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BRITISH AND FRENCH GIVE ENEMY NO PEACE; DRIVE IS CONTINUED WITH SUCCESS

Both Allied Armies Attacked This Morning; British Blows on Two Sections of Enemy Front; Excellent Results Early

London, Oct. 26.—The French and British troops are attacking today in the Ypres region. The war office so announces. The French and British are making satisfactory progress in their new attack.

The statement follows: "At 5.45 o'clock this morning attacks were launched by the French and British armies north, northeast and east of Ypres. The allied troops are reported to be making satisfactory progress.

Rain fell heavily during the latter part of the night, and is still continuing."

FRENCH SUCCESSFUL

Paris, Oct. 26.—The village of Draebank, Pappagoed Wood, and several fortified farms were captured by the French in an attack launched this morning on the Flanders front. The war office so reports. Hundreds of prisoners were taken.

The statement follows: "In Belgium we attacked at six o'clock this morning the German positions between Dreigrachten and Draebank. Our troops crossed the St. Jansbeek and the Coverback, with the water up to their shoulders, and made important progress in spite of the difficulty of the ground. The village of Draebank, Pappagoed Wood and numerous farms, organized as points of support, fell into our hands. We took hundreds of prisoners.

The night was calm on the front north of the Aisne. The enemy undertook no reaction except for a feeble artillery fire. Our troops are organizing the positions captured on the south bank of the Oise-Aisne Canal, where the enemy blew up the bridges on retiring.

"In the Argonne a German attack on our small posts was without success. On the right bank of the Meuse the Germans renewed their attacks on our positions at Chateau Wood. After a very spirited engagement, in the course of which the enemy suffered serious losses, he was prevented from gaining a footing, except in one of our advanced positions.

"Everywhere else the night was calm."

TWO BRITISH BLOWS

British Front in Belgium, Oct. 26.—(By the Associated Press)—Field Marshal Haig's forces this morning made two separate attacks on the German positions north and east of Ypres. The first was from a point near the village of Nieuwemolen. The other assault was on both sides of the Ypres-Meina highway along the Gheluvelt Ridge in the direction of the town of that name.

The British troops, as well as the French, who also attacked on the left, made excellent progress, pushing forward on a wide front.

FRENCH SUCCESS WORRIES GERMANS

Amsterdam, Oct. 26.—German newspapers are uneasy over the French advance northeast of Solons. Those at Cologne say it is impossible to minimize the importance of the French blow. The Zeitung says: "We must not exaggerate the meaning of the French advance. It is only an initial success. We must not forget what resistance our brilliant troops have offered to the numerically superior army."

The Frankfurter Zeitung characterizes the battle as "important" for Germany, but not desperate and believes France's aim is the capture of Laon.

HARD BLOW AT CROWN PRINCE

With the French Armies in France, Oct. 26.—(Associated Press)—The sight of the towers of the cathedral of Laon on the horizon a few miles away spurred the French soldiers to wonderful efforts of endurance and swiftness of movement. They went on determinedly in pursuit of the Germans, leaving parties behind to clear out the caucers and caverns which disgorged hundreds of demoralized prisoners, who seemed astounded at the vastness of their defeat. With all this severe fighting on a battle field where the Germans held strong positions and where they accepted the challenge of the French army to stand up combat, the French casualties were remarkably low.

The French troops of all branches are jubilant over the victory.

Where the Germans will make a stand is not yet to be foreseen. What is known now is that the line of their retreat is over a difficult and boggy terrain, where the movement of guns is possible only with great precaution.

The correspondent spoke to several prisoners, none of whom quote the extent of the disaster to the army of the Crown Prince, who had made such elaborate preparations to meet the French attack. All the wounded Germans seemed delighted with the swift speeches, music and dancing filled in a very pleasant afternoon and evening.

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WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

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Princeton, N. J., Oct. 26.—In view of the revelations recently divulged by the state department concerning operations of the German diplomatic corps in the United States, Count Von Bernstorff's name has been stricken from the rolls of Princeton University.

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MANUFACTURERS PLEDGE SUPPORT IN THE WAR WORK

Executive of Association Passes Resolutions

Montreal, Oct. 26.—The executive of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association yesterday unanimously passed a resolution congratulating Premier Borden on the consummation of the union government and pledging its support in all matters pertaining to the vigorous prosecution of the war.

In Toronto Toronto, Oct. 26.—The council of the win-the-war league, at a luncheon yesterday passed a resolution supporting the union government and pledging itself to secure the election, irrespective of previous party affiliations, of candidates pledged to support the union government.

A resolution was passed that the union government ought not to recognize any candidate nominated solely by any political party.

In Sherbrooke, Que., Oct. 26.—At a meeting of the Eastern Townships Liberal-Conservative Association yesterday afternoon a resolution was passed endorsing the Borden platform. Meetings of Liberal and Conservative will be called in all the counties with the object of deciding jointly on a candidate who favors the union government's policy.

Edmonton, Oct. 26.—The executive of the Strathcona Liberal Association today accepted the withdrawal of J. E. Douglas, former member, who resigned because of his sympathy with the new government. It was decided to call a new convention and put a straight Liberal candidate in the field.

Montréal, Oct. 26.—Those who talk most about loyalty to the empire, the necessity of defeating Germany and winning the war, are those most anxious to enrich themselves out of the war and those who render the most treacherous service to Canada under the cloak of ultra-loyalty, said Oscar Gladu, former M. P. for Yamaska, last night in an address before the Young Men's Liberal Association in St. Jean Baptiste Market Hall on "Loyalty and Treason."

Mr. Gladu said there are many men, both Liberal and Conservative, who can be worked under the spell of the word loyalty to ruin Canada to save the empire. An evil wind was blowing over the country, he said, and the national equilibrium seemed broken. Mr. Gladu spoke as if he thought there were people in Canada who would like to eliminate the French-Canadians altogether.

Lair is Nominated. Dunnville, Ont., Oct. 26.—F. R. Lair, who as a Conservative has represented Haldimand in the House of Commons for the last fourteen years, was the unanimous choice yesterday of the union government organization here in the coming elections.

East Algonia Candidate. Sudbury, Ont., Oct. 26.—Geo. B. Nicholson of Chapleau was unanimously chosen as the unionist candidate for East Algonia, by a convention of Conservatives and Liberals here yesterday afternoon. No other name was submitted to the convention.

In North Bruce Tara, Ont., Oct. 26.—Colonel Hugh Clark was yesterday unanimously nominated as the win-the-war candidate for North Bruce, at a non-partisan convention here.

At Port Arthur Port Arthur, Ont., Oct. 26.—Two resolutions were passed at a general meeting of the Liberal Association last night. One was to meet a suggestion from the International Bible Union delegates by appointing fifteen delegates to meet a like number of Conservatives in an effort to agree upon a candidate.

Three hours later another resolution inviting Sir Wilfrid Laurier to visit Port Arthur on his proposed trip was passed.

PROVINCIAL ROADS Hon. Peter J. Veniot, provincial minister of public works, and Burton M. Hill, provincial road engineer, arrived in the city today after completing an inspection of roads and road work in Carleton county. There is still considerable road work to be done, chiefly in the form of finishing up the work already undertaken. The amount which will be accomplished before winter sets in now depends largely upon the weather.

No Breakwater Work While Shells Needed

Statement By Hon. F. B. Carvell Relative to St. John Harbor Matter—Minister Here Today

"We cannot spend on public works, however necessary, the money we need for shells." This was the statement made this afternoon by Hon. F. B. Carvell, the new Dominion Minister of Public Works, when asked about the prospects for the construction of the extension of the Negro Head breakwater to Partridge Island. The work, for which tenders were called some time ago, would require the expenditure of something like a million dollars.

"The construction of the breakwater is indefinitely postponed," Hon. Mr. Carvell added, "so long as we need the money for war purposes. Munitions must come first."

Hon. Mr. Carvell arrived in the city at noon today and is at the Royal Hotel. He will leave the city again this evening, but expects to return on Monday.

Shot Dead By Her Little Brother Near Fredericton

Tragedy in Farm House—Boy Pulls Trigger of Rifle When Sister Refuses to Hold Up Hands

Fredericton, Oct. 26.—A terrible tragedy was enacted early this morning at McLeod Hill, Parish of Douglas, some five miles from Fredericton, when Grace McNaughton, aged eleven years, was shot and killed instantly by her brother, two years younger. It was another case of "did not know it was loaded."

Coroner E. M. Mallory of the married couple, the McNaughtons, who were shot and killed in the house, was the victim of the shooting. The boy was responsible. The little fellow told the coroner that he "thought he would just snap the trigger."

The home is that of Mrs. and Mrs. Robert McNaughton and is on the farm of Wm. Seymour for whom Mr. McNaughton works. The mother was in the house at the time of the shooting and daughter and the father had gone to his work early. The boy and his wife were four children, a girl aged ten years, the boy making it doubtful if he was responsible. The little fellow told the coroner that he "thought he would just snap the trigger."

According to the information given by Dr. Mallory to the coroner, the rifle belonged to Frank Cowie, an employee of the Smith Foundry Company, Fredericton, who had left it there after hunting in the vicinity. The magazine evidently had been left charged. Mrs. McNaughton arrived just as the coroner was leaving, a car being sent to Doak Settlement for her.

This morning and Grace prepared the meal for the other children. She then returned to bed, lying down with her clothing on. The eldest sister was on the outside of the bed and the baby in the middle, Grace being at the rear. As the three children lay in bed little Gordon entered the room and seized a rifle which stood behind the door. He leveled the weapon at each of the children in the bed in turn. "Hands up," he said to each. Annie held her's up and then held up those of the baby. Grace refused to hold up hers and Gordon pulled the trigger. The bullet passed over the eldest sister and the baby and struck Grace in the chest, causing instant death.

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TRINIDAD SHOWS CASTRO THE DOOR

Destined, Apparently, to be a Wanderer on the Face of the Earth

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Oct. 26.—Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, has been requested by the government to leave Trinidad. The general declared his residence here had no political significance, and protested against being compelled to sail at this season of the year, but is preparing to depart for the United States.

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PHILIP AND PHOENIX WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. P. Stewart, director of meteorological service

Synopsis.—The storm which was centered in Montreal yesterday morning has almost disappeared over Labrador, while a disturbance which has moved northward with increasing energy towards the lower lakes. The weather is fine and mild here and is becoming much colder in the western provinces. Storm signals are displayed on the lower lakes.

Forecast.—Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay.—Winds increasing to gales from southwest and south tonight; Saturday, southwest gales, showers at first then fair.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence.—Fair and mild today; Saturday, southwest gales and showers.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North Shore.—Moderate winds, fair and mild today; Saturday, south and southwest gales, showers.

Gales, With Rain.—Maritime.—Moderate westerly winds, fair and mild part of Saturday, then southwest gales with rain in the south; Saturday, strong west to northwest winds, becoming colder, local snowfalls.

Lake Superior.—Strong easterly winds, fair and mild today; Saturday, moderate westerly winds, fair and mild part of Saturday, then southwest gales with rain in the south; Saturday, strong west to northwest winds, becoming colder, local snowfalls.

New England.—Probably rain late tonight and Saturday; warmer tonight, increasing southerly winds.

Fire Loss of \$300,000. Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 26.—Fire last night in the basement of the Baker Company, retail store, in Euclid avenue, did damage estimated at \$300,000.

Plows Up Ring Lost 20 Years. Swatara, Pa., Oct. 26.—A wedding ring lost twenty years ago in Pueblo, Col., by Mrs. C. R. Thompson of Jefferson avenue, Westgate, was ploughed up there a few days ago by a tenant who had leased their place, according to a letter received. The ring, which came with the letter, was identified by Mrs. Thompson as the lost one.

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ITALIANS GIVING WAY UNDER GREAT PRESSURE

Lines Back To The Border In One Sector

THE SINN FEIN CONFERENCE OPENS

More Than Quarter Million Members, Says Secretary

TO BE TRAINED IN USE OF ARMS

Conference Adopts Resolution To That Effect—Ireland as Independent Republic—More About Activities of MacCarton

Dublin, Oct. 26.—The Sinn Fein conference opened yesterday under the presidency of Arthur Griffiths, founder of the organization. There were 1,700 delegates present, including many young priests. The secretary reported that more than 1,000 clubs had been organized with a membership of a quarter of a million.

The conference last night decided that the members of the organization should be trained in the use of arms, although this will not be compulsory. The conference promised that the provisional government of Ireland should be established without delay. It adopted a provisional constitution aimed at securing the international recognition of Ireland as an independent republic and providing for the convocation of a constitutional assembly.

The conference was orderly. The speeches were delivered partly in the Irish language. London, Oct. 26.—The Daily Mail's Sinn Fein correspondent in West Ireland telegraphs that there is no news there of the whereabouts of Professor Edward Devillers, M. P. for East Clare, who was quoted in the House of Commons a day or two ago as having been freed from the Banninbeg internment camp. There is growing anxiety as to his movements. It is possible, says the correspondent, that he will be found in Dublin, while the most militant and pacific leaders in the west and south have gone to attend the convention.

MacCarton's Activity. Dublin, Oct. 25.—(Montreal Gazette cable)—Dr. Patrick MacCarton was a dispensary doctor at Carrickmore, County Tyrone, for several years before the Easter rising and has been identified with the Sinn Fein volunteers from their inception.

The London Chronicle's Cork correspondent says: "Melloys (MacCarton) escaped from Cork immediately after the Easter uprising on a forged seaman's ticket. The authorities at that time offered a large reward for his capture, and the Sinn Fein put out the report that he had got away in a German submarine, but I am in a position to state that Melloys made his way to an English port on a cross-channel passenger vessel. He acted a drunken seaman to perfection, and in this way eluded the vigilance of the authorities.

"Here is another story of his activities during the Easter week uprising. He was deported about six months before April 1916, to England, where he was expected to report himself daily to a police station. He reported himself only once, and then returned to Ireland and took part in the work. The police led at the rising in Galway. The police all the time thought him secure in England. He fooled them by getting a substitute to take his place and report every twenty-four hours, while all the time he was drilling, arming and preparing the Sinn Fein in Connaught.

DeValera President. Dublin, Oct. 26.—At today's session Prof. Edward DeValera, M.P. for East Clare, who was referred to in the House of Commons recently as having been in conflict with the Sinn Fein, was elected president of the conference after Count Plunkett and Arthur Griffith, who also were nominated, had withdrawn. In announcing that Professor DeValera had been elected unanimously, Mr. Griffith said the Sinn Fein now had at their head a statesman as well as a soldier.

CITY COAL. Orders have been received at city hall for more hard coal than is being received in the second shipment which the council is bringing in for the benefit of the citizens. Some of the departments are taking advantage of the opportunity to stock up for the winter, and yesterday all the teams of the water and sewerage department were busy hauling coal to the waterworks office, Leinster street, the venturi meter station, and the west end city hall.

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Good Things Coming
Theatres of St. John
VAUDEVILLE AT THE
IMPERIAL TOMORROW
Over a Thousand Seats at Fifteen
Cents—Three Acts, Feature
Picture and Serial

Elsewhere in this issue Imperial
Theatre makes announcement of its new
policy for winter—a return to vaudeville
novelties and new picture contracts.
The change will be made at the Satur-
day matinee (tomorrow), which will
hereafter mark the beginning of the
week. This Saturday arrangement is
necessary to enable specially acts to
close Friday night and get away in the
trains Saturday morning so that they
will open in another theatre in the States
Monday on time.
The opening acts tomorrow will be
interesting, clever and clean. Tuscan
Brothers are skillful welders of Roman
axes, and marvellous acrobats. Al
Berton's Song Revue (lady and gentleman)
is a bright melange of popular music
of the past and present with impres-
sions of starts and a little dancing in-
terpolations. LeRoy & Harvey will
present a western cowboy sketch of a
hubbubbing comic nature, entitled "Rained
In." All acts will have special scenic
setting.
The usual picture bill will be present-
ed. Triangle Company are showing
"The Savant Ring" with Bessie Love, a
dandy circus story; there will be the
second to last chapter of "The Great
Secret" with Bushman and Bayne and
a scenic reel as extra. The feature
will be run first, then the serial and the
vaudeville will wind up the show. The
feature alone will be repeated at the
matinee. In the evening there will be
two full shows.
Now as to price. The Imperial will
still have 1,000 seats at fifteen cents,
located partly on the lower floor and
the whole of the upper floor. The
twenty-five cent seats will be located at
the rear section of the lower floor. Boxes
50c reserved. Children as usual five
cents.

HAVE YOU SEEN "SUDS
OF LOVE," FOX COMEDY
AT UNIQUE THEATRE?

Those who enjoy a real hearty laugh
should not miss seeing the latest Fox
comedy, "Suds of Love," featuring Hank
Mann at Unique. The dippy cafe, the
mysterious refrigerator, the crazy laundry,
starring laughable features. Other
subjects and Arlington Orchestra.

LAST TIMES TONIGHT
FINE OPERA HOUSE BILL;
ALL NEW ON SATURDAY

If you have not seen the wonderful
bill at the Opera House the latest week,
you should do so tonight for this will
be your last opportunity to see one of
the most amazing under water feats
ever seen on a local stage. Lovers of
good music will find the vocal offering
of Holmes and Rely a rare treat—there
are three other splendid vaudeville acts
on the programme also, and the fourth
chapter of the gripping serial of the
Canadian northwest, The Red Ace, a
Canadian story with Canadian settings
and environment.
The change of programme tomorrow
afternoon offers as the big feature the
Five Musical Sailors in a comedy sing-
ing, talking and instrumental novelty.
It also includes Purrella and Ramsey in
a singing and dancing skit; the Flying
Summers, aerial whirwinders; Frank
Douglas, singer, dancer and dancer;
Albus Bros in comedy talk, song and
Indian club swinging; and the second
chapter of the Saturday Evening Post
striking serial drama, The Gray Ghost
with Eddie Polo.
Two shows as usual tomorrow after-
noon, at 2 and 3.30—evening at 7.30 and
9, and the same little prices for all per-
formances.

