

NIGHT OF TERROR EXPERIENCED BY LONDONDERRY

Saturday When Part of the City Was at the Mercy of Rioting Mobs Hurling Missiles.

POLICE CHIEF SHOT AND KILLED

Several Others Injured by Revolver Shots or Bayonet Thrusts as Soldiers Charged Mob.

BUILDINGS BLOWN AT MAYNOOTH

Belfast, Ireland, May 16.—The town hall and Court House at Maynooth, 15 miles West-North West of Dublin, were blown up early Saturday morning by an explosion so heavy that it shook every house in the town. The buildings were the property of Lord Frederick Fitzgibbon. It has been rumored that military forces would shortly be housed in the town hall.

Belfast, May 16.—(By the Associated Press)—Londonderry experienced a night of terror, Saturday, part of the city being for hours at the mercy of riotous mobs. During the disturbances Sergeant Dennis Moroney, Chief of the Special Criminal Department of the police, was shot through the right lung and died within half an hour. Londonderry thus gains an unequivocal record as the scene of the first police murder in Ulster since the adoption of the Association campaign on January 1, 1919. The other casualty included James McCafferty, aged 38, shot in the chest; District police inspector P. McDonough, wounded in the head with a stone while leading a police charge, and John McCallion, a former soldier, wounded in the head with a bayonet.

Air Thiek With Bottles.

After minor disturbances early in the night, the fire-fighting between the Sinn Feiners and Loyalists flamed up. About 10 o'clock the air was thick with bottles, stones and other missiles, while revolvers were freely discharged. When hostilities were in full swing, forty-eight policemen, armed with carbines, arrived in command of Inspector McDonough, who persuaded the Loyalists to retire to their quarters which was accomplished amid singing, cheering and other manifestations on the part of the rival factions. The Sinn Feiners continued their disorderly demonstrations and the police charged and scattered them into the side streets. Many of them made for the Quay near the Great Northern Station. It was here that Moroney met his end. Rioters entrenched themselves behind railway wagons and directed volleys of revolver shots at point blank at the police. This led to a hot exchange of fire. Moroney was struck, walking a few yards and collapsed, exclaiming: "Boys, I'm done."

A few yards from this scene McCafferty was found lying on a tramway line. He said he was on his way home from the theatre when shot.

Troops Summoned.

During these happenings a Unionist crowd littered the neighborhood of Carlisle Square, and stoned persons believed to be of different political persuasion. The authorities at the Empire Theatre were stoned so furiously when leaving that they had to return, the doors being barricaded. Shortly before midnight the troops were summoned, and with their aid matters soon quieted down.

SENATE ADOPTED PEACE RESOLUTION

Declaring State of War With Germany and Austria-Hungary at an End.

Washington, May 16.—With few thrills and no hitch in the pre-arranged programme, the Senate adopted Saturday, 43 to 38, the Republican resolution declaring the State of war with Germany and Austria-Hungary at an end. The measure was in the form of a substitute for the Peace resolution, recently adopted by the House, which dealt with Germany alone. The two proposals will be adjusted in conference, beginning next week, the result being endorsed by both Houses and the final resolution be sent to the President for signature. That the President will veto it is a foregone conclusion, unchallenged by any speaker during the debate in the House or Senate.

STRIKE AMONG THE SHIPBUILDERS

Port Arthur, Ont., May 16.—A number of departments of the Port Arthur Shipbuilding Company went on strike Saturday as a result of the Company's refusal to grant a wage increase. The company had refused to accept a Board of Conciliation, claiming there was nothing to negotiate as they were absolutely unable to make any further gains in the wage schedule.

SIR LOMER GOULIN LEAVES FOR HOME

Enthusied Over the Outlook for Canadian Trade in Great Britain.

London, May 16.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Sir Lomer Goulin, Premier of Quebec, called on the Minister of Trade, Saturday, in London. He said that on no previous visit had he realized so fully the breadth and vision of British statements and of the business community. He had good reason to anticipate, as a result of the visit, that immediate steps would be taken to develop some of Canada's great natural resources. The Premier said: "We are, I believe, on the eve of a great boom. The world is crying for more manufactured goods, and we have an inexhaustible raw material supply which we want worked by British capital."

The Agent-General's office in London, he added, was proving increasingly valuable, and the Quebec Government would extend its usefulness.

TORONTO WOMAN THINKS BLUEBEARD

Harvey Was Her Second Husband Who Deserted Her Some Eight Days After Marriage.

Toronto, May 16.—That her second husband, whom she married last year and who deserted her some eight days later, was none other than "Bluebeard" Harvey, sentenced last week to life imprisonment at Los Angeles for the murder of Lena Delony, whom he married, is the firm belief of a Toronto woman, widow of a Fourth Battalion officer killed in 1918 at St. Julien.

It is also her firm belief that a hammer found in his trunk, bearing staining and apparently blood-rust, was the weapon with which he disposed of some of his victims. According to this lady, the description of Harvey and facts brought out at his trial tally exactly with the description of her second husband. He used a different name. "He was about six feet tall and claimed to be sixty years of age. He had false teeth and scars on the left leg at the knee and ankle. He told me he had never known any parents. He spoke with a slight accent, claiming to be Danish. He always slept with a revolver under his pillow," she said.

EXAMINATION OF NEWMAN CLARK

Alleged Slayer of Phoebe Bell Will Take Place Last Week of May.

Fredericton, May 16.—The preliminary examination of Newman Clark, charged with the murder of Phoebe Bell at Grand Falls on March 25th, will take place at Grand Falls the last week in May, it was learned today. The case of the murder, whose victim named as one of his "kidnappers" when he escaped from the hospital at Grand Falls after the murder, will be taken up at the same time.

Clark is in Victoria County jail, at Antigonish, still suffering with badly frosted feet, while Dubois is out on bail. The date for the preliminary examination was arranged by Attorney General Byrne, and Hon. W. P. Jones, K. C., of Woodstock, who is appearing for Clark.

KING ADDRESSES LORD MAYORS ON RECONSTRUCTION OF THE TERRITORIAL ARMY, SETTING FORTH DEPENDENCE OF EMPIRE ON VOLUNTEER CITIZEN ARMY.

London, May 16.—(By Canadian Associated Press)—The King, Buckingham Palace yesterday, received Lord Lieutenant of Counties, Lord Mayors and Lord Provosts to whom His Majesty had issued his call for the reconstruction of the Territorial Volunteer Army.

The King said in part: "The formation of a volunteer citizen army is indispensable to the safety of our peaceful strength, and the soundness of our national life and character could be given to the world. Settling an example to many nations, and giving proof of our confidence and good will to the whole world, we have abandoned the principle of compulsory military service to which we were forced to resort in the hard times of the war, and have returned to the purely voluntary system. The foundations of that voluntary principle must be a territorial army, strong enough to enable the regular forces to move about the Empire as circumstances require. It must be strong enough, too, new dangers of a most serious kind confront us, to secure us a breathing space necessary to enable the full strength of all the peoples of the Empire to be organized for its defence."

It has been asserted, recently, that recruiting for the territorial army has been proceeding slowly throughout the country. Winston Churchill, Secretary of State for War, when questioned in the Commons, gave a qualified assurance that the position was turning out satisfactorily.

GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE AGREED UPON

Fundamental Principles Involved in Reparation Demands Made of Germany for War Claims.

AND EXPERTS WILL MEET IN LONDON

To Fix the Amount of Indemnity, Details Concerning Payments, and Report to Conference.

Hythe, England, May 16.—(By The Associated Press)—Premier Lloyd George, Premier Millerand and their advisers conferred this morning, the meeting lasting until nearly one o'clock. After the conference Premier Millerand and his suite left for home.

An official statement issued at the close of the conference said: "The British and French governments recognized on the one hand that it is to the general interest that reparation for losses and damages caused by the war should be secured as soon as possible, and, with this object in view, the necessary resources would be made effectively available without delay, and, on the other hand, that it is desirable Germany should be put in a position to regain her financial autonomy by speedy fulfillment of her obligations."

Solve Difficulties.

"The two governments are further of the opinion that, in order to provide a solution of the economic difficulties which are gravely weighing upon the general situation of the world, and, in order to mark the beginning of the era of peace, it is important to arrive at a settlement which shall embrace the whole body of the International liabilities which have been left as a legacy of the war, and which shall, at the same time, ensure a parallel liquidation of the inter-Allied war debt and of reparation of the debts of the Central Empire."

Experts to Meet.

"Accordingly, experts from each of the two countries will be charged to prepare immediately, for examination by their governments proposals for fixing the maximum total of the German debt, which shall be capable of acceptance by the Allies, and, at the same time, be compatible with Germany's debt which will be best calculated to assure realization of the general agreement, and to establish conditions for division of the assets of the payment made by Germany in accordance with the agreements which, in the case of certain Allied countries, have already been arrived at, and which remain to be definitely settled in the case of the other Allied countries."

Premier Lloyd George was not sufficiently well to accompany Mr. Millerand to Folkestone, but the utmost cordiality marked their good-bye. Mr. Millerand expressed his hearty thanks to Sir Philip Sassoon, at whose residence the conference was held, for his hospitality.

Andrew Bonar Law, the government leader, arrived at Tynne Saturday morning and attended the conference. The Central News says that an agreement was reached on the coal question at the Franco-British conference in Hythe, by which France will receive 45 per cent of the coal exported from England. The rate will remain unchanged, the Central News adds, but by a scheme of arrangement of freightage certain economies will be effected.

Premier Lloyd George will spend his stay at Lympne, near here, for the whole of the present week under medical attention, to make his cure as complete as possible.

It is said that the projected conference between the Belgian Premier and Mr. Lloyd George has been abandoned, and that the latter will proceed direct to London to confer with Earl Curzon, Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

The commission experts to settle details of the German indemnity will also meet at London shortly under the Chairmanship of Sir Julian Bradbury, who is principal British representative on the reparations committee.

CONFERENCE OF CAN. UNIVERSITIES

Opens at Quebec Today With Noted Educators in Attendance.

Quebec, May 16.—(By Canadian Press)—The seventh conference of Canadian universities will open tomorrow at Laval University and will be attended by distinguished educators from the regular forces in all parts of Canada. The conference will last two days, Monday and Tuesday, and some very important questions affecting education through the country will be brought up. The delegates to the conference include: University of Dalhousie, Prof. Stanley Mackenzie; University of Toronto, Prof. F. R. Fraser; University of New Brunswick, Chancellor C. C. Jones; Nova Scotia Technical School, Prof. F. E. Fairbank; St. Francis Xavier College (Antigonish), Dr. J. J. Tompkins; University of St. Joseph's (Memramcook), Rev. Father Louis Guertin.

FRENCH WILL ASK HOSTAGES

Berlin, May 16.—With a view to insuring against unpleasant incidents on the occasion of the evacuation of Frankfurt Monday, says a despatch from that city, the French are demanding the following hostages: President Cosmann, President of the local Government; Chief Burgomaster Wratz; Police President Ehrlich; Chairman of the City Council; Mayor; Alderman Rumpf and Councillor Lion and are also demanding a guarantee of a million marks.

CANONIZATION OF JOAN OF ARC CELEBRATED

By Pope Benedict in St. Peter's Which Was Most Impressive Function in Historic Edifice in Years.

THOUSANDS OF INCANDESCENT BULBS

Mingled Their Radiance With the Flickering of Innumerable Candles to Make the Scene Fascinating.

Rome, May 16.—(By the Associated Press)—The canonization of Joan of Arc, the French national heroine, was celebrated by Pope Benedict this morning in St. Peter's, the greatest and most impressive function performed in the historic Basilica for several centuries past.

The interior of St. Peter's was lighted by thousands of incandescent bulbs and the soft radiance of innumerable wax candles, the flickering of which added a fascinating beauty to the scene. The enormous pillars of the Basilica were decorated with pictures and the soft radiance of innumerable wax candles, the flickering of which added a fascinating beauty to the scene. A passage was kept open in the middle of the Basilica for the Pope, who, in the high altar, behind which the Pope throne was erected, having a small tribune for the Papal family.

Another tribune that attracted much attention, contained 140 descendants of the family of Joan of Arc. These, belonging to all ranks of the French nobility, from all parts of France, had for the most part, never met each other before. Three times as many applied for seats as relatives of Joan of Arc's family but their claims were not accepted.

Further along there was a tribune for the Roman aristocracy, the tribune of the Malles, headed by Count Lambertucci, the diplomatic body accredited to the Holy See, and a special mission headed by Gabriel Hanon, sent by the French republic. The tribune contained 140 descendants of the family of Joan of Arc, these, belonging to all ranks of the French nobility, from all parts of France, had for the most part, never met each other before. Three times as many applied for seats as relatives of Joan of Arc's family but their claims were not accepted.

The Pontiff was received at the entrance by Cardinal Merry Del Val, Arch-Priest of St. Peter's, who, in the Vatican Chapter, the choir sang "Tu Es Petrus," while the children in the garments of the period did not allow any details of the magnificent procession to pass unobserved.

London, May 16.—The whole Catholic world was represented at the celebration today of the canonization of Joan of Arc at Westminster Cathedral. The thousands thronging the Cathedral included visitors from China, India, Russia and other distant parts. The shrine of Joan of Arc was decorated with laurel wreaths and the French and British colors.

The culminating point in the celebration was a war pageant, organized by the Catholic Women's League, in the form of a long procession through the adjacent streets, preceded by the Cathedral dignitaries in their robes. British and French officers escorted Joan of Arc, as represented by a girl clad in shining armor mounted on a gray horse. There were many bands and banners and French peasant children in the garments of the period the whole forming a beautiful and impressive spectacle, which was witnessed by 100,000 people.

ICE BRIDGE FORMS AT NIAGARA FALLS

Extending from the Gorge on American Side to Maid of Mist Landing on Canadian Side.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., May 16.—One of the largest ice bridges in many years has formed in the Niagara gorge from the American Falls to the Maid of Mist landing on the Canadian side. The ice formation is due to continued cool weather, a heavy flow of ice from Lake Erie and a steady north wind.

SENTENCED TO FIFTEEN YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

New Glasgow, N. S., May 16.—In the County Court at Pictou on Saturday, Judge Peterson sentenced Jack McGillivray and Gus McNeil, who shot and robbed Duncan Campbell, cashier of the Greenwood Colliery of \$3,000 a week ago, to fifteen years each in Dorchester penitentiary.

