leonard, and though we all tried to look as though the book was part of our daily food, it wasn't a great success.

"The most interesting part of the world to the anthropologist is the Philippine Islands, for there you find traces of nearly every race on the globe." The schoolboys made a note of that, and one of the men nodded his head.

"Next below man came the apes, of which the most intelligent is the Gibbon." This, by the way, is not the gentleman who wrote the "Decline and Fall." Anybody could see that.

"Gibbons are good athletes and excellent parents. A peculiarity of their structure is the great length of their arms."

It was only too true. Some of the specimens had arms even longer than our old friend Conscience, and could do that touch-your-toes exercise prescribed by medical boards without bending.

How Eskimos Quarrel. "Now we come to the Eskimo. The Eskimo has no mood, for 'quarrel' in his language. When a difference of opinion arises the contestants meet and make rhymes about each other. These they sing until good feeling is restored."

Next we come to the Red Indians. The boys pricked up their ears.

"These Red Indians," said the lecturer, pointing to the colored busts in the case, "are neither red nor Indians. They are mongoloids, and their color is brown."

"Here we have the natives of the Purus River in Amazonia, a race of which we know little. Three expeditions have gone to explore that river, and not one man has returned. All were murdered by the natives." The boys crowded to the front, licking their pencils.

"On my left are the Negroes, of the Andaman Islands. A low-down lot! I mean in the evolutionary sense. They have not risen, and I don't suppose they will. They are born tired and bone lazy."

It was an interesting tour, for Mr. Leonard has a way of making those old dry bones live again. Although today was his first trip round, he did not lose one of his audience.

A RUTHENIAN HOME. A lady who is spending some time near a Ruthenian settlement in Alberta, in writing to a friend says: "I wish I could give you a word picture of some of the homes of these foreign people. Recently I had occasion to call at one. As I came up to the door a horse leisurely walked out, and then a second, inside the horses were on one side of the entrance and the room in which the family lived on the other. Little black pigs were grunting and playing around. There were four children and as dirty as you can imagine. Their faces and little bare feet 'surely were never white' you would say. There was the usual mud

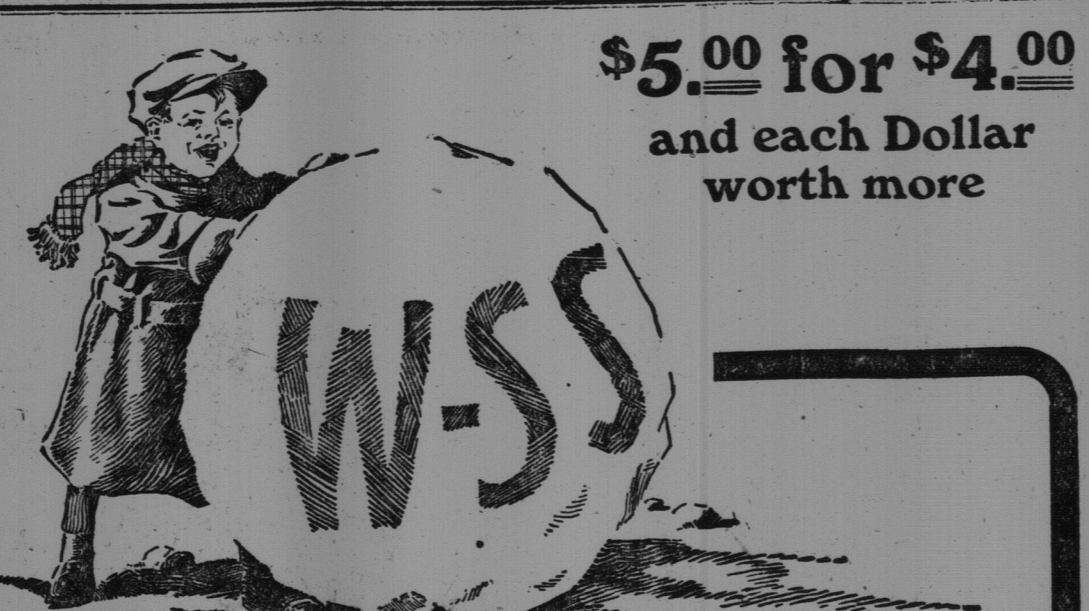
floor, and the plank bed filled with pillows stiff with dirt. This is a typical house, and I suppose it is out of such homes that come the boys and girls that our missionaries are trying to make useful Christian citizens. Both missionaries and boys and girls need our support and prayers. The older people, who hardly make Canadian citizens.