GEM'S PROGRAMME ONE
YOU'LL GREATLY ENJOY.

The feature picture at the Gem to-
night, "The Little Church Around the
Corner," is a gripping melodrama. It
gets you on edge with the exciting epi-
sodes and all who have seen it have been
greatly pleased. So, too, with the ex-
cellent vaudeville acts, making a super-
ior entertainment. Last times at 7.15
and 8.45. Tomorrow afternoon comes
an entire change. See ad. on page 15.

BYE-LAW CASES.

In the police court this morning G.
H. Evans was reported for running his
car on last Wednesday night without a
rear light. He said he had lit the lamp
1.50 before starting and it had blown out
without his knowledge. He was ex-
cused.

Thomas Stevens was reported for al-
lowing his car to stand two hours on
October 24, without a light.

Two boys were charged with acting
disorderly on the corner of King and
Ludlow streets, West End, and for up-
setting several cases of rubbers in Am-
our's store vestibule on the night of
Oct. 23. They were fined 88 or two
months in jail.

Im Burley was reported for allowing
boys under eighteen to play pool in his
pool-room. He said the boys had told
him they were eighteen. A fine was al-
lowed to stand.

MARRIAGES

SCRIBNER-BARLE—At the home of
the officiating clergyman, Rev. F.
Patrick Dennison, Wednesday, Oct. 24,
at 7 p.m., H. Roy Scribner of King-
ston, Kings county, was united in mar-
riage to Helen E. Barle, of Perry's
Point.

DEATHS

DAVIS—In this city, on 26th inst.,
Edward Quirk, only son of Mr. and Mrs.
John Davis, in the eighth year of his
age.
Funeral from his parents' residence,
16 Middle street, Saturday, 2.30.

DO AWAY WITH
PROFITEERING IN
COAL IN CANADA

Stringent Regulations Adopted by
Government—Profits Fixed—
Order Against Hoarding

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—An order-in-coun-
cil has been passed authorizing regula-
tions issued by the fuel administrator
for Canada respecting the importation
and sale of coal, which will go into ef-
fect on November 1.
Provision is made for the licensing of
all importers and dealers in coal now
doing business in Canada and that may
hereafter desire to do so. Application
must be made to the fuel controller
before November 21, by registered let-
ter, for a dealer's or importer's permit.
Heavy penalties are provided for doing
business without permit. Provision is
also made for the cancellation of per-
mits in cases where any dealer has been
found guilty of giving short weights or
where any other sufficient cause exists.
Under the regulations, every mine
operator in Canada must forthwith en-
ter into an agreement with the fuel con-
troller fixing the maximum prices per
ton he may charge for the output of his
mine.

The most far-reaching provisions of
the new regulations are those dealing
with dealers' commissions and profits.
Brokers are allowed a maximum of
thirty cents a ton for their services,
wholesalers a maximum of thirty-five
cents a ton, and retailers a sum not ex-
ceeding fifty cents a ton. These maxi-
mum profits are allowed over and above
reasonable overhead and handling
charges, and will effectively do away
with profiteering in coal.
Stringent regulations are made in re-
gard to the hoarding of hard coal. It
is provided that, except between April
and September, inclusive, in each year,
no consumer shall obtain any quantity
of coal in excess of an estimated supply
for two months with a minimum al-
lowance of three tons.

LOCAL NEWS

Sale at Amdur's, W.E., today and to-
morrow only.

Men's, boys' and children's fall and
winter overcoats nowhere in the city at
such low prices as Bassen's, 14-16-18
Charlotte street. No branches.

AT AMDUR'S SALE, WEST END.
You will find great savings in every
line.

If you are buying clothing for cash
or credit you should see Alex. Lesser,
Cash & Credit Co.'s line, 558-555 Main
street. See adv. on page 7.

ONLY TODAY AND TOMORROW
will be the sale at Amdur's, W.E. go on.

Special offering, beef steak, 22c lb.;
roast beef, 16c lb.—R. M. Tobias Bros.,
71 Erin street, Phone 1746-21. 10-29

Boys' suits all of good tweeds and
worsted; also overcoats in tweeds,
chinchillas and whiteones on the 51 week
system at Alex. Lesser's Cash & Credit
Co.'s store, 558-555 Main street. See
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DON'T MISS THE SALE
It is only the last two days. Amdur's
Dept. Store, 298-60 King street,
W.E.

If you are buying furs why not see
my line? All the latest at the most
moderate prices in town. I sell for cash
or credit.—Alex. Lesser's Cash & Credit
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RUMMAGE SALE
Saturday, October 27, 2 p.m., corner
Queen and Germain streets.

Bargains in working shirts at Am-
dur's sale today and tomorrow.

Girls' coats from \$5 up at Alex. Lesser's
Cash & Credit Store on the 51
week system, 558-555 Main street.
See adv. on page 7.

Remember the Patriotic Sale, 97
Prince William street, last two o'clock,
Saturday.

SPECIALS FOR THE LAST 2 DAYS
At Amdur's Dept. Store, sweaters
for men, women and children.

How about that waterproof? Buy it
from Alex. Lesser's Cash & Credit
Store on the 51 week system. See
adv. on page 7.

We have just received a new stock
of ladies' suits, coats, waists, furs, etc.
We offer these goods at a reduction of
20 per cent. You will profit if you will
come and inspect our goods. J. Tam-
man, 51 Brussels street.

Soldiers' Club, Saturday, proceeds for
soldiers' comfort bags. Open ten a.m.
10-4-n-r-26.

THE DRAMATIC MUSICAL RE-
CREATION
In Trinity Sunday School Hall, at 8
o'clock this evening, will be concluded
in time to allow out-of-town patrons to
get the 10.30 train. The reputation Miss
Gibson gained at Acadia in expression,
and the well known ability of Miss
Bayne as a pianist, make a strong
double attraction for this evening.

Dr. R. B. Jones Dead.
Halifax, Oct. 25.—A despatch from
Wolfeville announces the death of Dr. R.
B. Jones, a former professor of classics
at Acadia University.

Enlisted
Over 100 Years
JOHNSON'S
ANODYNE Liniment

For more than a century this wonderful
old family anodyne has been enlisted in
numerable causes to conquer Coughs, Colic,
Sore Throat, Grippe, Cramps, Chills, Burns,
Sprains, Strains and all the other common
ills. Whether used internally or externally,
this famous anodyne is superior to all others in
effectiveness and safety.

Soothe—Heal—Destroy Pain

TIRE CASE IS
DEVELOPING IN
POLICE COURT

Fourth Boy Arrested—One Says
The Tires Were Sold to Wil-
son For \$16

A fourth boy was arrested and
brought before Magistrate Ritchie this
morning in the matter of stealing five
tires from J. J. Davis. The boy pleaded
guilty. He was arrested by Sergeant
Smith.
The case against Eldon J. Wilson for
receiving the goods was then taken up.
The four boys gave evidence. They had
stolen the tires from the Clarendon
street garage on Monday night and had
hidden them in a shed near the corner
of Clarendon and Harvey streets. Two
had then gone down to the Union Depot
where one thought he might find Murray
Northrup. He told the others that he
wanted to find a man who, he knew,
would buy the tires. He could not find
Northrup, but met Eldon J. Wilson and
asked if he wanted to buy five tires. Wil-
son, he said, was told that one of the
boys worked in a rubber company's of-
fice and was able to get the tires. Wilson
drove the boys to where they said the
tires were and he told them that he only
had \$15 on him. They said they wanted
\$16, to make \$4 each, and they got their
price. The boy said Wilson then drove
him to a place near his home. He could
not get in, however, as it was past mid-
night, and the house was locked up.
He said that he slept in the barn all night.
Detective Duncan said he had first
seen Murray Northrup with one of the
tires going up Main street. He told him
that the tire was stolen and Northrup
said that the tire had been stolen, and
before Duncan could find the latter,
Wilson came to him and asked him if
there was any trouble about that tire. Dun-
can said the tire had been stolen, and
there. Wilson told him that a boy had
sold them to him. Wilson was keeping
them locked up in the refrigerator of
the White Owl lunch. Wilson offered to
go with Duncan to find the boy, but
Duncan refused and finally told Wilson
that he was under arrest. Duncan ad-
mitted that he did not tell Wilson that
anything he might say would be used
against him at his trial.

John Wilson testified that his brother
had told him about the boy selling him
the tires and he had acted on it, finding
the boys and then having them arrested.
The case was continued at this after-
noon's session.

Two of Crew Lost.
Lunenburg, N. S., Oct. 25.—9 despatch
to W. C. Smith & Company, from Cap-
tain Thomas Hinckley, of the schooner
Delawana, reports the loss of two
men, Clayton Colp and Wilbert Conrad,
both of Lunenburg. The schooner ar-
rived at Lunenburg with 400 quintals of
fish.

Choice Western Beef
Lamb, Pork, Chickens
and Vegetables

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256 Main St. Phone M 456

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Is noted for his photos. The most ap-
preciated gift is one of these. Christ-
mas samples now ready. Come early
and save disappointment.
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For Cash Tomorrow

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WILL
ENJOY
OUR TEA
COFFEE

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YORK GLASSES

To be comfortable they must
fit well, and to do this, they
must be made right.

We design and make our
glasses in our own factory un-
der personal supervision.

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THE BEST QUALITY AT
A REASONABLE PRICE

Will Your Child
Develop Nearsight?

Myopia—"near-sightedness"—
is usually an acquired con-
dition caused by excessive use of
the eyes while they are grow-
ing. It becomes noticeable be-
tween the ages of 10 and 16,
and unless corrected, continues
to grow until about the age of
25 years.

Use of glasses for a few years
in childhood may prevent near-
sightedness requiring glasses
throughout life.

You ought to have Sharpe's
optometrist examine your
child's eyes now.

L. L. Sharpe & Son
Jewelers and Opticians,
21 KING ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

STANDALONE COFFEE—
For Honest Value. 37c. lb.

GRAPE FRUIT
New Jamaica (juicy) 8c. each

TOILET SOAPS—
Castile (with wash cloth) 10c.
Losario, in amber or green 10c.
Venetian Bath 12-1-2c.

Gilbert's Grocery

SCROFULA AND ALL
HUMORS GIVE WAY

There are many things learned from
experience and observation that the old-
er generation should impress upon the
younger. Among them is the fact that
scrofula and other humors, which pro-
duce eczema, boils, pimples and other
eruptions, can be most successfully treat-
ed with Hood's Sarsaparilla.
This great medicine is a peculiar com-
bination of remarkably effective blood-
purifying and health-giving roots, herbs
and berries, which are gathered especially
for it.
Hood's Sarsaparilla has stood the
test of forty years.
Get a bottle today—now—from your
nearest drug store. Always keep it on
hand.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of real estate have been re-
corded as follows:

St. John County
S. H. Ewing et al. to A. B. Teslake
et al. to Osborn Nicholson and to A. J.
Ritchie, properties in Simonds.

LEASHHOLD
J. J. O'Neill, to Catherine, wife of J.
O'Neill, property in Adelaide street.
C. E. Paris to Gertrude E., wife of
C. D. Hoyt, property in Horsfield street.

Kings County
William Finley to J. T. Wilcox, prop-
erty in Westfield.
Annie M. and Jean Kennedy to E. B.
Watters, property in Studholm.

J. H. Long et al. to B. K. Nodwell,
property in Studholm.
Heirs of Elizabeth Sprague to William
Sprague, property in Springfield.

GURTON BABY BOY DIES OF INJURIES

Robert Gurton, three-year-old son of
Mrs. William Gurton of Clarence street,
a widow, died in the General Public
Hospital today as a result of being run
over by F. S. Purdy's grocery team on
the 24th inst. Mr. Purdy was in the
police court this afternoon on charge
of allowing his team to be driven by a
minor.

Gerald McAnulty, who is in the Gen-
eral Public Hospital suffering from a
fractured skull, is showing some signs
of improvement and is expected to live.

CITY EMPLOYEE INJURED.
James Cook, a teamster in the em-
ploy of the city public works depart-
ment, was painfully injured yesterday
when he was run over by his horse. He
was engaged in hauling binders on
Marsh road and had alighted to dis-
charge his load when the horse took
fright and ran away, knocking him
down and running over him. He was
taken to his home and later to the hos-
pital where his chief injury was found
to be a severe broken rib. His condition
is not regarded as serious.

DEATH OF BOY
Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, of 16 Middle
street, will have the deep sympathy of
friends in the death of their only son,
Edward G. Davis, who died today, in
his eighth year.

RED CROSS ACKNOWLEDGMENTS
At a meeting of the executive of the
committee in charge of the collections for
the British Red Cross fund, which was
held in the mayor's office today, it was
decided that the names of all subscrib-
ers of \$1 or more would be published in
the evening papers.

NEWS OF SOLDIER
Mrs. Janet Donaldson, next of kin of
No. 69,255, Pte. William Donaldson, of
the infantry, is requested to communi-
cate with the office of the Western
Union Telegraph Co.

THE RETURNED MEN
Also there arrived today G. W. G. Far-
rar, 12th battalion, Fusiliers; Private
W. L. Fowler, C.F.A., Moncton; Lance-
Corporal F. G. Gallagher, 4th battalion,
Frederickton; Private E. L. Green, 5th
C.M.R., Florenceville; Private J. Goldie,
P.P.C.L.I., Millford; Private E. H. Lar-
sen, 8th battalion, St. Andrews.

THE MILK CONFERENCE
The dominion conference on milk
problems now in session in Ottawa is
taking more time than had been anti-
cipated. In spite of long sessions, fre-
quently lasting until midnight, the con-
ference has not concluded its work, as
had been expected. Commissioner Wig-
more does not expect to reach St. John
before Monday.

Provincial Position
Fredericton, Oct. 26.—Ben Gallant, a
maritime province graduate of the
Guelph Dairy School, has been engaged
as assistant superintendent of dairying
in New Brunswick.

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Floor Coverings
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION

Having just received several advance shipments of Linoleums,
Oilcloths and Carpets, we are enabled to offer you a full and exten-
sive line of Floor-coverings in all the latest designs, at MAROUS'
MODERATE PRICES.

If you need a new Floor Covering, or intend re-covering that
floor or stairway before the cold weather sets in, call and inspect our
stock and get our prices.

WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION. TRY US

J. Marcus, 30 Dock St.

SPECIAL LINE OF
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FROM \$2.00 UP

MODEL MILLINERY
29 Canterbury Street 16-29

LOCAL NEWS

GIFT FROM VIRGINIA
Mayor Hayes has received a contribu-
tion of \$5 for the British Red Cross fund
from Miss Nan L. Davis, of Lynchburg,
Virginia.

BOYES FOR SOLDIERS.
At a meeting of the Monday Evening
Club, held at Mrs. Haslett's, Adelaide
road, on Monday evening, they prepared
eighteen boxes for soldiers overseas.

Reid-Rae.
On Wednesday evening at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rae, Moncton,
their daughter Elizabeth, was united in
marriage to Leslie Kingston Reid, of
this city.

WHY GERMANY IS
WITHDRAWING TROOPS
ON RUSSIAN FRONT
Petrograd, Oct. 26.—It is considered
in well-informed military circles that
the object of the German withdrawal
beyond the Dvina is to consolidate the
defence of Riga so as to make its re-
capture impossible. The enemy is also
shortening his Baltic front by about
thirty miles, rendering useless positions
of the Russian army on which much
work had been expended and necessitat-
ing the establishment of other posi-
tions closer to the enemy's new lines.

PERSONALS
The many friends of Mrs. T. J.
Stone, West Side, will be glad to see her
out again after her recent illness. Her
sister, Mrs. S. H. Cassidy of Moncton
who was called here, will return to her
home soon.

Mrs. T. A. French of 125 Victoria
street, spent Monday and Tuesday with
Mrs. A. W. Hicks at Hampton.

G. M. Wilson, of Hampton, is a visi-
tor in the city today.

E. H. King, of Chipman, and Dr. J.
E. Hetherington, of Cady's, representa-
tives of Queens county in the legisla-
ture, are in the city today.

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WILLS OF WM. MURDOCH
AND RICHARD J. WALSH

The will of William Murdoch, late city
engineer, has been admitted to pro-
bate. The estate amounts to about \$5,
500, and his widow, who was sworn in
as executrix, is the sole legatee. S. A.
M. Skinner is the proctor.

The will of Richard J. Walsh has
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as executrix. The estate, valued at \$1,
500, is left to his widow.

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MEN'S FALL OVERCOATS
TO CLEAR AT \$12.00

We have laid out the balance of our Fall Overcoats—priced from \$15.00 to \$18.00, to
clear at \$12.00. There's about thirty coats in the lot. Styles: Chesterfields, Slip-ons, etc.
The above offer is for Saturday and Monday only.

MEN'S SUITS AND WINTER OVERCOATS
We have one of the most complete lines of Men's Suits and Winter Overcoats to be
found in the city—all the latest styles.

In Overcoats, we have the Form-fitting, Chesterfield, Trench Coat with belt. Priced
\$15.00 to \$30.00.

A. E. HENDERSON,
MEN'S CLOTHIER
Made-to-Order and Ready-to-Wear 104 King Street

Vast Majority Ask Exemption

The figures handed out at the provincial registrar's office in Prince William street yesterday showed that seventy-five men of the first class signed the service card while 877 filled out the exemption claims, thus bringing the total to date for service, 414, and for exemption, 2,304.

It is said that almost 20,000 men of New Brunswick are liable under the act and of this number only 2,717 have registered so far. The men of the first class are given until November 10 to register, which means that from now, October 26, until that date, something over 17,000 men will be in line for registration. There are sixteen days, counting today, until November 10, with two Sundays, which leaves strictly speaking only fourteen days in which 17,000 men between the ages of twenty and thirty-four in this province have to register. This means well over 1,000 a day. Yesterday 692 men registered which is short of the 1,000 by 308 names. New Brunswick's share of the 100,000 men is about 4,000 and of these 414 are available.

