

WILSON BREAKS PRECEDENT; SAILS TODAY FOR EUROPE

City and County to Honor Workers Who Died During Epidemic

WILL BUILD ISOLATION HOSPITAL

Memorial to the Influenza Workers Who Gave Lives Will Take This Form MAY SUBMIT BY-LAWS City and County are Asked to Co-operate in the Movement

A committee of the Hospital Board of Governors and the Memorial committee met in conference in the Board of Trade Chamber last evening, regarding the project to provide a memorial of those who gave their lives in ministering to the sufferers in the recent Influenza epidemic.

After a full expression of opinion by all present the following resolution was adopted, on motion of Dr. E. R. Secord, seconded by Mr. J. McGrattan:

"That this meeting of representatives of various boards and organizations, viz.: Hospital board, board of health, board of trade, patriotic association, medical association, ministerial alliance, trades and labor council, great war veterans' association, county council, hospital ladies' aid, Victorian order of nurses, emergency hospital and women's Patriotic league, is of the opinion that the most fitting memorial to the workers who sacrificed their lives in service during the recent Influenza epidemic should take the form of an adequate Isolation Hospital erected on the grounds of the Brantford General Hospital, and to be subsequently managed by the board of governors of that institution; and,

"That this meeting further express the view that representations should be made to the city and county councils asking that money by-laws be prepared at the earliest opportunity to jointly finance the project; and,

"That the details of cost, etc., be further considered by a sub-committee to be appointed at this meeting."

Moved by Rev. C. E. Jeakins, seconded by Mrs. C. Digby, and resolved, that the following be, and are hereby, appointed a committee to wait on the city and county councils with an estimate of cost of the proposed Memorial Hospital Building, and ask that the necessary money by-laws be provided therefor be prepared and submitted: Dr. Secord, J. McGrattan, J. A. Scace, C. A. Waterous, T. J. Minnes, Mrs. Livingston, Mrs. Geo. Watt.

There were present at the meeting: Messrs. F. D. Reville, C. A. Waterous, T. J. Minnes, H. Spence, Dr. Secord, Rev. C. E. Jeakins, J. McGrattan, J. A. Scace, Mrs. W. C. Livingston, Mrs. F. D. Reville, Mrs. J. W. Digby, Mrs. Geo. Watt.

Mr. C. A. Waterous was appointed chairman.



On the map appearing above, the boundary of Austrian Silesia is placed too far to the east. Jugo-Slav forces have entered Carinthia and Styria which are supposed to be beyond their sphere of influence.

WILHELM IS DEJECTED - AND WHO WOULDN'T BE

Fugitive War Lord Has Terror in His Heart - Spends Entire Day in Writing, and Will Not Even be Cheered by His Wife

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Dec. 4.—William Hohenzollern wears a dejected appearance, according to The Telegraph's correspondent at Amerongen, Holland, who says that he has talked with "some one who has come much in contact with the exile." This person is quoted as follows: "The former Emperor wore an air of relief when he arrived at Amerongen, but that soon vanished. Even his dearest wife cannot now rouse him from moodiness. The former Emperor is really something of a heroine and tries to make her husband look on the bright side of things, but it is vain. The distinguished fugitive has terror in his heart."

Herr Hohenzollern keeps more and more to himself and is constantly less inclined to go about. The correspondent says that his informant took him to an unfrequented place from which an unobtrusive window in the castle was visible. Pointing to the window,

the gentleman said: "The former Emperor sits at that window writing as though against time, hour after hour, sheet after sheet, often all the forenoon and all the afternoon."

London, Dec. 3.—Speaking at Boodle to-night, Andrew Bonar Law, the chancellor of the exchequer, confirmed the statement that the British Government had decided to press the Allies as strongly as possible that the surrender of former Emperor William be demanded and that he should stand his trial.

The chancellor also announced that the Government had appointed a committee to examine scientifically into the question of how much the enemy would be able to pay. The Government would propose such procedure to the Allies and he believed it would be adopted. An inter-Allied committee would then inquire into the whole question and decide what amount was obtainable. Steps would then be taken to secure its payment.

As Colonel E. M. House, the American representative, was unable to attend the Allied Conference in London yesterday and to-day, Mr. Bonar Law added, it was impossible that a decision could be reached on any point. He was therefore now only expressing the views of the British Government.

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WILSON TO SAIL TODAY FOR EUROPE

Is First U. S. President to Set Foot on a Steamer Leaving America HIS POLICY OUTLINED Will Oppose Militarism in Any Form, at Peace Conference

By Courier Leased Wire. New York, Dec. 4.—For the first time in the nation's history, a president stepped on board a steamship to take him over to Europe, when Woodrow Wilson walked up the gangplank of the transport George Washington, berthed at a Hoboken dock awaiting the executive's arrival from Washington today. The George Washington was prepared to sail two hours later on its unprecedented voyage over to



Senator Sherman, U. S. SENATORS OPPOSE WILSON'S TRIP. The Above Senators strongly oppose President Wilson's journey to France to attend the peace conference, with the exception of Senator Lewis, the Democratic whip, who justifies the president's reticence in regard to his plans.

MONTENEGRO DENIES DEPOSITION OF KING

National Parliament Not in a Position to Take Such Action—A Straw in the Wind, Says King Nicholas

By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Dec. 4.—The Royal Montenegrin Government has issued a statement denying the report that King Nicholas has been deposed. The statement points out that the Skupstina has no constitutional existence, and that the only body having authority of making any pronouncement as to the sovereignty of the state is the national parliament. This body, it is said, "cannot meet at present, many members being confined in Austrian prisons or living abroad."

A Straw in the Wind. Paris, Dec. 4.—"My deposition was but a straw cast to see which way the wind blows," said King Nicholas at Montenegro yesterday. "It is a meeting yesterday. It is a meeting was held at Podgoritz (where the Montenegrin national assembly is reported to have met) I have not the slightest news of it. A meeting such as that one could have been held only under the shadow of bayonets. A legal plebiscite is not carried out by armed force. That is why I consider what has passed today there as being without importance."