THE MEMBERS OF COMMONS FACE BUSY WEEK

With Budget Coming Down Tuesday it Means Beginning of Debate of Long Duration.

HOUSE GOES INTO COM. OF SUPPLY

Monday When, it is Intimated, Arrangements for Appointment of Minister to Washington Will be Discussed.

Ottawa, May 16.—(Canadian Press)—Members of the Commons are facing a busy week. The budget will be down on Tuesday and that means the beginning of a debate which usually proves of considerable duration. Indications are that it will last from three weeks to a month, as a formidable list of members will want to have their say on this subject. What ever may be in the mind of the Government and Finance Minister in the way of taxation proposals, the secret is being well guarded, and outside of the actual members of the Cabinet, nothing will be known until Sir Henry Drayton has made his budget speech on Tuesday afternoon.

Committee of Supply.

On Monday evening at 8 o'clock the House is to go into Committee of Supply. This was requested by Hon. W. S. Fielding last week. It has been intimated that the subject for discussion tomorrow evening will be arrangements for the appointment of a Canadian Minister plenipotentiary to Washington. There has been complaint among the Liberals that this decision was reached without any consultation of Parliament, and they hold that the House should be asked for its opinion before any such important step is decided upon. The matter is expected to be well threshed out before the House adjourns tomorrow night.

There is yet much legislation on hand. The Franchise bill can hardly be got out of the way before the budget debate intervenes, for there will not be time to get the bill passed before the House meets at three o'clock. Then there are many of the estimates yet untouched, and legislation dealing with pensions and the establishment of returned soldiers is expected to follow the report of the special committee which is now at work with the small bills.

Small bills will come, the members have revised their ideas of returning home, and have put the probable date of prorogation anywhere between Dominion Day, July 1, and July 16.

CUT WIRES AND CRIPPLES RAILROAD

Extensive Damage Done to Electric Line in London Where Employees Are on Strike.

London, May 16.—Extensive damage to the property of the Niagara Gorge and Port Stanley Electric Railway has accompanied the strike of the employees. The men walked out on Thursday at midnight, and when an attempt was made on Friday to operate trains on the line this was found to be impossible owing to what was then said to be a break of the lines near this city.

J. E. Richards, Manager of the Company, stated tonight that it was not a break; the wire had been cut. Last night Mr. Richards offered a reward of \$50 for information leading to the arrest of the persons who had inflicted further damage on the property and equipment of the railway, and tonight he told of the line having been cut in several places.

Representatives of the striking employees deny that they have had any part in causing these interruptions, and claim that they had been the work of some enemy of both the men and the hydro-electric commission.

RESENT SYDNEY LABOR COUNCIL ACT

Melbourne, Australia, May 16.—Resentment over the decision of the Labor Council of Sydney, N. S. W., not to participate in the welcome to the Prince of Wales on his forthcoming visit to New South Wales, was expressed at a meeting of Trade Unionists, Friday. Resolutions were adopted to this effect and affirmations of loyalty to the Prince and the British Empire were made.

MANY PASSENGERS WERE DISAPPOINTED

London, May 15.—Passengers who planned to sail Saturday on Cunard liner Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, received telegrams announcing postponement of the voyage. Over 200 first class passengers were disappointed, including many Canadians and Americans, and British members of parliament and high army officials. Stoppage was due to labor disturbances at Southampton.

SMALL CROWD TO HEAR A.L.D. HEAPS AT HALIFAX

Halifax, May 16.—Alderman Heaps, of Winnipeg, and Mr. Dunn, a returned soldier, also from Winnipeg, addressed a public meeting in the Market Building tonight and told the story of the Winnipeg strike, of the trial and imprisonment of the strike leaders. Less than two hundred people were present.

GOLD HIS SPUDS AT 80 CENTS PER DOZEN

Hamilton, May 16.—While some farmers on the market here on Saturday asked \$7.50 per bag for potatoes, one farmer asked 80 cents a dozen for his spuds. He sold them at that price too.

LABOR MEN ACCUSED OF HOLDING UP

Country in Not Permitting Chinese Labor to Do Work Here When Others Not Available.

Montreal, May 16.—H. A. Mackie M. P. for Edmonton, addressing the Progressive Club Saturday, pointed out that, while there was not enough labor in Canada to meet the demands of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Government railways which required between them 16,000 men, yet the Canadian Pacific Railway was, at the same time, carrying through Canada back to China thousands of laborers who have served in France. Labor here would not permit these men to do the work which it cannot do itself, and the nation is obliged to submit to labor's dictum. For the nation to insist would mean a state of civil war.

Mr. Mackie classified all extremists in Canada as coming under the "One Big Union." He admitted the right of combination but not when it became a menace to the nation whether a combination of labor or of capital.

POOR ROADS DRIVING THIS MAN FROM PROVINCE

York County Farmer Going to Maine Where There Are Facilities for Marketing His Crop.

Fredericton, May 16.—Declaring that he is leaving New Brunswick because of the failure of the Government to provide suitable roads for the farming districts, Sylvester Moore, of Scotch Lake, one of the leading farmers of York county, has purchased a farm of 175 acres at Skutumpah, Maine, for \$10,450 and is going to sell his farm at Scotch Lake consisting of 469 acres.

"I have no fault to find with this country and I would like to stay here," said Mr. Moore, when asked this morning why he was leaving this province, "but the Government will not provide proper facilities for reaching the markets in New Brunswick, so I am going where they do have the facilities. It is more than 10 miles from my farm at Scotch Settlement to the St. John River, and the roads are not such that I could economically market the produce of my farm; the St. John Valley Railway is only five miles away, but it is on the other side of the river. I am going to take a herd of pure bred Ayrshire cattle to Maine with me and engage in mixed farming."

PRINCE THROWN FROM HIS HORSE

The Prince, However, Remounted and Seemed None the Worse from His Tumble.

Christchurch, N. Z., May 16.—The Prince of Wales was thrown by his horse yesterday, after the racing events of day had been concluded. The Prince was not injured.

After taking several jumps the horse refused three times in an attempt at a bush fence, and on the last occasion applied the Prince from his saddle. The Prince, however, remounted and seemed none the worse for his tumble.

WREIT NOT YET ISSUED BUT BELIEVED IT WILL BE BEFORE WEDNESDAY.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, May 16.—Monday, June 7th, is said to be the date which has been fixed by the provincial government for the holding of the by-election in the city of St. John, when Hon. Dr. Roberts, Minister of Health, will seek endorsement of the constituency upon his acceptance of a salary as a Minister.

The writ for the by-election has not yet been issued, but it is believed that it will be next week, and perhaps before the Government meets in St. John. Under the amended N. B. Elections Act, 17 clear days from the time of the posting of the proclamation are required before polling takes place.

NATIONALISTS ATTACK FRENCH

When Latter, 3,000 Strong, Went to Relief of the Garrison at Antab.

Constantinople, May 16.—(By The Associated Press)—A French column of 3,000 soldiers, which left Kilis, Asia Minor, May 9, to relieve the garrison at Antab, about 30 miles north of Kilis, was met by a strong Nationalist force when ten miles from its destination, and was compelled to return. The Nationalists were equipped with 1,000 cannon, outrunning the French 75's, and kept up a continual attack upon the French.

Advices received here describe the situation at Kilis as critical and that at Antab as desperate.

CARRANZA NOW REPORTED AS FLEEING INTO MOUNTAINS OF VERA CRUZ, AND THE REVOLUTIONISTS HAVE CAPTURED MANY PRISONERS AND MATERIAL.

BEFORE FLIGHT CARRANZISTAS SET FIRE TO THE TRAIN ON WHICH THEY TRAVELLED, BUT THE FLAMES WERE EXTINGUISHED BY REBELS.

REBELS CAPTURE MEXICAN CABINET

El Paso, Tex., May 16.—All of the members of Carranza's cabinet have been captured and sent to Mexico City, according to a message said to have been received today by revolutionary agents here from General Alvaro Obregon, who, at present, is in Mexico City.

Mexico City, May 15.—(Via Laredo Junction, Tex., May 16.)—Carranza is fleeing into the mountains of Vera Cruz by way of Petrola, and the revolutionists have captured 2,000 prisoners, with 24 trains, four pieces of artillery, 500 machine guns, a great quantity of ammunition and gold and silver bars, one airplane and many automobiles, according to a report from General Guadalupe Sanchez, given out at Obregon headquarters.

Fighting began at 10 a. m. Friday in the vicinity of Rinconera. After three hours' heavy engagement, Carranza's leading members of his party abandoned their train and fled in automobiles, escorted by 500 cavalry. The rebel cavalry is pursuing Carranza.

Unconfirmed report, Friday night, said Carranza had been captured. General Sanchez promised confirmation or denial of the report later.

Sanchez's report, given out Friday night at Obregon Headquarters, said the Carranza party carried all the melted coin of the trains, but left a great quantity of gold and silver bars, valuable records and dies from the mint stamping office.

Set Fire to Train. Before their flight, the Carranzistas set fire to the trains, but the flames were extinguished by revolutionists, who rescued several wounded occupants of the coaches. These included General Millan, who had been left severely injured in a sleeping car.

General Jacinto Trevino, heading a revolutionary commission bearing a safe-conduct for General Carranza, should be wish to surrender, arrived on the scene a few hours after Carranza's flight.

General Candido Aguilar, son-in-law of Venustiano Carranza, has been captured at Jalapa, State of Vera Cruz, and announced officially Saturday night.

General Pablo Gonzales announced formally and definitely his retirement from the Mexican presidential race, in a manifesto issued at this (Saturday) evening.

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It is not known what is to be done in respect to the vacancy in Carleton county, where there has been a demand for a by-election, but it is expected the proposal for a general provincial election has been abandoned.

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St. John Advantages Acknowledged

Wholesale Grocers of Province to Manufacture Many Lines Here - New Company Starts Today.

St. John is to be the home of an industry which has been brought into being as a result of the war-taught thought of the absolute necessity of greater home production.

The wholesale grocery companies of St. John, James & Schofield, and Padgett-Waters-Morrison, of this city; A. F. Randolph & Son, of Fredericton, and The Reed Company, of Moncton, decided that they were sending too much money out of the province for goods they were handling.

HARBOR FISHERMEN MADE GOOD CATCHES

Some Fine Days Last Week Made Good Gaspereaux Fishing for Both Weir and Net Fishermen.

With some fine days last week the harbor fishermen made good catches of gaspereaux both in their weirs and nets, but for this time of year the catches are not very satisfactory.

Canadian fishermen have been expecting a drop in prices of sardine herring, but until the appearance of the summer schools on the Maine coast the indications are that the price will remain steady.

LATE SHIPPING.

Scalded-Melita, Liverpool; Veronika, London; Canadian Planter, Buenos Aires; Lord Dufferin, Baltimore; Admiral Hamilton, Sydney; Canadian Seignior, Liverpool.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

Fletcher's Castoria is strictly a remedy for Infants and Children. Foods are specially prepared for babies. A baby's medicine is even more essential for Baby.

What is CASTORIA?

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher

In Use For Over 30 Years

All This Week

Steamer Platea Has Been Floated

Wireless to Halifax on Friday States Former Battle Liner Has Been Floated from Sable Island Sands.

A wireless message received at Halifax Friday by Mr. Porter of the Atlantic Salvage company stated that the Greek steamer Platea, which has been embedded in the shores of Sable Island all winter, has been floated inside the inner bar and it was expected that she would be floated over the outer bar in the night's high tide.

Spread of Blister Rust Disease

New Brunswick Lumbermen Much Interested in Fight the State of Maine is Waging Against the Spread.

New Brunswick lumbermen are much interested in the fight the State of Maine is waging against the spread of the blister rust disease, which is ravaging many stands of white pine in the State and has made its appearance on the border.

WANTED A RECEIPT.

Middletown, N. Y., May 15.—Lewis Bauscher, a Spring Valley merchant, added insult to injury when, after having been fined \$10 for speeding, he asked the judge for a receipt.

SAYS THE CYNIC.

Platonic friendship is that stage of love, at which a man is still wondering if he dare kiss a girl. And the girl is wondering if he ever will.

A Sunday School Scholar 80 Years

Presentation Made to William C. Godsoe at Celebration of Centenary Sunday School's Eightieth Anniversary - Special Program at Morning Service.

As a busy young lad of thirteen William C. Godsoe, in the early summer of 1840 became a member of Centenary's first Sunday School. Today, a couple of weeks after celebrating his ninety-third birthday he was, in Centenary Church presented with a souvenir of his eightieth anniversary.

Those Over Sixty In Examinations

List of Boys Who Made Over Sixty in Bible Study Examinations Sent to Toronto for National Classification.

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COLD WEATHER AND FARMING

Unusually Cold Spring Has Retarded Farming Operations Throughout the Province - Farmers Disappointed.

The unusually cold spring has retarded farming operations throughout the province and caused considerable disappointment among the farmers. Ploughing in many sections has been retarded, and farm work generally is said to be about two weeks behind.

WHAT VENIOT SAYS.

Hon. Mr. Veniot said he wished Dr. Doolittle had spoken of the menace to the highways through careless auto driving. He did not wish to dictate to the Automobile Association and he desired their hearty cooperation, but he could not help asking them to tell their members not to be fools when behind a wheel.

VITAL STATISTICS.

The Board of Health issued thirteen burial permits last week, death due to the following causes: Myocarditis 3 Pulmonary tuberculosis 3

TWENTY-ONE ARRESTS.

Two arrests early this morning, one for drunkenness, and the second a juvenile, charged with wandering about and not being able to give a satisfactory account of himself brought the total number of week-end arrests up to the high water mark of twenty-one.

DIED.

COOKSON—On the morning of the 15th inst., after a short illness at the residence of her grandson, Dudley L. C. Beaman, 102 City Road, Elizabeth Cookson, aged 87 years, widow of John W. Cookson, of Kara, Kings County, leaving her daughter and grandson to mourn.

ASHDOWN—On Sunday, May 16th, Ralph Ernest, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ashdown.

LAHEY—At her residence, 203 King Street East, Sunday, May 16, Eva K. M., beloved wife of Rupert S. Lahey. Funeral Tuesday at 3.30 from her late residence.

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Unusually Cold Spring Has Retarded Farming Operations Throughout the Province - Farmers Disappointed.

The unusually cold spring has retarded farming operations throughout the province and caused considerable disappointment among the farmers. Ploughing in many sections has been retarded, and farm work generally is said to be about two weeks behind.