SHOWER. At the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Murray of 22 Clarence street, on Tuesday evening, a novelty shower was given by friends of their son, Ex-Sergt. H. E. Murray, and wife. Very many useful presents were given including silver, cut glass, chinaware and linen. A very pleasant evening was spent with instrumental music, singing, games, dancing. Refreshments were served and the happy party broke up in the early morning.

An alarm was rung in from box 182, Straight shore, at about 10 o'clock, last evening. It proved to be a false alarm and the department was given a fruitless run.

ENJOYABLE ASSEMBLY. A most enjoyable assembly was held last evening under the auspices of St. Vincent's Alumnae in the Knights of Columbus Hall. More than 250 were in attendance and dancing was enjoyed to the strains of music dispensed by an orchestra from the depot battalion band. The reception committee consisted of Mrs. James McMurray, president; Mrs. J. A. Legere, first vice-president; Mrs. L. A. Conlon, and Miss Annie Gosnell. At midnight a daintily arranged supper was served with Mrs. May Connolly and Mrs. Arthur P. O'Neill pouring. The business arrangements were in charge of Miss Muriel Cokerly, Miss Maudlin Dwyer, Miss May Connolly and Mr. James Robinson. The married ladies of the society were chaperones.

POLICE COURT. H. Gilbert, second hand dealer, 2 Mill street, was before the police magistrate yesterday afternoon, charged with buying military clothing, being the property of his majesty. Two solid witnesses were heard after which the case was adjourned for further hearing.



\$5.00 for \$4.00 and each Dollar worth more

GROWING! GROWING! GROWING!

What is \$4.00 today? It is a question of purchasing power. What will \$4.00 buy at present prices? Just over one third of a barrel of flour. Before the war flour was selling at \$5.00 a barrel.

Price of W-S.S. in February \$4.01 in March \$4.02



W-S.S. are sold wherever you see this sign. Thrift Stamps are sold at above places, and by patriotic storekeepers.

No one can say just how much more the purchasing power of the dollar will be in 1924, but you can see that the four dollars you put into War-Savings Stamps now, will grow, not only in number, but in value.

Your investment in War-Savings Stamps is like the snowball rolling down a slope. You give it a start and it grows by itself!

Your four dollars becomes five, and every dollar will be worth more.

Whether you buy one W-S.S. each day, or each week, or each month, or only two or three in a year, your money is growing, growing, GROWING all the time.

Those who cannot invest \$4.00 at a time, can buy Thrift Stamps at 25 cents each. Sixteen of these on a Thrift Card will be accepted as \$4.00 in exchange for a W-S.S.

THE CLAIMS OF THE REAL BOY

(Montreal Star, Feb. 14.)

In an adjoining column The Star today publishes a letter from a "Real Boy" which every reader who has himself been a "real boy" should read and with which he will sympathize.

What is a "feller" to do under such circumstances as obtain in the district where he lives? Being a "regular feller" the sober delights of the decorous walk about the streets do not enchant him. He wants to blow off steam. He wants to exercise his growing muscles. He wants to make a man of himself in the only way he knows how, by meeting the other boys in competition, by having a good time in the way all normal boys have had a good time since boys were invented.

But Montreal won't let him. When he and the other chaps organize a hockey game in the lane a "cop" comes along and warns him off. There is sympathy due that cop. Probably he was a regular feller himself once and played strenuous games up alleys. But what can he do? His orders are to "move on" boys who play games in the streets and who endanger neighbors' windows thereby, and moved on they must be or he loses his job. Neither is the neighbor with the windows to blame, for a random puck can work material damage to glass and a small boy's legs are nimble to escape.