KAISER THE GREATEST CRIMINAL IN WORLD TODAY, DECLARES KING GEORGE

British Monarch Has Unflattering Opinion of His Imperial Cousin—Allies to Press For Extradition of Former War Lord From Holland

By Courier Leased Wire. LONDON, Nov. 28.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—What does King George really think of his cousin, William Hohenzollern, former German Emperor? That is a question that has often been asked, but has never anything approaching an authoritative answer. According to a writer in The Daily News, which is usually very careful as to the trustworthiness of what it prints, King George regards him as the greatest criminal in the world today.

The writer says that he was talking a few days ago with a well-known statesman, who has had many opportunities during the war and especially lately of hearing the King express his views of the kaiser, and he thus summarizes what the well-known statesman told him: "My informant says that the King's feelings and expressions are so strong that they could hardly be reproduced verbatim, but that the substance of them is that the kaiser is the greatest criminal in the world today; that he is directly responsible for the outrages on the Belgian and French civil populations, for the bombing and air raids on the innocent inhabitants of unfortified towns; for the torpeding of passenger and hospital ships and the sinking of survivors in their boats; for the first use of poisoned gas, the poisoning of wells, the destruction of works of art, of historic buildings, of beautiful towns, and the machinery of industrial life and potential reconstruction; that he has not only permitted these things to proceed, but was in many cases a personal assenter to and director of them and that for such a man no retributive, penalty, however severe, would be undeserved."

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REPORT OF ULTIMATUM IS DENIED

Foch Has Fixed No Time Limit for Surrender of Locomotives? ONLY GAVE WARNING Enemy is Behind Schedule Agreed in Armistice Terms

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Dec. 4.—The Express claims to be able to deny the report from Berlin yesterday that a new ultimatum had been sent to the German government because all the locomotives to be handed over under the terms of the armistice cannot be delivered at once. The newspaper says that it is true that Germany is not keeping up to the stipulated schedule and that Marshal Foch has given warning that Germany will be responsible for further delays, but he has not fixed a time limit for the carrying out of the clause relative to railroad equipment.

Rendering Assistance. With the British Army of Occupation, Sunday, Dec. 1.—(By the Associated Press)—The British army is rendering great assistance to devastated France and Flanders. During November the army furnished to the American commission for relief in Belgium 20,000,000 rations, which were badly needed, for quick distribution among the hungry people. The aid came at a time when the commission was unable to get provisions through speedily enough from Holland. British officers and soldiers are giving from their own stores and rations freely. Repair work on the highways and railways in the British zone is being pushed, with amazing results in remedying the destruction wrought by the Germans in their retreat. The railway between Lille and Brussels will be opened on Dec. 7, and the re-opening of other lines will soon follow. The relief commission's trains will have precedence over other traffic, after military trains.

Assumed Role of Insufficiency. With the American Army of Occupation, Dec. 3.—(By the Associated Press)—Further evidence of the determination of the Germans not to be jarred out of their assumed role of indifference was shown in every village into which the Americans marched to-day. The long lines of khaki clad troops resumed their movement toward the Rhine at daybreak, passing through dozens of villages until another 15 miles had been covered. Farmers in the fields and residents in the villages and towns glanced at the troops and went on with their work. There and there German soldiers were seen for a time curiously, but rarely with a display of emotion or even of keen interest. With the exception of trifling acts by children, there have been no signs of hostility reported. In a few instances children shouted derogatory remarks and threw small stones; but there was nothing more serious than that. The German troops were well back in their retirement and apparently there is no desire whatever to hamper the working out of the terms of the armistice.

The towns are filled with returning German soldiers, discharged from service, who are negotiating for civilian clothes to replace the uniforms which they are still wearing.

BOARD OF TRADE HAS BUSY WEEK

Meets Tomorrow on Boundary Extension Question—Fire Prevention Also Up

A meeting of the Board of Trade will be held to-morrow night to discuss the proposed extension of the boundary lines of the city. On Friday night at a meeting of an ad-hoc committee will complete the arrangements for the formation of a branch of the Ontario Fire Prevention League. Notices have been issued to the members of the board for attendance at both these meetings.

When The Last Shot Was Fired

Dr. Digby of This City was on the Scene—The Warm Welcome of Belgian People

Mrs. Digby has received a most interesting letter from her son, Dr. Digby, who has been at the front for a considerable time and who wrote under date of November 13th, after the armistice had been signed. It says: "This has been a most interesting experience for all of us, and there is so much to write about we hardly know where to begin. I was with the infantry in the line when the last shot was fired. I went forward from the A.D.S. to locate a certain battalion. They were held up by machine gun fire. From the edge of a weed, a couple of light guns had been brought up, and they were letting the Boche machine guns have it for all they were worth. The major in charge of the advanced companies of our infantry was in the field directing operations, and I went forward and reported the location to him. I was with him at 11 a.m. when he gave the signal to cease fire. I am awfully

EARTHQUAKE IN PROGRESS

By Courier Leased Wire. Washington, Dec. 4.—A heavy earthquake was in progress at 9:30 o'clock this morning, the Georgetown University seismological observatory announced.

RUSSIA BARS PRISONERS

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Dec. 4.—The Russian Government has refused to admit the 1,500,000 Russian soldiers who have been prisoners in Germany and has urged them back at the frontier, according to a Berlin dispatch to The Express under date of Monday. The incident is serious for Germany because of the necessity of feeding the men.

Real estate advertisements including 'SALE' of bungalows, cottages, and houses, and 'FOR SALE' of various properties.

Advertisements for 'Coulson' (fire insurance), 'W. Beck' (pressing and altering), and 'Smoke' (cigars).