Sixty-one was the number examined by the doctors at the standing medical board yesterday, the largest number of applicants that there has been for several days. They were divided into the following classes: 37, B, 7, C, 10, D, 1, and E, or unfit, 17.

Halifax Strong for Exemption. Halifax, Oct. 25.—The total registrations in the Halifax district to date are 3,702. Of this number 3,122 have made application for exemption and 570 for reported for military service. Yesterday 899 claimed exemption and thirty-six reported for service.

Brantford Exemption Claims Large. Brantford, Oct. 25.—To date 299 eligible in class one of the Military Service act have reported at postoffice, only twelve reporting for service, the remainder all asking for exemption papers.

One-Sixth in Manitoba. Winnipeg, Oct. 25.—Only about one-sixth of the men in class one of the Military Service act have registered in Manitoba thus far.

The figures announced by E. R. Chapman, registrar, this morning show that 6,887 have made application for exemption, while 920 have reported for service.

Alberta Has Full Battalion. Calgary, Oct. 25.—Registrar Carson received 1,142 military service forms this morning, of which 1,028 were claims for exemption and 114 reports for service. The total to date stands as follows: Forms received, 9,549; claims for exemption, 9,890; reports for service, 1,222. 826 Out of 2,079.

Vancouver, Oct. 25.—Up to last night 892 Vancouver men in military service class one reported for service under the Military Service act. In the same time 1,278 claimed exemption.

5,806 Report in Saskatchewan. Regina, Oct. 25.—Up to last night there were 5,806 men in the province who either reported for service or made application for exemption. Of this number 607 reported for service and 5,199 made claim for exemption.

Not Nary at Moosejaw. Moosejaw, Sask., Oct. 25.—Only 38 out of 388 men, who have reported at

"One Meatless Meal a Day" is a good food slogan for war time, or any time—better make it two meatless meals a day—it would mean health and strength for the nation.

But be sure and get the right substitute for meat in a digestible form. Shredded Wheat Biscuit is the ideal substitute for meat. It is 100 per cent. whole wheat prepared in a digestible form. Two or three of these little loaves of baked whole wheat make a nourishing, satisfying meal at a cost of only a few cents. Delicious with milk or cream or fruits of any kind.

Made in Canada.

LLOYD GEORGE BEATEN ON TECHNICAL VOTE

London, Oct. 25.—Premier Lloyd George's government suffered its first defeat in the house of commons tonight. In the government bill to promote the production of petroleum in the United Kingdom, provision was made for a payment of a royalty of nine pence per ton. An amendment striking this provision out, was carried 64 to 35.

The defeat of the government is regarded as purely mechanical and will not affect the government's tenure of office.

Paris, Oct. 25.—The chamber of deputies today passed a vote of confidence in the government 388 to 187.

TECHNICAL SCHOOL FULL. Ambitious War Veterans of M. H. C. Classes Crowding Out Civilians.

Calgary, Oct. 25.—The number of returned soldiers taking training in the technical school at Calgary is increasing at such a rapid rate, according to J. F. Boyce, assistant vocational officer for the province, that it is possible that when the students for the fall term have been enrolled there will be no room for civilians.

One of the most interesting classes now at work is the steam traction man, engaged just now in plowing. A field is the classroom, and while one man runs the engine the remainder of the class follow him about the field with their eyes open for his mistakes, and their ears set to catch any hint of engine trouble.

A mishap means that everyone turns in to help, and the experience profits all. It has even been hinted that the instructor puts in a little trouble on occasion.

BRITISH COLUMBIA PRODUCTS

The production of honey in British Columbia this year is reported to have been in heavier volume than that of any year during the last ten. The output this year is placed at 150 tons. Most sales in bulk have been at 20c per pound, and the output is for still higher figures, as the United States estimates indicate only half a crop in that country. This year's product on the lower mainland is of fine quality, the highest figures reported being 200 and 205 pounds of honey from one hive.

According to figures recently issued by the provincial department of agriculture, the value of products of British Columbia farms in 1916 made a new record and totalled \$21,000,000. This compared with \$21,277,600 in 1915. Provincial imports last year were valued at \$17,109,000, as compared with \$25,109,125 for 1915.

Chalmers H. Brown, of the British Columbia products were valued at \$4,000,000, showing an increase of from 30 to 85 per cent. over the 1915 figures.

The black melon overcoat we are selling at \$15 will help you out on the high rent district, 440 Main. T.F.

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THE GARBAGE WASTE. To the Editor of The Times—

Sir—Will you please allow me space in your paper to express my views on one line of waste that is going on in our city. In these days when there is so much talk of economy, food control, etc., I think the following suggestions will not come amiss: I refer to the waste of garbage, scraps of bread, meat, etc., left from our tables.

Twenty, even ten years ago, our milkmen used to take all our garbage away, and I know it made good feed for pigs and hens. Then the board of health ordered that stopped, but surely that embargo should be lifted now as all kinds of feed have gone up in price that it is almost impossible for people raising pigs, hens, or cows to pay the price asked, and the garbage from every house would help considerably.

There is another thing I would like to speak of. It is the needless feeding of useless dogs and cats (some dogs and cats are neither useful nor ornamental). The food they consume should be feeding the hens and chicks. I make a practice of saving every scrap, even the crumbs made while cutting a loaf of bread would make a meal for a young chick.

Trusting that you will give this space in both your papers. Yours very truly, PRO PATRIA. St. John, Oct. 25.

BROWN'S GROCERY COMPANY

86 Brussels St. Phone M. 2666. 134 King St. West. Phone W. 1666.

24 lb. bag Royal Household Flour, \$1.65
24 lb. bag Pure Flour, \$1.75
24 lb. bag Five Roses, \$1.75
10 lbs. Sugar, \$1.00

2 pkgs. Shredded Wheat, 25c
1 pkge. Quaker Oatmeal, 25c
4 cakes Gold Soap, 25c
4 lbs. Oatmeal, 45c
2 cans Evaporated Milk, 25c
3 bottles Extracts—Lemon or Vanilla, 25c
6 lbs. Good Oatmeal, 25c
6 pkgs. Cow Brand Baking Soda, 25c
Fresh Ground Coffee, per lb., 70c
Young's Pure Lard at Old Prices

1 lb. pkge. Swift's Pure Lard, 30c
3 lbs. Swift's Pure Lard, 85c
5 lbs. Swift's Pure Lard, \$1.50
DOMESTIC SHORTENING
1 lb. of Domestic Shortening, 25c
3 lb. pails Domestic Shortening, \$1.23
5 lb. pails Domestic Shortening, \$1.80
Choice Country Butter, per lb., 48c
Strictly Fresh Eggs, per doz., 49c
All Vegetables at Lowest Market Prices.

Goods Delivered All Over City, Carleton and Fairville. 10-29

Extra Specials For Saturday and Monday — AT — Parkinson's Cash Stores 113 Adelaide Street Main 962. 147 Victoria Street Main 77-2. East St. John Post Office Main 79-11.

Onions, 5c lb. 6 for 25c, \$2.90 bag Apples, 35c, 40c, 45c, and 50c, peck A Special Line in Oranges, Peaches, Prunes, 9c lb., 3 for 25c. Fresh Ground Coffee, 40c per lb. Canned Tomatoes, large cans, 20c. Peas, 10c. Gold Cross Beans, small, 10c. Salmon, Carrot, 20c. Red Clover Salmon, small, 18c. King's Quality Flour—98 lb. bag, \$6.25. 24 lbs. King's Quality Flour, \$1.65. 24 lbs. Star Flour, \$1.65. Other Goods Equally Cheap. A Pleasant Self-Contained House To Let or For Sale, near East St. John Post Office. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday. Apply W. Parkinson, 147 Victoria street. 10-29.

BYRON BROS. 231 Brussels St. Phone M 1402. Royal Household Flour, per bbl., \$12.50. Royal Household, 24 lb. bag, \$6.15. Purity, 24 lb. bag, \$6.65. Purity or Regal, 24 lb. bag, \$1.70. 10 1/2 lbs. Granulated Sugar, \$1.00. 5 gals. oil, \$1.00. King Cole Tea, per lb., 50c. Lipton's Tea, 45c. Dairy Butter, per lb., 45c. 2 tins R. C. Salmon, 35c. Cheese per lb., 25c. Clark's Chili Sauce, 25c. Brown Beans, per qt., 25c. 4 cakes Surprise or Gold Soap, 25c. 5 cakes Lennox Soap, 25c. 2 bottles Tomato Catsup, 25c. 3 Lemon or Vanilla extract, 25c. 4 Jelly Powder, 25c. 2 Shredded Wheat, 25c. Ladies invited to attend demonstration of Magic Baking Powder at this Store Friday and Saturday. 10-29.

LOCAL NEWS

SOON BE OVER. "Children who will soon be over. Have you had your sitting to secure the large 68 picture of your child or children free? Call Main 1697 and make your appointment. The Reid Studio, corner Charlotte and King streets.

Wanted, bell boy, Apply Royal Hotel. T.F.

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What about wool and shaker blankets and comforters. You can save money at Bassett's, 14-16-18 Charlotte, no branches.

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NOTICE. Regular meeting of Railway Freight Handlers' Union will be held in their hall, Friday evening, Oct. 26, at 8 o'clock. As there is some important business to be dealt with, also an election of officers, all members are requested to attend. By order of the president. 10-27

Will the person who is harboring or has seen a black and white Pomeranian dog please notify H. Miller, 158 Douglas avenue, or Phone M. 1064, 6784-10-29

Do all your shopping at Bassett's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street, no branches.

BOYS' OVERCOATS. The best value in the city in boys' overcoats, \$4.75 up. Turner, out of the high rent district, 440 Main street. T.F.

LADIES! Ladies' fall coats, \$98 to \$98, at Bassett's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street; no branches.

Help the food controller by using Golden Gem Graham Flour. c-o-10-27.

You can save \$5 on your overcoat if you attend our Surprise Sale. Penman's wool fleece-lined underwear only 69 cents a garment—C. Magnusson & Son, 64-56-58 Dock street. 10-28

SALE OF LADIES' SUITS AT OAK HALL AT 20 P. C. DISCOUNT. Scovill Bros., Ltd., regular advertising space contains very interesting reading for the women who do not buy their new fall suit. Every new suit is included in this sale, which is advertised at 20 p. c. off regular marked prices. These are all new goods and include the popular Autumn shades, such as navy, green, brown and burgundy. Early choosing would be advisable.

SHIPPING

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PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. Sch Onward, 92, York, Mattland. Str Valinda, 56, Lewis, Bridgetown. Str Connors Bros, 64, Warnock, Chace Harbor. Cleared. Sch Leah D, 48, Sabean, Joggins. Str Valinda, 56, Lewis, Bridgetown. Str Empress, 612, MacDonald.

MARINE NOTES. The dismantled schooner J. Frank Seavey, which was towed into Halifax some days ago, is partly owned by B. C. Elkin & Co., of St. John, and Fred Elkin, of the firm, went to Halifax Wednesday to look after their interests. At Halifax the vessel is to receive new spars, sails and rigging. The cargo is now being discharged.

The En route for England, the steamer Prince Arthur arrived at Halifax Wednesday in command of Captain Frank Crosby. She has been requisitioned by the British government and Captain Crosby is to be sent to the coast of France to look after their interests. The Prince Arthur was, until this week, on the Yarmouth-Boston route.

The tug Lillie, which Hendry, Ltd., Halifax, bought recently from H. C. Elkin, of St. John, arrived at Halifax Wednesday. She is commanded by Captain Sittand. On entering Halifax harbor, all the steam craft along the water front, blew their whistles, giving her a good reception on her first appearance at what will now be her home port.

The steamer Holmes, which arrived here from Sydney on Tuesday with coal for F. P. & W. F. Starr, Ltd., sailed for Sydney yesterday.

Among the schooners arriving at Halifax Wednesday, were: Maple Leaf, Captain Mader, from Louisburg, 188 tons coal for George E. Hoak & Son.

Flo F. Mader, Captain Mader, from Louisburg, 208 tons coal for George E. Hoak & Son.

Albert A. Young, Captain Porrier, from River Bourgeois, 1,050 quintals dry fish, cargo not sold.

Eldoro, Captain Porrier, from River Bourgeois, 700 quintals dry fish, cargo not sold.

Florence B., Captain Baker, from River Bourgeois, which 500 quintals dry fish, cargo not sold.

Formosa, Captain Richard, from the Magdalen Islands, 700 quintals dry fish, cargo not sold.

Sir Wilfrid, Captain Cyr, from the Magdalen Islands, 1,200 quintals dry fish, cargo not sold.

Grand Desert, Captain La Plance, from the Magdalen Islands, 1,300 quintals dry fish, cargo not sold.

James Douglas, Captain Ronkey, from the banks, 50,000 pounds mixed

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Fresh fish for the National Fish Company. Fleet Wing, Captain Seavey, from Tor Bay, 800 barrels herring, cargo not sold.

J. D. Hasen, Captain Penney, from Lunenburg, to load flour for St. John's (Nfld.).

Olga B. Kenney, Captain McIntyre, from Cheticamp, 700 quintals dry fish for Robin, Jones and Wiltman.

Other arrivals were the Gladys M. Smith, from Chester; Bessie May from Ostrea Lake; Oriole B., from Jeddore; Bling Dawn, from Spray Bay, and Jennie M., from Ship Harbor.

Word received at Halifax Wednesday stated that the schooner Mary A., Captain Therault, loaded with 1,000 quintals dry fish for Halifax, was damaged at the wharf at Ingonish but slight repairs were all that was needed to allow her to proceed.

The tern schooner Joel Cook, which went south from the United States port after landing a cargo of lumber from Halifax, has been chartered from a Gulf port to north side of Caba, lumber at \$20.

Schooner Matanzas, Captain Oickle, is due at Halifax from Lunenburg to load flour for St. John's (Nfld.), from there with fish to Barbados and back to Lunenburg with salt from Turk's Island.

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3 lbs. Rice, 25c
Yellow or Grey Buckwheat Flour, 7c lb.
Brown Bear, per qt., 25c
3 bottles Extract, 25c
4 lbs. Sweet Potatoes, 25c
2 cans B. C. Salmon, 35c
Yellow-eye Beans, per qt., 30c
Raisins, 14c pkge, 2 for 25c
Porridge Wheat, per pkge., 22c
2 lbs. Starch, 25c
Campbell's Soup, 18c, 2 for 35c.

Barrels Household \$12.50
24 lb. bags Beans, \$2.90
1/2 barrel, 6.40
1/2 barrel, 6.15
24 lb. bags Sun Sets, 1.65
24 lb. bag Whole Wheat Flour, 1.70
6 lbs. Bran, 25c
4 lbs. Oatmeal, 25c
3 lbs. Graham Flour, 25c
3 lbs. Choice Peas, 25c
Evaporated Potatoes, 15c
4 lb. tin of Strawberry and Apple, 50c
2 lb. tin Pure Strawberry, 40c
4 lb. tin Pure Strawberry, 35c
4 lb. tin Pure Marmalade, 70c
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Macaroni, 10c pkge.
Spaghetti, 12c pkge.
Vermicelli, 12c pkge.
6 lbs. Choice Onions, 25c
75 lb. bag, only \$2.75

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Tomato Catsup, medium, 15c, 2 bottles 25c
Worcestershire Sauce, 15c, 2 bottles 25c
Tomatoes, large tin, 22c, can
Best Corn, 18c, can
5 cakes Lennox Soap, 25c
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BOYS' CLUB GROWING

There are now 107 names on the membership roll of the Boys' Club of the Playgrounds Association, and they are still coming. Caretaker Harry Scott asserts that there are no better boys in St. John. They include a number of working boys, and when A. M. Belding asked these last evening if they would like to join study classes for an hour or so two or three evenings per week, a number of them replied in the affirmative. If possible this will be arranged.

Several of these lads can play a little on the piano, and when they do there is always an eager group crowded around them. More than sixty boys were present all of the time last evening, and some were coming and going. When Mr. Belding said that Michael Kelly would be glad to visit the club now and then and try them out in mental arithmetic and spelling, there was a chorus of approval. The boys have a number of interesting games to play, and there are many boys' books to read.

Other activities have not yet been fully organized, and there is a fine opportunity for anyone interested in boys to lend a hand. This Boys' Club has steadily grown in usefulness and in popularity with the boys of that section of the city.

ASSESSMENT PLANS

The newly appointed assessment commission to amend, revise or reconstruct the assessment bill rejected at the last session of the legislature, is busily engaged at its work. M. D. Sweeney, secretary of the old board, has been engaged as secretary because of his acquaintance with the work. Sessions are being held frequently, but at the present time there is a lapse during which data are being gathered.

As a member of the commission pointed out yesterday, the chief reason why the bill was thrown out was because of the inequitable feature or that part which compelled a disclosure of one's income. Information is being gathered now with the idea of getting at the matter in another way—on a rental basis. No decision has yet been reached. The commission will later on review the data compiled and come to a decision. It is suggested there is a possibility that the old report will be adopted practically as it stands.

The board of trade is generally held responsible for the rejection of the former bill. Because the board had no representation on the commission it was not familiar with the commission's reasons for compelling disclosure.

NO BEEF BY NEXT SPRING

Calgary, Alta., Oct. 25.—Dr. J. W. Robertson, chief adviser to Food Controller Hanna, speaking in the Central Methodist church last night, predicted that by next spring the consumption of beef would be prohibited. He also promised to use his influence to secure the prohibition of the manufacture of ice cream, although at the same time he predicted that to abolish ice cream would increase the price of milk.