No, nobody's to blame but Montreal—that is to say, everybody is to blame. We maintain an expensive police force for an apprehension of criminals and a much more expensive penological system for the punishment of these criminals when our police force succeeds in catching them, but we cannot spare the small amounts necessary to prevent our youngsters from becoming criminals. "Real Boy" and his friends will go

ROYAL YEAST advertisement with logo and text: 'Has been Canada's favorite yeast for over a quarter of a century. Bread baked with Royal Yeast will keep fresh and moist longer than that made with any other, so that a full week's supply can easily be made at one baking, and the last loaf will be just as good as the first.'

BALLANTYNE GLOVE advertisement with logo and text: 'Price' means something. 'Wear' means more. 'Comfort' means most of all. Ballantyne's Scotch Knit Gloves for men will suit you in all three particulars. Ask for Ballantyne's. R. M. Ballantyne, Limited, Stratford, Ont.'

SMOKE MACDONALD'S INDEX advertisement with logo and text: 'Belfast Strike Ended. Belfast, Feb. 19.—The general strike in Belfast, which began nearly a month ago ended today with the decision of the remaining 8,000 boiler makers to return to work on the terms laid down by the employers. These terms give the workmen a forty-seven hour week pending a national settlement of the controversy.'

New March Numbers of Columbia Records advertisement featuring an illustration of a woman singing and text: 'Lashanska Sings - "Kiss Me Again"'. Price: 77843-\$1.00.

PROMOTER RICKARD GOING TO TEXAS advertisement with text: 'Site of Big Bout Not to Be Revealed for Some Time. New York, Feb. 18.—Tex Rickard, promoter of the proposed heavyweight championship boxing bout between Jess Willard, title-holder, and Jack Dempsey, Salt Lake City challenger, is going on a visit to the oil lands of Texas to inspect his Southern holdings. Rickard plans to journey to Chicago and to Kansas City before visiting Texas. While at Kansas City the western promoter expects to discuss his proposed bout with Jess Willard. Rickard's travels all told will consume about ten days and then he will return to New York. It is expected that the western promoter will utilize this trip to consider some of the offers which have been showered upon him from various cities which are eager to secure the big fight attraction. Rickard has accepted none of them. In each case his reply has been the stereotyped, "Will consider your offer."

Two Numbers From "Sylvia" By French Symphony advertisement with text: 'Frolisome satyrs, fleeing nymphs, dancing through Arcadian groves—you fairly see them in these enchanting ballets played by the Paris Conservatory's famous Symphony Orchestra. A-6090-\$1.50'

Barbara Maurel Carries You Back to Old Virginia advertisement with illustration of a woman and text: 'In her clear, vibrant tones, suiting exactly the spirit of these tender melodies, Barbara Maurel has made a rarely sympathetic record of "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny" and "Old Black Joe." A-6091-\$1.50'

SOLD IN ST. JOHN BY AMHERST PIANOS, LTD. MARKET SQUARE

The Nutrition of Wheat and Barley is of especial value during the colder days of winter. For your cereal food think of Grape-Nuts. Nothing more appetizing among ready-cooked grain foods—the cereal to use because of its wheat & barley content & its richness in sugar. Grape-Nuts needs no sweetening. "There's a Reason"

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1919



WE were among the first to put up tea in sealed packages.

We were the first to use automatic electric weighing machines so as to insure accurate weights.

We were the first to make known the qualities of the now world-famous ASSAM teas.

And we are now the first to adopt a new package for the better protection of these fine quality teas.

The lead package has served its purpose well for generations, but it was easily broken or torn, allowing not only a loss of tea from the package but exposing the tea to the air, odors and dust that it was so necessary to protect the tea against.

Our new package—the waxed board carton—is stronger, more secure and more completely air tight; altogether the best container for tea that has yet been devised.

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

Red Rose Coffee is as generously good as Red Rose Tea

NEW TEA COMPANY... all of St. John city, have been incorporated as the McDonald Tea Company, Ltd., with capital stock of \$4,000, and head office at St. John. The company is

empowered to acquire from Miss Jean McDonald, the tea business now carried on by her, under the name of Chas. H. McDonald & Co.

WINTER WALKING.

(Rev. George Scott.) Would you know the joy of living? Leave behind the city street When the road is hard as iron Spurn the miles beneath your feet.

