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**HAPPY HOUR
THURSDAY**



Thomas H. Ince presents
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COMEDY.

Note—No Matinee Saturday

**MUST CONSIDER
THE C. G. R. DOUBLE
TRACKING QUESTION**

Halifax, Dec. 5.—D. B. Hanna and the directors of the Canadian Northern left for St. John at eleven o'clock tonight after spending the day in looking over the terminals and after meeting the Board of Trade.

Speaking this evening of double tracking the road, which is being urged between Halifax and Moncton, Mr. Hanna said that this was essentially an economic operating question and it followed therefore, if a company were to enjoy to the full the benefits of its gross income it must consider that question, not only in this province, but as at all other points on the system.

The Government's steamship program meant, Mr. Hanna said, eventually the operating of a fleet of at least fifty ships, which will be put on as fast as completed.

Chairman Hanna and Board of Directors passed through Moncton early this morning en route to St. John.

JANITOR WANTED.

The undersigned will receive applications for the position of Janitor for Saint James' Church and Sunday School up to December 27th. Mate salary duties to begin January 1st, 1919.

ALLAN J. FERROUSON,
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GERMAN CROWN PRINCE DENIES ALL RESPONSIBILITY IN CONNECTION WITH THE WAR

Oeterland, Holland, Dec. 3.—(By the Associated Press)—"I have not renounced anything and I have not signed any document whatever."
Frederick William Hohenzollern, who still claims the title of Crown Prince, thus answered the question of a lengthy conversation today, which took place in the small cottage of the village pastor on the island of Wieringen where he is interned.
"However," he continued, "should the German Government decide to form a republic similar to the United States or France, I shall be perfectly content to return to Germany as a simple citizen ready to do anything to assist my country. I should even be happy to work as a laborer in a factory."
"At present everything appears chaos in Germany, but I hope things will right themselves."
Asked what in his opinion was the turning point of the war, he said: "I was convinced early in October, 1914, that we had lost the war. I considered our position hopeless after the battle of the Marne, which we should not have lost if the chiefs of our general staff had not suffered a case of nerves."
"I tried to persuade the general staff to seek peace then, even at a great sacrifice, going so far as to give up Alsace-Lorraine. But I was told to mind my own business and confine my activities to commanding my army."
"I have proof of this," he said, "about the downfall of the German military power declared, was revolution induced by four years of hunger among the civilians and the troops in the rear, together with the overwhelming numbers being gathered by the Entente Powers since America's entry into war had undermined the confidence of the German fighting forces."
"My soldiers, whom I loved and with whom I lived continuously, and

EX-KAISER WEARS A DEJECTED APPEARANCE

London, Dec. 4.—William Hohenzollern wears a dejected appearance, according to the Telegraph's correspondent at Amersongen, Holland, who says that he has talked with contact with the exile. This person is quoted as follows:
"The former emperor wore an air of relief when he arrived at Amersongen, but that soon vanished. Even his cheery wife could not raise him from morbidness. The former emperor is really something of a heron, and tries to make her husband look on the bright side of things, but in vain. The distinguished fugitive has terror in his heart."
The correspondent adds that the former emperor sits at the window writing as though against time, often after hour, sheet after sheet, often all the forenoon and all the afternoon.
Philadelphia, Dec. 9.—Denny Valger the French lightweight had the better of a six-round bout with Eddie Wallace, of Brooklyn, barrio-to-barrio, which was the advantage of the first, second, fifth and sixth rounds, while the third and fourth went to Wallace.

A COLD PREVENTIVE.

Have you ever come out of a theatre, or church or over-heated room and felt, suddenly the cold night air caught your throat and breathing passages, that you were going to catch cold?
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THE FIVE WATLING BROTHERS IN WAR

(Amherst News.)
The Watling brothers hail from Chatham, N.B., but three of them have been residents of Amherst so long, and have been so closely identified with the athletic life of Amherst for the past ten years that we can claim them as our own. The first shot, was fired when Alex. threw down his hammer pitched his tools aside and enlisted, "Jim" in due season tried to make the 25th but was rejected as physically unfit. He met the same fate on his next application and then journeyed to St. John and went overseas with the "Fighting 25th." To the meantime a third brother, Wallace, had enlisted from Chatham, also in the 25th. He was wounded and later took out his commission. He has since received the Military Cross. The oldest brother, Jubil, was in South Africa when war was declared. He immediately enlisted and has been chasing the Huns in all sections of Africa. A sister is actively engaged as nurse in one of the Red Cross hospitals overseas.
Last but not least is Lieut. Max Watling, M.M.

GERMAN FIENDISHNESS DURING LAST DAYS OF FIGHTING

Attached Grenades to Bodies of Dead Huns Left Behind in the German Retreat.
With the British American Armies, Nov. 11.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—German devilry seemed to know no bounds in the last days of the fighting on the British front after the Hindenburg line had been shattered. They attached grenades to the bodies of dead Huns left behind in the German retreat, so that when the bodies were lifted the grenades exploded, killing or wounding the bearers.

Near the town of Le Cateau, a number of Australian stretcher-bearers were killed by these grenades in attempting to remove some German dead from the field in front of an American machine-gun position. Thereafter no Australian would put hand on a dead German. In some cases the bodies were dragged to their burial places by means of a long rope which allowed the stretcher-bearers to keep out of range of any exploding hand-grenades.
The Americans, on the other hand, fit upon the plan of making the German prisoners bury their own dead. In one instance a body of prisoners was summarily shot because he refused to remove the body of one of his dead companions. An examination of the body led to the discovery that it was a mine. The German was aware of this fact and refused to touch it.
In one small town evacuated by the Germans many bodies were found to be buried. An American officer, tired and worn by a long and hard fighting sought rest on a lounge in a room previously occupied by a German officer. The lounge blew up and he was instantly killed.
Another officer picked up a pair of field-glasses left by the Germans and was adjusting the focus when the glasses exploded in his hands and blew away a part of his face.
The Huns had become adept in the nefarious business of making infernal machines, mines and time fuses, and there was scarcely an area where the electrical and engineering experts of the Allies did not find some new form of their fiendish ingenuity.

NEWCASTLE.
Newcastle, Dec. 7.—Rev. Father MacKinnon, of Miscou, son of Mr. and Mrs. MacKinnon, of Ferry Road, is very ill with pneumonia. Several members of his family left for his bedside yesterday. Rev. Father MacKinnon is a young man of marked ability and great worth and his recovery is ardently hoped for.
On Thursday evening a number of young people gave a surprise party to Miss Margery Kennedy, who on Monday next will along with her parents, remove to Charlottetown, P. E. I., where her father, J. D. Kennedy will engage in the tailoring business. The meeting was held at Miss Gwendolyn Doleya's. Among those present were Misses Edna Benson, Gwendolyn Belyea, Margery Lindon, Florence Jardine, Edna Menzies, Addie Falconer, Josie Jeffrey, Marjory Kennedy and Masters Austin Clarke, Blair Jardine, Hammond Atkinson, Jack MacKay, Douglas MacKay, Jack Corbett and Charlie Dickson. A pendant was on behalf of those present and other friends, presented Miss Kennedy by Jack Corbett. Refreshments were served.
On Thursday evening some of the young lady friends of Mrs. Fred Gray of Douglastown, gave her a surprise party and spent a very pleasant evening. Among the party were the Misses Ethel and Eva Allison, Helen Armstrong, Ella and Hazel O'Donnell, Lyle McCormack, Ida MacMurray, Dollie Menzies, Jennie MacMaster and others.
David and Roland Ross, of Douglastown, were taken to Hotel Dieu, Chatham, yesterday suffering with pneumonia.



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WATLING BROTHERS

When the Highland brigade was organized, Mr. Watling was associated with H. Thornton in business. Despite the fact that he was married and had a family to support, Max Watling could not let the call for the breed of many men pass unheeded, and he promptly joined the 193rd Battalion. At Aldershot where the brigade spent the summer he was promoted to the rank of sergeant. In England the 193rd was broken up into drafts and Sergeant Watling went to the 158th in the 5th division. This spring he went to France with re-inforcements to the 55th. After a few days in the trenches he won his stripes. In the big drive starting on Sept. 1 when the Canadians forced Huns from supposedly impregnable positions, Watling gained a citizen's special distinction. The senior officers of the company being killed or wounded, he took charge and led the 158th in the final attack. The objective with only one casualty. For this deed Sergeant Watling was awarded Military Medal and then sent to Germany as a prisoner of war. Like his four brothers, Lieut. Watling is "one of the boys." Ever obliging, he would give the shirt on his back to a needy friend. According to those now home the same spirit was his in France.
One of the best, Max Watling, is a son of the Dominion, and a citizen of Amherst, of which fact the town can well be proud.
Three members of this "fighting family" practically taking to Amherst—the others are well known and the name that "the Watlings" have made in the great war will go down through generations.

MIX-UP IN HALL-FAX 'N TAKING DUKE TO CHURCH

Dignitaries Awaited His Excellency in Cathedral; Chauffeur Drove Him to St. Paul's
Halifax, N. S., Dec. 9.—His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire, governor-general, was the central figure in an imposing ceremony at the historic province building at noon today, when he received an address from the government of Nova Scotia on the occasion of his third visit to this city. The proceedings were presided at by the military pomp that a garrison town can provide, and were witnessed by a distinguished gathering. At 1 o'clock Premier Murray presided at a luncheon given in the Halifax Hotel in honor of the vice-regal visitor. The afternoon His Excellency will be entertained by the people of Dartmouth and this evening he will be entertained at dinner at Government House.
The governor-general and staff arrived in Halifax by special train early on Sunday morning. He spent the

DARING ATTEMPT TO FORGE BANK SAFE NEAR WHITBY, ONT.