He gave as a reason why the killing of young animals was not forbidden that it takes two years for them to grow and it will not affect the quantity of meat now adding that if dairymen were forbidden to sell young beef cattle they would kill them on the quiet and bury them.

Dr. Robertson also repeated his declaration that as a food producer, there was less waste in turning barley into beer than in feeding it to animals to produce milk, pork and beef.

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The Evening Times and Star

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THE WAR OUTLOOK.

It is a cheering fact that eagerness to talk of peace is found in the Austro-German press. The circulation of rumors by Germany that Britain and her Allies are ready to make peace at the expense of Russia and Roumania is only a mask for her own desire to get out of the war as quickly as possible, and with the least possible disturbance of her plans for the future.

The defeat of the Italian cabinet and the troubles of the Poincare cabinet in France show that the war-strain is telling on the people, but whatever domestic disputes there may be the determination to continue the war is unshaken. The new Swedish government has declared its intention to be strictly neutral, which could not be said of its predecessor.

Mr. Hoover, the American food administrator, declares that the war is a matter of endurance, and calls upon the people of this continent to stimulate production and economize in food in order that the Allies may be fed and kept strong for their great task.

The most hopeful sign in the whole war outlook is the confession by the German press of a growing shortage of leather, fuel, clothing, vegetables and some other supplies. In a struggle of endurance the Allies have every advantage.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION

The speech Hon. Mr. Carvell at Sarnia, following the statements of Premier Murray of Nova Scotia and Hon. W. K. Fielding and the entry of Hon. A. K. Maclean into the cabinet, has done much to enlighten maritime province Liberals on the whole situation. They are able to perceive clearly that the Liberal party has not been abandoned by the members who entered the new government.

Liberals and Conservatives have united to nominate union candidates in Sudbury, North Bruce and Haldimand, Ontario. In the province of Saskatchewan party lines have been obliterated, and there is a National Government Association, which will nominate and endeavor to elect ten Liberals and six Conservatives. Some leading Liberals of Toronto to protest against the statement that strait Liberals will contest every Toronto seat in opposition to the new government.

THE COMING CHANGE

The war has taught Canada some lessons that will not be forgotten after the war is over. If it is necessary to prevent speculation and inflated prices in war time, why not in peace time? If the profiteer must be eliminated in war-time, why should he exist in time of peace?

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who are none the less faithful in the performance of every task, and find time to interest themselves and give something of themselves to the promotion of community welfare.

Our whole social system is wrong in the extent that it permits the piling up of colossal fortunes. They are not essential to business welfare, and they too often place the utterly undeserving in positions of influence where that influence is harmful to the public welfare.

And so, when the war is over, there must be a readjustment. New standards must be adopted. More attention must be paid to the social improvement of the great mass of the people, and money must be found to finance the work of education, the proper care of the helplessly inefficient, and the complete reorganization of the social system, so that the general standard of living will be raised and the gap between the multi-millionaire and the semi-proletarian made narrower toward the time when there will be a comfortable life prospect for every deserving soul.

Hunger brought the revolution to Russia. The distress of the poor in Canada, due to conditions which produce too many millionaires, will cause a political and social revolution here. Those who think otherwise should study the conditions of life around them, and the world-wide unrest, among people who are growing ever more conscious of the power of the ballot. The new government in Canada has the opportunity to do much to lighten the burdens of the poor and prevent the profiteers from making the conditions harsher.

That sturdy South African soldier and statesman, Gen. Smuts, whose voice is heard with so keen appreciation in England in these troubled times, has a vision of the better time to be. In an address in Sheffield yesterday he said:—

"We want to arise from carnage and slaughter to a new and better world. We want to see more justice in this world, less poverty, less luxury. We want to see better standards of living, more economic freedom and security for all workers in a world where there will be no idlers, rich or poor."

Gen. Smuts points out that to attain this end militarism must be crushed. That is the first step, but when the military autocracy has been destroyed there will still be the autocracy of wealth and privilege to be overcome and the intolerance of labor and the intolerance of capital to be replaced by a co-operation making for the common welfare.

Halifax Chronicle—"The government announces that it intends to abolish patronage in the purchase of supplies and that hereafter there will be no patronage lists in any department of the government. If this good intention is implemented it will be a great gain to the country. The grafters must be weeded out."

A girl of fourteen has run away from home. Many girls of fourteen to sixteen are found nightly on the streets without escort unless they "pick up" a male companion. What are their parents thinking about? Vice is spreading in the city of St. John, and feeding on the young and unadvised of the community.

St. John is presented with the serious problem of providing care for the children of a considerable number of women who care more for dissipation than for their little ones. Such women should be given a term with hard labor in a reformatory institution. That would perhaps bring them to their senses.

The Sinn Fein conference in Dublin last night decided that members should be trained in the use of arms. It also promised a provisional government and an effort to establish an Irish republic. Any such folly means bloodshed and still darker days for Ireland.

We are told to eat potatoes instead of wheat, and instantly potatoes go up in price. We are told to eat beans instead of beef, and up go beans. What a pity we could not flourish on the dust of the streets or the microbes in the air.

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If there is to be a rebellion in Ireland, it will be bad for Great Britain, but worse for Ireland. The Sinn Fein is today Ireland's greatest enemy.

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LIGHTER VEIN

A Washington man, in motoring through Virginia, stopped one day at a toll bridge he had often passed over and found there was a new keeper in charge.

"Where's the man who used to act as keeper here?" asked the motorist. "He's dead sir," was the reply. "Dead? Poor fellow! Joined the great majority, eh?"

"Well," said the man, cautiously, "I wouldn't like to say that, sir. He was a good enough man so far as I know."—Harper's Magazine.

"Well, did you get any orders today?" asked the book agent's wife. "Yes," replied the book agent. "I got two orders in one place. One was to get out and the other was to stay out."

Apropos of high prices, Cassell's Saturday Journal (London) has this: Scene in restaurant. John, glancing over bill of fare—Looke, Betsy, what be the price of eggs, they come by honest. If this be the price of poached eggs!

CATHEDRAL TEA

The Cathedral High Tea was brought to a close last evening as far as the adults were concerned. This afternoon will be reserved for the children of the parish, when they will be given an opportunity to visit the fair.

The City Cornet Band will be in attendance and render the music. Last evening the voting contest for the most popular Catholic ladies' society of the Cathedral parish was finished, and the Children of Mary had the highest number of votes, with a total of 1,879, and thus proved the winners of the \$50 in gold.

The winner in the Italian Rose Garden lottery were Miss Minnie Bradley and Fred Smith. The lottery in connection with the Domestic Society table, under the auspices of St. Monica's society, was won by Mrs. Alice Dwyer, who received a pair of chickens, one pound of butter and one dozen of eggs. In connection

with the rose garden lottery, the Misses Lillian Wallace, Mary and Alice Conlon and Frances Ryan rendered valuable service. Those in charge of St. Monica's booth were Mrs. J. H. Doody, general convener; Miss A. J. Haley, cashier; Mrs. J. D. Maher, convener for the evening; Mrs. D. W. Harper, Miss Josephine Lynch, with Miss Beatrice Carleton in charge of the "pick my pockets" scheme.

The City Cornet Band was on hand last evening again and played several excellent selections. Four hundred diners were served last evening. The lottery for a young colt, donated by Martin Dolan, will be drawn next week.

The candy booth did a thriving business during the entire day, and the combined efforts of those interested in the booth realized up until last night the sum of \$200. The basket of candy was won by Mrs. J. Sprout, St. John West.

The domestic science housewife's lucky basket containing a pair of chickens, two dozen of eggs and a pound of butter was won by Mrs. Dwyer.

The result of the bean toss was as follows: Gent's, Mr. Murphy, 1st, box of cigars; W. Moore, 2nd, shirt; Patrick Fitzpatrick, 3rd, a hat; ladies, Mrs. McCormick, 1st, an umbrella; Miss McCormick, 2nd, a tray cloth; and Mrs. Galivan, a hassock.

The name of the dressed doll, which was donated by Mayor Hayes, has not yet been guessed and is proving quite an attraction.

Prepare for the Long Nights! Lanterns for the Dark and Rainy Season. Cold Blast—Plain \$1.20. Dash—Plain \$1.40. Wright's Cold Blast—No. 2 Brass Font \$1.40. Brass Junior Cold Blast \$1.30. Gem—Nickel Plated \$2.50. Searchlight—No. 20 \$2.70. T.M. AVITY & SONS, LTD.

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AT THE FAIRS. There was a good crowd last night at the United Soldiers' Comforts fair in Fairville. The prize winners were: 1st, bean toss, Edgar Theal, a lamp; 2nd, bean toss, Joseph McGovern, a pipe. There was a large crowd in attendance at the fair conducted by King Edward Lodge No. 80, F.A.F.M., last evening in the hall Guilford street, West St. John. The prize winners were: Mrs. McGinnis, door prize; C. Wood, ten pin and knag-tells; Richard Grant, air gun; Mrs. John Carr, ladies' bean toss; John Carr, gent's bean toss, and W. Stinson, the ball toss. There was a fair attendance at the Dominion Lodge Fair in their hall on Simonds street, last night. The door prize, a case of soap powder, was won by J. C. Thomas with ticket 1888; air gun, Robert Cochran, box of cigars; excelsior table, Wm. McCausland, Big Ben clock; bowling, R. McConnell, box of fancy stationery; ladies' bean toss, Miss McCormick, pair of slippers; gent's bean board, H. Ramsey, sippers.

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Dinner: Fish Chowder, Baked Potatoes, Parsnips Pumpkin Pie. The recipe for Fish Chowder, mentioned above, is as follows: Fish Chowder: Two cups potatoes (sliced), One cup onion (sliced), One cup fish.

Cook separately potatoes, onion and fish. Combine. Season and reheat with White Sauce. (Recipes by Domestic Science Experts of the Food Controller's Office.)

BLINDED CANADIAN HEROES SUCCEEDING

Blind Sergeant-Major Middlemiss Writes of Success of St. Dunstan's Courses in Suitable Occupations

Sergeant-Major Robert Middlemiss of the King's Own Scottish Borderers, through whose blind eyes thousands of Americans caught their first glimpse of the awful realities of war, when he circled the states on a lecture tour in the early spring, has been taking a course in poultry raising at St. Dunstan's school for the blind, where the blinded heroes of all the empire's forces are re-educated for civil life, and will soon go on a little farm of his own.

The majority of the thirty-one Canadians who have been blinded in the war, the only class of disabled soldiers not cared for in Canada by the Military Hospitals Commission, are there with him taking various courses determined by their abilities and interests, and in a letter which he typed himself he tells of their progress. They are all doing well, he declares, and those who have been trained and are now settled at work in various occupations they were taught in the school are very successful.

Harry Turner, Canadian newspaper man who was blinded in the war and retained at St. Dunstan's, is now working on a Saskatoon paper; others are masseurs, lawyers, stenographers, dictaphone operators, and insurance men.

Sherman C. Swift, superintendent of the Library for the Blind in Toronto, announces that he expects in a few weeks to have a printing machine installed for the making of books in Braille, the blind man's "finger-type," and later to develop this branch of work by adding binding and finishing rooms.

In these work rooms it is his intention to employ blinded soldiers who return to Canada from the war. The only difficulty which a man whose sight is gone experiences in finding a book is his need to know the meaning of the sections, and were these sections printed in Braille, a print which he sees readily with his finger tips, he would have no difficulty at all.

Occupations as interesting for the blind are not numerous, and such a boon to the blinded soldiers will be welcomed by those who are busy at the present time re-educating them, and bringing them in touch with the world which they lose when sight leaves them.

The books of the library are circulated in all parts of the dominion, and in the last quarter the records show that 2046 volumes were drawn.

Moncton Loan Committee.

Moncton, Oct. 25.—The following Moncton committee has been appointed in connection with the victory loan: Hon. C. W. Robinson, chairman, H. S. Bell, Senator McSwenney, L. H. Higgins, Dr. J. N. Bourque, R. F. Kinnear, A. T. Weidon.

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We have received about 1,000 samples of Toys that we will sell at Bargain Prices, 10c. to \$1.00 each. Now is the Time to Buy For Christmas.

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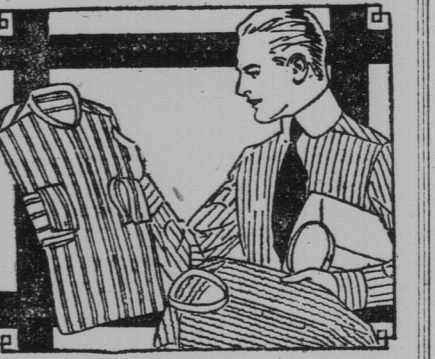
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Y.M.C.A. SUGGESTS SOLDIERS' GIFTS

Overseas Department Gives Lists of Timely Christmas Gifts

With the approach of Christmas, when so many Canadian families are anxious to send friends in the trenches presents that will be most acceptable, the Y. M. C. A. Overseas Department has issued a list of suggested articles that may serve as a guide. The list follows: 1.—Goods to wear (in order of importance): (a) Socks in large quantities. Greatest need of all. (b) Gloves. Woollen gloves are good, but a light leather glove is very satisfactory, especially if large enough to wear over a woollen glove. (c) Balbriggan hankies. (d) Light sweaters to be worn under tunic. Such a sweater is issued by the army, but soon after the winter issue many men are found without them. (e) Handkerchiefs.

Horlick's Malted Milk Safe Milk For Infants and Invalids A Nutritious Diet for All Ages. Keep Horlick's Always on Hand Quick Lunch's Home or Office.

(f) Light woollen underclothing would make a most useful gift. 2.—Goods to eat and drink— (a) Home-made candies, which will keep, such as toffee, fudge, etc., in small packages. (b) Cakes, home-made if possible, and fruit cake by preference. (c) Cocoa, in quarter pound cans, safe as ball, are the most acceptable gifts in the drink line. 3.—Equipment— (a) Tommy cooker—one of the finest things. Benefits in plenty. (b) Candles—in unadorned quantities. During winter issue candles are scarce and candles are often more acceptable than food. (c) A correspondence wallet to fit the pocket and in which paper to fit could be placed. (d) Pencils—short, indelible, of good quality; otherwise regular lead pencils. (e) Ink pellets for fountain pens.

M. H. C. PHYSICIAN RES FORES SIGHT

One-Eyed Soldier Who Blinded Himself With Awl Sees Again

Private G. Taylor, a plucky young one-eyed soldier who so unfortunately pierced his good eye with an awl a few weeks ago, and as a result became totally blind, has been restored to sight. The plight of the young man excited great sympathy. He tried to enlist in an infantry battalion, but was turned down because he had only one eye. Determined to serve his country he sought a place in the railway construction corps and was accepted. Illness necessitated his being sent home from this service, and the accident happened while he was endeavoring to mend his army boots. Careful nursing and the attention of the eye specialist at the Military Hospital saved his sight.

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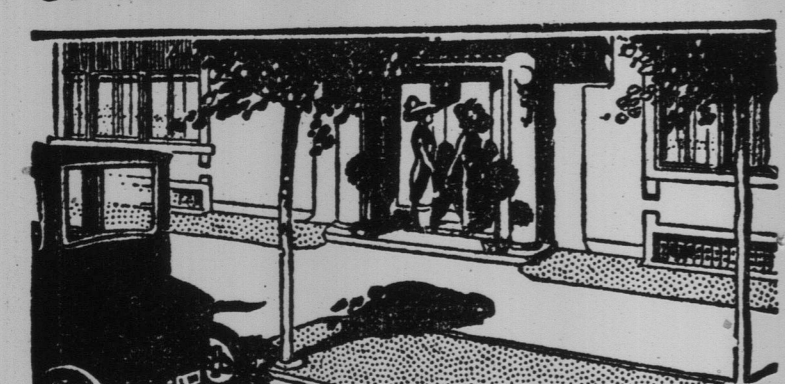
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LOCAL NEWS

DANGEROUS WORK Occupants of a motor boat are said to have been firing shots at sea gulls in Indian town, but avoiding cutting and some of the bullets narrowly escaped hitting people on the public wharf.

FREE SCHOOL BOOKS Dr. W. S. Carter, chief superintendent of education, is now on the Pacific coast. His return to Fredericton is expected about the last of October. Dr. Carter's visit to the west is for the purpose of obtaining information concerning free school books systems.

ORDER REGARDING SUGAR Collector Lockhart has received the following instructions from Food Controller Hanna: "The export of sugar, refined or unrefined, to all destinations outside of Canada, is prohibited except under license by the minister of customs."

TO FREDERICTON Chas. Griffith, Willie D. McLove and E. Clyde Parsons went to Fredericton this morning to attend the boys' conference as representatives of Ludlow street Baptist Sunday school, West End. Tom H. Robinson, Fred J. Mahoney, Oscar Reade and George Waring will go up on the evening train.

LOGAN-SMITH Last evening at the Portland Methodist parsonage, Harry Osborne Logan, plumber, of this city, was united in marriage to Miss Rilla May Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Smith of St. John. Rev. Neil McLaughlan performed the ceremony in the presence of a few friends. Mr. and Mrs. Logan will reside at 456 Main street.

A HALLOWEEN WEDDING Mr. and Mrs. Peter M. Dower of Chatham, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Ethel Alice, to James Wilbur Ross, on Wednesday, October 31. The bride-to-be was given a variety shower on Monday evening, at Woodburn farm, by her loyal members of the Young Ladies' Mission Circle of St. Luke's church.

CONGREGATIONAL RE-UNION A congregational re-union was held last evening in the vestry of the Victoria street Baptist church. The pastor, Rev. B. H. Niles, presided, and a large number of people were present. Following an address of welcome by the pastor readings were given by Mrs. Chesley Flexing and C. B. Wasson and a solo was sung by Miss Beatrice Campbell. Refreshments were served. The pastor made an appeal for patriotic funds and a substantial offering was received.