BRITISH AIRSHIPS CAN CROSS OCEAN

New Giant Dirigibles Out-class Zeppelins and Have Great Cruising Radius... London, Feb. 19.—(British Wireless Service)—The Daily Mail publishes the first particulars of one of the latest types of British rigid airships, the building of which has been done secretly.

Fry's Pure Cocoa advertisement featuring an illustration of a young girl holding a cocoa tin and the text: 'This "bonnie wee thing" is a FRY'S Cocoa Girlie. Her cheeks are rosy—she's plump and strong—she's a sunny, healthy, romping little Jenny Canuck because she gets FRY'S regularly.'

SPECIAL SHOW AT PALACE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY... There will be a special programme in eight reels at the Palace Theatre, Main street, for Friday and Saturday.

HORTICULTURAL OFFICERS... The St. John Horticultural Association held its annual meeting in the board of trade rooms yesterday afternoon with R. B. Emerson in the chair.

SMOKE MACDONALD'S INDEX... were as follows: President, Sir Douglas Hasen; vice-presidents, R. B. Emerson and Joseph Allison; secretary, A. B. Dean Gandy; treasurer, Judge Armstrong; managing committee, Judge Armstrong, A. B. Dean Gandy and H. N. Stetsen.

Morgan's Great Retiring From Business Sale Now in Full Sway At 629-633 Main Street

The old established house of J. Morgan & Co., 629 to 633 Main Street, is retiring from business, and in order to wind up the estate, we are going to give the public one of the greatest Bargain Feasts ever offered in St. John; \$20,000 worth of up-to-date merchandise, consisting of Dry Goods, Notions, Corsets and Gents' Furnishings will be offered at remarkably low prices.

\$20,000 Worth of Timely and Dependable Merchandise to Clear!

Table listing various merchandise items and their prices, including: Apron Gingham, White Duck, Indian Muslin, Dress Goods, Ladies' Skirts, Children's Cotton Hose, Babies' Coats, Wool Caps, White Dress Shirts, etc.

REMEMBER THE PLACE Established 1860 J. Morgan & Co., - 629-633 Main St. 59 Years in Business

SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING.

Y. M. C. I. League. In the Y. M. C. I. bowling league last evening the Swans took three out of four points from the Falcons. The winners total was 1387 and the losers 1291.

Commercial League. In the Commercial League on Black's alleys last evening the team from A. L. Goodwin's took three points from the quintette of T. S. Simms & Co., Ltd. The winners total was 1231 and the losers 1202.

CURLING. Hampton Loses to Carleton. Four rinks of Hampton curlers were defeated by members of the Carleton Club in the West side rink yesterday afternoon and evening. The winners' total was 62 and the losers 41.

W. J. Shaw's Rink Wins. In the president's trophy matches in the Thistle rink last evening the rink skippered by W. J. Shaw defeated that in charge of Dr. L. A. Langstroth by a score of 12 to 8.

St. Andrew's Loss. Six rinks of curlers from St. Andrew's club went to Fredericton and played yesterday afternoon and evening and were defeated by a total of 100 to 70.

Wallace Beaten. Montreal, Feb. 19.—Benny Vlagar defeated Eddie Wallace of Brooklyn in a ten-round bout at Solner Park last night in decisive manner. It is likely that Vlagar will be matched with Frankie Leming.

Wants Money From Dempsey. Tulsa, Okla., Feb. 19.—In regard to reports published in St. Louis that he would start injunction suits to prevent Willard and Dempsey fight, John Siler, formerly manager for Dempsey, said last night that while he would announce his plans at present, the fight would not be permitted to take place unless his claims had been settled.

Leonard to Box With Ritchie. New York, Feb. 19.—Leonard, world's lightweight champion, will compete in a four-round bout at San Francisco, Cal., Friday night with Willie Ritchie, former title holder. The match is reported to have attracted unusual interest. The boxers will be competing at catch-weights.

Giants Get Hal Chase. The Giants will have Hal Chase playing first this season as deal having been through by vice-president and Manager McGraw and Manager Moran of Cincinnati club. Walter Holke and Rairden go to Cincinnati in exchange for Chase.