(Canadian Press.)
Whitby, Ont., Dec. 9.—A daring attempt to force the safe of the Brooklin Branch of the Standard Bank, six miles north of here, was made some time last night.
Scattered on the floor in front of the safe, this morning, was a complete safe blower's outfit, including battery, explosive, etc. The task of getting into the vault was evidently more than the safe blower's bargained for. Prior to starting work they severed the electric wires which furnished the building with light. The work was evidently that of experts.
The townships tax collectors had deposited a large sum of money in the safe on Saturday evening.
day at Government House, receiving prominent officials during the afternoon.
All Halifax is talking to-day of an incident of yesterday which has added no little to the enjoyment of the governor general's visit. On descending from the train yesterday morning the party's chauffeur was ordered to convey them to the cathedral. By mistake he took them to another Anglican church, St. Paul's, the congregation of which is generally credited with being on terms of friendly rivalry with that of the Cathedral of All Saints. But St. Paul's is one of the oldest churches on the continent, renowned in a royal pew and was quite equal to the occasion. In the meantime the official service at the cathedral at which the Archbishop of Nova Scotia was the preacher, and which was attended by all the local dignitaries, military, naval and governmental, proceeded without the expected guest. In the evening His Excellency, accompanied by Mrs. Murray, the Presbyterian church, attended by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor. The party will leave for Boston to-

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Capital Paid-up	12,911,700
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits	14,564,000
Total Assets	335,000,000

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OUR STUDENTS

(Canadian Press)
Washington, Dec. 5.—More than a billion dollars has been cut from the Navy's estimates of expenditures for the fiscal year. Secretary Daniels disclosed today that the estimates sent to Congress Monday were based on the war program and that the reduction process that already has eliminated over two-fifths of the \$2,600,000,000 total is continuing.
All is not gold that shows up in a glittering mining prospectus.
Following the removal of the ban against public gatherings by the Provincial Public Health Department, classes will be resumed at the
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Fredericton, N. B., ON NOVEMBER 29, 1918.
We trust that all our old students will be able to return on that date. Information regarding our course of study will be furnished on request.

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Whatever is the Matter, Jack, You Don't Look Well!

“Oh, I'm all right.” “But you're not. You look so worried and tired.” “Well, I haven't been sleeping very well lately.” “No, and you don't seem to have any appetite. I think you ought to take something to tone up your system.” “Oh, no, I don't need any medicine. I guess I will soon be all right.” “But you should not neglect yourself, for that is just the way I was before I had nervous prostration, and you know what a long time I was laid up.” “Well, I haven't any time to be laid up, that's a sure thing.” “I know what I am going to do. I am going to buy half a dozen boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and see that you take it regularly.” “You know, Jack, that nothing seemed to help me like Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and I am sure it will be just as good for you.” “You will take it, won't you?”

GLORIOUS RECORD OF CANADIAN CORPS

(Continued from Page Eight) But not a grumble was heard among the men in the field. We are just laying down our lives for the freedom of Fritz a nice little surprise, said they, and it came. Captured Huns at that time took no pains to disguise their arrogance and confidence. Our general staff has plans to drive the Allies into the sea, they would tell their captors. Once again the Canadians were chosen to make a big attack at a pivotal point. Here it was that, in order to fool the Hun a battalion of Canadians was marched north to Belgium and participated in an attack there. The news spread around that the Canadians were in Belgium. Prisoners taken by the Huns confirmed the belief. The Canadian division was marched for five nights directly south, hiding all during the long days in the woods. Even then they might have been discovered by enemy airmen had it not been that a thick mist came and hid their movements from hostile eyes. Arriving safely at their point of attack, they struck and their advance constituted a record for one day's achievement, not surpassed by any division in all the Allied armies.

General Currie a Man of Courage

Mr. MacKenzie paid a high tribute to General Currie and to the various division commanders. He also graphically described the Hun air raid on the hospital at Brailles, with all its accompanying horrors. In conclusion, he feelingly referred to the home coming of the boys from the scene of conflict, and to those who would never return. To the friends and relatives of all who mourn the loss of some one much beloved, Mr. MacKenzie brought a message of cheer and hope from the men who had suffered most.

Shorter hours for the bakers may mean shorter ole criss

land and the Baltic provinces. It is unlikely, however, that the store will undertake the move before obtaining sufficient food and medical supplies for the population of Petrograd. These are now arriving in considerable quantities from Finland and Liban.

The Neva is Frozen.

While the Baltic and Finnish ports are being used by the British as bases of operations, it is unlikely that a British fleet would be able to enter the Neva before spring. The Neva is frozen. The whereabouts of the Russian Baltic fleet at the present moment is uncertain. It had been until recently copped up in the Neva as a result of the Russian peace, but has probably gone to Kronstadt and into the Gulf of Finland to escape spending the winter in the ice of the Neva.

BRITISH SHIPS ENTER RUSSIAN PORT OF REVAL

London, Dec. 9.—William Hohenzollern has been already sufficiently punished, but it is essential that his part in causing the war should be clearly established by the national assembly. Scheidemann, the former German secretary of finance and colonies, in an interview with the representative of the Express, he said the establishment of a state tribunal to try all persons guilty of causing the war is now being discussed, but must be decided upon by the national assembly.

TEN INCHES OF SNOW IN MAINE

Bangor, Maine, Dec. 5.—Ten inches of snow, the first of any consequence this winter, fell in this section last night and today, tying up all but two of the street car lines until noon. Train service was little affected.

Action Taken in Answer to Urgent Request Made by Government of Estonia.

Paris, Dec. 6.—British warships have entered the Russian seaport of Reval, according to the "Petit Journal" in answer to an urgent request from the government of Estonia. Similar action will be taken, the newspaper adds, if any other of the small Baltic nations ask Allied protection.

First to Enter Riga.

It is expected, however, that prior to occupying Petrograd, the British will first get control of Riga and Windau, the other important Baltic ports. The probability of the landing of British troops in these ports and their advance on Petrograd along the Pakoff and Narva routes now looms up. It is highly probable that entrance into Petrograd may be effected by the British both from Fin-

COUGHLAN NOTES.

Coughlan, Dec. 4.—We are having real winter weather, and the roads are in a splendid condition. Miss Ella Mountain, who has been training for a nurse in Portland, Me., returned home some time ago to nurse the sick, and she is having splendid success.

SUNNY CORNER

Sunny Corner, N.B., Dec. 9.—Mrs. Adam Hill, Cassilis, spent Sunday with Mrs. Fred Matchett. Mrs. Eugene Campbell and little son Alan have gone to Folleiga Lake, N. S., for the winter.

SUNNY HILL

Sunny Hill, Dec. 6.—The weather for the past few days has been very stormy and it begins to look very much like winter. Mr. and Mrs. Ira W. Gruber and two children, Edward and Marion, also Miss Katie Gruber and Miss Ora Meyer of Spring City, Pa., arrived in town on Wednesday last from a very successful hunt of two months in the woods of Miranfield, with Mr. Irvine Robinson of this place, and Mr. Thomas Weaver of Doaktown as their guides.

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LOGGIEVILLE

Loggieville, N.B., Dec. 6.—Winter is rapidly settling in upon us. Since our last writing the fields and surrounding country have been covered with a heavy carpet of the "beautiful". The mercury is keeping down well these days, helping Jack Frost perform his secret ministry. The ice bridge to the north side of the river is barely becoming stronger.

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NO MITIGATION OF NAVAL TERMS OF THE ARMISTICE

Copenhagen, Dec. 4.—The reply of Admiral Beatty, commander of the British Grand Fleet, to a request by Germany for mitigation of the naval terms of the armistice, refused any concessions regarding merchant shipping or fishing in the North Sea, the Berlin Wolf Bureau states.

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VEIL OF SECRECY HAS BEEN LIFTED FROM 'HUSH' SHIPS Combination of Great Speed and Heavy Guns With Light Draft.

London, Dec. 6.—(British Wireless Service).—The names of twenty-one additions to the British battleship squadrons which have joined the Grand Fleet since August, 1914, have been mentioned in newspaper articles since the signing of the armistice, according to a resume published today. Four of the vessels have been known as the "hush" ships, because of the secrecy surrounding their design and construction. They are reported as the Repulse, Courageous, Glorious and Frivulous. They are reported to be nearly 800 feet in length and to displace 20,000 tons each, and to be capable of a speed of from 30 to 35 knots. They were completed within a year. A combination of great speed and heavy armament on a comparatively light draught permitted them to use the shallow waters of the North Sea. The Emperor of India and the Emperor of the Iron Duke class (25,000 tons) were two other of the vessels. These belong to the 1914-1915 programme, as did also the battle cruiser Tiger. The five vessels of the Queen Elizabeth class (27,500 tons) the Barham, the Valiant, the Warspite, the Maia and the Queen Elizabeth, all of which were in the programme for 1912-13, are also among the additions. In the battleship programme for 1913-1914 there were five vessels which in armament and armor protection were to resemble the Queen Elizabeth, but their displacement was to be slightly smaller. They are all in the fleet and are the Royal Sovereign, Royal Oak, Resolution, Revenge, and Ramilies (25,750 tons). Other additions were warships purchased and appropriated. Two of these were being built for Turkey and were renamed the Agincourt (27,500 tons), and Erin (23,000 tons). At the outbreak of the war two battleships were being built in Great Britain for Chile and were to be named the Almirante Latorre and Almirante Cochrane. The Almirante Latorre (28,000 tons), is believed to be the vessel christened by Mrs. Page, wife of the then American ambassador, last June, as the Eagle.