Weather Bulletin for Toronto, Dec. 4, 1918, with a small illustration of a person.

NORFOLK NEWS

NORFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL MEETS

Last Session of Year Yesterday
MANY MATTERS UP
Discussion Re County Constabulary—Other Simcoe News

W. M. S. MEETING

From our own Correspondent
Simcoe, Dec. 4.—Perhaps the most interesting communication read yesterday at the opening session of the December sitting of the county council, at which all members except the Reeve and Charlesworth were present, was that from the chairman of the patriotic fund, the gist of which was that as Norfolk had during the past three and a half years contributed to the fund an excess over the amount returned to the county, sufficient to carry on until the money runs out, and that no further contributions were looked for from this county. And members of council expressed their pleasure that the 1918 contribution will be paid in toto, through the present year's taxes without a dollar of loss through floating debentures and brokerage. The county contributed to the fund in round figures about \$200,000, of which about 7,400 has actually been paid. The last payments on the debentures of 1916 and 1917 will be made in 1931 and 1932 respectively.

The Clouds Lifting
Warden John L. Buck, in his opening address, commented on the great events of the year and the relief that has come to us all, and then reviewed what had been done since the last meeting regarding the

County Roads and Dover Bridge
He estimated that with the provincial county roads designated, Norfolk is now \$100,000 better off than last January in the matter of finances for permanent road construction.

The Dover bridge has been in the air for years. The first problem was to obtain sanction for a stationary bridge, but the stream was alternately declared to be out of and in the class of navigable waters, and is now the latter. Consequently the federal government declines to assist in financing a new bridge there and creating a precedent. The next shift is for a combination railway and carriage bridge instead of two separate swing bridges for the G. T. R. stationery bridge is tolerated only till the barrier of the roadway bridge is removed.

Y. M. C. A. Appeal
The secretary of the National Council of the Y. M. C. A. addressed council re a grant for overseas work, briefly and to the point. He was accompanied by Mr. Geo. Williamson of Brantford. This and allied appeals were referred to the committee of the whole.

The County Constabulary
Some discussion on the lack of a county constabulary arose out of suggestions from the clerk for the appointment of an inspector of licenses and the providing of more accommodation for the wards of the children's aid society.

It was suggested that a well organized county constabulary and a sympathetic community effort in placing wards in foster homes would discipline those who evade paying license and would relieve the present congestion at the shelter. There was apparently an atmosphere of

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sympathy for the executive of the Children's Aid Society in their present embarrassment. This was evidenced again by the attendance of many councillors at the annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society, St. Paul's W.M.S. Annual Meeting.

At the annual meeting of St. Paul's W.M.S. held yesterday it was reported that there was a membership of 42—same as last year—and a fifty per cent. attendance had obtained. The receipts for the year were \$430 against \$309.17 for 1917. The election of officers left the executive practically the same as last year.

Pleasant Social Evening
The Young Women's Mission Circle of St. Paul's had a pleasant time last evening at the home of Mrs. Bruce Hamilton. It was the occasion of reporting on how the \$60 contributed by the members was earned. The stories were told in poor poetry and good phrase. There were thirty present, who had been accountants and farmettes, gardeners and housemaids, barbers and painters, ploughmen and bakers, seamsters and carpenters, and what not.

They almost repeated in meritment, after business was finished, their incognito trances up West street recently.

Children's Aid Holds Annual Meeting
The Children's Aid Society of Norfolk county held the annual meeting and election of officers last night. The executive was returned without change.

President—Frank Reid.
First Vice-President—H. S. McPherson.
Second Vice-President—J. Campbell.

Treasurer—Geo. Williamson.
Secretary—M. L. House.
Council—Resident clergyman and Messrs. J. H. Butler, Thomas Haddock, D. Christia, M.A., R. Edwards and H. F. Cook, B.A.

Treasurer's Statement
The treasurer's report showed receipts as follows:
Private subscriptions \$256.60
Town of Simcoe 25.00
Charlotteville township 10.00
Township township 10.00
Woodhouse, the Walsinghams, Houghton and Middleton each 25.00
County Council 25.00
Sundry schools 52.01
Misc boxes 11.87
County board of works 666.00
And other contributions bringing the total up to \$1,768.88. The disbursements ran:

Printing \$ 10.50
Telephone 10.00
Clothing and books 92.50
Agent's expenses 43.29
Agent's salary 300.00
Sundries 58.16



AGAINST PRESIDENT WILSON'S JOURNEY TO FRANCE.
Senator G. M. Hitchcock.

This outside the board account, which when deducted, leaves the treasury about empty.

The statement of three or four trust accounts was also given in detail.

Agent Furnishes Statistics.
D. E. McIntosh, agent, reported that during the year 22 wards had been taken in charge, bringing the total up to 208, of the 22, 14 have been placed in foster homes and eight remain in the shelter.

He urged the necessity for a more commodious shelter and was followed on this point by Dr. Dey, whose remarks were convincing. This speaker took the ground that the claim of the young and unprotected was equal to that of the aged and infirm and the institution should be owned and financed by the county.

Warden John L. Buck, who, with other members of the County Council, was present, regretted that the work of the society was not better appreciated. The executive took the cue and requested that copies of the agent's report be forwarded to all the county weeklies for simultaneous publication.

Odd Ends of News.
J. Alex. Wallace lost a \$200 Holston cow on Friday.

A light mantle of snow which fell on Monday night, supplemented irregularly throughout yesterday, gave this district its first day of snow covered earth for the season.