Says Mathewson Failed. Mathewson has been much commented in term papers about the alleged failure of his manager Mathewson as a manager in Cincinnati. Judging the case on the basis of the former Giant pitcher's record, his reign in Redland was much of a success. When he went to Cincinnati two years ago in mid-season, Mathewson was in last place. Under Mathewson's guidance they finished two years ago in fourth place. Last year they climbed out of fourth place and finished third. From the cellar to fourth from fourth to third in two seasons—this from being the accomplishment of a successful manager.

Diamond Sparkles. Manager McGraw of the Giants was by The Boston Herald where he played Babe Ruth if he played with York, and McGraw promptly retorted that he would play him in the out-of-town game, instead of alternating in pitching and playing in the out-of-town game.

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UNIQUE-3 GREAT FEATURES FOR 3 LAST DAYS OF THE WEEK. THE PROGRAMME THAT REIGNS SUPREME. "Wolves of Culture" "Grey Seal" Series. "A MIX-UP IN AFFINITIES" A Two-Reel Subject That is Sure to Cause a Riot of Fun A LAUGH! A SCREAM! A ROAR! COMING MONDAY—"WANTED—A BROTHER" Buy Your Thrift Stamps Now.

Bring Noted Men Of Letters Together. Lowell Centenary in New York Promises to be an Important Step Towards Cementing Anglo-Unity. Elinor Root, it is announced from Columbia University, has accepted an invitation to preside at the public banquet in honor of the American Academy of Arts and Letters and its guests to be given at the Ritz Carlton Hotel on February 20, in connection with the four-day international celebration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of James Russell Lowell.

Washington After Davey Robertson. Griffith Negotiating With Giants for Outfielder, Who Refuses to Play There. New York, Feb. 19.—Davey Robertson, the Giants' former hard-hitting right fielder, who has refused to consider an offer to play here again, may be seen in a Washington uniform next summer, if the plans of Clarke Griffith materialize. Robertson, it seems, does not object to playing baseball as much as he objects to living in New York, which is so far from his home in Virginia. He has informed some of his friends that if he could play with Washington, which is within easy reach of his home, he might consider a proposition to get back into the game.

Acceptances of invitations to attend the celebration, which will emphasize the unity and power of the literature of the English speaking peoples are coming in from both sides of the Atlantic. Many of the most distinguished men of Great Britain have been invited. Among the Britishers who have definitely sent word that they will be present are John Galsworthy, Sir Henry Babington Smith, Alfred Noyes, Robert Nichol, Brigadier General L. R. Kenyon of the British War Missions, and Sir Richard and Lady Crawford.

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For Anglo-American Unity. The New York celebration of the Lowell Centenary is one of the several which will be held in this country. Leaders of thought both here and abroad have planned to make it an important step toward cementing Anglo-American unity brought on by the war. British men of letters have given their hearty encouragement to the celebration and it is possible that several leaders in British public life may attend. Among those to whom invitations have been extended are Herbert Asquith, Viscount Grey, Lord Bryce, Robert Bridges, poet laureate; Rudyard Kipling, Augustus Birrell, Sir Conan Doyle, Gilbert Chesterton, Gilbert Murray, Sir Walter Raleigh, Sir Arthur Quiller Couch, and Edmund Gosse, the master of Balliol College, Oxford.

It is now certain that the contingent from London will be the most important gathering of literary men that the Dominion has ever sent to the United States. The celebration will bring together many of the most noted men of American men of art and letters.

Members of the Plumbers' Union last evening relative to the thrift stamp campaign. Mr. Saunders, delegate of the Trades & Labor Council, also spoke along the same lines.

QUEEN SQUARE THEATRE. TODAY Madge Evans and Johnny Hines in "NEIGHBORS" A Splendid Five-Act World Production. "FATTY AND MABEL ADRIFT" Two-Reel Keystone Comedy. COMING MON.-TUES., FEB. 24-25: Eddie Polo in "THE LURE OF THE CIRCUS" Some of the Thrilling Scenes of This Serial Taken From One of the Largest Circuses on Earth 18—WEEKS—18.

OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE. TONIGHT 7.30 and 9 For Last Time. FORREST and CHURCH Musical and Character Dancing Offering. THE BELLDAYS Versatile Comedy Feature. GLADYS MOFFAT The Canadian Song Bird, in a High-class Singing and Piano Review. BILLY BARLOW Comedy, Variety, Novelty. BELL and GRAY Sensational Wire Act. "THE IRON TEST"

IMPERIAL. Kate Jordan's Widely Read Society-Detective Novel and Stage Success "SECRET STRINGS" IN METRO PICTURES. Introducing the New Star of Henry Miller and Thos. A. Wise Productions. OLIVE TELL TEXT OF THIS STORY: Beware of the Man Who is Too Plausible in His Love-Making. QUAINT QUEBEC Burton Holmes takes us through the most foreign-looking city in our broad dominion—a delightful joy them immensely. CLEAN COMEDY Lyons-Moran Co. in another of their pure wholesome fun offerings. Our patrons enjoy them immensely. A HIGHLY REFINED PROGRAM WITH CONCERT ORCHESTRA. FRIDAY: English Secret Service THE MAN WHO WOULDN'T TELL.

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LOCAL NEWS

SIGNS OF SPRING An unmistakable sign that spring is coming was evinced this morning when a small but beautifully colored butterfly flew into the home of Mrs. Arthur Hector...

TAG DAY TOTAL The results of the "Tag Day" held on Tuesday by the Free Kindergarten Association show total amount collected, \$2,101, and expenses \$38.30.

COLLECTION INCREASED Various additions to the plate collections taken on last Sunday in Centenary church at the beginning of the year have brought the amount from \$376 to more than \$460...

HARRY THORNE'S SUCCESS In the western skating championships, which were continued in Winnipeg last evening, Harry Thorne of St. John, who is representing Ontario, skated a dead heat with Goodwin in the half mile and took second place in the five mile event.

LITTLE WANDERERS FOUND A little boy and girl were found by the police wandering about the streets yesterday afternoon. The girl, whose name is Stella Spude, and who lives in Sheffield street, was found on Union street...

VERY SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR A Valentine Tea held by the Kings Daughters in Centenary rooms last week will probably net about \$600, although the returns are not yet all in.

HEARTILY WELCOMED Private T. O. Williams, a former resident of St. John, who with his family removed to Worcester, Mass., fourteen years ago, is receiving a warm welcome from old friends here.

MARKED IMPROVEMENT As one of the results of having a department of public health, every physician in the province has on his desk a pretty and useful calendar having attached a little book giving the fee list of the bureau of laboratories...

HEALTH PROTECTION AT LUMBER CAMPS Hon. W. F. Roberts, M. D., has a plan that should prove beneficial.

SUSSEX APARTMENT HOUSE IN FIRE GRIP Six Families Suffer Loss and Four Are Minus Home for While

THE VICTORIAN ORDER OF NURSES

Year Reviewed in Report of Board of Management at Annual Meeting This Afternoon

The annual meeting of the local branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses was held this afternoon in the vestry of Trinity church.

The board of management of the St. John Branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses, beg to submit their 18th annual report for the year ended December 31, 1918, together with the usual statement of receipts.

The total receipts for the year 1918 amount to \$4,811.79 as compared with \$3,665.82 for 1917. The expenses were \$4,560.28 as against \$4,476.26 for the previous year.

The amount received from the services given the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company shows a decrease of about \$180; interest on investments an increase of \$178, with a \$500 increase also in the grant from the City of St. John.

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For Dresses and Skirts. This make is a rich black, fast dye, will not spot with rain or snow. It has no equal for wear and rich appearance.

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Everything in the store marked at a 10 per cent. discount for the rest of the month, excepting only Perfection Oil Stoves. This means you can get a Glenwood Range at prices from \$5.00 to \$8.00 lower than at other times.

Stoves delivered and set up in any part of city or West St. John. Freight paid to any part of New Brunswick.

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Seldom have we been able to present such a marvelous collection of the finer kind of furniture as we can at present; such an unequalled and all-inclusive variety; such a complete price range; such incomparable values.

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