WHAT VENIOT SAYS.

Hon. Mr. Veniot said he wished Dr. Doolittle had spoken of the menace to the highways through careless auto driving. He did not wish to dictate to the Automobile Association and he desired their hearty cooperation, but he could not help asking them to tell their members not to be fools when behind a wheel.

VITAL STATISTICS.

The Board of Health issued thirteen burial permits last week, death due to the following causes: Myocarditis 3 Pulmonary tuberculosis 3

TWENTY-ONE ARRESTS.

Two arrests early this morning, one for drunkenness, and the second a juvenile, charged with wandering about and not being able to give a satisfactory account of himself brought the total number of week-end arrests up to the high water mark of twenty-one.



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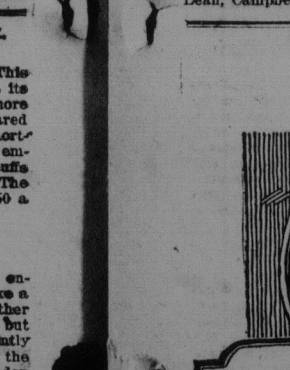
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Air—"Palm les Lianes" (Masse) (Paul et Virginie) Miss Kathleen Atkinson, Amherst. Violin Solo—"Minuet" (Beethoven) Miss Frances Cole, Sackville, N. B. Piano Solo—"Spring Flowers" (Gade) Miss Edith Lunan, Campbellton, N. B. Song—"She is Far From the Land" (Lambert) Miss Pauline Inkpen, St. John's, Nfld.

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Some Great Truths From The Poets

May 15-22

First of Series of Sermons at Knox Church on Poetry and Religious Teaching—John Oxenham Chosen as Example—Large Congregation Last Evening.

"And the High soul climbs the High way, And the Low soul gropes the Low; And in between, on the misty flats, The rest drift to and fro."

These words by John Oxenham were taken as a text for the first of a series of sermons to be delivered by Rev. Moorhead Legate at Knox Church, pointing out the debt owed to the poet, whom the preacher called some of God's best messengers, those with a message, prophets speaking out to the multitudes great truths hidden from the common people. In this master, poetic age a great deal is owed those who keep alive the poetic spirit. The first sermon was delivered last evening before a large congregation, the text being taken from Haggai 1, 5, "Consider your ways."

John Oxenham was referred to as one of the most spiritual of living poets and as having played much the same part in the late war as that of Rudyard Kipling in the Boer War. Oxenham's poem, "A Hymn for Soldiers at the Front" ran into six million copies. Poets have, said the preacher, a keener vision than their fellow-men, and the poet at his best presents the voice of God to man. Truth wedded to rhyme and music must always have great appeal, and poetry is said to be the only art which has ever saved civilization. In the Divine economy there is a special place for the poet to fill and it will be a sorry day for a nation when the heights reached by poets are made light of. To live by prose alone would be difficult, and it is not right to close one's ears to the music of the spheres. In these sermons, Mr. Legate stated, he would try to show what contribution the poets make to the truth as it is in Christ Jesus.

Taking this verse as an example, he showed how the High soul climbs the high way because the high soul must ever seek God. Even if it slips back it still continues to climb, "will lift up mine eyes to the Hills" being its motto. In the line, "The Low soul gropes the Low," hear a compassionate note for those who are staggering blindly down the slope. God forbid that we should be too censorious. One thousand per cent. of those who go wrong do so because they do not know how to go right. The proportion of those who deliberately chose the lower plane, the preacher said, he believed was very few. In between the drift the others—forgetting that drifting leads to the loss of all that makes life worth living. Crowds are there hesitating.

To all comes the old appeal of the prophet, "Consider your ways." Take stock, ask yourself where you are going. There is a note of hope in this. The choice is yours. You can decide for yourself, but remember that choosing is not merely thinking you will go this way or that way. Choosing is acting; it is carrying out an undertaking. To get the strength to climb, the wisdom and strength of Jesus Christ is needed, and no soul can reach the heights without His assistance and except through Him.

BATHING BEACHES MAY BE FENCED IN

Cross-Atlantic News Service. (Copyright.) London, May 15.—Surf bathing is threatened with extinction at some English seaside resorts because of the presence on the sea of masses of fusel oil, due to the increasing use of oil driven vessels. High tides frequently are bringing in vast quantities of thick, slimy oil; and bathers have suffered most unpleasant consequences. The suggestion is being made that bathing beaches be "fenced in" and the floating water filtered to do away with the nuisance.

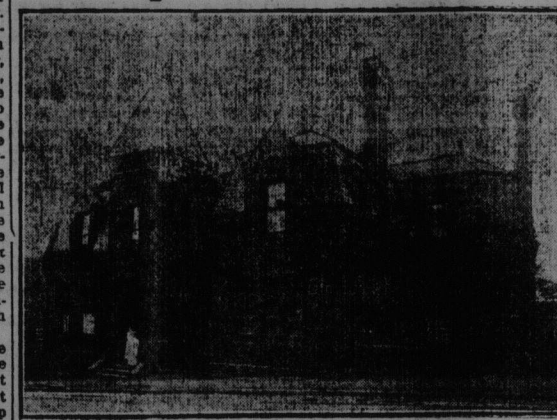
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The Salvation Army Jubilee Self-Denial Campaign

Under the Direction of the Rotary Club, St. John

THE WHY? and the WHAT FOR?

To Meet the Insistent New Calls that Press in Upon Us from Every Side. The Continued Maintenance of Our Work in Canada and To Carry on Work in Mission Fields that Are Not Financially Self Supporting. WE NEED YOUR PRACTICAL HELP—WILL YOU GIVE IT?



These Pictures Tell the Story of the Work Right Here in St. John



People's Palace, St. James Street. Renovated at a cost of \$5,512.07, and being re-equipped for better service.

Evangeline Maternity Hospital and Rescue Home, to which has been added a new wing, just completed.



Military Hostel Prince William Street.

ARE YOU WILLING

to make a garden of your kindly feelings with the gate open? —Van Dyke

ARE YOU WILLING

to look around you for a place where you can sow a few seeds of happiness? —Van Dyke

Ask the Boys Who Have Been Over There---They Know

His Majesty King George Says:

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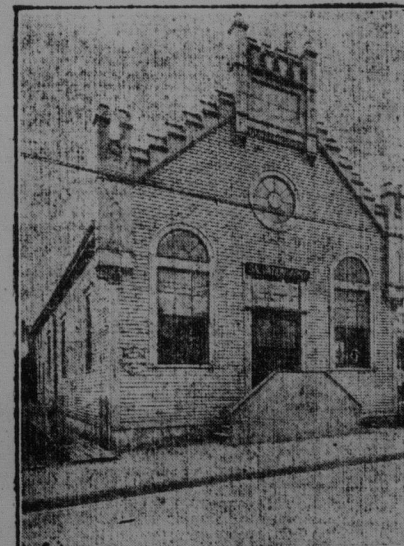
Will You Help?

If Ever a Cause Was Worth Giving To Surely This Is

This appeal is worldwide and it includes you! Will you come through with what you can spare to help the cause along?

We'll Say You Will—

Wouldn't You Help in the Building of These?



Emergency Hospital For Women.

The Rt. Hon. D. Lloyd George Says:

"I trust that all enlightened men and women of good will may lend you their financial support in the execution of your scheme for the benefit of the community."

Will You Help?

We Serve Regardless of Creed or Nationality

For the next few weeks the Army wants you to join its other friends who are helping it, and plan and work with them to bring this movement to a great success.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Jacksonville

Jacksonville, N. B., May 15.—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brown, who spent the winter in Los Angeles, Calif., returned home after a very enjoyable visit. They were calling on friends here on Monday.

Miss Christina Tilley, Debec, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chipman Tilley.

Mr. Harvey London returned last week from Rôyan, where he was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. London.

Mrs. Harvey London and daughter, Velma, are ill with influenza. Dr. Grant is attending to them.

Mrs. Frank Plummer, Hartland, spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Kirk Colburn.

Mrs. Whitney Payson passed away Sunday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Wiley. The funeral service was held Tuesday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. H. A. Bigley, of St. Luke's Church, Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright have moved from Northampton and taken up their residence here in the house lately owned by Roy Adams.

Mr. Hugh Wiley, who recently was confined to his home through illness, was able to be out on Monday.

Mrs. James McLaughlin and children, who have been in residence at Mrs. McLaughlin's mother, Mrs. Howard Palmer, for several weeks, returned on Friday to her home in Grand Falls.

Miss Iva Thomas, teacher at the Broadway school, Woodstock, was the guest for the week-end of Mrs. Serena True.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tompkins were the guests of Mrs. Tompkins' mother, Mrs. Harvey, on Sunday.

As a result of the special services being conducted by Rev. Mr. Quigg and Rev. Mr. Braden, the ordinance of baptism was administered to eight candidates on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Fred Everett, of this place, and Mrs. Brown of Woodstock, were called to Simonds on Friday owing to the illness of their aged father, Mr. Hiram Raymond, whose health is in a critical condition. Mrs. Everett returned to her home on Saturday.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist Church met for their annual business meeting at the church on Thursday. The treasurer reported an increase in membership and funds. The officers for the new year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Harrison; vice-president, Mrs. C. Tully; corresponding secretary, Miss Isabel Wiley; recording secretary, Mrs. W. Gibson; treasurer, Miss B. Harper; superintendent of missions, Mrs. T. Kinney; superintendent of Christian stewardship, Mrs. Sam. Hevener.

Miss Emily Anker, of Houlton, is ill at the home of her aunt, Mrs. T. Estey.

Mr. Fred Everett and Mr. S. H. Harvey have each purchased a tractor for use of their farms this summer.

A donation of over \$120 and several bags of flour, sugar, oats and potatoes was presented to the president and manager of the St. John's Hospital, St. John, by Mr. Dragoon and Mr. McQuigg as a thank offering for their services. The presentation was made at a song service held in the hall on Monday evening.

Mr. Will Kimball, of Waterville, has purchased the farm owned by Mr. S. Wallace and has taken up his residence there. Mr. Wallace and family have moved to Woodstock.

Mr. Miles Burpee, who has been in Detroit for several months, has returned to his home here.

Corn Hill

Corn Hill, N. B., May 10.—The Corn Hill baseball club staged a very amusing concert in the hall before a crowded house on Tuesday evening last. The amateur showed good talent and the entertainment was a decided success. The programme consisted of several choruses, readings, dialogues, solos, quartettes. A comedy sketch proved an interesting part of the programme and caused continued laughter and applause. Those taking part were Harry and Jack Stockton; Aetia, Frank, Harley Rouse; Chester and Jack Keith; Archie and Everett Brown; Gertrude, George and Herbert Clark; Ora Dunfield, Raymond Burlock. The sum of \$106 was realized. Much credit is due the manager, Chester H. Keith, for the success of the entertainment.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Josie Harper to Mr. Maurice Branscombe on Wednesday, May 12th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harper.

Fred MacLeod, of Penobscot, Kings Co., spent part of last week here with friends.

Miss Eva Dunfield, teacher at Cassan Road, Kings Co., spent the week-end at her home here.

Those from here who attended the Branscombe-MacQuinn wedding at Penobscot on Thursday, April 29th were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hunt, Misses Alice, Marion and Grace Branscombe, Eva and Gladys Rouse, and Zona Keith.

James A. Elliott has sold his farm, stock and machinery to Fred Elliott of Anagance Ridge, who took charge on May 1st.

The fiftieth anniversary of the Women's Missionary Aid Society of the Baptist Church was celebrated by the members of the Corn Hill Society on Thursday evening in the church. The programme included a two-act dialogue, readings, solos, choruses, papers and addresses. The sum of \$16 was realized by collection.

Miss Zona Keith and Mrs. Evelyn Brown left today for Western Canada.

Arbor day was duly observed in both of the schools here. At Corn Hill East the children were given a half holiday. At Corn Hill Charter they enjoyed a picnic, at which fishing, games and races were indulged in.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foley have returned home after spending the past five months in Sussex with their daughter, Mrs. Lisson.

To Fill Nail Holes. Nail-holes in wood may be filled up by mixing sawdust with glue till it is the consistency of paste. Press this compound into the holes, and it will become as hard as the wood itself.

Woodstock

Woodstock, N. B., May 12.—Mrs. A. D. Holyoke left on Friday for a trip to the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ridley are enjoying a visit to Boston.

Mr. Alex. Brown, who has been a resident of Vancouver for eight years, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Boyer, of Victoria, Carleton Co., have returned from Orange City, Florida, where they spent the winter months.

Mr. Edwin S. Green left on Monday to enter the Technical College at Halifax, where he will take a course in architectural drafting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lewis, of Moncton, have arrived in Woodstock, where they will reside.

Mrs. Anna Jensen, of Hartland, announces the engagement of her daughter, Sara Sowell, to Francis Ernest Appleby of Woodstock.

Rev. W. B. Wiggin, B. A., has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Reformed Baptist Church, to take effect on the first of June.

Dr. W. D. Rankin has recovered from a severe attack of bronchitis.

Rev. James Miller, of Richmond, preached in St. Paul's Church on Sunday evening.

Mr. W. B. Belyea was called to St. John on Monday to attend the funeral of his cousin, Mr. Charles Belyea.

Mrs. S. H. McKee, of Fredericton, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Baird, returned home Tuesday.

Dr. W. D. Rankin and Mrs. Rankin have returned from a week's visit in Boston, Mass.

Rev. Frank Baird was at his summer home in Chipman last week. Before returning he will attend the closing exercises at the U. N. B.

Mr. J. K. Sutton, of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, Sydney, N. S., has been transferred to St. John, N. B.

Mrs. G. G. Hugh Bruce and her little son and daughter, Andrew and Ann, left for St. John on Wednesday to again take up their residence there.

W. H. Hoyt, a graduate of the U. N. B., who served overseas, is representing the D. S. C. R. in Woodstock.

Miss Vera King, who has been in St. John for the past few days, has also come to Boston to attend the commencement exercises and to visit friends.

Mrs. H. B. Hay left on Tuesday to visit friends at Bear River, N. S.

Mr. Charles Neving, of St. John, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. King.

Mrs. Robinson Porter and daughter, Carrie, left on Tuesday for Boston to be present at the commencement exercises of the Emerson School of Oratory, of which Mrs. Porter's daughter, Margaret, is a graduate this spring.