Barrie Route.
Hugh Abercrombie, W. L. Austin, P. W. Austin, J. W. Austin, C. Adams, J. H. Butler, Monte Burk, John Baker, John Ball, T. Buck, Frank Boughner, Brantford, Bowby, J. S. Boughner, W. H. Buchner, C. Bowby, Peter Boughner, William Bacon, G. W. Buchner, C. Caswell, L. Caswell, W. F. Carter, Wm. Lummings, John Challand, E. Carleton, J. A. Crutcher, R. W. Caswell, J. A. Collier, J. Cullimore, H. J. N. Culver, E. D. Cowan, C. W. Dixon, Robt. Davis, James Dixon, P. Evans, C. Everett, E. G. Ford, James Field, A. R. Fox, D. Graham, E. B. Grant, S. Hancock, Wm. Holloway, G. S. Huriburt, H. Kent, Edward Kniffen, George Kniffen, G. Kirkwood, S. L. King, C. J. King, Lawrence Kelly, Fred Kerridge, Jos. Livsky, R. Lammph, Robert Leitch, W. Morris, W. Matthews, G. Muths, James Maxwell, Thos. Matthews, W. J. Misme, R. M. Morris, G. W. Marsden, Edward Moinally, C. Oakes, Samuel Potts, Wm. Price, T. Purdy, T. Pope, Geo. Potts, Wm. Purdy, C. Quabury, H. L. Roberts, J. H. Roberts, W. J. Roberts, A. A. Stringer, A. E. Schott, A. B. Smale, L. Sharp, Jos. Smyth, J. Saville, H. L. Selby, James Skura, R. W. Smith, W. A. Smith, J. Sheppard, Wm. Trembley, Edwin Trinder, E. L. Trinder, F. Thompson, W. B. Tomlinson, A. M. Tisdale, T. Trinder, W. J. Trinder, C. Trinder, Byron Williams, A. M. Walker, A. Wynne, J. B. Waddle, C. D. Woolley, A. Williams.

LAID AT REST
JOSEPH WARD.
The funeral of the late Joseph Ward, of Big Valley, Alta., took place yesterday afternoon from Beckett's undertaking rooms to Greenwood Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Hamilton, S. Pilling, L. Kirby, F. Hubbard, J. Strong and C. Disher. Rev. J. C. Henderson conducted the services. The floral tributes were: Cross, brother; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Crandall, Mrs. Mary Boney, and Epworth League Wellington Street Methodist Church.

MRS. JOHNSON.
The remains of the late Mrs. Johnson were laid to rest yesterday afternoon from the residence of her son, Mr. R. D. Johnson, 174 Park avenue, to Mt. Hope Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Logan officiated at both services. There were many beautiful floral tributes and a large number of friends were present at the house service.

STEAMERS ARRIVED
By Courier Leased Wire
New York, Dec. 4.—Arrived—Steamer Alliances, from Cristobal; Lapland from Liverpool; Grotto from Liverpool; Drammensjord from Christiania; Oudis from Rotterdam.

REACTION FROM WARTIME ECONOMY

Reports to the Government Show Change Since Signing of Armistice

Washington, Dec. 4.—Reaction from war time economy is apparent in reports to various government agencies since the signing of the armistice. War savings committees in all parts of the country have submitted statements tending to show that persons who abstained from buying unnecessary clothes during the war have rushed to shops within the past week or two and bought according to pre-war standards.

Retail businesses report stimulation of business by peace news. In some cases, the response was immediate, business showing a big jump within a day or two after Nov. 11. This reaction seems most marked among the wealthier classes.

Reports gathered by the Federal Reserve Board also show activity among wholesale houses to meet the demand of retailers. The wholesale business, however, is somewhat slower, by the desire of retail merchants to let their stocks run low, while waiting for prices to come down. Thousands of retailers quickly arranged special sales of their stocks at lower prices in view of the uncertainties of the future course of prices.

Building operations have taken a sudden start since the long enforced period of idleness during the war, and building materials are now beginning to flow away from former war enterprises, toward peace time building projects. Private building seems to be holding its own, however. Municipalities and states have turned their thoughts to building roads and bridges, held up during the war by shortage of materials, and within the next month officials here look for a multitude of advertisements for bids for these projects.

At least eight billions of dollars must be raised in the United States next year from war bonds or war savings. Officials here look for floating of these loans without corresponding saving in money and materials merely serves to inflate credit, and the practical result of this inflation is a general rise in prices.

The Treasury now is seeking to develop means of continuing thrift propaganda throughout the next few years, to educate the public to the duty of paying off indebtedness before starting war time economy. In fact students of economy in the Treasury declare that unless the American people learn lessons of thrift which populations of England and France have learned during the past four years, the country will be in position during reconstruction of absorbing much more than its share of the world's available stock of food, materials and labor, needed for the physical rebuilding of devastated portions of Europe.

Treasury agencies studying banks' condition in industrial communities, particularly where war materials were manufactured, find that savings and checking accounts maintained by workmen do not have balances proportionate to their advances in wages during the war.

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NEW TREASURY SECRETARY
By Courier Leased Wire
Washington, Dec. 4.—Word went around unofficially on the House side of the Capital to-day that Representative Carter Glass of Virginia, chairman of the banking and currency committee, had been chosen by President Wilson to become secretary of the treasury.

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BUSINESS CHANGE

Many friends and customers of W. R. Baird, who has conducted a large and successful business at 431-433 Colborne street, will be sorry to learn that on account of ill health, Mr. Baird has disposed of the meat and grocery business, but will still keep the dry goods and shoe business at 433 Colborne, where all accounts from that department can be paid.

OBITUARY

P. SHEAR
The death occurred last night of Philip Shear, at his home, 92 Alfred street. The deceased was taken ill last Friday night, and it was found that he had contracted pneumonia. He was a member of the Masonic lodge and the Oddfellows. The late Mr. Shear was a tireless worker in

war and relief work of the Jewish societies, and was a prominent tailor and men's furnisher in this city. Besides a sorrowing wife and five children, the whole Jewish community will mourn his loss. The funeral will take place this afternoon at two o'clock from his late residence to the Jewish burial ground.
Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

THE WAR HAS TAUGHT US

to save and to serve. Don't waste food or fuel. When you eat wheat be sure it is the whole wheat. It is all Food Shredded Wheat is the whole wheat nothing wasted, nothing thrown away. Ready cooked, ready-to-eat. Save fuel, saves food, saves health. For any meal with milk or cream or fruits

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA

Comparative Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at October 31st, 1918, and October 31st, 1917.