OFFICIAL VISIT Officers of the St. John District L. O. L. paid an official visit to Gideon Lodge, No. 7, last evening and conferred the Orange degree on three candidates. Addresses were given by District Master J. E. Arthur, District Secretary W. H. McDonald, District Chaplain F. S. Purdy, District Director and Ceremonist Isaac Mercer, Assistant District Lecturer W. Campbell, Acting District Deputy S. Holder, also W. M. Campbell and Josiah Stark. Refreshments were then served.

Y. W. P. A. MEETING Miss Lois Grimmer presided at a meeting of the Y. W. P. A. last evening when an excellent address was given by Mrs. Richard Hooper on "The Upholding of a Nation is as Important as its Defence." Volunteers were asked to help place hangers sent out by the dominion government regarding the war bonds and twenty members offered for this work. A report of the fifty parcels packed for Long Soldiers and the distribution of the Food Pledge cards was given. It was decided to hold a Santa Claus Fair in December. Members were asked to attend at the departure of the Christian Association meeting.

INDIAN TOWN FERRY The Indian town and Lancaster Ferry Commissioners met this morning to hear complaints concerning the service from Indian town to Pleasant Point. It was explained that the E. Ross was off the route to be overhauled and a motor boat service provided. The E. Ross is now again on the route and G. H. Hetherington, chairman of the board of commissioners, requests that any complaints made concerning the service be made to him in writing. The following is the timetable of the E. Ross: Week Days—Three trips an hour between the hours of 6 a.m. and 7 a.m.; two trips an hour between the hours of 7 a.m. and 8 a.m.; three an hour between the hours of 8 a.m. and 9 a.m.; two trips an hour between the hours of 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. Sundays—Two trips an hour between the hours of 9 a.m. and 9 p.m.

NURSE RETURNING HOME Miss McKiel, Coming on Leave, Has Had Wide Experience in War J. Medley McKiel of Manawagonish road, is in receipt of a cablegram from England informing him that his daughter, Miss Theodore McKiel is enroute home on leave. Miss McKiel is a nursing sister and has been overseas with the Canadian forces since the departure of the first Canadian contingent. Since leaving home she has served in England, France and Saloniki, Greece. She was one of the first nurses that crossed on the steamer Franconia. Nursing Sister McKiel is a sister of the late Private Rudolph McKiel, who was the first St. John boy killed in action.

HAVE TO GO TO ROTHSAY FOR PLACE TO PLAY FOOTBALL MATCH The Fredericton High School football team arrived in the city today to meet the St. John High School fifteen in the inter-scholastic league fixture. As the local boys had no grounds on which to play they made arrangements to meet the Fredericton boys on the gridiron of the Rothsays college. Aulo trucks were secured and both teams left King square this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, for the scene of the conflict. Owing to the handicap under which the St. John team has been this season for lack of grounds they were not expected to put up so good a showing as they are capable of, but Captain Edwin McQuade and his team meant to strive hard to make a good showing.

THE LINE-UP OF THE ST. JOHN TEAM was expected to be as follows:—Doherty, full back; Dawson, Kerr, McQuade (captain), Akersley, half backs; Hutchinson, Wilkes and Sinclair, quarters; Kee, McKel, Horne, Moses, Malcolm, Day and Frazer forwards; Grant, Gillis, Gill, Cunningham, Shaw, Nabor, spares.

HOME FROM WAR

Several St. John Men Among Arrivals Today

ONE WAS PRISONER OF HUMNS Shot in Battle and Captured by The Enemy And Later Sent to Switzerland—The Men and Some of Their Experiences

Several New Brunswick soldiers who have well done their duty in the war, arrived home today. Among them was Private C. MacRae of West St. John, Ont. Feb. 1916 he put on the king's uniform at Hampton, N.B., and went down to where his unit, the 6th C. M. R., was organizing at Thuro. He was twenty-six years old. Crossing to England and ultimately to France he distinguished himself several times by initiative and courage. On June 2, 1916, the Germans were making a very heavy attack on the Allied positions in Belgium. MacRae, in the course of his duty in the front line, received a bullet in his left leg and fell in the British lines. The Germans made an advance and captured MacRae, making him a prisoner. The British soon retook the lost ground, but the wounded man had been taken to the rear of the German lines. Asked as to what kind of treatment he received he replied: "Oh, not so bad, considering what some of the fellows were getting. Sometimes we would go hungry for days and often we could not get to sleep for hunger, but they were not abused. "The Germans made a bad bundle of my leg," he said. "It may be on purpose to make me unfit for service afterwards. They did not put a cage on my foot while the bone at the knee was healing and so my foot is out of shape, although coming along better now."

Private MacRae's sister and brother are living in West St. John. They are Miss Cynthia MacRae and Albert MacRae of 44 Rodney street. This morning they were not yet aware that their brother was back in Canada. Private MacRae was among the fortunate ones who managed to be interned in Switzerland and there transferred for interned German prisoners.

Private P. J. Orr enlisted with the 104th in Moncton on Oct. 23, 1915. At the battle of Vimy Ridge, while he was going over the top with the 6th C. M. R.'s, he got a "blighty" in the leg which put him out of action.

Among the returned men to arrive home this morning was Private F. Barnett, 137 Broad street. Private Barnett went overseas with the machine gun draft, under command of Lieutenant G. W. Farrar of Upsalquitch, and was unable to get to France owing to his physical unfitness.

Gunner W. G. Farrar of Upsalquitch, saw most of the fighting in any of the others. He went overseas with the 1st Canadian Battery and was among the first of the Canadians to arrive in France. He saw three years of fighting and was wounded three times. The first time he was hit on the Somme, then after a few weeks in hospital he was returned to France and was there only a short time when he got his second wound. This time he was hit by shrapnel in the head, the right leg, and the right hand. The piece that struck him in the head passed through the upper part of his forehead and it was only through a miracle that he did not lose his life. After spending a few months in various hospitals, he was returned again to France and arrived just in time to take part in the heavy artillery engagements on the Vimy front. There he received his third wound, which necessitated his being returned to Canada. He was struck with a piece of shell which dislocated his left knee.

In comparing the artillery engagement which took place on the Somme with those on the Vimy front, he said that the artillery was much heavier on the Vimy front. There was a marked difference in the mode of artillery fighting on the western front at the present time compared with when he first landed in France. When the first Canadian batteries arrived in France they were given just so much ammunition to fire and when that was fired they were done. Now every man was given just whatever his gun could handle and there was no end of it. Ammunition could be had just for the asking for it.

He says that the Germans are gone and it is only a matter of time when they will be forced back several score miles. "Our offensive," he says, "is just starting and as yet has not got under way."

One of the 26th. R. W. Laskey, a member of the 26th Battalion, was in the party. He went overseas as one of the 14th Battalion and soon after his arrival in England he was transferred to the 26th. While in France he was taken ill and for this reason has been returned home. E. G. Green, of Florenceville, a member of the 5th C. M. R., arrived home. He went overseas as a member of the 14th Battalion and was transferred into the 5th C. M. R. He is home on sick leave.

Those in the party included F. I. Lewis, of the Canadian Field Artillery, a native of Young's Cove, Kings county; Sergeant Mandle of Rexton, a member of the Canadian Mounted Rifles; C. A. McKel, of St. John, a member of the 4th C. M. R.; J. A. McCabe, of Newcastle, Canadian Army Service Corps; P. J. Orr of Moncton, 6th C. M. R.; M. P. Blacklock of Little-Shepwood, 6th C. M. R.; B. W. Bluet, of the 26th; W. Collins, of St. John, 29th Battalion; R. Church, of Apohaqui, 26th C. M. R.; Campbell of Sussex and G. W. Dobson of Campbellton, a member of the Canadian Field Artillery.

Several of the men were returned to Canada having become subject to various forms of rheumatic trouble as a result of carrying on a campaign through wet weather this year. W. F. Fowler was another man who went overseas with the Canadian Field Artillery and while on duty contracted this trouble and had to be sent home. William Richardson was another man of exposure to the inclement weather, as was Private E. H. Larsen of St. Andrews, who reached only England before being crippled with rheumatism.

TAKES OVER BUSINESS Tenders for the stock of H. L. Alexander, retail grocer, who assigned for the benefit of his creditors, were opened yesterday in the office of J. A. Sinclair, the assignee. The tender of Joseph L. McKenney was accepted, and Mr. McKenney will take over the store and continue the business.

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French Now But Eight Miles Away From Laon

Some Details of Brilliant Victory; Orders Found on Prisoners Indicate Measure of Demoralization; Enemy Losses in Munitions Heavy

With the French Armies in France, Oct. 25.—(By the Associated Press)—The French have reached the Aisne Canal and Laon, eight miles away, in sight. Following up the victory of Tuesday, the French today took Monkey Mountain, east of Vauxhallon, the village of Pinon and the forest of the same name, as well as the village of Pargny-Filain.

FIGHT OR SINK



—N. Y. Evening Telegram.

MORE GERMAN WORKS ARE POUNDED HARD FROM AIR

British Aviators Send Down Tons of Explosives—Enemy Lose Several Machines; Six of British Missing

London, Oct. 26.—An official statement on aerial operations issued last night says: "Last night factories and railway communications in the vicinity of Saarbrücken were attacked by our air forces with excellent results. More than three and one-half tons of explosives were dropped on the Burchach works just west of Saarbrücken by naval machines. The damage caused was considerable, many fires being observed.

PAINLEVE MAJORITY REDUCED

Chamber Hesitates to Defeat Ministry During War

Hundred Withhold Votes

Paris, Oct. 26.—Premier Painlevé's ministry obtained 346 favorable votes on October 19, and his new ministry yesterday obtained only 288 votes, slightly more than half the votes in the chamber of deputies. The opposition votes numbered 137, partly from the Socialists and partly from the Radical Socialists.

Another Scandal In France; Big Sum Is Mentioned

Charge of Trading With Enemy Made Against Pierre Lenoir and William Desouches—One Paper Connects Them With German Spy Chief in Switzerland

Paris, Oct. 26.—The arrest of Pierre Lenoir and William Desouches, on Wednesday, charged with trading with the enemy, has again brought scandal to the fore in the French newspapers. L'Action Française, the newspaper of Leon Daudet, who recently obtained much prominence because of charges made in connection with the Bolo Pasha case, asserts that the case of Lenoir and Desouches is more important than that of Bolo Pasha. The newspaper connects the men with Prince Hohenzollern-Öhringgen, chief of the German espionage system in Switzerland.

EBB AND FLOW OF THE TIDES OF GERMAN FORCES

Review of Various Periods of War and of Shifting of Troops as Circumstances Demanded

French Front, Sept. 24.—(Correspondence)—A clear idea of the ebb and flow of the tides of German forces on the eastern and western fronts during the various phases of the war from the opening of hostilities in 1914, till the beginning of September, 1917, is obtained from carefully compiled information which the correspondent of The Associated Press is enabled to transmit.

ST. JOHN MEN COMING HOME

Dr. C. M. Pratt And Dr. H. P. Travers In Large Party of Officers En Route From England

London, Oct. 25.—The following have sailed for Canada for disposal at Ottawa, invalided or for other reasons: Col. J. B. White; Lieut.-Col. N. H. Parsons; A. E. Hodgins; J. R. Munro; P. Donville; J. M. MacMillan; Jesse G. Wright (Toronto); A. J. MacCausland; Hon. Lieut.-Col. W. C. Wood; Majors E. G. Denwell, N. K. McIvor, A. M. Phall, H. A. Green, F. B. Edwards, O. H. O'Brien, F. S. Novak, L. E. Clark, C. J. Harrington, J. G. Browne, C. P. Tidale, A. W. Rixon, J. Boucher, E. W. Adams, J. C. Markins, E. L. Bullock, Webber, W. G. Clarke, T. H. Corrie, J. P. Cowles, W. A. Conlough, A. C. Dawson, D. R. Dobbin, G. E. Dawson, G. F. Garlick, C. Howland, G. C. King, C. J. Lennox, A. S. Monteith, F. D. Macrae, J. R. McGowan, J. C. McCoubrey, G. M. Reid, A. J. Tweedie, A. J. Adams, A. T. Hunter, T. G. Baldock, W. J. Hossie, G. S. Kinneer, J. C. Masie, T. B. Monk, R. G. McDowell, C. A. McCormack, C. V. Shoenberger, F. Newsam, G. A. Barry, A. R. Lawrence, E. L. Fitzsimmons, G. C. Burnham, F. Dixon, H. Smith, H. D. Hedley, E. Irvine; Capt. A. F. Newcombe, C. Temple, A. M. Dillon, E. W. Williams, H. B. Andrews, W. H. Shillington, B. F. Steeves, A. L. Shanks, A. K. Campbell, R. K. Lindsay, H. F. Alford, R. Parsons, J. G. Mackenzie, J. L. Freeman, E. L. Fitzsimmons, G. C. Burnham, F. Dixon, H. Smith, H. D. Hedley, E. Irvine; Capt. A. F. Newcombe, C. Temple, A. M. Dillon, E. W. Williams, H. B. Andrews, C. McWilliam, F. B. Shaver, B. C. Biggar, G. E. Coombs, G. Harrold, H. A. Harris, G. F. Horsley, B. E. Harris, M. E. Matthews, E. Rooney, H. B. Freeman, H. P. Travers, J. L. Potter, F. B. Cooper, W. T. Rogers, R. L. Smythe, B. A. Sandwith, E. H. Henderson, V. E. Belque, A. E. Sargison, J. Moore, V. C. Best, T. M. Creighton, D. M. Foster, A. D. Harvey, F. J. Waddington, W. Bell, A. L. Pattinson, C. M. Pratt, C. G. Cox, K. C. Dean, Hon. Capt. M. W. Langton, N. B. McKibbin, J. B. Paulin, A. B. Ranson, S. W. Burnett, A. G. Calder, A. W. Fargy, A. J. Pequegat, A. W. Taylor, J. A. Mansfield, J. W. Day and J. O. Hastings.

Danes Demand More Severe Punishment For German Spies

Copenhagen, Oct. 26.—A demand for greater punishment for the large swarm of commercial spies invading Denmark has been raised in the Danish parliament, complaint is made that, despite the loss of life from submarines among Danish seamen, the detected spies far too often have been expelled instead of being imprisoned.

FRENCH SOCIALISTS STRONG FOR THE RESTORATION OF THE PROVINCES LOST TO HUNS

Paris, Oct. 26.—A national convention of the United Radicals and Radical Socialists, the strongest political organization in France, was opened yesterday with 1,821 delegates present.

BRITISH HEALTH MINISTRY

London, Sept. 30.—(Correspondence)—An important plan under consideration for the establishment of a ministry of health has been approved and adopted by a committee of various societies covering 12,000,000 insured persons in the country.

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Italian Government Is Defeated by A Large Majority

Rome, Oct. 25.—The government was defeated in the chamber of deputies today when a vote of confidence failed by 314 to 96.

Vote of Confidence in Boselli Cabinet Fails by 314 to 96

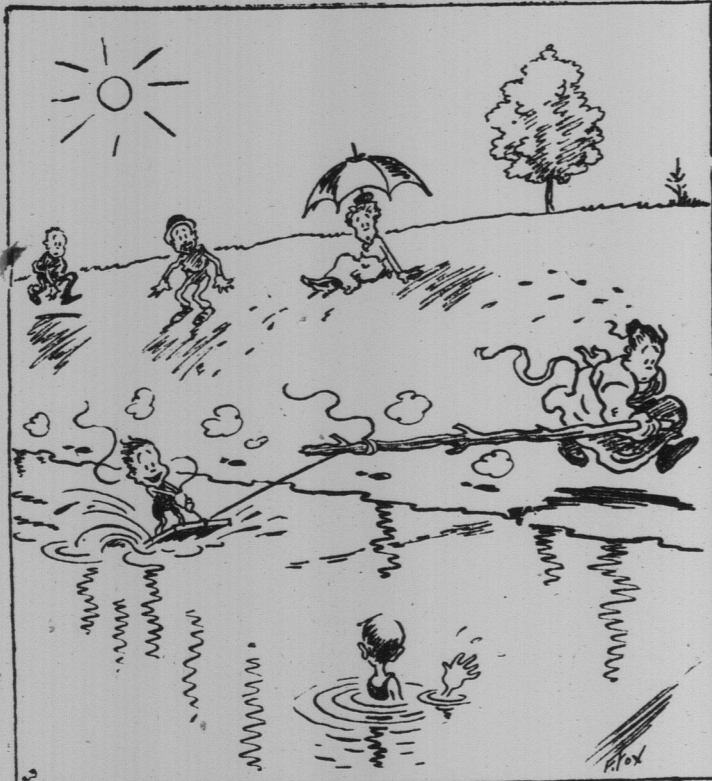
The Italian parliament reopened its session less than two weeks ago. A despatch from Turin on October 17 said that the position of the government was endangered because of the serious riots in Turin during the latter part of August and because of the general food crisis throughout Italy.

THREE SHOT, ONE SLASHED OVER CARDS

New York, Oct. 26.—A fusillade of shots rattled out at daybreak from a hallway at 82 Nostrand avenue, Williamsburg, and while two policemen hurried to the scene two men who had been wounded in the abdomen staggered out. They were James Carino and his cousin, Charles Dagespiano, owner of a grocery on the ground floor.

COWAN'S ACTIVE SERVICE CHOCOLATE advertisement with illustration of a soldier and a chocolate bar.

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NOTED S. S. WORKER HERE

The prohibition sentiment is growing so strong in the United States that the big brewing interests are turning their attention to the manufacture of malted milk and soft drinks, according to William Pearce, field superintendent of the International Sunday School Association of America, who is in the city today.

THOUGHT BABY COULD NOT LIVE

Doctors Said Chances Were Small Because of Severe Stomach Trouble, But Dr. Cassell's Tablets Cured Her.