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William Garvey has sold his property at Gaspareux to Wm. Murray and has bought the house owned by John Murray in Chipman.

Mrs. Henry Fowler, of Napodogan, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. W. H. Woods and son arrived to spend the summer with Mr. Woods, Miss Violet Maston, Chipman, and George Maston, of Young's Cove, were united in marriage last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Haber McQuinn returned on Saturday from their honeymoon in baseball opened the season by having a short practice Tuesday evening and hope to have the game in full swing in a short time.

Miss Addie Webster left on Wednesday for Portland, Me.

Penobscot

Penobscot, N. B., May 12.—The sun and wind of the past week have dried the earth enough to allow farmers to commence seeding. The season is later than other years, but with good weather, crops will be in about the usual time, as more ploughing was done last fall than is ordinarily done.

The cheese factory opened on Saturday, May 1st, after having had considerable trouble getting the boiler repaired.

The roads here, which are now hard and passable for automobiles, are very rough, having had nothing at all done to smooth them down. Matters seem to be going from bad to worse in this parish at least. This year, instead of one supervisor for the parish, there are three, each provided with a split log drag and get as stated above, nothing is being done at all to make the roads comfortable to drive over.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hayes, who have just recently moved into their new home here, came very near losing their house by fire on Friday afternoon. A spark from the fire caught in the cedar shingles and in a few minutes quite a section of the roof was in flames. Luckily two men who were passing in a carriage, noticed it just in time and the alarm was sent to the neighbors, who, after quite a fight, got the flames under control. One unfortunate incident of the occurrence was that Mrs. Mayfield Goddard, who with her husband, occupy rooms in the house, was lying very critically ill, recovering from an operation and received quite a scare. Mrs. Goddard's room was directly under the blaze and as the water was poured on the fire it came down in gallons right through the ceiling. Mrs. Goddard, however, has recovered from her setback and we are pleased to hear is gaining rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Haber McQuinn returned on Saturday from their honeymoon trip and were given a real old-fashioned charivari.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graves were given a reception at their home on Tuesday night by a number of the young people of the place. Mrs. Graves although a stranger to the people here, proved an excellent hostess and will very soon, we are sure, fit into the social life of the place.

The tenders for the Rural Route No. 1 were opened last week and Mr. Chas. Osborne was found to be the successful bidder. Mr. Osborne, we are sure, will fill the office very acceptably.

There appears to be an epidemic among cows in this parish this spring. Cows in apparently good health will be stricken while eating a meal and will live only a few minutes. There appears to be no cause for death, but the symptoms are the same in all cases.

Mr. C. D. Freeze and son, Arthur Freeze, spent Friday in St. John.

Mrs. Clarence Walker and daughter, Vera, Bellisle, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hall.

Mr. Fred Atay, who has spent the winter on the Bay Shore, has returned home.

Mr. Roland Morton, of Melrose, Mass., who has spent the winter with friends and relatives here, returned last week.

Mr. Wilfrid Snider, Harford, Conn., is the guest of his uncle, Thomas Conn, of this place.

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SATURDAY GAMES

National League

Brooklyn 8; St. Louis 2

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At Cincinnati: Cincinnati 9; Philadelphia 2. Score: 9-2.

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CARNIVAL OF SPORTS HELD IN THE WEST END SATURDAY

Opening of West Side Playgrounds Was Most Successful—Y. M. C. I. Boys and Others Marched Headed by City Cornet Juvenile Band—East and West Side Children Participated in Races—Large Crowd Present.

The formal opening of the West End Playgrounds took place Saturday afternoon. It was marked by a carnival of sports held on the grounds under the joint auspices of the West End Improvement League, and the Y. M. C. I. A very large number of children took part in the games and they were witnessed by hundreds of spectators. Everything was run off smoothly, and the affair was a complete success.

The Y. M. C. I. boys marched from the Institute to the playground. They were joined at the West Side by the Juvenile City Cornet Band. Headed by the band they proceeded to the playgrounds. There all the children joined in the parade and a tour of the grounds was made. As the long line of young folks passed the stand each child was given a bag of candy which had been generously donated by city merchants. It is estimated that about a thousand children shared in the treat.

After the parade the Y. M. C. I. boys gave a very clever and interesting exhibition of dumb-bell drill. An operator from the Famous Players Co. was present and aimed the boys as they went through the various exercises. This film will be shown in the city in the near future.

Following this the Y. M. C. I. sports were run off.

The following is the list of races and the winners of each event:

Thirteen Year Old Boys.

50 yards race—John Davis, 1st; Ralph Sullivan, 2nd; J. Connelly, 3rd.

150 yards race—John McCarthy, 1st; M. Geary, 2nd; D. McEachern, 3rd.

Sack race—E. Flaherty, 1st; John McCarthy, 2nd; D. McEachern, 3rd.

Backward race—J. Davis, 1st; G. O'Hara, 2nd; D. McEachern, 3rd.

Three Legged—F. Doyle and G. McGrath, 1st; D. McEachern and G. Sheehan, 2nd; John McCarthy and R. Sullivan, 3rd.

Fifteen Year Old Boys.

75 yards race—L. Comeau, 1st; J. Stevens, 2nd; L. Gaine, 3rd.

220 yards—Joe McCarthy, 1st; J. Lane, 2nd.

Sack race—J. McCarthy, 1st; F. Lawson, 2nd; J. Lane, 3rd.

Three Legged—E. Stall and Connelly, 1st; Lawson and Lane, 2nd; J. McCarthy and G. Barnes, 3rd.

Broad jump—Joe McCarthy, 14 ft. 3; G. Riley, 13 ft. 10; J. Stevens, 12 feet 7.

High School.

100 yards—W. Williams, 1st; L. Reardon, 2nd; D. Dalton, 3rd.

300 yards—W. Williams, 1st; M. Rubin, 2nd; D. Dalton, 3rd.

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Olympic Trials Trapshooting

O. J. Killam is Leading His Nearest Maritime Man by Thirteen—Excellent Scores Made—Results Saturday at the Traps.

Great interest is being taken in St. John trap shooting especially in the Olympic trials, and of the four men in the trials, A. J. Killam is leading and stands an excellent chance of making the team that will represent Canada at Antwerp, in fact the local man has the position on the Canadian team about clinched. Killam is breaking them just as fast as they leave the traps and it is indeed a pleasure to witness his excellent shooting.

The scores made by all shooters at the first trials were the limit by breaking one hundred out of a hundred and continued with nineteen more without stopping. On Saturday he broke ninety-six out of one hundred giving him 187 birds in the two trials. The Olympic standing for the four men shooting here follows:

1st 2nd Total

Killam—100 97 197

McLaughlin (Hx.)—99 94 193

Berry—83 88 171

Payson—83 78 161

The scores made by all shooters on Saturday in the different events at the traps follow:

1st Event, Olympic Trial—100 Targets

O. J. Killam—97

J. McLaughlin (Hx.)—84

H. W. Berry—88

H. D. Payson—78

2nd Event, 15 Targets

Killam—15

DeForest—12

C. McAvity—12

McLaughlin—12

Payson—11

Carnell—10

Anderson—10

Payson—9

H. Brown—9

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College Regattas Held On Saturday

Cornell Won Both Varsity and Freshmen Races, Princeton Juniors Won—Navy Varsity Lost to Syracuse Eight.

Princeton, N. J., May 16—Cornell swept Lake Carnegie in the Cornell-Princeton-Yale regatta yesterday, winning both the Varsity and freshman races. Princeton won the junior Varsity race from Yale, who finished last in all three of the afternoon events, after coming to the start the favorite in every one.

Navy Varsity Lost

Annapolis, Md., May 16—After two years of continual victory the Navy Varsity crew lost yesterday by seven feet of distance and less than a second of time to the Syracuse eight. The Navy second crew won its race by the margin of a second.

New Glasgow To Hold Road Race

Event Takes Place on May 24 and is Open to All Amateurs in Pictou County.

New Glasgow, May 16—A big road race will be held here May 24, which will be open to all amateurs in Pictou County, and a large entry list is expected. Gordon Williams, physical director of the Y. M. C. A. is looking after the race, and there will be several good prizes. The Evening News is offering a number of valuable trophies, and the cream of the long distance runners of the county will probably take part.

This will be the first road race held in New Glasgow for a number of

Lipton's Trial Boat Identity Revealed

The 23-Meter Yacht Coming to New York Was Launched in 1908 and Was Designed for European Racing—Was Never a Challenger.

New York, May 16—There has been much confusion here concerning the identity of the 23-meter Shamrock which Sir Thomas Lipton is bringing to this country to set as a trial boat for his Shamrock IV, challenger for the America's cup.

The 23-meter yacht has been alluded to as the Shamrock II, and III. She is neither. The first three Shamrocks, with which Sir Thomas made gallant but unsuccessful efforts to lift the famous cup are no longer in existence. They have been broken up and all that remains of them is the memory of how they tried and failed.

The three challengers were built respectively in 1890, 1891 and 1893.

The plain Shamrock, now on her way here from England, was launched in 1908 and was designed for European racing. She was never intended to be a cup yacht.

The Shamrock IV, the present challenger, was built in 1914, and will be launched according to present plans next Monday. Charles Nicholson, the designer, will inspect the hull of the Lipton yacht before she is sent into the water. Changes have been made in the challenger and it is essential that he examine the vessel before she is floated.

The tire industry in the United States is rapidly working toward a final standardization of tire sizes.

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SIR ROBERT BORDEN.

"I have come back to work." This was the brief announcement of Sir Robert Borden when taking his seat in the House of Commons the other afternoon. The country is glad to know it; and that plain statement will do much to assuage the feeling of unrest and uneasiness which has unfortunately been somewhat prominent during the past few months. No man in the public life of Canada ever devoted himself more wholeheartedly to his country's service than has the present Prime Minister. His care and his toil have always been for Canada's advantage. The people know this and appreciate it; and they have accordingly the utmost confidence in him. While willing enough to acknowledge that the administration of affairs has been carried on satisfactorily enough during his absence in the South, as it was during the time he was attending to the country's business in the days of the war in London and Paris, still there is naturally a feeling of satisfaction in knowing that the leader is back again and once more actively taking charge of the direction of affairs.

Great as have been the Prime Minister's services to Canada, not the least fruitful of them were those performed in mission outside of Canada. If his rest has fully restored him to health, then his manner of spending the last four months may be extremely beneficial to Canada. We all hope that it will have the effect of renewing his old vigor and lengthening his days of service to his country. As has already been said, there are tasks of the highest importance for Canada now ready to the hands of its statesmen. It may be, it is the general hope that it will be, Sir Robert Borden's opportunity and duty to hold the leadership until those tasks are performed.

ADEQUATE PROTECTION.

The Ottawa Citizen, being politically opposed to the Unionist party, naturally feels itself competent to discuss the future prospects of that party and advise it what course to take in its own interests. In a tone of sarcasm, the Citizen says:

"If protection is abandoned or weakened, disaster will descend upon our industries and the workers will find themselves out of employment. This is a contingency which cannot be contemplated without a shudder."

If it (the Government) comes out for protectionism, it cannot hope to hold all its present converts."

The Citizen must have but a very limited knowledge of human nature if it supposes that any owner of an industrial plant, regardless of what his political affiliations may be, the success of whose industry depends upon its being guarded from cheap foreign competition, is going to deliberately cut away from it the only safeguard that makes his business self-supporting. Men will do quite a lot for the sake of the political party they support, but we have yet to hear of anyone who is willing to ruin himself financially merely to put, or keep, his party in office. Owners of manufacturing plants, whether they be Liberal or Conservative in politics, know perfectly well that their products cannot compete in the open market with those of the huge industrial plants of the United States, and that unless the products of these latter plants are penalized to some extent, their own plants must close down by reason of the competition. It is not a question of doing "honour to the sacred codfish of protectionism," as the Citizen so elegantly puts it, but one of self-preservation.

The industrial life of this country cannot exist without some degree of protection from foreign competition. Manufacturers know it, the workers know it, the thinking public knows it too. Nobody wants high tariffs or an unreasonable degree of protection. All that is asked for is that sufficient protection be given to each kind of industry as will enable it to bring in sufficient financial returns to pay the workers a proper wage, and pay a reasonable interest on the capital employed. The Government is taking good care that the manufacturers do not make any exorbitant profits; the business tax, and the excess profits tax, are making this impossible.

The Citizen's statement that "if protection is abandoned, or weakened, disaster will descend upon our industries and our workmen will find themselves without employment" while meant as a joke, is unfortunately quite true. If it is not true, how comes it that in all the years Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in power, he did not take some steps to do away with a protective tariff? Sir Wilfrid Laurier, while it may have been policy for him for political purposes to denounce protection, took very good care when he had the opportunity to do so that he did nothing to disturb it. He was astute enough to realize that the industrial life of the country has not as yet attained such a degree of robustness to be able to stand up and hold its own against the products of the cheaper labor and materials of other countries; therefore he sensibly kept up a tariff schedule which would be sufficient to protect it, and permit it

to exist. Those of his former supporters who are now supporting the Unionist Government, recognized the wisdom of the course he took, and they will still follow along the path he chose to take.

It is noteworthy, too, that the present leader of the Opposition, who was formerly so virulent in his denunciation of protection, is now not so outspoken in this respect as he used to be. He now favors a tariff that is satisfactory both to producers and consumers. That is the particular rail in the tariff fence that he finds it convenient to sit upon just as present. He may break out again into his former lamentations against a protective policy when he gets far enough away from his Quebec supporters. They have the good sense to stand by the trade policy that has built up this country and has made their own province the home of flourishing industries, disbursing wages to many thousands of contented workers. The people of Quebec have never followed the lure of economists who would deliver the Canadian market into the hands of American and other foreign exploiters. To their credit be it said, the people of Quebec have always put first the industrial interests of their own country. Had Mr. King leaned more to the side of free trade in his recent speeches he would surely have been deposed from the leadership. He is a leader who has to take orders and obey them, and as he is most unlikely to turn out a sincere spokesman of Quebec opinion on the tariff, it will not be surprising if there are even defections from his ranks to those of the Government. All those who are at present sitting under Mr. King's banner are not fools, and the desire for self-preservation is just as strong with them as with anyone else.