ASSETS	October 1918	October 1917
Current Coin	\$ 4,742,677.00	\$ 4,727,988.00
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves	8,600,000.00	6,500,000.00
Domestic Notes	7,418,910.00	5,819,738.00
Notes of other Banks		
Cheques on other Banks	7,666,785.00	9,666,576.00
Balances due by other Banks in Canada	2,085.00	2,796.00
Balances due by Banks and banking correspondents in the United Kingdom	144,769.00	188,670.00
Balances due by Banks and banking correspondents elsewhere than in Canada and the United Kingdom	1,246,844.00	1,541,145.00
Domestic and Provincial Government securities, not exceeding market value	16,890,464.00	8,562,807.00
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value	3,933,373.00	3,906,262.00
Canadian Municipal securities, and British, Foreign, and Colonial public securities other than Canadian	16,167,644.00	9,081,764.00
Call Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	4,018,374.00	5,662,431.00
Call Loans elsewhere than in Canada	2,699,198.00	3,277,614.00
Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less Rebate of Interest)	80,029,341.00	68,070,191.00
Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less Rebate of Interest)	345,398.00	384,122.00
Liabilities of customers under letters of credit as per contra	418,006.00	630,768.00
Real Estate other than bank premises	333,872.00	308,434.00
Overdue debts, estimated loss provided for	360,907.00	279,900.00
Bank premises, at not more than cost, less amount written off	5,218,862.00	4,769,218.00
Deposit with the Minister for the purpose of the Circulation Fund	860,000.00	350,000.00
Other Assets not included in the foregoing	415,870.00	284,947.00
	\$105,921,486.00	\$130,698,682.00

LIABILITIES	October 1918	October 1917
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	\$15,150,543.00	\$15,482,363.00
Deposits, Demand	27,246,880.00	27,300,084.00
Deposits bearing interest	105,694,000.00	60,267,525.00
Balances due to other banks in Canada	1,922,393.00	682,269.00
Balances due to Banks and banking correspondents in the United Kingdom and foreign countries	71,845.00	3,837,892.00
Bills Payable		
Acceptances under letters of credit	418,006.00	630,768.00
Dividends declared and unpaid	177,280.00	176,082.00
Liabilities not included in the foregoing		

K. W. BLACKWELL, Vice-President. E. F. HEBDEN, Managing Director. D. C. MACAROW, General Manager.

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THE WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS, AUTHOR OF "MARGARET GARRETT'S HUSBAND," AND OTHER NOTABLE STORIES.

Brian Enthusias Over the War. CHAPTER XCII. Brian hung up the receiver, his mind in a peculiar condition. He was flattered that Mollie had missed him; yet a bit worried that she had called him. Suppose Ruth had been at home. He must warn Mollie not to call him at the house. Rachel, too, might answer and think it strange that a woman called him. She was devoted to Ruth and probably told her all that happened in her absence.

ing her life with a poor lawyer. "If I had half a chance, I'd show them," Brian muttered as he started for bed. "Suppose she had all the chance anyone else had, he did not believe. Midas had not spilled gold in his lap; neither had he been favored by the gods with the luck that comes to some men. So he figured. That the very men he envied, working two hours to his one—that they neither spent their time in foolish grumblings against fate, or wasted it in other ways, he would not have conceded. It was just his luck not to get along like some fellows did. Ruth's picture stared at him from his chiffonier as he prepared for bed. She looked so frankly interested in his eyes. There was such a smile on her lips, that he raised it and pressed a kiss upon her glass. "She's sweet," he said as he tucked up his necktie. "I wish she liked to stay home."

morning he read the paper with more than his usual interest. That war was getting mighty interesting. It had begun to look as if it would last indefinitely. How he would like to get into the game! His blood tingled at the thought. What an experience! "If I wasn't married, I'd join the Canucks," he said aloud after reading of a particularly brilliant charge by the Canadian forces. "But no such luck for me." He neglected his breakfast so that Rachel was worried and asked: "Ain't yo coffee good this mawnin'?" "Why, yes, Rachel. I was so interested I forgot it, that's all. Please give me a hot cup." "Dog some it, but that's hot stuff!" he ejaculated as he read an account of the Tommies going over the top. "I wish I had been in that bunch." Just then Rachel brought his coffee and she finished his breakfast, but afterwards, and all the way down to his office, there ran through his mind the thought of the Tommies and the wish that he might have been with them. He wrote Ruth before he opened his mail. She would not have been unduly flattered had she heard the sigh with which he said: "There, that's done." "Yet he had not written an unloving letter," Brian told her being glad when she came home. It comforted Ruth immensely, and gave her courage to go on with her work instead of flying home to see if he were sick, (as she had been tempted to do, because she had not heard from him).

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AUCTION SALE OF HIGH CLASS MAHOGANY AND WALNUT FURNITURE. W. Almas has been instructed by N. Nell, to sell at 109 Brant avenue, on Thursday, December 5th, 1918, at one o'clock sharp, the following: PARLOR—Axminster rug 9-ft. 10-in. x 13-ft. leather seated chairs, hair, inlaid easy chair, wicker easy chair, 1 stool, 1 labourer.

Auction Sale OF Household Furniture. Remember the postponed Auction Sale at 113 Brant Ave. will take place on Thursday next, December 5, at 1:30 p.m. sharp. The contents of furniture, bedding, pictures, carpets, etc., all must be sold to settle up the estate. No reserve, and terms cash. Mrs. Ronald Parry, G. M. Ballachy, Trustees. W. J. BRAGG, Auctioneer.