Mr. Corby Hamilton, P. O., Ont., says: "Our little girl was weak from birth, and though we tried doctors' medicine and other things she got no better. She just lay in bed, and neighbors all thought we could not save her. The doctors said she had stomach trouble, and that her chances were small. Yet Dr. Cassell's Tablets cured her. They have been worth their weight in gold to us. I don't think there is any medicine for children like Dr. Cassell's Tablets."

Brazil Votes on War

Rio Janeiro, Oct. 25.—Parliament will vote tomorrow on the question of authorizing the government to declare that a state of war exists between Germany and Brazil and also on all necessary legislation for the carrying on of war.

J. W. BRUCE A CANDIDATE

J. W. Bruce, organizer of the International Plumbers' Union, is in the city. Mr. Bruce says he is to be the Labor candidate in East York, Toronto, in the coming elections. He says that the Labor party will have between thirty and forty candidates in the field when the elections come on, and that seven of them will be in Toronto.

SASKATCHEWAN MAY HAVE ONE-MAN STREET CARS

The agitation, which is stated to be steadily growing in Saskatchewan cities for the operation of one-man street cars, is receiving the attention of the provincial government. Under the existing provincial law, the one-man system cannot be followed. It is put forward by Saskatchewan that labor conditions have greatly changed in the west since 1914.

IN ANOTHER FORTY YEARS

(Kansas City Times.) Only forty years ago the telephone was spoken of in the Kansas City Times as "the marvellous new invention." In the exposition held there in September, 1887, a telephone was displayed in Art Hall, and that was the first time Kansas City had seen one. Only twelve years since the telephone was introduced, and now they talk through a wire from Boston to San Francisco, and even the wire is beginning to be obsolete, for they are communicating without wires.

THOMAS AYERS WANTED

Inquiry comes from England as to the whereabouts of Thomas Ayers, Chief of Police Simpson received a letter recently from E. Ayers, West Park Lane, Sandbach, Cheshire, England, asking after his brother, supposed to be resident in St. John. It is thought that he may have enlisted in a Canadian unit. The description given is strong features, stocky build and 5 feet 9 inches in height. As yet the police have found no man of the name given in the city.

RED CROSS FUND.

In a letter received yesterday by Lady Tilley from Mr. Abbott, secretary-treasurer of the British Red Cross fund, was the information that Ontario's contribution was \$2,000,000, while Toronto's subscription alone was \$800,000. In St. John the sum of \$38,000 has already been received. C. B. Allen, treasurer of the provincial fund, requests that all places outside the city that have not yet made returns do so within the next day or two as it is necessary to have the fund closed up.

Long Search for Boys

Ralph and Albert Carty, colored, aged seven and eleven years, sons of Thomas Carty, 335 Marsh street, were given up by their mother to the police, and were, however, at a late hour last night in a box car at the foot of Charlotte street. The boys were called out under Deputy Commissioner Waring. They did much searching but with no avail. The children were found by Sergeant Journey and Policeman Quinlan.

Going to France.

A letter has been received in the city from Captain Earle Logan. He says that he has reverted to the rank of lieutenant in order to get to France.

GERMANS INSIST ON PEACE IN NOVEMBER OR THEY WILL QUIT

Workmen at Factories Necessary for Continuance of War Say They Will Not Work

Washington, Oct. 26.—What is credited with being an accurate picture of conditions in Germany reaching Washington today in the official telegraphic report, represents the situation as one of political and economic distress that is causing a great deal of discontent. It represents the Socialists as being active and threatening to quit German factories if the war goes into the winter, and asserts that there have been uprisings in different sections of Germany, including disorders in Berlin, in which soldiers participated.

"Germany's population wants peace," says a paraphrase of the report, "and the people declare it will be concluded in November. Rumors are current in the factories that they will leave the factories necessary for the conduct of the war if the war continues during the winter. In the meantime German workmen are demanding increases of pay and a far more liberal apportionment of food. Uprisings in several parts of the Empire are taking place with ever-increasing frequency. In the Ruhr, soldiers participated in the disorders, in one demonstration twenty-five soldiers being counted. The Franco-English aerial bombardment of German cities and towns are increasing the dissatisfaction of the masses with the war. At Essen, bombs dropped from aeroplanes did enormous damage to a factory, and a crew during a performance for soldiers, at which 800 soldiers were killed."

"German civilian life presents a terrible picture. Children are obliged to go to bed at four o'clock in the afternoon, and to rise not before ten o'clock. They are not allowed to go to school, being awake, they would feel the need of eating, and there is an insufficient amount of food for them. Interned enemy aliens in Germany are compelled to work in ammunition factories and they are treated with enormous hardships, especially being denied sufficient nourishment. They obtain food by the use of tickets, which entitle such enemy aliens, forced to do German war work, to 250 grams of meat weekly, as much bread of a very bad and unpalatable quality, two and one-half kilograms of potatoes, and a quantity of 50 grams of some inedible grease. A suit of clothes costs them 200 marks."

"In the case of interned enemy aliens frequent quarrels have taken place and many interned enemy aliens have been killed by the German authorities. The relations between these enemy aliens and the Germans are extremely bad, especially in the case of Italians, of whom a large number have been interned at the commencement of the war. The Germans charge that had Italy not entered the war, the Germans would have won a quick military decision against the Allies."

Enjoyable Concert.

Under the auspices of the Seven Seas Chapter, I. O. O. E., a large audience was delighted with a musical treat at Centenary church last night. Miss Creighton, a graduate of the Boston Conservatory, charmed all with her clear soprano voice and she was encored several times. Miss Glendon, who for the war, used her full musical contralto to great effect. Miss Helen Shaw gave several instrumental selections and her technique and skill in handling difficult compositions showed her mastery of the piano. Although suffering from a fractured hand, Dr. Arnold Fox offered his services as accompanist and these were gladly accepted. As all the artists presented donated their services, quite a large sum was realized for patriotic purposes.

Shipbuilding at Nordin.

Word comes from Newcastle of the starting of the ship-building industry at Nordin on the Miramichi. The new plant owned by the Rosebank Lumber Company is being remodelled to turn out wood both for rough work and finishing and the local millwrights and even the wire is beginning to be obsolete, for they are communicating without wires.

Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

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Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-checked people everywhere. An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. Those subject to sick headaches, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter of a pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store without cost but a trifle but it is demonstrate the quick change in both health and sanitation. We side cleanliness outside, because a man or woman who is impure inside, is impure outside. We side cleanliness inside, because a man or woman who is impure inside, is impure outside.

ENDS PAIN!

That is what Zam-Buk does when applied to a cut or scratch. It also stops the bleeding, draws out all the soreness, and finally grows new skin over the injured part. Mr. Victor Lawson, of Magrath, Ala., writes: "I scratched my hand badly with a rusty nail. The wound pained terribly until I applied Zam-Buk, but this balm ended the pain almost as soon as applied, and healing soon followed."



Spies Crippled Two Transports

German Liners Taken into U. S. Government Service Had Been Tampered With

New York, Oct. 26.—Traitors or spies in the navy yard, it was learned today, have done their work so well that at least two of the German liners taken into the government service have been compelled to put back for further repairs after they were well down the bay outward bound. Rumors are current of other havoc wrought on vessels ostensibly fit for sea, which was discovered before an actual start was attempted.

MAY SETTLE THE STRIKE

It is just possible that the plumbers and steam fitters' strike, which has been in progress for the last six months, may be settled. J. W. Bruce, general organizer of the United Association of Plumbers and Steamfitters of the States and Canada, is here to confer with the master plumbers in regard to the matter. He states that the men are unionist in preference to any other man in the country, even if the former was 90 per cent. less efficient in comparison with the other applicants for the position.

Nerves of the Stomach

Were Weak and Inactive as Result of Nervous Prostration—Lost Twenty Pounds—Had to Take Sleeping Powders to Get Any Rest. St. Catharines, Ont., Oct. 24.—Many people never realize that the movement and action of every organ of the human body is dependent on the energy supplied by the nervous system. When the nervous system gets run down there is weakness throughout the entire body. You feel tired and languid and your stomach and other digestive organs are similarly affected. Appetite fails, digestion is poor, you do not get the good of what you eat and gradually grow weaker and weaker.

ST. JOHN ACTOR GREETED BY MANY OLD FRIENDS

The Cure, or Never Again, a delightful play, which the well known St. John actor, Henry Grady, has chosen to exploit this season. The initial presentation of the miniature play was given at the Lyric Theatre yesterday afternoon and evening and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended. Mr. Grady has surrounded himself with two other stage artists with the result that the value of the many funny situations offered and the scope for good acting afforded are enhanced greatly.

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When Tired and Nervous

If the end of the day finds you weary or irritable, with aching head and frayed nerves, you need something to tone and strengthen the system. BECHAM'S PILLS are a remedy which quickly helps in restoring normal conditions. They act on the stomach, liver and bowels, and so renew the strength, and steady the nerves. Few doses of these world-famed family pills will bring Welcome Relief.

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WILL RELATE WHAT BRITAIN HAS DONE

Sir George Reid, Former Australian Premier, Arrives in U. S. on a Lecture Tour

New York, Oct. 26.—The Rt. Hon. Sir George Reid, G.C.M.G., K.C., M.G., P.C.M.B., former prime minister of the Australian Commonwealth, and recently High Commissioner for Australia in London, arrived today at an Atlantic port from England to spend several months in this country, lecturing on subjects of interest. He has been in politics since 1880, when he was elected a member of parliament for East Sydney. He is now a member of parliament for St. George's, Hanover Square, London.

"I have come to America," said Sir George tonight, "on my own account to talk to its people without being attached to any mission or sent over in connection with government affairs of any kind. Of course, our people at home are glad that I am doing this, but they are not aiding me in any official or financial manner."

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

Parties Unite In National Government Association

Liberals and Conservatives of Saskatchewan Bury the Hatchet and Get Together For War Purposes

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 25.—The Regina correspondent of the Winnipeg Telegram says: "Last night the two political organizations, which have fought for the control of the government since the territorial status was abandoned in 1916, passed out of existence for the period of the war, so far as the federal elections are concerned. Their places have been occupied by the new National Government Association of Saskatchewan. This is the climax of negotiations which have been under way since the federal union government was formed. Dr. Bowman, of Weyburn, president of the Conservative Association, resigned with the other officers and their headquarters in the capital are closed. Similar steps were taken by the Liberals, Hon. J. A. Calder acting for them in the ultimate arrangements.

The Unionist's central organization will be an executive committee, composed equally of Liberals and Conservatives and each constituency will have local executives, similarly organized, on which will devolve the obligation of calling conventions and naming union candidates. Final details were harmoniously arranged, dividing the province by conceding ten seats to Liberals and six to Conservatives."

Western Leaders Confer.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 25.—Hon. James A. Calder, Hon. Arthur Meighen and Hon. T. A. Crerar, members of the new government, who are back in Winnipeg after their trip to Regina, spent the forenoon in conference over the organization of the province for the coming federal election campaign.

Warning Against Autocracy.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 25.—"Ontario will not permit Sir Robert Borden to appoint M. P.s. for this province," says a heading on an editorial in the Evening Telegram today. The editorial goes on to say: "An appeal for unity in the constituencies of Ontario is sent out from Ottawa.

"A suggestion of autocracy is written in the decree of the Union government to the constituencies of Ontario.

"Military voters' act or no military voters' act, it is not the duty of Sir Robert Borden or Hon. Wesley Rowell to designate the men who are to represent the protectionists, conscriptionists, anti-Laurier conviction of the people of Ontario in the next House of Commons.

"Union government will be saved much trouble if the leader and strategists of that government realize here and now that Ontario members of parliament are to be chosen either by the acclamation of the votes of the free people of this province. The friends of conscription, public ownership, public rights, progress and the foes of Laurierism in Ontario will not permit their members of parliament to be appointed by Sir Robert Borden in consultation with the saw-off artists of the two old party machines at Ottawa."

\$500.00 REWARD THE Government of the Province of New Brunswick offers a reward of \$500.00 for information that will result in the apprehension and conviction of the party or parties who caused the death, on or about the 7th of August last, of Harry L. Williams, late of the City of Saint John. JAMES P. BYRNE Attorney-General Fredericton October 5th, 1917

Huns Prepare For Retreat

French Continue to Make Great Gains

2000 More Prisoners

Germany Weakening Under Pressure—Laon Within Sight of Advancing Army—British Raids Are Successful

Copenhagen, Oct. 25.—The Germans, under pressure of the French victory on the Aisne, may endeavor to effect a general retirement to a new "Hindenburg line" well in the rear of their present positions. Various hints from German sources lately have indicated that the German experts, recognizing the menace, particularly to the exposed salient south-southwest of Laon were preparing a new fortified line some-where between Laon and their former front, to which they expected to effect an orderly retirement. The French attack seems to have anticipated this strategy and the German withdrawal, if made now under the hammering of a victorious opponent, is likely to be quite a different operation from that planned.

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head of Santa Maria and Santa Lucia, he then brought the battle on to the slopes of the right bank of the river.

"At the same time, powerful attacks were made to the west of Volnik, on the Bainsizza Plateau and the western slopes of Monte San Gabriele, but they were kept in check by our troops, which in the course of successive counter attacks captured a few hundred prisoners.

"On the Carso a violent enemy bombardment was effectively countered by our batteries."

Berlin Claims 10,000.

Charlton United. Since, Oct. 25.—W. A. Charlton, who has represented Norfolk County, in the House of Commons, as a Liberal for some years, has definitely announced his allegiance to the union government of Sir Robert Borden.

Berlin, Oct. 25, via London.—Heavy captures in prisoners and booty have been made by the Austro-German forces attacking the Italians on the Isonzo front, army headquarters announced today. The prisoners include divisional and brigade staffs.

The total number of prisoners taken exceeds 10,000.

The fighting on this front is continuing.

Twenty Divisions for Offensive.

Washington, Oct. 25.—The great Austro-German drive against the Italian front now in full swing, was fully expected by General Cadorna. For several weeks past, General Cadorna has been placing his army in readiness and selecting with great care proper defensive positions for the Italian troops.

Official telegrams received here today declare that in addition to the heavy reinforcements which the Austrians have received from troops withdrawn from the Russian front, many German divisions have appeared on the long line from Tolmino to the Carso, so that there are now twenty full divisions with a great amount of artillery in the German trenches.

Italian headquarters recognize in this great enemy force a confirmation of the reports that have been leaking out from Germany and Austria of the conclusion reached by the German general staff that the real issue of the war is to be fought out on the Isonzo and Tyrol fronts. It was also learned that the German general staff has freely conceded the high strategy and military ability

Paris, Oct. 25.—The French forces on the Aisne today continued their successful advance capturing several important villages as well as two thousand additional prisoners. Since the beginning of the present operations, says the announcement made tonight by the war office, more than 12,000 Germans, including 200 officers, have been captured as well as 120 big guns and many guns of smaller calibre. The desertion of these guns including several large howitzers indicates the rapidity of the German retreat.

The latest drive of the French brings General Petain's army within sight of the important railway junction of Laon, the objective sought for, which now is a scant eight miles distant.

The text of the statement reads:

"Our troops carried out this morning a general advance beyond the positions reached last evening, extending to the Oise-Aisne canal. The village and forest of Pinon are in our hands, as well as the village of Pargny-Filain. South of

Pinon, where our patrols penetrated, we occupied the farms of St. Martin and La Chapelle Ste Berthe.

"The enemy, under our pressure, was compelled to abandon important material including a score of cannons, of which several were howitzers of 150 M. M. The total number of cannon captured by us since October 23 is about 120, to which may be added several hundred minenwerfer and machine guns.

"In the course of the day we took more than two thousand prisoners. The number of prisoners taken since the opening of the operation exceeds twelve thousand, of whom more than two hundred are officers.

"On the right bank of the Meuse, the Germans followed up their bombardment, indicated this morning, on our positions in the Chaume wood with an attack which our fire arrested.

Belgium communications: Our artillery has been very active during the course of the last two days. On the 24th more than twenty enemy batteries were subjected to our destructive fire; numerous observatories and enemy works were violently bombarded. Barrage fires by our artillery and machine guns were carried out on the same organizations, while during the night the fires of destruction continued. On October 25 our aviators gave efficacious aid to these various operations.

"Eastern front, Oct. 24: There was feeble artillery activity along the whole front by reason of the bad weather. Grenade fighting took place against our new positions west of Lake Ochrida."

London, Oct. 25.—Field Marshal Haig's official report of the operations in Flanders today reads:

"Following on the activity of his artillery already reported, the enemy delivered another strong counter-attack yesterday evening south of Houtholst forest. His troops were again completely repulsed.

"Successful raids were made yesterday afternoon and early in the night by Gloucester, Worcester and Berkshire troops against the enemy's positions between Roux and Gavrelle. Many Germans were killed and enemy dugouts destroyed. We captured a machine gun. This morning, we withdrew our advanced troops behind the Oise-Aisne canal, giving way to French pressure.

"On the Austro-Italian front an extension of our breach through the enemy's lines near Flich and Tolmino brought us further successes. The number of prisoners and the amount of booty are increasing."

German Command Demoralized. With the French armies in France, Oct. 25.—(By the Associated Press)—The French victory of Tuesday, northeast of Soissons, is still being extended. Monkey Mountain, east of Vauxillon village, and the greater part of the forest of Pinon have been occupied. The French now have Laon in sight, eight miles away, and face the Aisne canal.

Contradictory orders taken from prisoners show certain demoralization in the German command and the question is asked whether another retreat is intended.

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Italians On The Defensive

Teuton Forces Launch Heavy Attack

Twenty Divisions Advance

Reports Are Contradictory But Hun Gain Is Admitted by Rome—On Twenty-five Mile Front

On the twenty-five mile front running from Monte Rombon on the Bainsizza plateau the battle between the Austro-German forces and the Italians apparently is growing in intensity, with the Austro-Germans the aggressors but with the Italians stubbornly resisting everywhere.