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ANXIOUS TO PUT ALL THE BLAME ON THE KAISER London, Dec. 9.—William Hohenzollern has been already sufficiently punished, but it is essential that his part in causing the war should be clearly established by the national assembly. Scheidemann, the former German secretary of finance and colonies, in an interview with the representative of the Express, he said the establishment of a state tribunal to try all persons guilty of causing the war is now being discussed, but must be decided upon by the national assembly.

BRITISH SHIPS ENTER RUSSIAN PORT OF REVAL London, Dec. 9.—British warships have entered the Russian seaport of Reval, according to the "Petit Journal" in answer to an urgent request from the government of Estonia.

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INFLUENZA STILL SERIOUS AT BOJESTOWN

Bojestown, Dec. 6.—On Nov. 6th, Jane Reid, the fifteen months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Norrad passed away.

At the Emergency Hospital, on Nov. 23rd, Ernie Munn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Munn, Bojestown, passed away with pneumonia.

Miss Kathleen Hinchey has returned to her home after spending three months with her aunt in Boston.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Any person having any claim against William M. Underhill, late of the Parish of Blackville, in the County of Northumberland, are requested to file the same with the undersigned.

\$100 REWARD \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages.

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DEATH CLAIMS A DISTINGUISHED SON OF THE MIRAMICHI.

Ernest Hutchinson, of Douglastown, Retired Lumber Operator, Passed Away in South Carolina on Thursday—Was Prominent Politician, and Founded Miramichi Hospital.

Miramichi lost a most distinguished and respected business man and citizen in the death at Columbia, South Carolina, on Thursday, of Ernest Hutchinson, of Douglastown.

His Career. Deceased when a young man bought out from his father, Richard Hutchinson, the firm of Gilmore & Rankine, his interest in the lumber mills at Douglastown, which business he ran successfully until he sold out to the Miramichi Lumber Company about ten years ago.

OBITUARY.

DEATH OF CHAS. ASTLE. The death occurred on Friday night at his home on Avery's Portage, of Charles Nelson Astle, in the 74th year of his age.

At Chicago, on Nov. 15, Valentine de Ollouqui, third son of the late Dr. R. Luciano A. de Ollouqui, of Rexton, passed away.

ROY MURRAY McTAVISH. The sad death of Roy Murray, second son of Mr. and Mrs. William McTavish, occurred at his home in Whiteville on Monday morning, Nov. 18th.

Willard T. Baldwin. The death of Willard T. son of Counsellor and Mrs. W. H. Baldwin, occurred on December 1st in their home in Douglasfield, after a lingering illness of tuberculosis.

Arthur MacMillan. Gloom was cast over this community for miles around, and there was not a heart but felt a painful sensation when the news went out on Saturday, November 30, that Arthur MacMillan, of New Mills, N. B., after only a few days' illness had succumbed to an attack of influenza.

EDWARD SINCLAIR MULLIN. The death of E. Sinclair Mullin, son of Mr. and Mrs. David T. Mullin, of Boom Road, occurred at his home on Tuesday morning, Nov. 19th.

One precious to our hearts has gone. The voice we loved is stilled. The place made vacant in our home is a void that cannot be filled.

Our Father up in Heaven called. The one He loved He'd given. And though on earth his body lies, His soul is safe in Heaven.

Memorial services will be held later. Interment was made in the New Mills cemetery beside his parents, his grave being overshadowed by the church.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY NO. 122 HAD PROSPEROUS YEAR

Annual Reports Show Membership Largest in History—Directors Elected—Will Procure Basic Slag.

The annual meeting of Agricultural Society No. 122 was held in the Town Hall on Wednesday afternoon. President H. Willington in the chair.

The following directors were elected: H. O. Shaughnessy, J. D. Murray, John McColm, James Young, Wm. Taylor, John S. Mullin, H. Willington, H. Whitney, George Stables, John Kane, John Kane, Joseph Sobey, Wm. Johnston and G. G. Stohart.

WILLIAM S. HART'S NEW PICTURE "SELFISH YATES" HAS POWERFUL THEMES.

Popular Ince-Artcraft Star Has Role of Selfish Man Whose Nature is Changed by Love.

"Selfish Yates," the new Artcraft photoplay featuring William S. Hart, the famous Thomas H. Ince star in Western productions, is said to be one of the most remarkable pictures which that sterling portrayal of western roles has yet been seen.

INSANE RETURNED MAN JUMPED FROM TRAIN. (Monday's Times) A message was received here yesterday from the Officer Commanding military hospital train number 1157 which left Moncton at 2:35 Sunday morning.

CLASH BETWEEN MILITARY AUTHORITIES AND MAYOR OF HALIFAX. Halifax, Dec. 7.—Mayor Hawkins objected to the military authorities sending soldiers to the city prison who are suffering from venereal disease, and he has a dispute on at present.

Delicious "Fruit Laxative" can't harm tender little Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

Look at the tongue, mother! I coated, your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing at once.

FORMER KAISER WAS RICHEST PERSON IN GERMANY IN 1914. The Kaiser is reported to have had about \$2,500,000 of German public money follow him into Holland.

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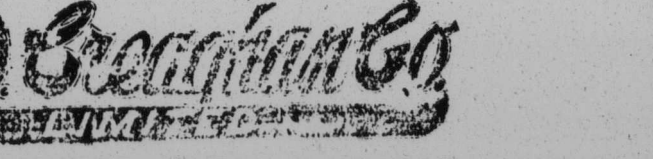
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THE GREATEST CRIMINAL IN THE WORLD TODAY

London, Nov. 23.—(Correspondence of Associated Press)—What does King George really think of his cousin, William II-Hohenzollern, former German Emperor?

That is a question that has been often asked, but has never received anything approaching an authoritative answer.

My informant says that the King's feelings and expressions are so strong that they could hardly be reproduced verbatim.

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The Kaiser is reported to have had about \$2,500,000 of German public money follow him into Holland, but even without looting the treasury he need not fear starvation.

GIVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" TO CONSTIPATED CHILD

Delicious "Fruit Laxative" can't harm tender little Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

Out in the Woods

In the biting cold, you must have good, heavy underwear, to keep you warm.

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Next came the Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Stralitz with \$89,000,000 and Frau Krupp von Bohlen, with \$80,000,000.

great-grandfather. After the Napoleonic wars Frederick Wilhelm III set about restoring the Hohenzollern private fortune and left about \$7,000,000 to his son.

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FOUR KILLED IN EXPLOSION AT SHAWINIGAN FALLS

The Building in Which the Explosion Took Place Was Devoted to the Production of Acetic Acid.

Shawinigan Falls, Q., Dec. 5.—The bodies of three men and one woman were recovered from the ruins of one of the isolated buildings in the plant of the Canadian Electric Products Company here, following an explosion and kept the town fire brigade under Chief Longval occupied for over two hours.

The other two men were thought to be French-Canadians while the woman is a native of England. The plant gives employment to three hundred men and forty women and it is thought there are no further casualties.

FEARED FRENCH MINE SWEEPERS LOST WITH 76 MEN

Wreckage Found Points Strongly to the Loss of the Craft During the Storm on Lake Superior, Nov. 14.

S. S. Marie, Mich., Dec. 8.—Wreckage found off Grammarais, point strongly to the loss of the two French mine sweepers in the storm of November 14 last. It has been reported that a lifeboat, unpainted and small pieces of newly matched lumber, probably portions of hatch covers, painted a lead color, have been picked up by coastguard men searching in this section.

MARITIME MEN IN THE CANADIAN CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—Casualties—INFANTRY

Killed in action—L. Godin, Bathurst, N.B., H. Murray, Glenholme, N.S., J. Girouard, Moncton, N.B.

RAILWAY TROOPS W. Ross, St. John, N.E., M. Betts, Amherst, N.S., H. Balcombe, Halifax.

RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION H. Hollet, McAdam, N.B.

OFFICER AND SIX MEN OF U. S. DESTROYER DROWNED

Paris, Dec. 7.—One officer and six men of the American destroyer "Fenimore" were drowned Saturday when attempting to rejoin their ship, according to a Havre despatch from Tanier. They were a party of thirty officers and men who had spent the day in the Moroccan seaport and were returning to the Landes when their boat capsized in a heavy sea.

WANT PUNISHMENT FOR MIS-TREATMENT GIRLS AND WOMEN

Chicago, Dec. 7.—A demand that officials of the Central Powers responsible for the mis-treatment of French and Belgian women and girls during the war be punished and that the peace conference at Paris recognize the victims as honorably wounded in the war by the United States, was made today by a party of thirty girls with flaxen pigtail, and boys with peaked caps. It is a typical German town, one might think, yet when one stood in the square and watched the rest of the cavalry pass, Dragons with drawn swords, and Lancers with colored pennants, it was surprising to hear that most of the people about one were speaking French.

\$3,000,000 AN HOUR PAID U. S. FARMERS DURING NOVEMBER

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Three million dollars an hour is the record-breaking sum paid farmers of the country in the month of November, 1918, for live stock used for meat purposes according to an estimate made by experts at the International Livestock Exposition and Horse Fair, which closed here today.

Producers received more than \$7,000,000 for hogs sold in the Chicago market last month. This estimate is based on the arrival of nine hundred thousand hogs at the local stock yards the minimum price of which was fixed by the Government at \$17.50 per hundred pounds.

ANOTHER INQUIRY INTO M. S. A. FRANDS AT QUEBEC

Case This Time is Against Real Lavergne, a Montmagny Lawyer.