CANADA'S TIMBER RESOURCES. We would imagine that most people regard the timber resources of this country as one of its most valuable assets, one that should be conserved as much as possible after making due allowance for the legitimate requirements of the lumber industry. It is with somewhat mingled feelings, therefore, that one reads in the April number of the Canadian Forestry Journal such remarks as the following from the pen of so well known a public man as Sir Andrew McPhail. He says: "If you are disposed to ask for advice, the advice one would give you would be to continue in your work, get rid of all the pulpwood that exists as 'quickly as possible, for this reason: that if you don't, it will only perish, and we of this generation might as well get what we can out of it. . . . Nor need we of this generation concern ourselves too much about the future. We have done our part in the world, and let those who come after us do their share; and if they will look into your records, they will find that you tortured and tormented yourselves into finding a solution."

We are aware that the Scriptures enjoin us to "take no thought for the morrow. Sufficient for the day is the evil thereof," but, like a good many more Scriptural injunctions, this one does not work out satisfactorily under conditions such as exist in the world at the present time. The man who takes no thought for the morrow nowadays generally finds himself badly left. Certainly the nation that takes no thought for the future of its natural resources, but uses them up prodigally and without any consideration for the future is going to find itself badly off in later years. We have the example of the United States close at our own doors. In the face of this it is difficult to understand how so able a man as Sir Andrew McPhail could write so carelessly.

What is the policy of the Dominion and Provincial Governments today in regard to their forest resources? Is it not one of conservation for future use? Is it not realized that forest fires and other waste of standing timber have cost the Provincial treasuries a thousand million dollars in lost stumpage fees? Canadian householders know from practical experience in housing today, what are the economic results of the cutting down of our timber resources. Even if a small proportion of valuable forest land is burned over, should we recklessly exhaust the remainder, merely because our children, or our children's children, will have to meet the problem? Not many men would refuse to take thought of their resources for the protection of their family, and should not a nation be as careful? Timber is going to be one of the chief natural assets of Canada commercially. The United States has prodigally used up its forests, and now has to turn to us for pulpwood and soft woods. Instead of trying to use up what timber we have, with accelerated speed, to get ahead of fire and tree disease, we should be methodically laying the foundations of reforestation on German lines, using the immense areas of lands good for no other purpose. Some of the pulp and paper companies are systematically reforesting on their own limits, and wise Provincial Governments are now conducting surveys for the same purpose.

New York Sun. It chronic strife with the highest and ablest officers in the American naval service, active and retired; it bitter controversies with this, that and the other loyal old seadog; it frequent scenes of veracity with honorable gentlemen wearing the United States uniform; if political, professional and personal altercations of every sort, size, color and previous condition of seritude—if an unsurpassed record and an unrivalled capacity for all these things made a man an efficient Secretary of the Navy, what an efficient Secretary of the Navy the Hon. Josephus Daniels, of North Carolina, would be!

WHAT OTHERS SAY

A Poor Figure.

(Toronto Globe.) "Just a figure of speech" is Admiral Benson's characterization of his remark to Admiral Sims, "We would as soon fight the Germans as the Germans." A pretty poor figure, like the Admiral himself could use such language after the murder of scores of Americans by German submarines.

British Naval Supremacy.

(Toronto Star.) The addition of the five floating German dreadnoughts to the British fleet may save Britain from losing her naval supremacy to the United States during the next two or three years. At present Britain has 33 dreadnoughts. The United States has 27 built or building and is planning for 19 more. Britain has 12 battle-cruisers. The United States is building six and is planning for six more.

The justification for the intensive naval programme of the United States is hard to find, particularly when President Wilson urges all the nations of the world to join the League of Nations and agree to an all-round reduction of armaments. A clash between the two great divisions of the Anglo-Saxon race is unthinkable. Yet in the best friends of the United States who are citizens of the British Empire feel that Britain occupies such a unique position in the world that she has reason for taking such steps as may be necessary to maintain the most powerful navy in the world.

The cost of naval construction keeps on multiplying. The British battleship Hood, with the extraordinary tonnage of 42,000, a length of 800 feet, 31 knots speed, and eight 15-inch guns, is costing thirty million dollars, and it is said that some of the American dreadnoughts now building are expected to cost more than forty million dollars. Recently Japan launched a dreadnought which will be much more costly than any vessel she previously had built.

Work is Honorable.

(London Free Press.) Unfortunately there still remains in the minds of some the feeling that to belong to the servant class carries with it an implied stigma that is comparable with that of membership in some other class. Else why should Gen. McPhail's remarks have been received as offensive?

The war taught that all service is worthy, and that there is nothing so unworthy as idleness. Class distinctions were broken down in the face of common danger. Why should class distinctions be permitted to rise again, now that the world is so much more united? Why not the motto of everyone is passed? Why not the motto which serves as a worthy respect for the mistress who in her own sphere is also a servant? When we as a nation and people can approach to this attitude we shall discover that therein rests the secret of much true happiness and real satisfaction.

A BIT OF VERSE

Tastes. Some men prefer, perhaps with right, the girl with dreamy eyes. While others seem contented with what is always a surprise. Some like girls strong, some like them frail, some like them big, some small. While others seem contented with 'most any girl at all.

It's fortunate tastes vary so, with varied kinds of men. That some prefer the peacock gay and some the dove, is not a mystery. For there would be a heap of grief and anguish, woe and fuss, if all we men liked just one girl and she did not like us.

THE LAUGH LINE

THE LAUGH LINE. . . ffgfmp. COMES WITH THE SPRING. The robin's song is a sign of spring. As is the first straw hat. Spring fever, too, is a sign to you. That winter's left us flat.

And as the grass and trees grow green. We say, "The spring is here." Even balmey air and short-cut hair. Warns one that summer's near. But there's a sign that never fails. And it makes one cuss. It's when, dear sir, the janitor Cuts off the heat from us.

The Old Way Was Cheaper. The good old days of the rheumatic are gone. He no longer totes a raw potato in his pocket. He goes to his doctor, his doctor sends him to the tonsil expert, the tonsil expert sends him to the X-ray expert, the X-ray expert sends him to the dentist, the dentist returns him to the doctor, and the doctor sends him to the drug store. It's the life, boys.—Houston Post.

Thoughtful Child.

"It's just too bad that people cannot be taught to leave their folks things alone," commented 8-year-old Edwin. "And what is the matter now?" asked his mother.

"When someone has used your manicure scissors and left them all bent and I've been trying for the last half hour to straighten them out."

A Poser.

Embarrassed Young Man—"Have you—er—got any cruties?" Shrew—"Yes, sir." Young Man—"(becoming still more embarrassed)—"In cases where—er—what—er—wouldn't it be just—just what you expected, you know, and—"

Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE

THE PARK AVE. NEWS. Sports. Lew Davis took the inside works out of a old clock last Saturday morning and spent the rest of the day trying to make a perpetual motion machine, which at last he decided he didn't have enough wheels and things and he better wait till somebody gives him another old clock.

Enter! Puds Slinkins slipped on something slippery last Wednesday and sat down so hard he threw something serious had happened, but he found out it was only a tomato he had in his back pocket to eat later, the tomato being a complete loss.

Pome by Skippy Martin. They Was Using Marbles. 2 boys was playing billiards. As well as they was able. Which wasent very well because They had no billiard table.

Intriguing Facts About Intriguing People. Artie Alexander was sick last week and thawt he mite haff to have his appendicitis removed, but it was only a pane in the stumick caused by eating a combination of froot cake, hot dog sanwiches and a too soft tomato.

Stately. Miss Maud Jonsen has had her hair bobbed, and she likes the effect so much she is thinking of becoming a moving picture actor.

Lost and Found. Lost—Nothing. Found—Nothing. Weather. None today.

and you have to buy cradles, you know, is it customary to buy two cradles or—er one cradle big enough for both of 'em?"

JAPAN AND RUSSIA SIGN AGREEMENTS

With a View to the Restoration of Friendly Relations and Prevention of Future Conflicts. San Francisco, Cal., May 13.—The Military Commissions of Japan and Russia, which have been negotiating in Vladivostok with a view to the restoration of friendly relations and the prevention of future conflicts, signed an agreement on April 29 last, according to a statement given out last night by T. Ohta, Japanese Consul General here.

The agreement was embodied in 10 articles substantially as follows: 1. The authorities concerned on both sides shall, through proper channels issue orders for the suspension of the existing state of belligerency. 2. The group of armed Russians shall withdraw from the following districts: (A) Thirty kilometers to the east and north of the trunk line of the Ussuri railway. (B) From the line of the Ussuri railway west and south up to the boundary lines of China and Korea. (C) Thirty kilometers on each of the Ugorina and Kangas railways. (D) Groups of armed Russians at present in the above mentioned districts shall withdraw therefrom within three days from the issuance of the order. 4. Russian patrol guards shall be

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The one hundred and thirty-sixth anniversary of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, of this city was observed by members of that body yesterday with services fitting to such an occasion.

At the morning service, the pastor, Rev. F. S. Dowling, taking as his text Hebrews 12— "Wasmore ready we also are encompassed about with so great a crowd of witnesses, let us lay every weight aside, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us." preached a masterly sermon in which he gave a brief resume of the history of the old church, and the noble efforts and sacrifices made by its founders. In a stirring appeal he called upon the present congregation to take up the task which former members had by death been obliged to lay down, and imitating their example, carry on the noble work.

At the conclusion of the Scripture reading an imposing tablet was unveiled to the memory of the late Dr. James Walker, by the chairman of the church trustees, F. Neil Brodie, prior to which C. B. Allan in a short address spoke of Dr. Walker's connection with St. Andrew's. The doctor had always, he said, been a great friend and supporter of the church, especially was this true at the time immediately following the great fire when he had been a pillar in time of need. At his death he bequeathed the \$50,000 mortgage which he held on the church to the congregation and this accounted largely for the happy position in which the church was placed at the present time. It had been held fitting therefore that his memory should be suitably commemorated and a tablet had been chosen as the most tangible mode of expressing the deep affection and appreciation of the congregation. The tablet has been placed on the right wall of the church, a short distance from the pulpit. The tablet consists of a brass shield mounted on an oak base. The inscription, in large black lettering, reads as follows:

"In memory of James Walker, M. D. Born in St. John, N. B., Dec. 21st, 1829. Died Jan. 14, 1914. One of the leading physicians of his native city. A life-long member of St. Andrew's Church. He was elected elder in 1885 and by his generosity during his lifetime was of great assistance to this congregation. This tablet is erected to his memory in appreciation of his splendid generosity."

At 2.30 in the afternoon a special service was held in the Sunday School where a handsome tablet was unveiled in honor of the two noblest modes of the 'congregation who paid the supreme sacrifice during the great war while fighting for King and Country. The order of the service was as follows: Flag Salute and National Anthem. Lord's Prayer and reading of Psalm 96.

Scripture Reading, John 10:1-15. Prayer, Rev. F. S. Dowling. Remarks by Superintendent, Mr. Murphy, stating purpose of meeting. Explanation of tablet, Mr. Dowling. Address, Major C. F. Inches. At the conclusion of the service the address the tablet was unveiled by the supervisor of the Sunday School, J. B. Magee, following which all present, with bowed heads, sang the deepest and noblest tribute to the noble dead.

Addresses were then given by Sergeant Major Elliot and Dr. S. Bridges. The hymn "I to the Hills will Lift Mine Eyes," was sung and the service was concluded by the pronouncing of the benediction.

The tablet is one of the most artistic in the city. It consists of an oak shield on which mounted on a silver scroll are inscribed the words "Our Church—Sunday School War Memorial—Our Country."

Eight silver maple leaves are grouped beneath the scroll, each leaf bearing the name of one of the fallen which include Lieut. D. R. Murdoch, Privates John Ross, W. D. Dunsmuir, A. Hamilton, Lieut. P. S. Nesbit, Corporal S. Q. Clark, Pte. A. M. Magee and Sergeant J. Semple.

The shield is only commemorates the memory of the departed but also a gift of \$1,000 made by the St. Andrew's Church Sunday School in connection with the Forward Movement and donated to the Sunday School department of the Presbyterian Church in Canada to be used in the interests of needy children.

A small silver shield has been placed immediately below the maple leaves on which may be read the inscription: "St. Andrew's Sunday School Forward Movement in Canada, 1918-19."

Although but twelve members of the church were killed in the war, a large number of its young men saw service and the Honor Roll of the Church comprises the following hundred names: E. W. Elliot, A. B. Clarke, John Jenks, W. J. Robertson, N. Gow, M. Fraser, W. Fraser, A. Chisholm, J. Semple, W. D. Cammings, W. H. Clark, W. J. Campbell, S. S. Murphy, E. F. Dick, G. H. Cumming, J. A. Davidson, T. D. Ovens, A. G. Ross, S. Clark, A. Hamilton, H. Brown, J. P. Downy, H. V. Bell, H. W. Elliot, J. N. Semple, W. W. Hamilton, R. Fraser, J. S. Elliot, G. Scott, H. H. McLean, C. W. Weldon, F. C. Magee, C. H. McLean, W. H. Bell, H. H. Smith, W. H. Simon, D. B. Pigeon, C. F. Inches, P. D. McAvity, A. G. Ramsay, F. S. Dowling, F. S. Everatt, R. D. Magee, Nellie Floyd, Ethel K. Moody, Joyce Wishart, D. Finley, H. K. Bartsch, H. R. Fairweather, A. M. Macdonald, McAllister, E. A. McAllister, G. H. McKinnay, W. G. McKenzie, C. M. Woodrow, A. Scott, S. Bell, R. Jones, R. A. Macaulay, C. M. Stevens, F. Rankina, R. D. Magee, D. A. Macaulay, N. A. Macaulay, J. K. MacNeil, J. C. Bartsch, W. D. Triggs, T. Dean, D. Robertson, W. W. Murdoch, C. P. Inches, A. S. Bridges, G. D. Burritt, T. R. Brundage, J. E. McKinnay, F. B. Young, D. R. Murdoch, T. G. Bell, Jameson, D. Bridges, J. R. B. Robinson, W. G. McKenzie, K. B. Cameron, M. H.

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Evening Service The Rev. G. W. MacKay of St. David's Church preached at the evening service and made a decided impression on the large congregation by a sermon which was masterful in its simplicity. Taking the three parables from Luke 15, the lost sheep, the lost goat, and the lost son, he brought out through their means that the relation of God towards man is not that of an owner to the thing owned, but rather that of the parent towards his child as expressed in the text "Thou art mine." This was evidenced by what God has done for man in the incarnation, and what God expects from man from day to day in the duties and difficulties of life. For to whom so much has been given, and for whom so much has been done, of them great things may be expected. The Special music was rendered by the choir at both the morning and evening services.