Although the German war office asserts that gains have been made at various points along the line, the Italian official communication does not concede any losses except on the east bank of the Isonzo south of Monte Rombon. To the contrary this communication asserts that on the Bainsizza plateau, where the Germans had announced successes and on the west slopes of Monte San Gabriele, enemy attacks were repulsed and that the Italians even took several hundred prisoners.

Not alone does the German war office assert that the Italian line barring the way to the valley of the Flitsch Basin and to Tolmino was overrun and that positions also were captured on the Bainsizza plateau, but that large quantities of booty were taken by the Austro-Germans and that more than ten thousand prisoners fell into their hands.

The enemy broke through the Italian advanced lines on the east bank of the Isonzo. Powerful Austro-German attacks also were made on the Bainsizza plateau and on the west slopes of Monte San Gabriele, but these were checked by the Italians, who took a few hundred prisoners.

The Austro-German offensive struck at two points on the Isonzo line, near Flitsch and in the region of Tolmino. The attack apparently is being developed west of the river in the Tolmino area. Santa Lucia is on the west bank, three miles below Tolmino, which is east of the river.

Mist Aided Attackers. The text of today's official statement says: "Yesterday morning, after an interval of a few hours the enemy resumed the violent bombardment all along the front, with a specially destructive fire on that portion between the southern slopes of Monte Rombon and the northern edge of the Bainsizza Plateau, where afterwards a strong infantry attack was launched.

"The narrowness of the gorge, resisted the hostile blow, but further south favored by a thick mist, which rendered useless our barrage fire, the enemy succeeded in breaking through our advanced lines on the left bank of the Isonzo.

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ARISE FROM CARNAGE AND SLAUGHTER TO NEW AND BETTER WORLD, PUNISHING GERMANY

Sheffield, England, Oct. 25, via Reuter's Ottawa Agency—In the course of his speech here yesterday, General Smuts, South Africa, said:

"We want to arise from carnage and slaughter to a new and better world. We want to see more justice in this country, less poverty, less luxury. We want to see better standards of living, more economic freedom and security for all workers in a world where there will be no idlers, rich or poor. To gain this end militarism must be swept away from the face of the earth. I hope we never sheath the sword, never make peace until we know there is no longer a threat of militarism.

"As the principal achievement of the war should be established permanent machinery for securing peace. After the war we want to see arbitration that will prevent future wars. We want a league of nations with a force behind, ensuring that there will be no future threat. Peace would be secured to western civilization if this cataclysm is to be repeated.

"What is a good peace? I would like to see a peace settling the vital issues that have been raised. The pope would express no judgment on the conduct of nations or the cause which led to the war. I cannot agree. We cannot make peace until the German war machine becomes a scrap of paper. Germany must learn the lesson that war does not pay, that the wages of sin is death. Germany must not retain an inch of her war map at the end of the war. Let our motto be 'No spoliation to the spoiler, no peace until Germany is prepared to vacate the countries she has invaded.'"

BRITAIN ON THE JOB.

(Toronto Globe.)
The British are fighting in Belgium, France, Austria, Persia, Mesopotamia, Palestine, South Africa, and a few other places that have escaped the attention of some of the pessimists, but are painfully well known to the foe.

A CONSIDERABLE CORRESPONDENT.

(Toronto Globe.)
There is a warm spot in our hearts for the man who wrote to say that he had written a letter dealing at great length with the political situation and had then torn it up because he sympathized with the editors.

Let us get back to common-sense natural food

A CENTURY ago a wealthy faddist in old London invited his friends to a "white dinner." Nothing but the oldest whole-grain bread had ever been used before, but a Hungarian miller solved the problem by removing from the dark-colored flour everything but the white starchy parts so that the bread too, at the dinner, might be white. The idea of white foods became a fad and the craze spread all over the world.

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THE GREAT PROBLEM OF HELP ON FARM

Agricultural Camps Are Among the Few Practical Suggestions Which Have Been a Success in Relieving Situation in United States

(Written for The Financial Post by Agnes C. Laut.)

When meat went up to forty and fifty cents a pound here last spring, and flour to \$15 and \$19 a barrel, and milk to twelve and fifteen cents a quart, and potatoes to \$8.50 a bushel—the public came awake with a shout to a realization that Hill's prophecy of ten years ago was being verified to the letter. With thirty million people on the farms and seventy million people in the towns, our system had collapsed under the very first strain and we were in startling danger of world famine.

From 1911-1913, when bank presidents, every one of them shouting at the farmer what to do to increase the production of food. More back gardens existed. The farmer was never before so swamped and inundated with advice. Everybody told him what to do and how to do it—to all of which the farmer was wedded stolidly that he had known all these things and had been doing them all his life. What he needed wasn't advice—it was farm labor. Give him labor enough, and he would double and quadruple his crops, without to-morrow's advice.

At once, another perfect squall and brain storm of suggestions! It was no other than the Governor of New York state, who suggested that the farmers be commandeered and sent out to help cultivate the farms; and by the same token, the same government had just the previous support of the United States, though a dozen George Perkins groom him and finance him for next Republican presidential election. The farmer, in a fit of indignation, of course—the flusters, derelicts and tongs of the town were to be turned amuck in the country and the farms which they could not run in a life time. Farmers would, of course, enjoy convicts at their family table, and bartenders, waiters, of course, milk a cow conscientiously as they had tapped a whiskey keg. All you had to do was to turn on a tap to milk; and, of course, teach them to hitch plow and drills and harrows on to the back of their taxis and scoot all over the farm joy-riding at work.

The Farmer "Stands Pat."

But the suggestion never got any further than the metropolitan press. When employment offices were opened in the cities by Women's National Service Leagues and Mayor's committees, and city people enrolled themselves by thousands to go out and help the farmer plant extra crops, the beautiful scheme jolted to a sudden stop because the elaborate farmer refused to have his property on his premises. The farmer preferred to sell off some of his equipment, put in a smaller crop, reef sails, battened down hatches and sit tight. It could afford to wait till the storm of war and high wages and poor help passed over. The city man couldn't. Milk went up another two cents a quart. Meat mounted from three to five cents a pound. The size of the loaf shrank again and again. The city man couldn't realize of the problem. They—the city people—could not afford to have the farmer handuffed. The farmer could sit tight. Suffice to put in extra crops with untrained, inefficient help. Different in Canada.

In Canada, the case is different. Canada is and always will be preponderantly a farming country. When they go to agricultural colleges in Canada, they go from the farm. When they go to agricultural colleges here, they get nine times out of ten from the town. They have the theory. They have next to no practice. They do not—I am sorry to set down after having employed graduates from six different institutions—they do not as a rule make good. They have proved expensive and deplorable failures. I shall not tell the story here. It is too long. Suffice to say the agricultural colleges here yearly graduate fifty to sixty thousand students, and these are absorbed as teachers and do not go back to the land. Besides, what are 60,000 students to a vocation requiring thirty million people? The city man couldn't realize of the problem. They—the city people—could not afford to have the farmer handuffed. The farmer could sit tight. Suffice to put in extra crops with untrained, inefficient help. Different in Canada.

One Good Scheme. Because there were such hosts of girls and women eager to get back from factory to farm life, Mayor Mitchell had a woman's committee formed to open an agricultural training camp amid the big estates of Mr. Kisco. One person volunteered out of bed. An army officer loaned tents. Someone else sent blankets and cooking utensils. Women of Columbia and Bernard gave service gratuitously as "dilettantes"—please note, not "cooks"—and garden "demonstrators"—please note again—not "flowerers." A rose by any other name smells just as sweet, and the point is the experiment succeeded beyond all plans. Estates that had refused to employ more girls than two

at first, ended the season by sending motor buses for eighteen to twenty a day. From spading gardens in a lady-like way, the women progressed to laying, filling silos, taking entire care of orchards on great fruit estates, and handling a dairy as trained nurses handle a hospital commissariat.

The camp was fortunate in the class of women who came. They were city-bred, Columbia and Cornell graduates, daughters of rich people, who wanted to learn how to handle estates. The federal department of agriculture heard, sent out an examiner and the examiner went away gasping with astonishment. As he said—"It was the most startling performance of my life. I have never seen a group of people of intellect really want to revert to manual toil? They certainly did. Here were eighty-three girls from homes of culture out on the job. That meant turning the farm into a profession. Also, didn't it solve three other problems? Didn't it point the way to training city people to go back to country life? Didn't it point the way to a new kind of efficient help for the farm? And didn't it show how to break the agricultural graduate into training for his job so he would not fall down?"

Many Camps Next Year. There were some agricultural camps this year. There will be many next year. Other camps charged the girls training. This camp paid the students \$15 a month and board while in training, then rented the labor out at \$2 a day, or 25c an hour, to surround the estates, the proceeds going back in the home purse to defray overhead. I give these slight details of what is being done in a very big movement, indeed, because if Canada is to double her wheat production next year, the agricultural camps might solve a distracting and desperate need in the west.

A FRUITFUL VINE. (London Times, Sept. 9.) Grapes grown on the great vine at Hampton Court Palace, which was planted in 1768, were cut yesterday by special permission of the king and a large quantity of them was allotted to the Dowager Lady Wolesey for distribution among wounded soldiers in local military hospitals. The grapes are in fine condition and some of the bunches are unusually heavy.

Conservatives Here Enderse Union Gov't

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Liberal-Conservative party of the city of St. John, held last evening in their rooms, Charlotte street, L. P. D. Tilley, M. L. A., presided, and resolutions appreciative of the services of Hon. J. D. Hazen, endorsing Union government and pledging the support of the party to Union government candidates in this constituency were passed unanimously.

The resolution appreciating the work of Mr. Hazen was moved by M. E. Agar and seconded by R. B. Emerson. It was as follows: "Whereas the honorable J. Douglas Hazen, who for the past six years has represented the constituency of the city of St. John in the dominion parliament, and during that period has occupied the position of minister of marine and fisheries, has together with his colleagues in the government placed his resignation in the hands of the premier, and has signified his intention not to seek reelection; and

"Whereas it has been a matter of profound gratification to the members of the Liberal-Conservative party that Mr. Hazen has been the representative of this constituency during the strenuous years through which the empire has been passing, and that by virtue of his influential position he has been able to strengthen the hands of the late government in the prosecution of the war in a manner worthy of the great party of which Sir Robert L. Borden is the noble and revered leader. The party sever its relationship with Mr. Hazen and as its representative in the house of commons with intense regret. His eloquence, his urbanity and his genial disposition added to his signal abilities have all tended to create a spirit of pride and admiration in his political associates. Mr. Hazen and Mrs. Hazen, his helpful and charming wife, have aided ungrudgingly in public and private sacrifice; therefore,

"Resolved in recognition of Mr. Hazen's important services, the members of this executive of the Liberal-Conservative Association of St. John desire to place on record an expression of their appreciation of his valuable services to the Empire at large, and his appointment to an office in the gift of the new government; and further,

"Resolved that a copy hereof be forwarded by the secretary to the Hon. J. D. Hazen."

Mr. B. Emerson moved and Dr. James Manning seconded the following resolution: "Whereas a Unionist government for members of the Liberal and Liberal-Conservative parties for the purpose of conducting the administration of the country on non-partisan lines during the period of the war; and

"Whereas said government is, along with other matters of national import, pledged to the support and carrying out of the terms of the Military Service Act, as the best and only adequate means to maintain Canada's fighting forces on the firing line; therefore,

"Resolved that the executive of the Liberal-Conservative party for the city and county of St. John takes this opportunity of placing on record in favor of the present Union government, and further pledges its support to such candidates as may be chosen, who have openly and unreservedly placed themselves on record either on the floors of parliament or elsewhere, in favor of the formation of a Union government, and the enforcement of the Military Service Act."

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Suitable for	Rat	Muskrat	Mink
Spread of Jaws, inches	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
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Newhouse Traps, Each	30c	35c	50c

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This Trap has double springs with chain and is suitable for catching fox, beaver and otter. Professional trappers use it for catching foxes. It is very convenient in form and is strong and reliable.

No.	E	N	D
Suitable for	Fox	Otter	Beaver
Spread of Jaws, inches	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
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Spread of Jaws, in.	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
Each	25c	30c	40c	55c	75c	90c

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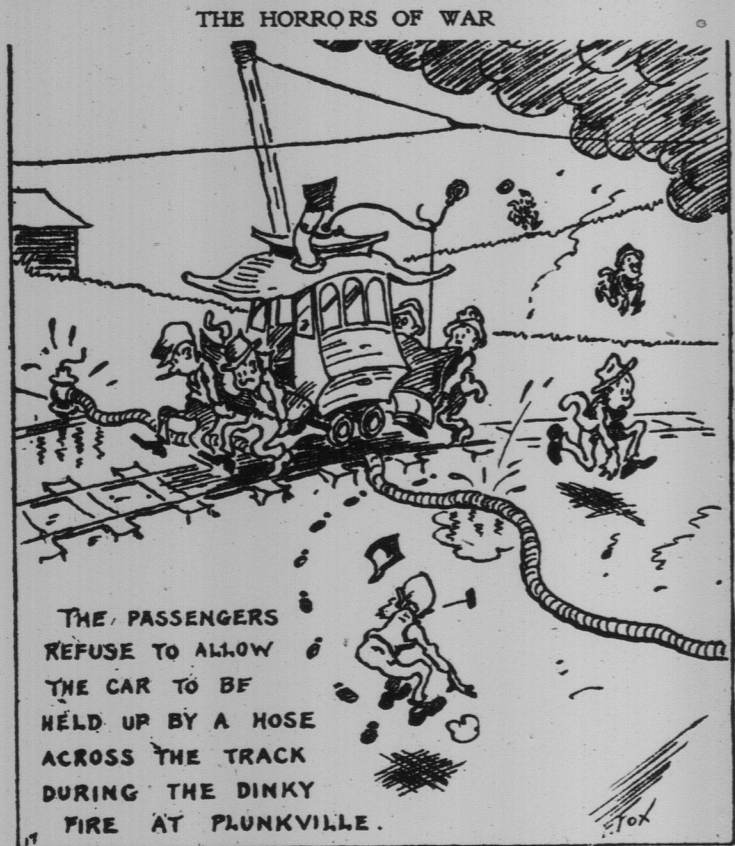
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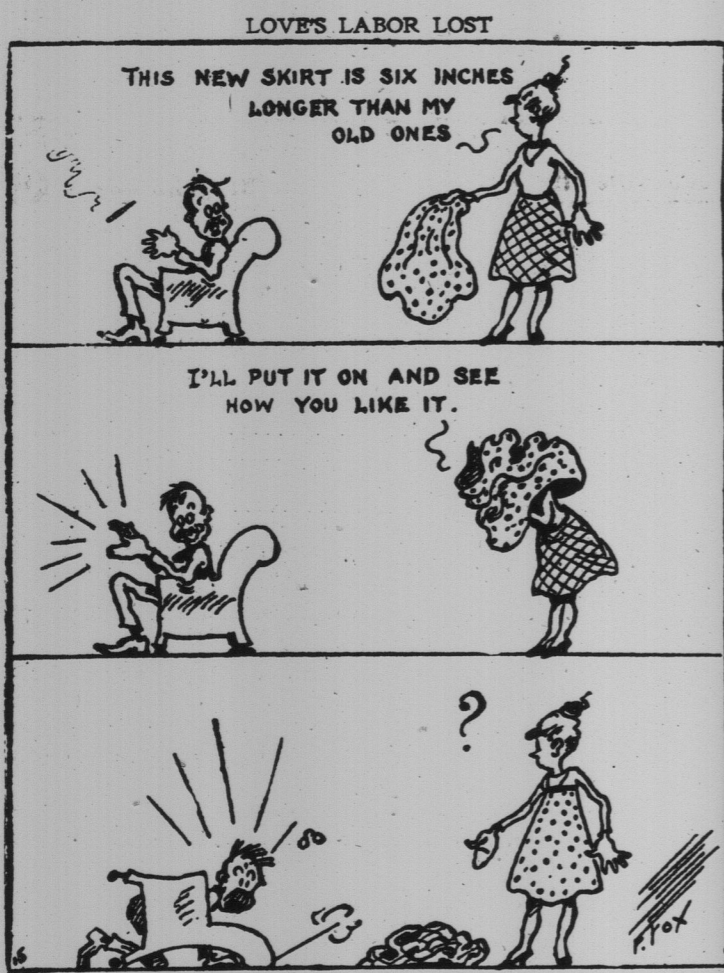


THE HORRORS OF WAR
THE PASSENGERS REFUSE TO ALLOW THE CAR TO BE HELD UP BY A HOSE ACROSS THE TRACK DURING THE DINKY FIRE AT PLUNKVILLE.

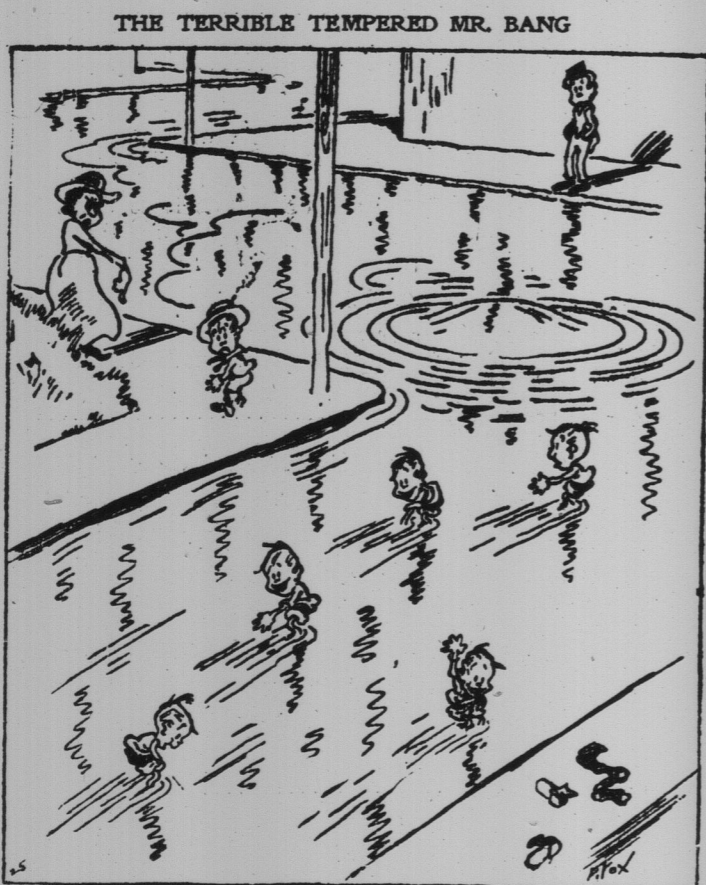
A Special Rearguard Undoubtedly Will Have to Be Appointed for the New Military Soup Kitchen. (Copyright 1917, by Fontaine Fox.)