Quebec, Dec. 8.—With the hearing of four witnesses in the Montmagny exemption inquiry here on Saturday the case against George Plon, N.P., of Montmagny, Omer Guay and Captain Goulet of this city, charged with trafficking in M.S.A. exemptions, was brought to a close.

Another inquiry of practically a similar nature as that just closed will be opened in the court of sessions on Wednesday the 18th, instant when the charges against Real Lavergne, a Montmagny lawyer will be opened. The accusation against the other three is of conspiring to defraud.

BOBBED THE CASH BOX. The cash box in connection with the public telephone at the Hotel Miramichi was removed some time during Friday night by sneak thieves. The police are now working on the case.

GERMAN PEOPLE GREET BRITISH WITH DIGNITY

Malmédy, Germany, December 5.—At nine o'clock this morning the British troops crossed the Belgian frontier and entered Germany. I went with the leading patrol of cavalry over a little stone bridge across the Roswasser Brook, and through the town of Malmédy, a few miles within German territory. It was a cold morning, with a fog on the horizon, and all the fir trees and red bracken on the hillsides and down the steep ravines were covered with white frost. Like the scenery of German Christmas cards.

The cavalry and horse artillery, with their transport drawn up on the Belgian side of the frontier before the bridge, were waiting for the signal to march. They were standing by their horses, clapping their hands and beating their chests and stamping their feet to get a little physical heat. The men wore their steel helmets as though for an advance in the usual conditions of warfare and the troopers of the leading patrol rode forward with drawn swords.

The young cavalry officer commanding the first troop of Dragoon Guards seemed a little nervous at his responsibility of being the first to ride into Germany, and swore he didn't know whether the blessed language and could not pronounce a single blessed name, so that it would be no fault of his if he took a wrong turning.

But the road was fairly simple to Malmédy, except for a hairpin turn some way outside the town, and the patrol went forward at a trot through pine woods and fir forests along the edge of ravines where the German Santa Claus seems to grow all his Christmas trees, and there was the beat of horses' hoofs on frozen roads and cavalry trods gleamed ahead of us.

We followed the leading troop. There were no longer double sentries on the bridge across Roubies Brook, and the gate of Germany was wide open, and we went into the silent countryside which yesterday we had seen from the Belgian end of the bridge.

It was very silent, and the first farmhouse we passed and the cottages under the shelter of the woods seemed quiet abandoned. There were no flags hung out from them, like those millions of flags which have fluttered along all the miles of our way through Belgium.

Now again looking back at a farmhouse window, I saw a face there, but it was withdrawn quickly as I turned. A dog came out and barked at us as we passed, and a man with a sense of humor said that it was the first sign of hostility.

Nearer to Malmédy little groups of people appeared as though taking a Sunday morning walk, and not expecting the entry of the British troops. Some of them just glanced our way, and then looked ahead, as though they had no interest in us. Others lifted their hats gravely and passed on.

Children Were Friendly Here and there some small children, watching from cottage windows or in their mothers' arms, waved their hands with the friendliness of childhood for all men, and they were not rebuffed. German schoolboys in peaked caps, with their hands thrust in their pockets stared without friendliness or unfriendliness. Some girls on a hillside above the winding road laughed and waved their handkerchiefs.

There was no sense as yet of passing through a hostile country where we were not wanted.

Round the hairpin turn we came down into Malmédy, lying in a narrow valley with some of its streets and houses climbing up the hillsides. It was a typical little German town, with here and there houses of the chalet type and houses of the modern country type in Germany, with wide balconies and low-pitched roofs, and beyond very neat and clean-looking factories on the outskirts of the town.

The shops were bright, and I saw a display of wooden soldiers with flaxen-haired dolls and toy engines as though for the German Christmas, which is celebrated here in the little garden there as a figure of the little old gnome-like Rumpelstilzchen in my old copy of Grimm's Fairy Tales.

German notices and German sign-boards were at every turn in the street where there were many people going to church, well-dressed men and women, long-legged school girls with flaxen pigtail, and boys with peaked caps. It is a typical German town, one might think, yet when one stood in the square and watched the rest of the cavalry pass, Dragons with drawn swords, and Lancers with colored pennants, it was surprising to hear that most of the people about one were speaking French.

Some of us remembered then that Malmédy was not in Germany until after 1815, and that for a long time it was an independent little town belonging to a Belgian abbot of great wealth and power before it was destroyed in the French Revolution.

Like Neutral People The people here were not typically German, and many of them at least had the neutral spirit of people who live close to the frontier and speak two languages, or three, as at Malmédy, where everyone is equally familiar with German, French and Walloon. Some of the people in the crowds spoke to me in good French, and were very polite, expressing their surprise at the appearance of the cavalry and their astonishment at the beautiful look of the horses after four and a half years of war.

"It is wonderful," they said. I bought a newspaper in a shop and found it was La Semaine, printed in French, yet all its news was

SISTER MARY BASIL LOST HER CASE UNDER APPEAL

Toronto, Dec. 6.—By a judgment of the appellate branch of the Supreme Court of Ontario today, Sister Mary Basil loses her case against the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Kingston and the Sisters of Charity of the House of Providence, but the jury verdict in her favor against Archbishop Spratt, Sister Mary Regis and Dr. Phelan is confirmed.

The court today through Chief Justice Sir William Meredith gave a finding sustaining the appeal of the two corporate bodies against the jury verdict, but dismissing the appeals of the individual defendants in the case. In general terms, the judgment declared that the corporate bodies in question were not responsible for their representative's acts in this matter.

The verdict of the jury gave the Sister \$20,000 damages against the Archbishop, Sister Mary Regis, Mother Superior, the Diocese and the Sisters of Charity and \$4,000 against Dr. Phelan, in connection with the forcible removal of Sister Mary from the Sisters of Charity institution.

CHEAPER ORANGES AND LEMONS NOW

California Navals Are on Canadian Markets

Montreal, Dec. 4.—California navel oranges are now on the market at prices that are reasonable. While arrivals will not be heavy until a month or so, it is expected that larger supplies of oranges will be available than have been for a long time past. It is stated by a large importer here that if retailers were to sell oranges at a fair basis of profit, irrespective of the size of the fruit, but based on the wholesale price, oranges would be comparatively cheap. There is a good demand for this fruit. Porto Rican oranges are also quite plentiful, and are meeting with a ready sale.

The demand for lemons is less than it has been, and prices are gradually tending to a lower level. This week another fifty cents being knocked off. The wholesale price per box is now \$6.50.

German and German sympathy. A German officer and under-officer let behind to look after prisoners saluted us, and among these in the crowds were men who had been discharged from the German army on account of wounds. One, who spoke to me had been in Russia, where he was badly wounded in the foot. I went into an inn to get some coffee, and the inn-keeper, his wife, speaking in French, expressed their joy that the fighting was over.

At Malmédy there was no sign whatever of hostility except the sullen look on the faces of some men who stared through the windows of a clubhouse and the gravity of other men who turned their heads away unaware of them. In many windows was a notice in German, which I read. It was an appeal by Burgomaster Kalpers, reading: "Citizens are earnestly requested to maintain calm and order on the entry of the Entente troops into the city and to receive them with courtesy and dignity."

That wish was being carried out, and it was with politeness as well as dignity that the strangers were greeted in this first German town across the frontier.

No Look of Hunger There was no look of hunger on the faces of these people, and one young man told me they had good food and enough. It is in the big towns of Germany, he said, that the people are hungry.

Later in the day I went into another town in Germany near the Belgian frontier. It was Eupen, and here at once one saw a different character from that of Malmédy. There were no Walloons here, but purely German people, who spoke no French. They, too, were polite and maintained a quiet dignity, but did not express any interest whatever in the appearance of the British troops.

An innkeeper told me in German that some of the British cavalry and artillery had passed through before I came. When I asked about the food supplies in Eupen, he said: "They are short, and we have little to eat."

He was a gloomy man, and the tragedy of his country seemed to weigh upon him.

In the street a young German woman was acting as guide and friend to a party of Italian prisoners. She spoke their language, but not a word of French or English, it seemed, when she asked me how to get them over the frontier.

The only familiarity with the enemy, which is strictly discouraged beyond ordinary courtesies, was produced by a swarm of small boys, who, with the spirit of eternal childhood, which knows no enemy or race, clambered onto my car, sounded its horn and explored its mysteries. They all wore sailor caps with the names of German ships and submarines and generals. There was one little tug of a Hindenburg who puffed out his cheeks at me, and the name of "Emden" was on one boy's cap, and on another "Unterseeboot" or "submarine." A German tram driver grinned as he passed, but elsewhere in Eupen there was no sign of being an unwelcome visitor, and most people kept indoors.

So the British troops entered, this time with the spirit of peace, and henceforth there will be no flags on their way and no cheering crowds, and at best only Hofflichkeit and Wards that courtesy and dignity which we expect.

ALLEGED GERMAN IN M. S. A. CONSPIRACY CASE AT QUEBEC

The Names of Quebec M.L.A.s and Senators Also Mentioned in Connection With the Securing of Exemptions.

Quebec, Dec. 6.—Further incriminating evidence was brought out here today in the inquiry going on here into the accusations against George Plon, N.P., of Montmagny, Omer Guay and Captain Goulet, of this city who are charged with conspiring to defraud by trafficking in M.S.A. exemptions. The evidence to-day showed how the accused sought the services of the federal police to arrest draftees who had been given exemptions and had refused to pay the amounts agreed upon, while one witness, Captain Laviole, of the federal police swore that a man named Oulllard told him that he had secured his exemption through Real Lavergne, and Dr. Masson, M.L.A. for Montmagny. The witness also swore, and his evidence was corroborated by Sergeant Turgeon, of the military police, that Captain Goulet, one of the accused had told them that on each exemption which they sold for \$2,000 they gave \$200 to an employee of the Registrar's office named Simpson, who was named German.