AFTER HIDING TWO YEARS IN MOUNTAINS

Deserter from 84th Division U. S. A. Surrenders Himself to Military Authorities.

Chillicothe, Ohio, May 15—After nearly two years of hiding in the caves in Hocking Valley, near Adelphia, Ohio, in the fear that he would face a firing squad if discovered, Carl Amerine, 24, a deserter from the 84th Division, late yesterday gave himself up to military authorities at Camp Sherman, near here, to become known Saturday.

Amerine, attired in the uniform he wore when he left Camp Sherman, and unknown from long months spent in the hills, expressed relief to military authorities that his worry was over.

Amerine, who had been drafted in 1918, left the camp in August of that year to pay a visit to his wife and infant child in Adelphia, Pa. He overstay his leave. His wife, fearing he would be shot as a deserter, persuaded him to go into the hills. Amerine hid in the hills for two years. During the time he was in hiding, Amerine was furnished with food by his wife, who sent it to him or took it to him in person daily. Amerine is awaiting trial at the camp.

OBITUARY.

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Cookson, of Kars, Queens County, occurred early Saturday morning at the home of a friend, Mrs. M. J. C. Beaman, 102 City Road, after a short illness, at the age of eighty-seven. She was the widow of John V. Cookson, and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Mary D. Beaman, of 102 City Road. The funeral was held on Sunday evening at 8.30 from the residence of her grandson. The body was taken to Lower Norton this morning for burial.

Wright Edmundson. The death of Wright A. Edmundson, a well known retired C. G. R. employee, occurred this evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Connell, after being in failing health for some time. Deceased was about 73 years of age and was a native of Londonderry, Ireland. He came to Canada when seven years of age and resided in St. John for many years where he was employed. Thirty-seven years ago he came to Moncton and had been in the employ of the C. G. R. up to 1909 when he was retired on the provident fund. He is survived by three daughters. An only son was killed at Passchendaele.

Mrs. Eva K. M. Lahey. A large number of friends in this city will learn with much sorrow of the death of Mrs. Eva K. M. Lahey, which occurred at her late residence, 192 King street East, on Sunday, the 16th inst.

Mrs. Lahey was a daughter of Mrs. Mary and the late Andrew McNichol. She is survived by her husband, Rupert S. Lahey, of the Willet Fruit Co.; by her mother, Mrs. McNichol, and by one brother, Fred W. McNichol, all of this city.

The late Mrs. Lahey was an active member and worker of St. David's Church, and was also a member of the St. David's choir, from whose midst, as well as from her home circle, she will be greatly missed.

The late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

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Besides fertilization, the soil should be thoroughly tilled, should contain an abundant supply of humus and potatoes of high yielding type should be planted. Numerous diseases and insects prey upon the potato. These must be controlled by spraying if best results are to be obtained.

—Henry G. Bell B.S.A.

SING SING DINNER.

Ostating, N. Y., May 15—William Perry, a Sing Sing prisoner, who has been pardoned after having served 16 years of a life sentence, gave a dinner in the prison to celebrate his departure. All the "lifers" who had served over twelve years in Sing Sing with Perry were guests. The host received a gift from the prison officials.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded:

Elmina E. Belyea, et vir to W. S. Beaudry, property in Lunenburg. Coldbrook R. and D. Co. to Bertha McMurray, property at Glen Falls. City of St. John to Ella S. Flagg, property in Lunenburg street. Trustees of Aaron Eaton to A. M. Skinner, property in Meeklenburg street.

H. Gallagher to J. Glyn, property in Waterloo street.

Executor of Isabel Hamm to J. L. Day, property in Waterloo street.

U. H. Hay to J. C. Belyea, property in Lunenburg.

J. E. Kane to J. Lenthall, property in Lunenburg.

A. E. Kierstead to C. P. R., property in Main street.

S. Linton to J. J. and F. C. Jackson, property in Lunenburg.

J. A. Likely and others to Fundy Land Co., property in Lunenburg.

Annie B. Lawton and others to A. McMillan, property in Prince William street.

Alice Munro to A. Crowley, property in Charlotte street.

S. H. Myles to Annie Blair, property in Winslow street, west.

W. L. Morrow to F. L. and J. H. Howard, property in Lunenburg.

Mary C. Seeds and others to W. A. Harrison, property in Prince William street.

J. K. Tompson to W. Jackson, property in St. Martins.

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B. H. Griffiths to Catherine O'Regan, property in Lunenburg.

Mina S. Keith et vir to F. H. Rouse, property in Havelock.

Christina D. Matthew to O. W. Saunders, property in Bathurst.

B. Moore to L. F. Duffy, property in Chapel Grove.

Wm. Pugsley and others to F. B. Pierce, property in Bathurst.

J. A. Patterson to W. J. Cameron, property in Greenwich.

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Paris, May 11.—The terms of the Turkish treaty are the subject of caustic criticism by the French newspapers, with a bitter anti-British note appearing in all the comment.

NO IMMEDIATE RELIEF FOR HIGH LIVING COSTS

Is the Opinion of Dr. J. W. Robertson Who Has Been Looking Into After-War Problems in Europe.

Ottawa, May 16.—(Canadian Press)—That it is useless to look for an immediate remedy for the present high cost of living, simply because the world's production of foodstuffs is not nearly equal to the demand was the gist of an interview here Friday night with Dr. J. W. Robertson, C. M. G., who was sent overseas by the Canadian Government to look into after-war food problems, and who has just completed a tour of the Dominion in an effort to get the people to understand the real nature of the country's most pressing duty and opportunity at the present time.

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THE DEAD LOCK, which the persuasive powers from many quarters failed to move reached the ears of King George, who is personally interesting himself in the situation. The King will probably visit the island shortly after the first time in his reign.

SERIOUS FOREST FIRES IN LOWER ADMIRALDACKS Syracuse, N. Y., May 16.—Serious forest fires are raging in the lower Adirondacks in the Northern sections Herkimer and Hamilton Counties, according to reports received here from Thendara tonight.

FRIDAY, TUES., WED. EVANS Company. Grand Show. "Dancing Party". Mat. 2.30 15, 20. Evening 7.15, 8.45 20, 30.

SEA VILLE. TODAY Matinee at 2.30 Evening 7.30 and 9.

THEATRE Always Exceeds in Quality. DALTON Thunderbolt Photoplay. "SCHOOL DAYS".

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THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

MONTREAL SALES

(McDougall & Cowans)
Montreal, May 16, 1920.

Morning Sales

Steamship Com—74, 84
Can Com Ptd—81
Ontario Steel—80
Dean Iron Ptd—78 1/2
1917 War Loan—94 1/2
Can Car Ptd—90, 94 1/2
Montreal Power—84 1/2, 84 1/2, 84 1/2
Shawingam—106 1/2
Abtld—67
Laur Ptd—97 1/2, 97 1/2
Riverton—199, 199
Wayagamack—61, 61 1/2
Quebec Railway—30, 23 1/2
Atlantic Sugar Com—83 1/2, 84 1/2
Truck's Common—88
Breweries Com—80, 80 1/2
Span River Ptd—131 1/2
Dom Bridge—89
Brompton—105, 105 1/2
Ames Holden Ptd—96
Can Cotton—60
Can Convent—63 1/2, 64

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Brazilian	109 1/2
Brompton	105 1/2
Canada Car	81
Canada Car Ptd	90
Canada Cement	60 1/2
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Can Cotton	60
Decorat United	103
Dom Bridge	89
Dom Cannery	80
Dom Iron Ptd	131 1/2
Dom Iron Com	68
Dom Tex Com	128
Laurentide Paper Co.	97 1/2
MacDonald Com	25
M. L. H. and Power	84 1/2
Ogilvie	23 1/2
Penman's Limited	122
Quebec Railway	23 1/2
Riverton	199
Shaw W and P Co	106 1/2
Spanish River Com	80 1/2
Spanish River Ptd	131 1/2
Steel Co Can Com	77
Toronto Rals	43
Wayagamack	61 1/2

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

(McDUGALL & COWNS)
New York, May 15, 1920.

Open High Low Close

Am Car Ptd	92 1/2	94	93 1/2	94
Am Loco	98	94	93	94
Am Sugar	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
Am Smelting	93 1/2	94	93 1/2	94
Am Steel Ptd	40	40	39 1/2	40
Am Woolen	106 1/2	110	109 1/2	110 1/2
Am Tele	93 1/2	94 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2
Anaconda	32 1/2	33	32 1/2	33
Amer Can	41	41 1/2	41	41 1/2
Balt and O	32 1/2	33	32 1/2	33
Baldwin Loco	117	118	117 1/2	118
Beck Steel	93 1/2	94	93 1/2	94
Chino	32 1/2	33	32 1/2	33
Cent Leath	69	69 1/2	69	69 1/2
C. P. R.	115	115 1/2	115	115 1/2
Cycable Sil	32 1/2	33	32 1/2	33
Erie Com	12	12 1/2	12	12 1/2
Goodrich Rub	61 1/2	62	61 1/2	62
General Elec	14	14 1/2	14	14 1/2
Gen Motors	37 1/2	38 1/2	37 1/2	38 1/2
GT North Ore	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	36 1/2
Indus Alco	84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Intel Paper	73	73 1/2	73	73 1/2
Stromberg	68 1/2	69	68 1/2	69
Inspir Cop	52	52 1/2	52	52 1/2
Kennecott Cop	26 1/2	27	26 1/2	27
Mex. Mar Ptd	84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Mex Petro	18 1/2	19	18 1/2	19
Midvale Steel	43	43 1/2	43	43 1/2
N. Y. Central	24 1/2	25	24 1/2	25
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Norfolk and W	91	91 1/2	91	91 1/2
North Pacific	73 1/2	74	73 1/2	74
Pennsylvania	29 1/2	30	29 1/2	30
Pr Steel Car	99	100	99	100
Reading Com	86 1/2	87 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2
Republic Sil	93 1/2	94 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2
U. S. Steel	119	120 1/2	119	120 1/2
St. Paul	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2
Scota Pa	94 1/2	95 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
Southern Ry	23 1/2	24	23 1/2	24
Steel	38 1/2	39	38 1/2	39
Studebaker	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2
Union Pacific	118 1/2	119 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2
U. S. Steel	119	120 1/2	119	120 1/2
U. S. Rubber	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2
Utah Copper	67 1/2	68	67 1/2	68
Westinghouse	47	48	47	48
Wills Dry	18	18 1/2	18	18 1/2
Pan Amer	107 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2	108 1/2
Saxon Motors	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2

MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, May 15—Oats, Canadian Western, No. 2—41.20%; Oats, Canadian Western No. 2—41.27%.

Flour, Man. Spring wheat patents, new standard, \$14.50 to \$15.00.

Butter, second—55¢ to 56¢.

Eggs, fresh—56¢.

CHICAGO PRICES

Chicago, May 15—Closing prices: Corn, May 196 1/2; July 178 1/4; September 164 5/8.

Oats, May 196 1/4; July 92 7/8; September 86 3/4.

Pork, May 36.00; July 37.00.

Lard, July 21.20; September 22.20.

Ribs, July 18.75; September 19.25.

LONDON OIL TRADE

London, May 15—Calcutta Hased 43 pounds 5s.

Refined oil, 9s.

Petroleum American refined 2s 1 1/4.

Spirits 2s 2 1/4.

Turpentine spirits 19s.

Rosin, American strained 5s; Type "C" 5s 6d.

Tallow, Australian, 9s 6d.

Proof of It.

He—Don't think I'd like to marry any girl unless I knew she was self-sufficient.

She—But wouldn't marrying you prove that she was?

NEW STEEL MERGER HAS ORE IN ABUNDANCE

Commences Its Existence With 4,000,000,000 Tons, or Five Times as Much as Possessed by U. S. Steel When it Started in 1901.

Montreal, May 16.—(Canadian Press)—Prior to his departure for New York, Saturday, Colonel W. Grant Morden stated that the preliminary balance sheet of the \$500,000,000 British Empire Steel Corporation, which will shortly be available for analysis, exhibits an interesting contrast with the balance sheet of the United States Steel Corporation, the only larger organization in the industry, in the direction of conservative assets, as compared with actual assets, and of the provision of ample working capital.

"No addition," he said, "is to be made by the consolidation to the funded debt of the various constituent companies which will thus remain at slightly over \$400,000,000. Of the total capitalization, therefore, less than 1 1/2 per cent is in the form of bonds. The appraised valuation of the fixed properties of the British Empire Steel Corporation is no less than \$400,000,000, of which nearly \$200,000,000 is not offset by any capital charge whatever, and the ratio of mortgage debt to mortgageable properties is less than 11 per cent."

Current assets, said Colonel Morden, total about \$75,000,000 against current liabilities of \$31,000,000, leaving a net capital of \$44,000,000, which actually exceeds the total bonded indebtedness. As to raw materials the British Empire Steel Corporation, he said, commences its existence with 4,000,000,000 tons of iron ore, or five times as much as that possessed by the United States Steel Corporation when it started in 1901.

TORONTO GRAIN QUOTATIONS

Toronto, May 16.—The grain quotations on the Toronto Board of Trade on Saturday were as follows:

Manitoba oats No. 2, cw. 1.13 3/4; No. 3, cw. 1.14 3/4; No. 1 feed 1.13 3/4; No. 2, feed 1.10; extra No. 1 feed 1.14 1/2; No. 1 feed 1.13 1/2.

Manitoba wheat No. 1, Northern 2.30; No. 2, Northern 2.27; No. 3, Northern 2.25.

Canadian corn feed nominal.

Manitoba barley, in store Fort William No. 3, cw. 1.81 1/2; No. 4, 1.65 1/2; No. 1, 1.72; No. 2, 1.61 1/2.

Ontario wheat No. 1, 2.00 to 2.01; No. 2, 1.98 to 2.01; No. 3, 1.95 to 2.01; No. 4, 1.92 to 1.95; No. 1, spring 2.02 to 2.03; No. 2, 1.98 to 2.01; No. 3, 1.95 to 2.01.

Barley, malting 1.87 to 1.88.

Buckwheat 1.72 to 1.73.

Rye No. 2, 2.20 to 2.25.

No. 2, 3.00, according to freight outside.

Ontario flour, nominal.

Manitoba flour and government standard 14.85.