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GRUEN Vert thin Watch. CROWN PRINCE SAYS HE WEEPS FOR ATROCITIES.

Claims He is Still Crown Prince—Forced to Quit Army Command. BLAMES LUDENDORFF Declares That German General is Responsible for Everything. Oosterland, Holland, Dec. 3.—"I have not renounced anything and I have not signed any document whatever."

TORONTO MARKETS. Toronto, Dec. 4.—With the exception of cigars which were a little firmer, trade in cattle at the Union Stock Yards to-day was steady. Lams were a trifle easier, calves very slow while hogs sold unchanged. Receipts were 1024 head, 671 calves, 2038 hogs and 1630 sheep.

War Lost in 1914. "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."

Deprived of Command. Describing how he left the front, Frederick William declared: "I was with my group of armies after the Kaiser left Germany. I asked the Berlin Government whether they desired me to retain my command. They replied negatively, and I could not continue to lead armies under orders of the Kaiser and Westman's Council."

ST. THOMAS COURT STAGED MIRACLE. Police Magistrate Maxwell of St. Thomas has proved his ability to work miracles. When David Henry Godd was brought in court this week, charged with burgling the post office, he had wheeled from the

Incorporated 1876 Assets \$2,500,000 DIVIDEND 110. Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Two per cent. on the paid-up Capital Stock of the Company, being at the rate of EIGHT PER CENT. PER ANNUM, has been declared for the three months ending December 31st, 1918, and that the same will be payable at the office of the Company on and after January 2nd next.

The Royal Loan and Savings Co. 38-40 Market Street. U. S. SENATOR WHO MOVES AGAINST WILSON Senator A. B. Cummins. Did Not Consult Him. Speaking of the beginning of the war, Frederick William asserted: "Contrary to all statements hitherto made abroad, I never desired war, and thought the moment quite inopportune. I was never consulted, and the report about a crown council being held in Berlin to decide on the war I deny on my oath. I was enjoying a stay at a watering place when mobilization was ordered."

People have credited me with warlike intentions. But I was only a soldier with a desire to see the army kept thoroughly efficient, and I worked hard to bring this about. People blame me with the failure at Verdun. But I refused twice to attack there with the troops at my disposal. On the third occasion my attack was successful for the first three days, but I was not properly supported.

Frederick William Hohenzollern, who still claims the title of Crown Prince, thus answered the question of the Associated Press in the course of a lengthy conversation to-day, which took place in the small cottage of the village pastor on the island of Wieringen, where he is interned.

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Getting Back Three Million Dollars. THE PAPER CONTROLLER for Canada a few weeks ago added \$12 a ton to the price of news print paper—the kind used in printing the Courier. This addition, following closely upon several previous increases authorized by the Paper Controller, has meant to Canadian newspaper publishers a total increased publishing cost, in the matter of paper alone, in the past eighteen months, of three million dollars.

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SUTHERLAND'S JUST IN Canadian Pocket Diaries 1919. J. L. Sutherland Bookseller and Stationer.

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himself, "I guess about two years will do this person good." Three- upon Seda very suddenly found voice as well as heard, pouring forth an impassioned protest against undue severity. He paid a fine of \$5 and costs out of the money he had wheeled from the

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GOOD FOR ROOSEVELT
 There is a rugged outspokenness about former President Roosevelt which appeals to everyone. He is never afraid to say what he thinks and he is always ready to give credit where he thinks that is due. During the early days of the war he did not hesitate to affirm by speech and pen, that the place of Uncle Sam was alongside the Allies, and his criticisms with regard to holding back were as vigorous as they were frank.
 In a speech made in New York last night, he frankly admitted that the other allies had done far more than the United States in bringing about the downfall of Germany, and with regard to the sea, that it was proper that Great Britain should continue to have the world's most powerful navy. Still further that the freedom of the seas was assured as long as John Bull held that position.
 A vivid contrast is afforded between such manly declarations and the course of President Wilson, whose only reference to the British navy in his recent address to Congress was that of 1,550,513 U. S. soldiers moved overseas, only 758 were lost by enemy attack, "830 of whom were upon a single English transport." Not one word in tribute to the fact that more than half the number were transported by British vessels, with the pathway for all the others made safe, or mention of the undoubted incident that had not been for the sea watchfulness of John Bull, scarcely any soldiers could have crossed at all. No one doubts that such tributes would have been paid by Roosevelt had he been in the White House, but then the two men are of an entirely different type.

BEATTY'S BROADSIDE
 Admiral Sir David Beatty can manage a broadside with his tongue just as well as he can with his ships. In a speech on the battle cruiser Lion, he referred to the contemptible course of the enemy navy and very properly stated that the humiliating end of that fleet was in accordance with its vile record. "Despicable beast," was the term used by Sir David and everyone will recognize the justice of the appellation.
 In the American-Spanish war the commanders and the men on the vessels of the latter country knew that they were facing certain annihilation in meeting and tackling the vastly superior fleet of Uncle Sam, but they went at the hopeless job like men. On the other hand the officers and the men of the ex-Kaiser's outfit were content to skulk in the Kiel Canal, and in the end submitted to the degradation of surrender and the hauling down of the flag without firing a shot.
 Beatty is a chivalrous man who would have nothing but words of respect for an honorable foe so that his arraignment comes with all the greater force.