Captain Laviole also swore that when Plon, one of the accused, had found that their activities were suspected he had said that he would telephone to Guay at Quebec to see Romeo Langlois and Senator Lesperance and have them go to Ottawa to insist that the inquiry be stopped.

It is expected that the inquiry will be brought to a close to-morrow morning. The principal witness heard this afternoon was Sergeant Turgeon, of the federal police who went to Montmagny in company with Captain Laviole and Captain Goulet, one of the accused.

Sergeant Turgeon corroborated the testimony given by Captain Laviole but towards the end of his evidence brought out some interesting details relative to the alleged system employed by the three accused. He related that while crossing on the ferry-boat to Quebec Captain Goulet confided in him telling him what a fine system they had, they did not exempt anybody less than \$2,000 which was payable in cash or on time. They paid \$200 to a friend named Simpson, who was employed in the Registrar's office. Goulet had added that Simpson was a damned German and he said he would laugh if he were caught. After paying \$200 to Simpson they had \$1,800 left which he gave the three accused \$600 each. Goulet had said that his share of the money had enabled him to buy an eight-cylinder automobile.

It would be an unfortunate thing if his witness had not come to a close, for with his confession if the war lasted another year he would be able to get out of the militia with a small fortune.

ARMIES OF OCCUPATION MARCHING ON INTO GERMANY

London, Dec. 7.—(British Wireless Service)—An official statement issued today by the British war office reporting the progress of the British army of occupation in Germany, says: "On Friday our troops continued their advance. By evening they had reached the general line of Rheinbach, Weller, west of Bergheim and Weyden."

London, Dec. 7.—Field-Marshal Haig in his official report to-night on the movements of the British army in Germany says: "Cologne was entered last night by our advanced troops."

Washington, Dec. 7.—General Pershing's communique for yesterday said: "The Third American Army continued its advance into Germany today, reaching the general line Rupperts-Boos - Kempernich - Mayen-Greimersburg-Simmern - Kollenbach."

P.E.I. MAN IN LIST OF MISSING HAS RETURNED TO DUTY

Washington, Dec. 7.—The name of Charles R. Readson, Charlottetown, P.E.I., appears in today's United States casualty list as "returned to duty, previously reported missing."

ASK CONTINUATION OF PROHIBITION UNTIL SOLDIERS RETURN

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—Continuation of prohibition, until decided by referendum was urged on the government Friday afternoon by a delegation representing the Dominion Prohibition Committee and Strengthen Canada Movement.

Schwab's Resignation Accepted Washington, Dec. 7.—The resignation of Charles H. Schwab, as Director-General of the Emergency Food Corporation, was accepted today by President Wilson, in a wireless message from the transport George Washington to the White House.

WORK ON U. S. CONTRACTS HAS CEASED AND ON BRITISH ORDERS WILL STOP SATURDAY.

Ottawa, Dec. 5.—Within ten days work upon contracts for munitions for the British and United States Governments placed in Canada by the Imperial Munitions Board, will have stopped. All operations under United States contracts will cease Saturday night. Work on British orders will stop on December 14. The suspension of operations will doubtless mean the displacement of considerable labor. It is hoped, however, that a large proportion of the workmen will be absorbed into other industries within reasonable time and that the high rates of wages which have been paid in munitions plants will continue to hold them over any period of unemployment which may ensue.

20 Pied Pipers Led Merry-Makers in Carnival to Tune of Ma Jeanette.

(By Philip Gibbs) With the British Army in Germany, December 3.—Our troops have been making a halt before continuing their march to Cologne and, while the cavalry patrol are more than a mile beyond Malmedy, the first German town on our route, the infantry are advancing in depth behind them and are still near the Belgian frontier, in and beyond Verriers. Last night this frontier town of Verriers gave itself up to a festival for the entry of Belgian troops from this district, who were welcomed home as heroes by their townfolk with flowers and flags. In a procession which joined them there were many old veterans of the war of 1870, and wounded of this war and prisoners of all the Allied nations who have been streaming across the frontier.

Like 20 Pied Pipers

But other songs were sung, too, the old Belgian folk song of "Ma Jeanette," which after last night will always be haunted for me with the memory of the time when our soldiers in Verriers mingled with the people and danced with them through the streets until midnight chimed under further orders. A man found with arms is liable to be shot at once.

Knew Meaning of Defeat

The people of Aachen knew the meaning of defeat when they saw the Belgians enter their city. They know now that these men are their masters who will order their way of life and have them at their mercy. I think they were afraid, but they lined up in the streets to watch the passing of the troops and were calm and put a good face upon their tragedy. They were not weeping. One by one the tears welled into her eyes and fell as she stared, quite motionless, but I say no other tears. Some of these German women found it in their hearts to smile and others had proud faces which did not show any emotion of hostility or sorrow.

Sense of Unreality

In the Kaiserhof Hotel I had a good lunch of soup, eggs, steak, Rhine wine and coffee, and paid 15 marks for it, which was not dear for a country being besieged. Here, as in other towns on our side of the frontier, food may be had if one can pay the price. It is hard for those who cannot, and many go hungry or half hungry, but I saw no look of starvation on the faces of the people and the children seemed well-nourished for the most part, though I noticed some of them with faces pinched and thin. I suppose we shall get used to moving among the German people, but so far it is so strange that it seems like a fantastic dream. I am to sit down to a table surrounded by German men and women, with a party of German officers in full uniform in adjoining rooms, as happened to me today, gives one a sense of unreality: for until a few weeks ago these men were people we killed if we could, and were those who desired our death.

Was Better Than Ypres

It was infectious. I found myself with both arms linked in the midst of the dancers and sang "Ma Jeanette" in the chorus of the crowds and danced like a giddy goat to the tune of pan pipes as these pied pipers in the chimney pot hats went marching through the streets and squares. As we danced on one street 10,000 people came dancing down another, and the dancers met like two rivers and swirled through each other. Then fairy things were made by the family parties of many different armies and peoples, and our soldiers chose their partners and entered into the fun of it all like children. It was a Christmas tree. It was better than Ypres. It was better than the Dance of Death on the old battlefields; it was hummering again, as the resolution of No Man's Land. This was last night in Verriers.

This morning I went across the frontier, looking for German soldiers who were no more dashing and no cheering and no flutter of flags, but the sadness of a defeated people whose country is being occupied by foreign troops. The contrast of this joy on one side of the invisible line and this sadness on the other side

DEPLORABLE FACTS DISCLOSED BY A BRITISH COMMITTEE.

London, Nov. 15.—As already briefly announced, a special commission of the House of Commons, known as the Deplorable Facts Committee, has issued a report which discloses a large number of horrors awarded to Canadians in the Royal Air Force.

DEATH DUE TO STARVATION

London, Dec. 7.—(Reuter's)—Two further reports have been issued by the government committee which has been investigating the treatment of British prisoners of war. The first deals mainly with the treatment of men captured during the spring offensives of 1918, and relates largely to the employment of prisoners directly behind the German lines. Like previous reports it is a long, detailed record of brutality and callous neglect. Following are typical extracts from testimony given by prisoners who escaped to British or French lines: "Several prisoners died of starvation at Ramcourt. The deaths of starvation became even more numerous. When I left Bazancourt about 150 men were suffering from dysentery and half of them were living skeletons. There was a lot of sickness at Cappey, caused from lack of food and exposure. No attempt was made to remedy these conditions."

Large numbers of prisoners, no longer fit to work behind the German lines, were sent to Hellsberg, East Prussia, or Treton, in Prussian Poland. A witness, describing the arrival of about 300 of these prisoners at Hellsberg early in October, says they were mostly stretcher cases and were taken to a ship, but many of those sent to the boat were so weak they could hardly walk. He says that youths of twenty looked like men forty years old.

Leaving our own lines for a little way, I went this morning to Aix-la-Chapelle-Aachen, as it is called in German—and saw the entry of the Belgian army of occupation. They came with bugles playing and the Imperial Munitions Board for the production of explosive and air-planes has been covered by the proceeds of the output. Efforts are now being made to dispose of these factories, and there are some prospects of sales in the near future.

is as sharp as the edge of a razor, man's axe which was turned with a condemned man passed to the scaffold. The German people are silent. When our troops pass, they look down upon them from their windows and there is no waving of hands. After passing through cheering crowds, it is strange and chilling to pass through crowds who only stand and stare.

NOT YET FIXED.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—Parliament will be summoned on or in February, according to the most authoritative information at present obtainable. It has been suggested for some time that the legislature should be convened in January. Furthermore, it has been well understood that Parliament would meet before the end of the year. It is suggested that the Prime Minister may be back in Canada by the beginning of next month or at least before its close.

DIRECTORS FOUND I. C. R. ROADBED IN SPLENDID CONDITION

Montreal, Dec. 8.—Mr. D. B. Hanna, President of the Canadian Government Railway Board returned to the Windsor Hotel this morning, accompanied by his fellow directors and the high officials who had been over the system in the lower provinces and Prince Edward Island. Mr. Hanna while speaking of the lower provinces trip said that a good number of the directors had not been over the I.C.R. and the trip of inspection was considered necessary to some of the party before being in a position to discuss in a practical manner the many questions coming before them.

RACCOONS IN P. E. ISLAND.