THE POWER OF UL KATRINKA
There Never Was a Trunk She Couldn't Close If They Let Her Go At It The Right Way. (Copyright 1917, by Fontaine Fox.)



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THIS NEW SKIRT IS SIX INCHES LONGER THAN MY OLD ONES
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The Day Before His Wife Comes Home Jones Makes an Important Discovery Concerning the Only Plant His Faithful Watering Has Been Able to Keep Alive. (Copyright 1917, by Fontaine Fox.)



THE TERRIBLE TEMPERED MR. BANG
Not Having Asked for It When He Paid His Fare, the Terrible Tempered Mr. Bang Had Some Difficulty Making the Conductor Give Him a Train Seat. (Copyright 1917, by Fontaine Fox.)

PASSENGER VESSEL SHOOTS COLUMBIA RIVER RAPIDS

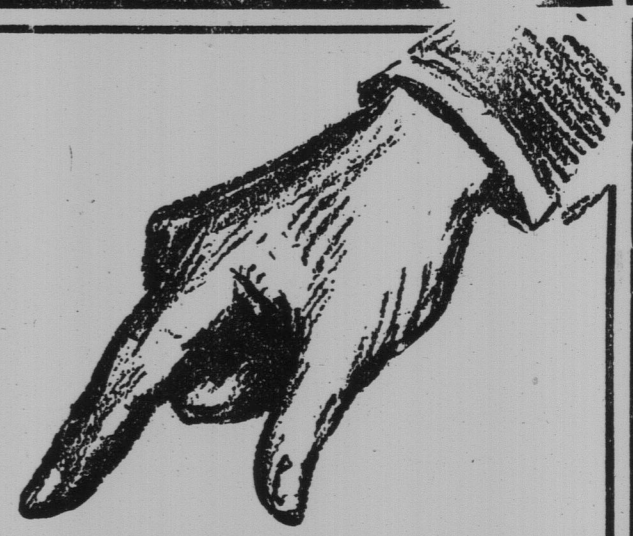
With 125 passengers aboard, the stern-wheel steamer "Balley Gatzert" safely negotiated the roaring Cascades of

the Columbia River at express-train speed some weeks ago, and the November number of Popular Mechanics Magazine contains an account of the feat. So far as is known this is the first time a passenger vessel has at-

tempted the dangerous trip through the rapids. Owing to high water the boat on its up-stream voyage was barely able to pass the locks at the Cascades. On the return trip, later in the day,

the water had risen to such a stage that the locks had been closed. The captain faced the alternative of tying up the steamer or running the rapids. He chose the latter course, piloted the ship to the middle of the river and plunged

down-stream, braving dangerous rocks, cross currents, and whirlpools at a startling speed. Twenty years ago the steamer "D. S. Baker," towing a barge, shot the Cascades successfully. It is said that previous to that time four freight vessels had also made the trip.



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We could easily have taken advantage of war conditions that exist to ask a higher price for our clothes, and thus make profit out of the buying public, but we prefer to stand by our customers and stick to the old price as long as we can.

We believe that in selling our customers their clothes at the same price, \$15, notwithstanding the price British woollens are selling for everywhere today, we are rendering them a service that they will appreciate. Clothiers and tailors all over Canada are raising their prices. Some of our Branch Managers thought perhaps we also should do so. After considering, however, they all agreed with the executive that maintaining our price is the most patriotic policy we could follow.

If, however, it ever comes to a question where we must raise our price or reduce our standard of value, we shall most certainly advance the price. In the meantime, we are giving the greatest tailoring value in the Dominion, without question. Customers who wear our clothes will find every detail right up to the usual standard at the same old price. You are invited to come and see the new Fall and Winter material and satisfy yourself that our tailoring proposition stands without equal in the Dominion.

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SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING. City Bowling League. At a largely attended meeting at Black's Bowling alleys last night it was decided that the City Bowling League open on November 4, a week from this coming Monday.

BASEBALL. Urban Faber Collapsed. Albany, N.Y., Oct. 23.—Med Wolfgang, one of the Sox pitchers, who lives here, said that "Urban" Faber collapsed after the world's series.

Cubs Are After Players. Chicago, Oct. 23.—Fred Mitchell, manager of the Cubs, started out today to buy a National League pennant. He had \$200,000 with which to do it.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Southern League lot in Atlanta, Ga., when Atlanta defeated Mobile, playing full nine innings in exactly 32 minutes.

Baseball. Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 23.—The nearest approach to it was made in 1912 at Binghampton, when the local club of the New York State League and the Albany team rushed through a contest in 42 minutes.

Billiards. Snooker Pool. New York, Oct. 23.—It is an uneventful week when Jack Doyle does not introduce a new billiard game to the local patrons of the sport.

Hockey. Changes in Rules. Montreal, Oct. 23.—Several changes are suggested in the N. H. A. playing rules.

Pacific Coast League Notes. From all appearances the Pacific Coast Hockey League may be hard hit this year in the way of players, while complications may also arise in playing out the schedule, owing to three of the clubs being on the American side.

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ZIM. SAYS HE WILL TAKE ALL THE BLAME

Thought He Could Run Down Collins—McGraw Blames Rariden And Beaton. New York, Oct. 23.—Heinie Zimmerman, third baseman of the Giants, who is generally blamed for the Giants' loss of the world's series, largely because of his chase of Eddie Collins over the plate with the first run of the deciding game, does not abate himself. He takes all the blame, and absolves Catcher Rariden.

more he must be convinced that not only Rariden, but Benton and Holke didn't play good baseball to prevent Collins from scoring. When Rariden left his position, it was up to Holke or Benton to see that the plate was covered, more so on Benton's part than the first-baseman. Old Kid Gleason declares that Zimmerman did the only correct thing under the circumstances, as a peg to the plate would have gone to the grandstand. It was simply a case of bad baseball on the part of the Giants.

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President of Giants Supports Johnson In His War Policy

New York, Oct. 24.—President Ben Johnson, of the American League, will find in Harry N. Hempstead, president of the Giants, a sturdy champion for a shorter season next year.

SPRINTS TO FEATURE SIX DAY BIKE RACE

Every Noted Cyclist In The U. S. Signifies Intention of Competing. New York, Oct. 23.—One hundred and forty-four sprints, an average of one an hour for the duration of the week-long grind, is guaranteed sport lovers who will attend the six-day bike race at Madison Square Garden, November 2-8.

lengthen the race to 144 hours, six full days, instead of 142 hours, as heretofore. The riders unanimously accepted the promoter's plan of \$16,000 in prizes instead of guarantees and bonuses, which always tended to take the competitive interest out of the race, as the riders were content to ride for a stipulated sum each day. This time no rider is to receive a flat sum, but instead every one will have to survive until the grand finale before he can hope to receive any monetary reward.

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—N. Y. Evening Telegram.

STEAMER ESCAPES SUB AFTER BITTER FIGHT

A French Seaport, Oct. 24—Escaping from a German submarine after a bitter fight lasting nearly four hours, and with seven of her crew wounded, two of them seriously, an American steamer arrived here this morning from an American port. The timely intervention of an American torpedo boat alone saved the ship from being sent to the bottom.

The stubbornness of the battle is indicated by the fact that the submarine fired two hundred and thirty-four shots at the steamer, which responded with more than

two hundred and sixty shots. The steamer was not hit below the water line, but her cargo caught fire during the engagement. The amount of damage has not been ascertained.

FUEL FROM GARBAGE MAY BE MANUFACTURED IN REGINA

Negotiations are being conducted between the Canadian Nufuel Co., of Regina, and the Regina City commissioners for the manufacture of the new fuel called "Okole" from that city's garbage and refuse. The patentee of this new fuel is Mr. Culver, an American chemist, and Dr. Armstrong of Regina has secured the selling and manufacturing rights for Canada and Newfoundland. At the present time this new fuel is being manufactured at San Antonio and Austin, Texas, and on October 5th a large plant, having a capacity of 250 tons a day, was opened at Pueblo, Arizona. It is proposed to erect a plant having a capacity of 150 tons a day at Regina.

Advertisement for Lea Perrins Worcestershire Sauce, featuring a woman and child, and text: 'Recommended by Users Everywhere—The best friend of the best cooks from nation to nation.'

POKER PROMINENT IN WAR TIME PEDAGOGY

Instructors Employ Novel Methods in Teaching Convalescent Tommies The "Three R's"

Putting pedagogy on a war basis has been the problem of the instructors of the Military Hospitals Commission in the vocational training classes established for the convalescent soldiers. A new chapter is being written for the history of education. When a man has earned a living in spite of illiteracy for twenty or thirty years, the three "R's" must be done up in prize packages to catch him. To make the rudiments of education look like a man-sized job to miners, ranchers, woodsmen, and foreigners who have come back from the front disabled for their former labor, is the task of the man who undertakes to fit them for lighter trades, and ingeniously is taxed to the limit many times to look the new knowledge into the catch of some former interest in a man's life. Education a Great Help This elementary education is recognized as one of the biggest assets a man disqualified for strenuous work can be given as a ground-work for a new trade and citizenship, so the first days of his convalescence find him started where he left off when waywardness or misfortune short-circuited his education in boyhood. The attitude of many of the men at first is scornful. Learning letters after

they have spent a couple of years in potting books seems a bit too infantile, but when the double negatives get in their tricky deception, and conjunctives tie themselves up in knots, they are apt to give up in despair. Here new pedagogical tactics enter to save the day. Any trick is permissible as long as it holds a man's interest. A "Royal Flush" Diploma One of the best of these was discovered in Calgary when a husky Pole lost heart "English no good," he cried, and ground his pencil under his foot. He was done!

All the brains of the place were set to get Nick back to his letters without avail, till one day the fame of the Pole at poker gave the instructor an idea. A little flattery and he got him to try one day more of "school." When his papers at the close of the session were returned to him, they were marked in poker terms. "This appealed to Nick. A marking of "three aces" was worth working for. The next day he appeared and announced that he was going to get a "full house." Today Nick is a solved problem working for a "royal flush" diploma and near the head of his class.

WEALTH IS REALLY CONSCRIPTED HERE

Manila, Iowa, Oct. 25—John Brus, a wealthy resident of Aspinwall, who was arrested yesterday because of his refusal to permit the use of an assembly hall owned by him, for a Liberty loan campaign, today is pleading with his German friends to buy Liberty bonds. Aspinwall is chiefly populated by Germans. After Brus was released pending good behavior, he was told that if Iowa ownership, in which he resides, bought \$25,000 worth of bonds, citizens would attempt to have the charges against him dropped. Brus then purchased \$500 worth of bonds and immediately began a selling campaign among his German friends. The Stars and Stripes are floating over homes and business houses in Aspinwall today for the first time in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. State agents began a drive against pro-Germans. Wealthy Germans, who do not subscribe to the loan, will be taken before the federal commission at Council Bluffs, according to Mayor Roscoe Saunders, of Manila, who is heading the bond campaign in the district.

OUR SIR DOUGLAS.

(London Daily News.) Having occasion yesterday, writes a correspondent, to examine the service record of a soldier who enlisted in a cavalry regiment some thirty years ago, I was attracted by the bold and decisive signature of the officer who certified the entries as correct. It was "D. Haig, Lt."

CAPT. SAUNDERS AS PAYMASTER

Orders for Training Depot for C.A. M.C.; Casualties; News of the Soldiers

Captain Saunders, of the paymaster's staff at Halifax, was in the city yesterday, in the course of his duties. Captain Saunders makes trips periodically to St. John in the interests of the paymaster at Halifax in connection with this district. With New Brunswick becoming a separate military district, it will have its own paymaster. It is rumored in military circles that with the creation of the position Captain Saunders would be appointed permanent paymaster in this division.

C. A. M. C. Training Depot. Orders have been received at local military headquarters that the formation of a training depot for the Canadian Army Medical Corps has been authorized and approved. The depot headquarters will be at Halifax with Captain H. H. Barrett as officer in charge.

Information is also to hand that for the duration of the war in cases of death of ex-members of the C. E. F. in Canada with honorable discharge and request for military funerals the necessary firing squad and an escort party is to be supplied by a local unit of the active militia in cases where there are no C. E. F. units to be had. The casualty list yesterday announces that Albert E. Bass, son of Joshua Bass, of Douglastown (N. B.), has made the supreme sacrifice. A despatch to Bridgetown (N. S.), brings the news that Private Clarence Curren Curren Purdy, of that place, has died in a German prison camp. He had been a prisoner of war since April 29. Dies in Prison Camp. Bridgetown, N. S., Oct. 25—(Special.)—A telegram received here at noon announces the death in a German prison of Private Clarence Curren Curren Purdy, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. W. Purdy, of Bridgetown. He has been a prisoner of war since April 29. He is survived by his parents, four brothers, Sergeant Allen Purdy at Wellington Barracks, Halifax; Leonard, Oscar and Stanley at home; and two sisters, Miss Evelina, a nurse in the Yarmouth Hospital and Miss Gertrude in Windsor. Private Purdy was born in Deep Brook, twenty-one years ago, and is the seventh boy from that little village who has paid the supreme sacrifice. He is also the seventh from Bridgetown who has been killed or died from the effects of the war. He was a young man of sterling qualities and his parents are receiving the sympathy of the entire community.

Albert E. Bass Killed. Newcastle, Oct. 25—The second of Douglastown's brave boys to die fighting for their country overseas is Albert E. Bass, son of Joshua Bass. Deceased went over with the 182nd Battalion. He was twenty-two years of age. Besides his father he leaves two brothers—David and Roland, at home; one half-brother, Wm. Craft of Chatham; one sister, Miss Hilda, at home; another, Mrs. Joseph McBride, Chatham; and one sister and two half-sisters in the U. S. A. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved relatives.

One Maritime Man.

Ottawa, Oct. 25—Two Canadian soldiers are reported to have died, four are named as wounded, two gassed, three ill and one report of a soldier's death is now cancelled, in a casualty list of twelve names issued tonight. Maritime names: Wounded. M. D. McDonald, Stake Road (N. S.) Instructors Pay. Toronto, Ont., Oct. 25—Adjustment of pay is likely to be made by the military authorities at Ottawa, in the case of returned soldiers, who become in-

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structors to the "draftees." Toronto military officials have taken the matter to Ottawa this week. In addition to pay it is likely that these returned instructors will get separation allowances for their wives as well as an extra allowance equivalent to "patriotic fund." It is not likely that their pensions will be interfered with. Some thousands of returned men will be needed for this duty.

R.F.C. HAS PLACES FOR ONE HUNDRED YOUNG CANADIANS

Ottawa, Oct. 25—A hundred more young Canadians are required by the British admiralty to enter the Royal Naval Air Service as probable flyers. Announcement to this effect was made by the department of the naval service today.

Candidates will be required to serve for the duration of the war. They must be over the age of seventeen and a half years and must not, as a rule, have passed their twenty-third birthday, although exceptionally suitable men who have passed their twenty-fifth birthday may be accepted.

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Committee at Ottawa to Recommend Attention to This Feature, Failing to Convince Producers of Practicability of Low Prices.

Ottawa, Oct. 25—The milk committee appointed by the food controller to investigate the price of milk, completed their initial work at the session this afternoon and will probably return their decision tomorrow evening.

A special meeting of the committee will be held tomorrow afternoon and the decision will be arrived at after the chairman, P. E. Tustin, has heard the view of each member of the committee. It is probable that the decision will take the form of a resolution as in the case of oleomargarine, to be forwarded by Controller Hanna. It can be safely said, however, that some concentrated form of delivery will be suggested. The evidence and their information given by the farmers or producers showed that they demanded, individually and collectively, an increased price for their product. The price asked averages out to thirty cents per gallon. On the other hand, the distributors, with only one or two exceptions, stated that if there was a central or concentrated form of delivery in each city, they would be able to save approximately one cent per quart.

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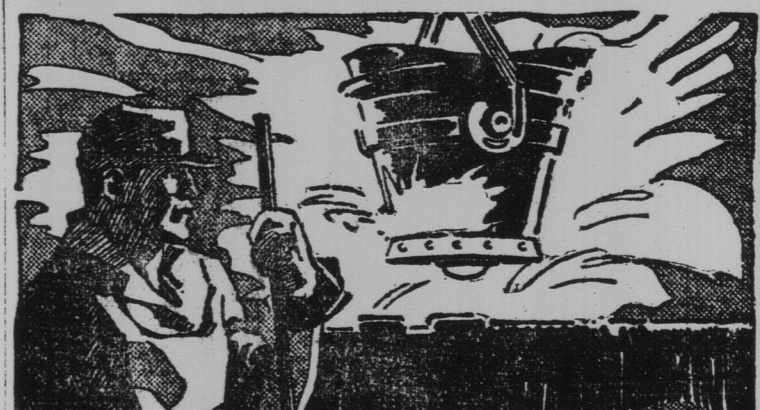


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