MERCHANTS BANK MAKES NEW RECORD
 The Merchants Bank has issued a half-yearly statement covering the period ended October 31st, which shows remarkable gains.
 In a large measure the report covers a somewhat critical period in the country's history and the fact that a prominent bank like the Merchants has made such satisfactory progress gives business men throughout the country a large measure of confidence. The report throughout shows substantial gains in current loans, liquid assets and total assets; the increase in savings deposits reaching 50 per cent. over the corresponding period last year. The demand deposits stand practically unchanged for the year. Savings deposits alone amount to \$105,694,900 against \$69,397,656 a year ago, a gain of \$36,297,244, which shows a widespread prosperity. Current loans and discounts stand at over \$86,000,000, or a gain of \$18,000,000, indicating that the bank is doing its full share in catering to the business requirements of the nation. The bank has taken every precaution to keep its resources in liquid form with a result that while total assets are now \$105,694,900, or an increase of \$36,297,244, the liquid assets are over \$72,000,000, or \$18,933,134 increase in the last twelve months. Altogether the record is a most gratifying one and the shareholders, depositors, and the public in general have every reason to be encouraged over the year's record made by the Merchants Bank.

NOTES AND COMMENTS
 No reflection is contained with regard to President Wilson in the announcement that a combined British and French fleet will meet him when he is half seas over.
 The ex-Crown Prince is now posing as a sweet little innocent. His baby ribbon statements should be set to music with a lute carrying the theme.
 The decision that an isolation hospital will constitute the best memorial to those volunteers who lost their lives in combatting the flu, will without any doubt meet with general approval. It will serve the double

purpose of a fitting monument and meeting a long felt want.
 There was cursing and swearing at a recent Toronto council meeting. In London, the Aldermen throw tumbler when they get mad, and not of pigeon variety either.
 German residents in China are to be interned in temples. As for the ex-kaiser, he continues to hold his and wonder what will next happen to him.
HUDSON SEAL COATS.
 All Hudson Seal Coats, plain and trimmed, selling at manufacturers' prices. Number one quality. W. L. Hughes, 127 Colborne street.

Music and Drama
"EXPERIENCE"
 There is something radically wrong with the viewpoint of a theatre-going public which will pack a theatre to the doors for a frivolous musical comedy, of only mediocre rank in its own class, and the following night will only half fill the same theatre for a production of such merit as "Experience". The small attendance which greeted the latter play at the Grand last evening was due in part, not doubt, to the short notice at which the production had been engaged, but even in view of this, a larger audience would have been on hand for many a less meritorious attraction.
 "Experience," is an allegorical drama, the theme of which is developed along the same lines as is that of "Everywoman" which has been seen by probably every theatre goer in Brantford. But, successful as "Everywoman" was "Experience", played by the cast which presented the play at the Grand last night, is an even better production. The play portrays the vicissitudes of Youth, from the time when he first hears the voice of Ambition, and leaves the Land Where Dreams Begin, in the Streets of Vacillation he meets Experience, and the latter becomes his constant companion when Ambition dies. Youth treads in turn the Primrose Path, the Corridors of Chance and the street of Distinction; then entering in turn the House of

Last Resort and the House of Lost Souls, he finally finds the way back to Love and Hope, through the street of Forgotten Days. Each one of the ten episodes of Experience is admirably developed in keeping with its allegorical significance, and brings home a forceful lesson to the heart of the most cynical. Underlying the purposeful tragedy of each scene is a deftly designed vein of comic relief, carefully interwoven to avoid jarring incongruity.
 From the admirably selected cast which presented this truly stellar attraction, it is difficult to single out the performers deserving of special mention. Mr. Raymond Van Sickle, gave a notable character delineation, as Youth, torn always between the warnings of Experience and the pursuit of Pleasure. Mr. Duncan Penwarden was a forceful figure in the role of Experience, rising to the apex of dramatic ability in the eighth episode, when he delivers a vehement denunciation of the drug traffic. Mr. Fraser Colter, a former Brantfordite appeared to advantage in the role of Wealth. The other parts were handled equally satisfactorily by the various members of the cast. The scenic effects throughout were unusually graphic and appropriate.
 "Experience" will be played at the Grand again to-night, concluding a two day engagement—its first in the city.

Regina, Sask., Dec. 3—Mayoralty nominations yesterday were Harry Black and J. G. Bole.

PARKS BOARD
 The regular board will meet tomorrow night.
BOARD OF
 The board postponed its meeting tomorrow night.
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 Ple. R. J. been release camp. He C.M.R.
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IS IT COINC
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\$7.50 Seperate Skirts \$4.69

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30c

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Every kind of Toy imaginable is here, and one may choose gifts for children of every age and disposition

Dolls, Dishes, Toy Furniture, Games, Books and Wooly Animals are among the delightful things which will certainly please little girls.

The Boys will be particularly pleased with the Steam Engines and Mechanical Building Sets, but they are by no means the only suitable gifts to be found here.

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Local News

PARKS BOARD

The regular meeting of the parks board will be held to-morrow night.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

The board of education has postponed its regular meeting from to-morrow night until Thursday of this week.

PARIS MAN RELEASED

Pte. R. Melinder, of Paris, has been released from an enemy prison camp. He was a member of the C.M.B.

WOUNDED

Corp. Raymond H. Clemo, of Dunnville, was reported wounded in the official casualty list. He is a member of the Machine Gun Company.

DRAFTING JURORS

His Honor, Judge Hardy, with the assistance of the following officials, Sheriff Westbrook, Warden Pitt and City Treasurer A. K. Bunnell, were engaged this morning in making the selection of jury panels at the Judges' Chambers in the Court House.

CAR HIT CURB

A Chevrolet car figured in a collision with the curbing on the north side of Dalhousie street in front of the post office last night. The car skidded on the slippery pavement and executed a complete volte face. A broken fender was practically the only damage sustained.

LIBRARY BOARD

Those present last night at the meeting of the Library Board were Col. Howard, D. J. Waterous, E. J. Carlin, J. E. Quinlan and Mrs. S. W. Secord. The accounts for the year amounting to \$770.39, were ordered paid. The supply by contract of periodicals and newspapers for 1919 was given to Stedman Bros.