Mill feed car lots, delivered Montreal, about 41.00; bran 34.00; good feed flour 3.75 to 4.00.

Hay baled, track Toronto car lots, No. 1, 30.00 to 31.00; No. 2, mixed 23.00 per ton; straw car lots 16.00 to 17.00.

DOMINION NOTES IN CIRCULATION

Total \$309,142,651, Against Which There is Held in Gold Approximately 32 Per Cent.

Ottawa, May 16.—(By Canadian Press)—Dominion of Canada notes in circulation total \$309,142,651, against which there is held in gold the sum of \$101,636,652, or approximately 32 per cent. In addition to the gold, however, there is held \$64,862,255 in approved securities, taking gold and securities together the note circulation is backed to the extent of approximately 82 per cent.

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

(By McDougall & Cowans.)
Cotton

High Low Close			
January	34.10	34.50	34.53
March	34.10	34.97	34.08
May	40.50	40.25	40.50
July	38.29	38.13	38.29
October	36.19	35.90	36.19

BROMPTON STRONG AND ACTIVE STOCK

On the Montreal Market Saturday, Selling up to 103 1/2—A New Record.

Montreal, May 16.—In Saturday's trading on the local stock exchange Brompton not only led the market in activity but also in strength. The stock sold up to 103 1/2, a new high record price, and held the rise to the close, a net gain of 1 1/2 points. Abtld, Laurentide and Riverton were each fractionally higher. On the other hand Spanish River issues were neglected and weak, as was also Wayagamack. Atlantic Sugar opened strong, selling up to 94 1/2 but eased later to 93 3/4 to 92 7/8.

Brazilian showed some strength, the price rising a point to 43 1/2 and holding the gain. Power added a small fraction at 84 3/4 and Quebec Railway lost half a point at 52.

Stronger stocks took in Dominion Steel, preferred, which added a fraction at 78 1/2, and Bank of Commerce added a fraction at 188, ending 189 3/4.

Total trading listed 4092. Bonds \$6,900.

BUMPER WHEAT CROP EXPECTED IN FRANCE

From Present Indications Will Almost Meet Requirements for 1921.

Paris, May 14.—So good is the French crop outlook for this year that agricultural experts believe the wheat harvest will come close to meeting the nation's full requirements for the following year. This improvement as compared with last year is due in some degree to the increased use of motor-driven farm equipment.

The Department of Agriculture estimates that the average which has been sown with wheat should produce 26,000,000 bushels, leaving only about 3,700,000 bushels to be imported. Last year the home crop was so small that 13,000,000 bushels had to be imported.

The bumper crop is expected to save France no less than six billion francs and may even have a noticeable favorable effect on the exchange situation.

With the utmost enthusiasm, enterprise and alertness, the Canadian manufacturers are conducting their business on the basis of service to their employees and buyers of their goods. They are making and marketing goods of the highest quality at the lowest possible prices, and conducting their business on an independent and competitive basis. They are giving the 12,000 retailers through whom their goods are distributed, all the assistance in their power, and distributing millions of dollars in wages to Canadian workmen. Now, therefore, a campaign of advertising, they are laying all their cards on the table before the Canadian people, and asking their support, not on sentimental grounds, but as a matter of straight business, but as the Canadian-made shoes are deserving of the enthusiastic support of every man and woman who wants to see this country's industries maintained and enlarged, and the Canadian dollar returned to its full purchasing power in every market in the world.

ROYAL SECURITIES HANDLED BLOCK

Of Bonds for the Fraser Companies, Limited—New Financing Relates to Purchase of Dom. Pulp Mill at Chatham.

Montreal, May 16.—The announcement was made Saturday of the purchase and subsequent sale of the Royal Securities Corporation, of an issue of \$450,000 six per cent, first mortgage bonds of Fraser Companies, Limited.

It is understood that the new financing was for the purpose of enabling the New Brunswick Lumber Pulp and Paper Company to purchase the Dominion Pulp and Paper mills at Chatham, N. B., the acquisition of which will add 15,000 tons per annum of easy bleached sulphite pulp to the Fraser Companies' present 35,000 tons output.

It is stated that the new addition to the Fraser Companies plant is part of the extensive development programme indicated by the recent introduction to the New Brunswick Legislature bill involving re-organization in a larger scale of the Fraser Companies.

The present Fraser output is already extensive enough to place it well up in the list of large Canadian lumber and pulp and paper producers.

WORLD IS MUCH BETTER MORALLY THAN BEFORE WAR

Is the Opinion of H. G. Wells—Struggle Deepened Interest in Worthwhile Matters.

London, May 14.—While there has been a physical respite, there is today more moral force in the world than in 1913 before the war, in the opinion of H. G. Wells, British novelist and publicist.

"An extraordinary mass of intellectual and moral energy has been liberated by the shock of the war," Wells says in the Literary Digest.

England, he believes, is not more decadent now than the rest of Europe. The pre-1914 period sticks in my mind as a rather dreadful time—wasteful and witless. As a typical scene, I recall a night club about one o'clock, a waste, rather than drinking, of champagne, women at once over-dressed and under-dressed; no conversation that I can remember; a couple of strange creatures dancing among the tables.

"And the accusations touch as well the working classes. Am I to forget the deceleration of the typists' swarm, of champagne, women at once over-dressed and under-dressed; no conversation that I can remember; a couple of strange creatures dancing among the tables.

"The war has wakened the mind of the mass of the population by bringing home to them the importance of political and international affairs. It was only latent in our community in 1913, has been born, and is now struggling for expression."

Scene—Dinner party. Well-intentioned stableboy (in temporary disguise of waiter) to the restive and plunging blaine-mange: "Woe, there! Woe!"

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"But how are we going to pay 3,000,000,000 gold marks when we have no gold, no grain, no raw materials and no fuel. In our regular budget we have a deficit of 1,600,000,000, and in our special budget 12,000,000,000 more. To these must be added the deficits of the railroads and the post office."

BRITISH MERCHANTS IN CHINA AGAINST JAPANESE CONTROL

Shanghai, May 12.—The British Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai, representing the bulk of British interests in the Far East, has put itself on record as in favor of China's claims in the Szechwan controversy. This is in line with action taken by American commercial organizations in China and is regarded as significant in view of the fact that a part of the English commercial enterprises in the Orient are linked with the Japanese.

"This chamber," declared A. W. Barkhill, chairman of the British Chamber's directors in his address at the annual meeting, "is in full sympathy with China in her very natural desire to be in control of this province returned to her."

"When one takes into consideration and when one is taking Taiwan with the help of British troops, was only going to cost an annual, large amount of money."

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Mrs. Alice Gresham Dodd, First War Mother of the Nation Gives Entire Credit For Recovery of Her Health To The Well Known Medicine, Tanlac.



MRS. ALICE GRESHAM DODD, of Gavin Park, Evansville, Ind.

The following remarkable endorsement of Tanlac was given recently by Mrs. Alice Gresham Dodd, at the Gresham Memorial Home, Gavin Park, Evansville, Ind., which home was presented to her by the patriotic people of Indiana, as evidence of their appreciation of the services rendered to his country by her son, Corporal James B. Gresham, the first American soldier killed in France. Expressions of sympathy were received by Mrs. Dodd from all parts of the United States, and the newspapers of the country carried the story of the first "war mother."

The shock of her son's death resulted in the serious breakdown of Mrs. Dodd's health, but everyone who learns with interest and pleasure that she is now in splendid health again. When seen at her home recently she made the following statement, giving the entire credit for her recovery to the well-known medicine, Tanlac.

"After my dear boy's death, I had a general breakdown in health," said Mrs. Dodd. "At first it was just indigestion. My food used to upset me and I had to diet myself very carefully, which wasn't much hardship at first, but I lost all desire to eat. Then I had an attack of rheumatism, with severe pains in my shoulders, back and arms. Sometimes I used to suffer a great deal, and my joints would get all swollen up and stiff. I was able to do very little about the house, and at times couldn't even cook a meal. I got very nervous and restless, and at night would lay awake for hours, and lost many a night's sleep as a consequence."

LARGE AMOUNT RUSSIAN WHEAT Available for Export if Transportation Can be Arranged for.

Before the war, Russia was one of the principal wheat exporting countries, sending out annually approximately one hundred and forty million bushels of wheat, compared to average production in the years 1905-1914, of one hundred and ten million bushels of wheat and flour from the United States, and seventy millions from Canada. Western and Central Europe drew from her a good portion of their imported cereals, and had to offset the loss of these supplies partly by reduced consumption, partly by buying larger amounts from North America, where the bumper crops of recent years have made increased exports possible. The Western Hemisphere has had, in fact, practically a corner on wheat. Unless Russian supplies are forthcoming, the western crops are unusually large, wheat is likely to be scarce and dearer in the 1920-1921 season. The quantity of Russia's annual contribution has a strong influence on wheat prices, and has, therefore, always been of great interest to this country.

The average reports on conditions in Russia have not been of a nature to encourage belief in the existence of a large wheat supply there. These reports, however, have apparently not given an accurate view of the actual situation.

A special British mission was recently sent to South Russia to investigate cereal production and supplies, for the information of the Supreme Economic Council. Their official report, which is published by the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome, sums up the situation as follows:

Taking into account the wheat yield of 1919 and stocks from previous harvests, and allowing for the quantities required for consumption in South Russia, there remains a surplus available for export abroad; this surplus is estimated as approximately not less than 15,000,000 quintals (55,000,000 bushels).

These supplies are located mainly in the Ukraine, where the 1919 crop is estimated at 331,000,000 bushels, 60 million bushels over the 1909-1912 average.

Central and Northern Russia are short of supplies, but the breakdown of internal transportation facilities makes it impossible to ship to them the surplus crops of the South. Though the railways are no longer effective, the rivers still provide a means of transportation. The Don, Dnieper and Dniester all run through the main areas of the wheat belt to the Black Sea or the Sea of Azov. If the exportable surplus can be moved, these, to the port of Odessa on the Black Sea or to Rostov on the Sea of Azov, transport from there to Western European markets would present no great difficulty.

FRANCE'S REVENUE SUFFICIENT TO PAY ALL EXPENDITURES

Country Depends on German Payments for Cost of Reconstruction.

PROBLEM FOR ALLIES

Exchange Will Retake Its Normal Course, Says French Minister of Finance.

Paris, May 6.—Francis Muraiah, French Minister of Finance, speaking at a luncheon given him by English and American journalists today, announced that France was now in a position where the Governmental income would pay all its disbursements with the exception of what was needed for the devastated regions. This he said, was owed by Germany, and that under number eight of President Wilson's fourteen points, and that under the Treaty of Peace, it was an inter-Allied affair to see that this was paid.

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"Everybody is worrying about the world's economic troubles. They will be solved, and exchange will retake its normal course. The commercial equilibrium of the world will be re-established only when the activities of production and exchange resume. The day when France can produce all the sugar she needs and nearly all of her coal and wheat, the weight of our needs will no longer be felt in the world market. The discount of the franc in relation to the pound sterling and dollar will then cease."

"Therefore the restoration of rich provinces is to the interest not only of those who have seen their homes and property destroyed, but to those who fought by our side on these devastated plains in the common battle. It is to the interest of the whole world."

LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

MAY—PHASES OF THE MOON

Full Moon	May 11, 1920	7:30	47m
Last Quarter	May 15, 1920	7:18	51m
New Moon	May 18, 1920	7:58	25m
First Quarter	May 22, 1920	8:15	7m

VESSELS IN PORT, AND WHERE THEY ARE LOCATED.

Montclair—Berth No. 16.	War Period—Berth No. 1A.	Halicus—Berth No. 5.	Tungas—Berth No. 7.	Thomas Drummond—Wharf, Betheny Street.
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Stmr. Canadian Sower, 1,201 tons, Captain Nelson, for Havana. Sailed Saturday.

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HOW PRESENT DAY NEWSPAPER WOULD HANDLE HAMLET

Story if Tragedy Were to Happen Now—Canadian Author Pays Respects to Press Stories of Today.

Cross-Atlantic News Service. (Copyright.)

London, May 14.—A humorous description of how he would expect to handle the story of Hamlet, should Shakespeare's tragedy be enacted in real life today, has been given here in an address on Journalism by Arthur Beverly Baxter, the Canadian author.

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RMSP WEST INDIES

FORTNIGHTLY SAILINGS

From Halifax

Sarah Weems, which arrived Saturday from Nassau, has a broken crank shaft, which will be repaired here.

London, May 18.—The fire on the str. Morlan (Br.) has been extinguished; the loss is estimated at \$20,000.

San Francisco, May 7.—Schrs. Defender, before reported from Grays bar for Feb. 3 for Levuka with 5000 lbs. feet of lumber aboard, under charter to Wolff, Kirschbaum & Co., is a total wreck, ship and cargo on Omega Reef, Pit Island, crew saved. Vessel was built at Fairhaven, Cal. in 1886 and was owned by Hind, Rolph & Co., Glasgow; Gunborg, Norrkoping, Sweden; Berrey, New York; Canadian Trooper, London; Grampian, London.

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TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Common Clerk, City Hall addressed to him, and marked "Tenders for Tubes" up to noon May 22nd, 1920.

MALE HELP WANTED

FIREMEN, BRAKEMEN, \$160-\$200 monthly, experience unnecessary. Write (name position) Railway, care Standard.

County Local Housing Board

We are prepared to receive applications for loans on houses now in course of erection or contemplated by private parties in the County of St. John. Application forms may be had by applying to P. O. Box 68, or to Thomas K. Sweeney, Secretary-Treasurer, 109 Prince William Street, City.

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WANTED—Linotype operator; best wages; steady work. Apply Standard office.

WANTED

WANTED—Girl or middle-aged woman for general housework. No washing. Apply Mrs. Mulholland, 13 Charles St., Off Garden.

WANTED

WANTED—Male teacher having grammar license for vice-principal. Apply after summer vacation, May 11, 1920. Apply J. Arthur Free, Secretary Trustees, Sussex, N. B.

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the New Brunswick Telephone Company, Limited, will be held in the Company's Office, Fredericton, N. B., on Thursday, May 20th, at four o'clock, p.m.

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BRITISH MERCHANTS IN CHINA AGAINST JAPANESE CONTROL

Shanghai, May 12.—The British Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai, representing the bulk of British interests in the Far East, has put itself on record as in favor of China's claims in the Sianing controversy. This is in line with action taken by American commercial organizations in China and is regarded as significant in view of the fact that a part of the English commercial enterprises in the Orient are linked with the Japanese.