Charlottetown, Dec. 7.—M. J. B. Rombough, the well known fox hunter, has in his office on Great George Street a very fine-looking raccoon pelt. This animal was shown at Melville in this Province, and was about the same size as a large fox. The raccoon is a native of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick and during the fox boom here some of the fur-trading enthusiasts imported some. Owing to their cleverness at climbing the animals succeeded in getting loose and were very useful and the presence of the animals in considerable numbers here should prove a valuable asset to the Province. If some protection could be afforded them in a few years no doubt they would become much more plentiful.

OFFER OF THE UNITED STATES OF MEDIATION IN THE DISPUTE BETWEEN CHILE AND PERU.

Lima, Peru, Dec. 6.—Reports in circulation in Lima to-night were to the effect that Brazil had begun to mobilize her troops. There was no official confirmation.

ANOTHER VERSION OF OZAR'S DEATH

Santiago, Chile, Saturday, Dec. 7.—The council of Ministers has under consideration the offer of the United States of Mediation in the question of the provinces of Tacna and Arica, in dispute with Peru. The ministers will confer on Sunday on this subject with the committees of foreign affairs of the Senate and Chamber of Deputies. Opinion in the congress appears to be divided as to the probability of being employed, but all seem agreed that a definite solution should be speedily reached.

VALET SAYS RUSSIAN ROYAL FAMILY SHOT IN CELLAR.

London, Dec. 5.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Amsterdams, says the Kiev newspapers published a story, given by the valet of the former Empress of Russia, of the murder of the entire Romanoff family by the Bolsheviks. According to this story, the former royal family was compelled to live in a single room of a convent at Ekaterinburg. The valet said on July 17 all the members of the family were taken to the cellar of the convent and placed against the wall and shot one after the other. According to the story, the Bolsheviks granted the last request of the former Empress Nicholas, that his wife, who was ill, should die in his arms.

BRITISH LABOR BEHIND LLOYD GEORGE'S STAND.

Rechester, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Captain Edward Tupper, of the British Seamen's Union speaking at the Chamber of Commerce Britain Day luncheon today, declared that the British Labor would support Lloyd George's recent declaration that enemy aliens should be expelled from British soil. He said the seamen and dockers of Great Britain are solidly for boycotting of Germans and German goods, knowing full well that an influx of cheap German labor in the docks and on the ships meant putting Britishers out of work. They also refuse to touch, load or receive any of the German cargo and are confident American seamen will adopt the same attitude.

GERMANY MUST PAY EXPENSES OF ALLIED OCCUPATION.

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WILL PROSECUTE CLASS 1 DEFAULTERS. LAW WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED—PENALTIES SEVERE.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—Hon. Arthur Meighen, referred this morning to various communications that have reached the government, with regard to the prosecution of military defaulters. The acting Minister of Justice stated that while fortunately the suspension of hostilities consequent upon the armistice, which has been arranged with a view to the submission to the enemy of terms of permanent peace, dispenses with the necessity of further drafts under the M.S.A. and consequently leads to the restriction of the activities of the military police, there is no amnesty in respect of offences committed against the act or regulations, and the policy of the government to prosecute these offenders vigorously remains steadfast and in full effect.

SECOND D. S. O. BAR FOR FIVE CANADIAN OFFICERS

London, Dec. 3.—The following decorations have been awarded to Canadian officers: Second bar to the Distinguished Service Order, Lt.-Col. John Arthur Clark, 72nd Battalion; William Wainwright Foster, 22nd; James Kirkcaldy, 78th; William Smith Latta, 29th; Lt.-Col. Joseph Bartlett Danbury Davies, 44th; Herbert John Dawson, 44th; Edward Spencer Doughty, 21st; Major Hon. Francis Grosvenor, 29th; Brigadier James MacBrien, Dragoons; Major Douglas Herbert Mason, 3rd; Lt.-Col. L. Henry Nelles, 4th; General Victor Odium, 7th; Lt.-Col. Joseph Bartlett Rogers, 3rd; Albert Walter Sparling, 1st; Major Cecil Valentine Stockwell, 3rd.

DEATH PENALTY IF WAR MAKERS FOUND GUILTY

This is a Coalition Policy, Says Sir Auckland Geddes—If Commanders of U-boats Acted on Own Volition, They Too Must Die. London, Dec. 5.—Sir Auckland Geddes, President of the Local Government Board and Minister of National Service, in a public address, said that the line of policy advocated by the Coalition Government was a peace policy, which should be based on stern justice and so far as those men who planned and started the war were concerned should be founded on justice of the nature meted out in the highest courts of the land. Such men as the former German Emperor, Emperor Pasha and the former rulers of Bulgaria and Austria would be placed on trial and if found guilty their lives would be forfeited.

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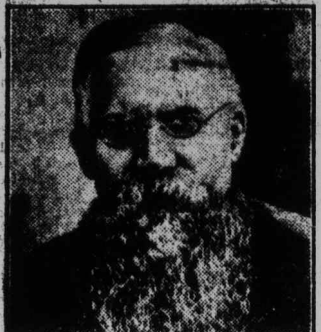
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50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent postage free on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

RECORD MADE BY FORESTRY CORPS

London, Dec. 2.—On Saturday evening Brigadier-General McDougall, director-general of the Canadian Forestry Corps, was tendered a banquet by the heads of the departments under his command. The Dominion Government was represented by Hon. C. J. Doherty and Sir George Perley and the British Government by Sir Albert Stanley, president of the Board of Trade, Sir W. J. Bull, timber controller, and Mr. Arthur Hewins, under-secretary for Colonial Affairs. The British representatives paid strong tributes to the work of the Forestry Corps and its part in winning the war.

General McDougall told of the formation of the corps and its work. This year in the production of timber it had saved ocean tonnage equivalent to feeding fifteen million people.

In reply to the toast of the Dominions, Hon. C. J. Doherty said that the Dominion troops had given a response that was impressive to express in words. He expressed the desire of the Dominions for a continuance of the good understanding throughout the Empire.

Sir J. Bull announced that as soon as possible British soldiers would take the place of Canadians in the Forestry Corps to allow Canadians to return home, but a number of officers would be retained to direct operations. Col. J. B. White, director of the Canadian Forestry Corps in France, is returning to Canada on furlough. Col. White's work in France has been greatly appreciated by the French and British governments and his organization is among the most efficient in the Allied armies. In proportion Col. White's corps holds the record among all the corps engaged in forestry operations.



Extract from a letter of a Canadian soldier in France.

To Mrs. R. D. BAMBURCK: The Rectory, Yarmouth, N.S.

Dear Mother:— I am keeping well, have good food and well protected from the weather, but have some difficulty keeping uninvited guests from visiting me.

"Have you any patriotic drug-plats that would give something for a gift overseas? If so, do you know something that is good for everything? I do—Old MINARD'S Liniment."

Your affectionate son, Rob. Manufactured by the Minard's Liniment Co. Ltd., Yarmouth, N.S.

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Barrister-at-Law, Solicitor, Conveyancer, Etc. —OVER— BENSON'S BOOKSTORE, WATER ST., CHATHAM, N. B.

The Kaiser as I Knew Him For Fourteen Years

By ARTHUR N. DAVIS, D. D. S. (Copyright, 1919, by the Curtis Newspaper Syndicate.)

The press was used to excellent advantage to conceal reverses and to make the utmost capital out of successes. Right from the start the newspapers declared that Germany was fighting a defensive war; that the nations of the world had jumped on Germany's neck because they were jealous of her growing power.

The importance which the Kaiser and his leaders placed in public opinion among the German people is clearly illustrated by the announcements made and the measures they resorted to from time to time, for home consumption.

When in December, 1916, for instance, the Kaiser realized that the resumption of unrestricted submarine warfare, which he had determined upon, might bring neutral nations, including the United States, into the war, he felt that it was necessary to do something to uphold the spirit of his people. It took the form of a proposal of peace to the Allies.

This proposal was designed to accomplish two distinct purposes: First, it was to convince the German people that their Kaiser was really the peace-loving monarch he had always professed to be; second, it was to demoralize the Allies by dividing them against themselves.

This much is certain: The Kaiser never intended the Allies to accept the proposal he made. He admitted that much to me, as did also the Prince von Pleß, his most intimate advisor. It was termed in such a way that the Allies could not possibly accept it. But it served one of the purposes which it was intended to achieve, and nearly accomplished the other.

CHAPTER XVII. Germany in Wartime. While the German people have always been in thorough accord with the Kaiser's ambitious project which is so significantly described by the popular slogan: "Deutschland über alles" when the great war, which was to achieve Germany's aims, commenced, it came almost as much a surprise to the Germans as it was to the rest of the world. They knew it was inevitable and they looked forward eagerly to "Der Tag," but when it arrived the haste and excitement, not to say panic, which developed throughout Germany was so pronounced that in some cases it approached the ludicrous.

Obviously the people were kept in ignorance of the plans of their war barons in order that hostilities might commence as a complete surprise to them and give color to the government's contention that the war was forced upon Germany.

So little thought did we give to the complexities of the political situation that on Friday, July 31, 1914, my wife and I started off on a motor trip. We had heard so many rumors of war within the previous ten years that we saw no reason why an amicable solution should not again be found as it had always been before.

On our way out the Charlottenburger Chaussee we passed the Kaiser and the Kaiserin driving to Berlin from Potsdam at about sixty miles an hour, and there were other indications of activity, but we attached little importance to them.

When we reached Potsdam, however, and saw thousands of tons of coal heaped up between the railroad tracks which were ordinarily kept clear, we realized that preparations for war were being made in earnest and we stopped to consider whether it would not be better after all to return home. Such was our ignorance of war that we decided that, even though it were not advisable to motor in Belgium and France, where we were bound, we might safely plan a tour in the Black Forest in Germany.