"This chamber's decision," said the chairman of the British Chamber's directors in his address at the annual meeting, "is in full sympathy with China in her very natural desire to have control of this province returned to her."

"When one takes into consideration that Japan in taking Sianing with the help of British troops, was only going to put an equality between

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THE WEATHER.

Toronto, May 16.—The area of high pressure now covers the Great Lakes and Middle Atlantic States, while the barometer is falling both to the westward and southward. A few local showers occurred today in the Western Provinces, but the weather throughout the Dominion was mostly fine and warmer.

Prince Rupert	46	50
Victoria	42	58
Vancouver	42	62
Kamloops	46	62
Calgary	40	70
Edmonton	36	64
Battleford	40	70
Prince Albert	40	70
Medicine Hat	44	72
Moose Jaw	37	74
Winnipeg	42	62
Port Arthur	34	50
Toronto	34	66
Kingston	38	56
Ottawa	38	75
Montreal	42	66
Quebec	38	70
Halifax	34	60

Maritime—Light winds, fine and moderately warm.

Northern New England—Fair Monday; Tuesday fair except probably showers by night in west portion. Moderate winds mostly north.

AROUND THE CITY

A PROVINCIAL CONSTABLE
J. Wilford Beane, of Havelock, Kings County, has been appointed a Provincial Constable.

AT ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH.
The services yesterday in St. Philip's Church were taken in the morning by Mr. McIntyre and in the evening by Rev. John C. Berrie.

DAYLIGHT TIME
It was announced during the Masses in the Catholic Churches yesterday morning that on next Sunday that daylight time would prevail.

HAD BACK INJURED.
The hand rail broke and R. D. Hickey, of Fairville fell from the running board of a locomotive in the main train shed Saturday morning. He was the freeman on the engine and was taken to his home with painful injuries to his back.

IS NOT SERIOUS
Enquiry at the Hospital this morning brought forth the information that young Roy Northrup who was knocked down by a truck Saturday morning was not as seriously injured as first feared. He was resting easy this morning.

N. B. ROLLING MILLS.
The Provincial Royal Gazette for May 12 gives notice that letters patent have been granted to the N. B. Rolling Mills Company Ltd., incorporators being Harry J. Garson, Frank O. Garson, and Joseph Garson of St. John. The authorized capital is \$99,000.

FIRE IN SAWDUST PILE.
An alarm for fire sent in about 4:30 yesterday afternoon from box 135 was for a fire at the end of Hillyard's wharf. The fire was located in some sawdust. Owing to its out of the way situation it took numerous hose lengths to reach the blaze, but the single stream soon averted all danger of a serious blaze.

ACCIDENT AT SAND POINT.
Clarence Galbraith, of Lorneville, C. P. R. trucker, had his left hand slightly injured Saturday morning at No. 3 shed, when it caught on some wire around a crate. First aid was administered at the Emergency Hospital and he was able to return to work.

TREATED THE KIDDIES.
Members of the Boston English Opera Co. were amongst those who enjoyed the bright sunshine and balmy breezes of yesterday from the benches in King Square. They added much to the enjoyment of others present with a number of impromptu choruses, and gladdened the hearts of a number of kiddies with an unexpected treat of peanuts and candy.

APPOINTED MANAGER.
T. W. Magee has been appointed manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at Middleton. Mr. Magee has already left for Middleton, where he will be followed by his family at an early date. They will be followed by the good wishes of a host of friends. C. N. Roop is succeeding Mr. Magee as manager of the Bridge-water branch. Mr. Roop is favorably known in Bridgewater, having been here for a number of years in the bank's service earlier in his banking career.—Halifax Herald.

COUNTRY MARKET.
A large quantity of green produce, such as lettuce and rhubarb grown in the local country districts, was on sale in the city market Saturday morning. The usual prices were quoted on meats, etc., as follows: Beef, 25 to 35c; veal, 18 to 30c; pork, 25 to 35c; ham, 40c; bacon, 45c; fowl, 60 to 65c; eggs, 50c; butter, 60c; trips, 12c; tomatoes, 50c a pound; rhubarb, 20c; cabbage, 15c; carrots, 7c a pound; celery, 40c a bunch; parsley, 10c a bunch; lettuce, 10 and 12c; radishes, 10c; cucumbers, 40c each; potatoes, \$1 a peck; turnips, 30c; parsnips and beets, 60c a peck.

EPWORTH LEAGUE OFFICERS INDUCTED
A very interesting service took place last evening in the Zion Methodist Church, when the officers of the Epworth League were inducted. The services of induction were in charge of Miss H. Hanna, and the following took part: Miss S. Carr, Miss A. Daley, A. Johnson, S. Purdy and G. Stevens. After the service an address was given by Gordon Stevens on the Young People's Place in the Community. Miss H. Johnston was the soloist, while Miss Muriel Purdy presided at the organ.

Small Boy Was Run Over By Car

Walter McAuley Ran in Front of West End Street Car and Had One of His Legs Amputated—Mother Heard His Cries.

A very distressing accident took place in West St. John Saturday evening about 7:30 when little Walter McAuley, the four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George McAuley, 10 Union street, W. E., was run over by a street car and had one of his legs so horribly mangled that amputation was necessary.

The little lad's mother had taken him and his little baby brother with her shopping. While the mother was making some purchases in Wetmore's store, Ludlow street, Walter, who is a bright little fellow and full of boyish fun, was playing with some other boys running to and fro across the street. Just before the car came along he had crossed to the side of the street on which Wetmore's store is situated. As the car passed he suddenly darted out again, unaware of its approach, was knocked down by the fender before the motor can apply the brakes, and the wheels of the car passed over the little fellow's legs.

His mother had come out in the meantime and was bending down to see what was in the baby's carriage. Suddenly she heard plaintive cries of "Mamma, Mamma." Looking up, there met her horror-stricken gaze the sight of her little boy weakly attempting to crawl from under the car and calling to its mother.

The little fellow was picked up and his father hastily summoned. He was rushed to the Military Hospital and first aid measures were applied by Dr. McCarthy. From there he was taken to the General Hospital where the leg was amputated.

The heartfelt sympathy of the community goes out to the parents of the little fellow in their distress. What makes it so much harder for them to bear is the fact that not twelve months ago their oldest boy—now drowned in the river just back of their door.

Little Walter had taken part in the children's games on the playgrounds in the afternoon and his real boyish ways had been remarked on by several of the officials.

The car that figured in the accident was No. 108 in charge of Conductor Scott and operated by Motorman Bert Golding. It is understood that no blame is attached to the motorman. The little fellow had darted out so suddenly that it was impossible to avert the accident.

The latest word from the Public Hospital this morning is that the little chap was resting easy.

Presentation To Retiring Organist

T. Percy Bourne, Who is Retiring as Organist of St. Paul's Church, Was Last Evening Presented With Gold Watch.

Immediately after services in St. Paul's Church last evening, the pastor, Rev. Archdeacon Crowfoot announced that T. Percy Bourne was about to retire as organist after thirty-five years devoted service to the congregation and parish. It had been the desire of the congregation that the occasion should not pass without some suitable mark of their appreciation towards Mr. Bourne being shown. He then called upon A. C. D. Skelton on behalf of the large assembly, presented Mr. Bourne with a handsome gold watch on which the following inscription had been engraved: "T. Percy Bourne, organist of St. Paul's Church 1885-1920, from the congregation."

Representing the choir as one of its members and speaking on behalf of the vestry and congregation in a way in his office as warden, Mr. Skelton said the gift embodied the spontaneous good wishes of the entire congregation, both young and old, by whom it had been donated.

Following Mr. Skelton's address, Mr. Bourne replied feelingly. He said that it had always been a pleasure to him to act as organist of St. Paul's and he regretted very much that he had found it necessary to leave the post.

Following the presentation the congregation shook hands with Mr. Bourne and wished him many years of continued prosperity and happiness.

What To Do With The Winter Port

Now That Summer is at Hand it is Proposed to Get Ready for Next Winter—Something Should be Done to Attract Tourists Here This Summer.

Now that the summer is at hand it is proposed that the City Council and the citizens generally embark enthusiastically upon a discussion of what to do with the Winter Port?

When next winter appears in the offing we may be asked to discuss the question: How to attract tourists to the finest summer climate in the world?

Out west they have already arranged for a series of lectures for June in conjunction with the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. Said tours are being extensively advertised in leading papers in Ontario and Quebec. Men of finance and business are invited to join the tourist parties, and gather first hand information on the industry and opportunities of Western Canada. In all the leading cities of the West the tourists will be given an opportunity to hear lectures by men able to speak with authority on the resources and possibilities of the West. All of which implies co-operation, the working out of get-together plans, Western union.

Here in the East there is talk of Maritime Union. Mayor Schell has made some speeches telling of the real and potential opportunities of Western movements during the war. But in the year when as the Ottawa Record observes the Maritime Provinces have their greatest opportunity of attracting Summer tourists, St. John is walking for a hotel to be built, and Halifax has apparently abandoned the idea of an Old Home Week because of lack of co-operation from other communities.

The Call to Lake and Stream with Rod, Reel and Fly

You've only a few days now to make ready for your angling trip on the 24th, so get out your fishing kit, see what you need, and let us supply you from our large and well assorted stock, which embraces Rods, Reels, Flies, Gut Hooks, Landing Nets, Artificial Baits, including the far-famed South Bend "Orino" which anglers have named as the "most wonderful fish-getter ever made. Also Fishing Baskets, etc.

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Baby Was Left In The Vestibule

Infant About Ten Days Old Found in Doorway of Adjutant Wells' Home on Meadow Street Last Evening.

A rather unusual surprise awaited Adjutant Wells, of No. 10 Meadow street, last evening, when on returning to his home from service at about ten in the evening he found in his vestibule an abandoned infant.

The child was wrapped in a blanket and likely soundly asleep. The adjutant and his wife took the baby into their home, when on examination, it was found that the child was approximately ten days old. It was well clothed, although in a rather delicate condition. There was no trace on its clothing of domestic surroundings. The police were informed of the find, and the little stranger, entirely oblivious of the many wheels in the social system which he had set revolving, was transferred to the Children's Aid Society for the night. The police are working on the case.

WINSLOW MAGEE HAD LEG BROKEN

Horse Kicked Over the Shafts Saturday Night and Struck the Young Driver—Being Treated at Infirmary.

An unfortunate accident occurred at about eight o'clock Saturday evening on Charlotte street, when a horse attached to W. J. Magee's delivery wagon and driven by Mr. Magee's son, Winslow, suddenly kicked both heels on the box. The young lad was knocked out of the cart and carried into his father's shop. Dr. C. M. Kelly was summoned and found that the young fellow's leg had been fractured below the knee.

After the bone had been set the boy was taken to his home on Carleton street and later to the infirmary where he was reported yesterday to be resting comfortably.

Back Again At Queen's Square Theatre Tonight

The laughing musical comedy success "Back Again" will be tonight's offering by the Rivoli Musical Comedy Co. at the Queen Square Theatre. Among the songs to be sung are several hits from the latest Broadway musical comedies. See ad. on Amusement page for programme.

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Many Prisoners Were Arrested

The Week-End Group Gathered in by Police and Prohibition Inspectors Number Eighteen—Full Docket in Court This Morning.

The "S. R. O." sign will need to be hung up in the police court this morning when the gleanings of the police over the week-end are duly charged with whatever special infringement of the laws they may have committed. Of the eighteen prisoners to appear are drunks, six of whom were brought in Saturday, and the trio during the Sabbath. In addition to these George Johnson was arrested by Inspectors McAineh and Merryfield for being drunk and having liquor in his possession.

William Joseph Merritt and Arthur Harrington are charged with fighting together on Mill street.

David Somers was given in charge by the ensign of the Salvation Army Hostel on a charge of creating a disturbance and using threatening language towards the ensign.

Edward Chappleigh is charged with wilfully doing damage to the property of the hostel.

Edward Hughes with interfering with and attempting to take a prisoner from the police.

Bertha Johnson, with wandering on Brussels street at 3 o'clock Sunday morning and not being able to give a satisfactory account of herself.

One juvenile was added to the lengthy list late last night.

Harbor Matters Being Discussed

Com. Bullock Suggests Bringing Official of Montreal Harbor Commission Here to Address Public Meeting.

Commissioner Bullock suggests that the secretary or some official of the Montreal Harbor Commission be brought to St. John to address a public meeting in connection with the discussion on harbor matters which the city council proposes to raise. Mr. Bullock has opposed the handing over of the harbor to a Government commission under the conditions laid down by the Federal authorities, but believes it would be a good thing to have a first hand story of the work accomplished by the Harbor Commission at Montreal, and how it functions.

When Commissioner Frink was in Ottawa it is understood he made some enquiries as to the attitude of the Federal authorities and found them lukewarm to the idea of taking over the harbor, and his impression was that the Minister of Marine would wait for action on the part of St. John before again raising the question of harbor commission here in any form.

THE LITTLE RIVER CHURCH REOPENED

Large Congregation Present Last Evening—Rev. M. E. Conron Conducted the Service.

A very interesting service took place last evening in Little River Methodist Church. During the winter the finishing work on the church has been completed and the interior beautifully decorated. The service took the nature of a reopening and a special offering of the shafts was presented and conducted the service, and there was a very large congregation present. The following soloists from various churches in the city were present and participated in the musical programme: Miss L. Myles, Miss Lillian Skidmore, Miss Sinnott and Miss Brindle.

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Closed Season's Activities With An Outing at Ben Lomond on Saturday Afternoon.

The Business Men's Class of the Y. M. C. A. closed the season's activities with an outing at Ben Lomond on Saturday afternoon. The party numbering about 25 motored out at noon, spent the afternoon playing baseball and wound up the day with a dinner at the Barker House in the evening. W. K. Haley was the chairman.

The evening was spent with speech-making and songs with special addresses by King Hazen and Mr. Ryan.

Dr. P. E. Doolittle, an executive of the Canadian Automobile Association will speak on "Good Roads" at a luncheon at Bond's at one o'clock, Wednesday the 19th inst. Members of the Canadian Club and of the N. B. Automobile Association, who are contributing for the occasion, may procure tickets at Nelson's book store at 60c each, but the supply is limited owing to the seating capacity of the room. Those members desiring to hear this very unusual speaker on a topic of such general interest should apply early for tickets.

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