We had left Berlin late in the afternoon. In the evening, when we arrived at Götting, we found that the younger waiters in the restaurants and hotels had already left and that the older reserves expected a general call the next day.

The next morning we started for Frankfurt. As we passed through village after village, war preparations became more and more evident. Measures were being taken everywhere to arouse enthusiasm—youthful men gathered on school steps were singing patriotic songs, students were marching and speeches were being made in the market places.

About five o'clock that afternoon we arrived in Frankfurt. The whole place was in a fever of excitement over the mobilization posters and their enlistment against the French was being urged by "extras" which were handed out without charge, announcing that the French had already dropped bombs on the railroad at Nurnberg and that French officers in

very poor and depend almost entirely upon bread. The press began advising the people to conserve food but at the same time said that if cure was taken there was no danger of their not being enough for all. School teachers gave daily talks to the children to eat everything on their plates. One went so far as to announce: "I always lick my plate, children, and you should do the same!"

The result of these warnings was merely to increase hoarding and buying from food speculators. I never knew of a single German who voluntarily deprived himself of a single article of food out of patriotic motives. The only sacrifice he made in the matter of food was that he could not eat it.

As time went on and England's blockade became increasingly effective, the internal condition of Germany deteriorated and just as I was leaving for I left Berlin, on January 22, 1918, conditions had become well-nigh unbearable.

CHAPTER XVII. The Economic Situation in Germany. By the spring of 1918, butter and meat had become extremely scarce in Berlin. My wife had remained in America, where she had accompanied me in the summer of 1915, and during her absence I dined at hotels and restaurants where the food was still rather good. In June, 1918, I left for America again and just as I was leaving meat cards were issued for the first time.

I returned to Berlin with my family in October, 1918. Conditions had changed considerably for the worse during the summer. I found that every one who had the money had bought up every available pound of food and soap which had not already been commandeered by the government. Butter, potatoes, eggs, milk, flour, sugar, soap, bread and meat and dry groceries were all rationed and it was now no longer necessary for women to stand in line in front of the shops, sometimes all night, to await the morning opening.

Shopping by the card system was very complicated and the quantities permitted by the ration cards so small that a well-balanced meal was an impossibility. To dine in a restaurant it was necessary to take a whole pocketful of cards and make a careful analysis of them before ordering the meager meal which the law allowed.

The food line except substitutes, and the depleted show windows of the shops. The fact that they were empty was not known to the public and very often the windows would be broken by hungry mobs who could resist the slight resistance of the man next to the door. This led the government to order the shopkeepers to label the boxes: "Empty Boxes" in order to avert such disturbances and riots.

There was simply nothing to buy in the food line except substitutes, and these there were hundreds, each worse than the last. The remark: "If things get much worse, we shall soon be eating rat-soup as the Parisians did in 1870!" would be heard everywhere. "Well, that wouldn't be so bad; what I dread is, it is the time when we shall have to be content with rat-substitute!"

When we finally had cards for coffee-substitute I gave up interest in the food line except substitutes, and I became a speculator, figuring that it was better to risk the penalties imposed by the law for such violations of the food regulations than to ruin our health through undernourishment.

For a long time we were permitted to receive "resents" of bacon, ham, sausages, eggs and butter from Denmark, but this was finally prohibited through the influence of the Central Einkaufs-Gesellschaft (The Central Society for Buying Food From Other Countries) which found that it was interfering with their trade.

This society was formed by a company of clever Jewish business men and by food from foreign countries and sell to the people, a small percentage of the profits going to the government. It not only developed into a most successful enterprise from the standpoint of profit, its prosperity being augmented by graft, but it provided a haven for the slacker sons of the proprietors and stockholders. Just before I left Berlin, this company, to receive "resents" of bacon, ham, sausages, eggs and butter from Denmark, but this was finally prohibited through the influence of the Central Einkaufs-Gesellschaft (The Central Society for Buying Food From Other Countries) which found that it was interfering with their trade.

When we finally reached Berlin, about five the next morning, it seemed like a dead city. There was not a doorknob, a tax or a traffic light. Every available means of locomotion had been mobilized for the time being. As we had heavy bags, we simply had to find something to take us home and after half an hour's search for from the station I found an old cab driver who thought he could take us for the liberal bonus I agreed to pay him. We had hardly got seated when an officer tried to force us out, and only my wife's quick plea of illness saved him a black eye and my iron bars or a large fine.

After England declared war, the efforts to capture spies were doubled, and the mob had a new lot of signs to tear down. We were forbidden to talk English on the telephone or on the street. We kept to our homes, rather closely. Most of the buses, taxicabs and horses had been commandeered, and the only signs of life in Berlin were furnished by the officers driving madly about in high-powered cars which exceeded all speed limits and other traffic regulations.

After a few days, things began to return to normal again. The food supply seemed ample and the headlines in the newspapers were so encouraging and the reports of victories upon victories so convincing that every one expected the war to be over within a very short time and they began to eat up the stores they had so excitedly collected.

Bread cards were initiated. It is true, but the amount allowed was more than adequate for all normal needs. When ordering goods by mail, send Dominion Express Money Order.

people shuffled openly of what they had stored away. The worst deprivation was in the lack of fats. The people showed it very plainly. One seldom saw a fat man or a fat woman, although before the war fatness was almost characteristic of the German physique. Indeed, I saw a rather stout woman being followed by at least twenty boys who were jeering at her and making slurring remarks about the manner in which she had retained her avoirdupois. A fat person in Germany today is regarded with suspicion.

Naturally the weakened condition of the people makes them all easily susceptible to disease. Epidemics spread rapidly and are inclined to believe that little care was taken by the authorities to protect the older people from infection. I know that my secretary's mother fell and broke both her legs last summer (1917) and was taken to the hospital in two days in which latter her fellow-patients were all crippled. Ten of the inmates of that ward died in a single day from dysentery. The following day the death toll was increased by twelve, the old lady with the broken legs being one of them. Twenty-two more bread cards saved at the expense of twenty-two useless women in one hospital ward—a fair record for two days! I have no proof that these unfortunate victims of disease were deliberately infected by the hospital authorities, but the mere fact that twenty-two patients in an accident ward died from dysentery in two days is certainly evidence of gross carelessness if nothing worse.

To buy new clothes it is necessary to secure a certificate from the government to the effect that you are absolutely in need of clothing, and even then, you are compelled to give up the suit you are discarding.

Branch offices for investigating the necessity of replenishing one's wardrobe have been established all over the cities and they are always crowded. Women are in charge and they seem thoroughly to enjoy their authority and their power to deny an application for new clothing, and invariably come home full of holes.

In November, 1917, I paid \$100 for a suit of clothes which if it had been made out of cloth of good quality would have been worth about \$25. As it was, the tailor frankly admitted that the goods were made of re-worked yarn, and because of the lack of cotton thread, the seams were worked with a material which looked like paper string.

This paper string was in general use at that time, the department stores all displaying notices warning customers not to carry their parcels by the string. Many purchases were no longer wrapped to save paper, and no purchase amounting to less than \$5 was delivered.

Before I left Berlin, artificial silk was the principal fabric obtainable for ladies' wear, and I had a dress made in the land, princess or maid, was attired in art taffeta. It sold for \$10 a yard. In normal times it would have been worth from 75 cents to \$1. In the fall of 1917, a cloth suit was unobtainable for less than \$300. It would have been worth \$25 in normal times. All fur articles were needed for soldiers' wear and the few that were still obtainable for home use in the form of fur sets sold for \$1,000 up.

Through speculators, we obtained some imitation soft soap at \$4 per pound. People said it was made from human corpses, but it was the only thing available outside of the substitutes which were soap only in name. A small cake of toilet soap easily brought \$5. A servant's plain wooden wardrobe, formerly costing \$5, was unobtainable for less than \$50. We paid as high as \$8 a pound for butter, from a speculator, and my last Christmas dinner in Berlin consisted of a small goose, just enough for one man and three persons, for which I paid \$25.

One of the things the people missed most, of course, was their beer. While it was put on sale at 8 p. m. every night, only a limited amount was available as soon as the doors of the saloons, of only coffee or tea substitute, without sugar, milk or lemons, could be had.

The scarcity of metals required for munitions was evidenced early in the war when the interiors and exteriors of houses throughout the country were thoroughly ransacked and everything in the way of copper, brass or aluminum fixtures or cooking utensils that wasn't absolutely necessary was seized.

Horses were gradually disappearing from sight when I left early this year. One saw them lying about the streets where they dropped from exhaustion, and what disposition was made of their corpses can well be imagined. It is quite certain that no part was wasted. Dogs, too, nearly vanished from city life. A man I know, who had kept a fine Newfoundland dog, told me that it had disappeared one night and the next day his skin was found hanging on the fence with a sign reading: "Died for the fatherland."

One of the principal articles of fresh produce to be seen in the butcher shops consisted of black crows. They were selling at 75 cents apiece. There was something ludicrous in the thought of the Germans being compelled to "eat crows," but there was little to laugh at in eating it oneself.

To obtain oil, prizes were offered to the school children to collect fruit seeds, from which it could be extracted, and veritable mountains of the seeds were thus obtained.

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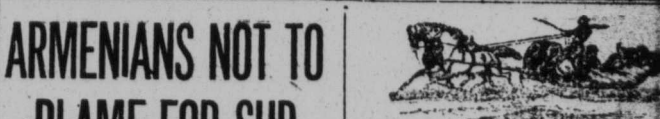
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New York, Dec. 4.—To dispel what its officers termed "a certain unfavorable opinion of the Armenians," as a result of the surrender of Baku to the Turks by the Armenian commander last September the Armenian National Union made public here to-night a statement declaring that the defense of the city had been abandoned with the approval of the British commander operating in that section of the Eastern front. The message, forwarded by the Armenian National Union in Paris, quoted a statement by Lord Robert Cecil prior to his recent retirement as Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs. The cablegram follows: "Lord Robert Cecil on behalf of the Government has made the following declaration: "The British Government has been informed that the negotiations which the Armenian commander at Baku conducted with the Turks with a view to surrendering the city were initiated at the instance of and with the full approval of the British commander. It is therefore, unfair and unwarranted to blame the Armenians for that. There is not the slightest doubt that the cause of the Allies owes a debt of gratitude to the Armenians for all they have accomplished by fighting the Turks as bravely as they did under the most adverse conditions."

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

CLOSED FOR TWO WEEKS.
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WILL HOLD TEA AND SALE.
The Junior Women's Club of St. James' Church will hold a sale of fancy articles in St. James' Hall on Friday evening, December 13th. During the evening a fifteen cent tea will be served.

DEATH OF LITTLE ONE.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simms, of Donkton, have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their infant child from whooping cough and influenza. The little one was sixteen months old.

DEATH AT NEW MILLS.
Dr. and Mrs. J. D. MacMillan went to New Mills this week, having been called there by the death of Dr. MacMillan's brother, Mr. Arthur MacMillan, after a short illness of influenza. The deceased was one of the leading citizens of New Mills.

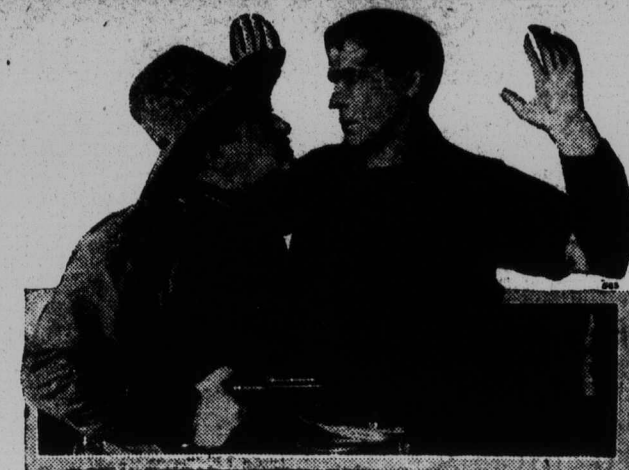
SMITH-DUGAY.
William Smith, of London, Ont., and Marlon Dugay, of Newcastle, were married Monday afternoon at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. W. R. Robinson, 117 Sydney St., St. John. The young pair will make their home in Ontario, where the groom is a prosperous farmer.

BADLY INJURED.
Charles Robinson, secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Aid Commission, on Saturday received a letter from his son, J. Benson Robinson, Bramshott Camp, England, stating that he was riding a bicycle, carrying a message, when he was run into by an ambulance and thrown from his wheel. His ankle was broken, wrist fractured, face badly cut and several of his teeth knocked out. Pte. Robinson, who is in hospital, wrote that he is improving.—St. John Globe.

SUPREME COURT MET AND ADJOURNED.
Dec. 4.—The December sitting of the Supreme Court opened here yesterday morning, but owing to the absence of the presiding judge, Mr. Justice Chandler, the clerk of the court immediately adjourned the same until February 4th next. This adjournment was necessary owing to the ravages of influenza in some sections of the county whence some of the jury were summoned.

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WIRELESS GUARD TO BE DISBANDED

Soldiers Will Be Discharged on Thursday and Wireless Station Will Assume Pre-War Position.

The infantry guard which has been on duty at the wireless station here since the outbreak of the war, will soon be a thing of the past, for official word has been received that it will be disbanded on Thursday of this week. The members of the garrison will once again don muffin.

As a recruiting and training station for overseas units, the wireless garrison had few equals, for almost twice the number on duty had transferred to overseas units, going with all branches of the service.

The present commandant, Capt. Edgar Macleod, and his assistant, Lieut. Armstrong, M.C., have made hosts of friends in Newcastle, who will regret to learn that they are soon to leave town.

IMPROVEMENTS AT TELEPHONE OFFICE

Number of New Cords Added and New Addition to Switchboard to Handle Growing Business.

During the past week workmen have been employed installing an addition to the switchboard at the telephone office, as well as adding a number of new cords. The cords in the switchboard are used in giving connections, but so great is the business at times that every cord was in use and all new calls were forced to wait until some subscriber had finished talking before they were given a connection. This delay had wrenched been placed upon the operators at the central office, but they were powerless to remedy the situation, but with the additional cords there will be no delay for any subscribers in future.

When it is to be considered that the exchange list here has almost doubled in the past four years, one must naturally expect the work to be overcrowded at times, and the subscribers who in the past have given the "Hello girls" a calling down for keeping them waiting will no doubt find them very obliging when they have the necessary improvements at their service.

CHRISTMAS BOXES FOR REDBANK BOYS
The Redbank Red Cross Society met at the home of the president, Mrs. J. F. McCarry, on December 2, to pack Christmas boxes for the boys overseas. The boys to whom boxes were sent are: Walter Johnston, Henry Wey, Louis Pow, Samuel Kingston, Aloysius Layton, Allen Curries, James E. Allison, R. M. Pirby, Vincent Holland, Walter Burns, Wilbur Matchett, Morrison Jordan, Tom Touche, Harold Hill, Percy Dark, Harry Johnston, W. J. Goddard, M. G. Killoran, Thomas Allison, Charles Millin, R. S. Matchett, James C. Allison, Walter Matchett, William Hoiford, William Murphy, James Somers, Samuel Mullin, James Travis, Karl Johnston, Weldon Dunnett, Hiram Allison, Rayburn Callaghan, Michael O'Shea, Harry Tozer, Stanley Matchett, Clare Dolan, William McCurdy, Lloyd Ward, William Daubert, L. C. Campbell, Otto Johnston and Stillman Allison.

POPULAR BUSINESS MAN PASSES AWAY

H. W. K. Maltby Dies at Early Age of Thirty-two Years—Funeral Under Masonic Auspices.

The community was shocked on Thursday when it became known that H. Kirtan W. Maltby, one of Newcastle's rising young business men, had succumbed to an attack of influenza. Deceased had been in failing health for the past two years, and had only recovered from an illness of influenza when he suffered a relapse that caused his death.

He was in his thirty-second year, and was most popular with the younger element of the town, and the news of his passing was heard with deep regret.

The late Kirtan Maltby was the only son of the late Lt. Col. R. L. Maltby and at his death succeeded to the undertaking business of his father and had conducted that ever since. Besides his mother, he leaves one sister, Mrs. (Lieut.) Charles Gough, at present in England, and one adopted sister, Miss "Dot" Maltby at home.

The funeral took place at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and was under Masonic auspices. Services were conducted at St. Andrew's church by Rev. W. J. Bate, and interment was made in the family plot in the Miramichi cemetery.

PROGRAM FOR VISIT OF GOVERNOR-GENERAL

The program for the official visit of His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire on December 14th has been announced as follows:

3.00 p.m.—Met at train by His Worship the Mayor and committee of the Town Council. Guard of honor composed of returned soldiers and the local garrison.

3.15 p.m.—Visit to Haskins' Academy. Governor's address to the school children.

3.30 p.m.—Civic welcome and presentation of address by the Mayor in Opera House. Public reception.

4.30 p.m.—Visit to Barracks and wireless station. Review of troops.

6.00 p.m.—Visit to St. Mary's Convent.

5.30 p.m.—Visit to Miramichi Hospital.

6.30 p.m.—Visit to Red Cross rooms.

Judge J. R. Leavelle will be grand marshal, assisted by Chas. Sargeant, Wm. Stables is chairman of the decoration committee.

SOCIAL LIFE IN NEW YORK SHOWN IN PICTURE

Less Desirable Aspect of It, However, is Seen in "A Desert Wooley."

The less desirable side of social life in New York—or of any great city—is shown in "A Desert Wooley," which stars Emil Bennett, and which will be shown at the Happy Hour Theatre on Thursday. This is a Paramount picture—another way of saying that it is perfect—and a Thomas H. Ince production. The heroine is a girl raised in the cynical and unhealthy atmosphere of the so-called smart set, and only when she meets a real man from the boundless West does she develop that side of her character that has remained hidden on the desert side. She is tamed and tried in fire and at last conceives the overwhelming passion for her husband that is born of an actual mating. Jack Holt plays opposite Miss Bennett in this film.

DEATH OF THEATRICAL MANAGER

(Canadian Press)
New York, Dec. 5.—Word of the death from influenza of Arthur Powers, New York theatrical manager, in Winston Salem, N.C., was received here today. He was one of the founders of the Shubert's League of America in Chicago four years ago, and was forty-two years old. He leaves a widow in Detroit, Michigan.

PERSONALS.

Mr. D. R. Brown, of St. John, is spending a few days with Miramichi friends.

PTE. WM. WHITNEY KILLED IN ACTION

Adopted Son of James Whitney Makes the Supreme Sacrifice.

Another Miramichi boy has been listed among those who have made the supreme sacrifice. Official word has been received from Washington by Mrs. James Whitney, Curventon, North Esk, that her adopted son, Pte. Wm. E. Whitney, had been killed in action on November 10th. He enlisted in the United States army and was thirty-two years of age. He had been a resident of the United States for the past eight years.

Mr. and Mrs. James Whitney have the sympathy of the general public in the loss of their son. The fact that the young man who killed the day before fighting ceased makes his death much sadder.

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