INLAND REVENUE

Inland revenue collections for November, 1918, were as follows: Matches, \$298.75; films, \$24,405; autos, \$505.75; mechanical pianos, \$52; war stamps, \$2,568.00; photographs \$753.79; tobacco, \$745.00; cigars \$654.40; vinegar, \$190.63; meth. spirits, \$884.51; tea, \$1,000; other collections, \$55.10. Total \$8,151.98. For Nov. 1917, \$4,227.77; increase \$3,924.21.

IS IT COINCIDENCE?

Is it merely a coincidence that the miracle was signed on St. Martin's Day? asked a chairman yesterday. "The saint was styled 'the Apostle of Gaul,' and his festival day, 11th of November, was instituted in A. D. 650. The French had formerly such reverence for his memory that they carried his helmet before them in their wars. It is commemorated in the Anglican church, and is still called in law Martinmas. St. Martin was the son of a Roman military tribune and was born in Pannonia, now called Hungary. He is supposed to have had a celestial vision at the siege of Amiens. Formerly the feast of this saint was denominated 'Martinella'."

DIPHTHERIA

Health Inspector Glover reports that there is a case of diphtheria on Northumberland street.

LAYING PIPE

The city engineers expect that the laying of the iron pipe approaching the canal crossing will be commenced to-day.

FOR RED TRIANGLE

Mr. Geo. Williamson, of the local Y.M.C.A., spent yesterday in Simcoe interviewing the Council in the interests of securing a grant for the Red Triangle Fund.

COMMITTEES MEET

The mayor has called a meeting of the Standing Committees for to-morrow evening for discussion of general business and to look over financial matters.

RECEIVING ATTENTION

The city clerk to-day received from the London and Lancashire Guarantee and Accident Co., a letter to the effect that the claim of H. B. Magill vs. the corporation, is having immediate attention.

BOARD OF HEALTH

A meeting of the Board of Health will be held to-night at eight o'clock in the city Clerk's Office, for general business and to take up the appointment of a permanent Medical Officer.

MILITARY FUNERAL

The body of the late Lieut. Wm. Colquhoun, who died overseas some weeks ago, is expected to reach the city this afternoon. The body will be buried with military honors.

FLU ON RESERVE

On account of the recurrence of the influenza epidemic, No. 9 school house on the Six Nations reserve has been closed. The report is that there is a good deal of sickness amongst the Indians at the present time.

SUPPLY STATIONERY

The Library Board have placed at the convenience of the public, writing material, paper, and envelopes, in the catalogue room of the library. This privilege is open to all who feel inclined to take advantage of it.

MET WITH MISHAP

Miss Hume, the efficient and popular secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, met with a slight mishap in the gymnasium on Monday evening last. Whilst coaching the "Y" girls at a game of basketball she had the misfortune to sprain her ankle, but is recovering from her injury.

MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS

Miss Margaret William, the Secretary of the Whitaker Baking Co., entertained the office staff of that company to dinner last evening, afterwards taking her guests to the theatre. Included as Miss William's guests, were the mothers of the young ladies. Dinner favors of "courage" bouquets were presented by each daughter to her mother.

IN THE POLICE COURT

In the Police court this morning Thos. Vancovy paid the costs at the court which amounted to \$18 for stealing a bicycle. He returned it. Jos. Sargasso charged by Rastus Clouse with conversion of a buggy paid the costs of the court and returned the vehicle. Arthur Elliott, charged with fraudulently obtaining money was sick and as a result the case was laid over for one week.

Whitaker's Bread Like the British Navy Always in the Lead

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PATRIOTIC CHRISTMAS Shop Early

The government asks that gifts be limited to useful and practical articles.

Good glasses make a gift that every wearer appreciates. A gift that restores good eyesight and pays a lasting tribute to the thoughtfulness of the giver.

Newest style double-vision lenses. Latest ideas and designs in gold and shell rims, frames and mountings. Cases in wide variety of choice leathers. Glasses designed, made and fitted.

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All the Latest Music at Our Music Department. (Downstairs Store).

Toyland--The Kiddies Joyland!

Engines, fitted with lamp, and will run by steam. Price \$2.00 and **\$2.50**

Games of all kinds, such as Scouting, Midway, Pit, Crack the Coon, Picture Puzzles, Crazy Seven, Fish Pond, Railway Station, Roly Poly, The Draughtsman, Checkers, Jumpy Tinker. Priced at **19c**

Toyland Story Books—Such as Old Mother Goose Rhymes, Robinson Crusoe, Old Mother Hubbard, Red Riding Hood, Alice's Adventures in Wonderland. Priced at **15c**

Steel Constructor—Castle builder toys, the educational toy that the boy hankers for. Priced at **\$3.00**

Bizzy Andy Trip Hammer **79c**

Dumping Sandy **75c**

Sandy Andy **89c**

Automatic Sand Crane **\$1.75**

Tinkerbox **59c**

Wonder Blocks **\$1.39**

Dolls—Baby Dolls, Boy Dolls, Girl Dolls, Sleeping Dolls.

Territorial Officer Outfits—Vestee, Cap, Stripes, Belt, Gun, Sword, etc. Price **\$1.00**

Toy Dishes—China **29c to \$1.50**

Made of Tin **50c**

The Lightning Flyer Sled—Red with steel runners. Priced **89c**

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Boys' Tool Box Sets— **\$1.98**

Priced at \$1.29 and

A Rush Out Sale of Fashionable Suits at Marked Reductions

Values from \$27.00 to \$45.00. On Sale at \$16.75 to \$24.75

Amazing values offered in these Smart Tailored Suits of excellent quality Serge and Tricotine. Colors are navy, black, green and brown.

An opportunity that you should not miss. **\$24.75**

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Handsome Styles Valued at \$28.50 to \$65.00--on Sale at 1/4 Off

This season's newest styles and materials. Braid and buttons are the trimming features. A few have collars and cuffs of Hudson seal. The materials are velour, serge, poplin and gabardine, in shades of navy, taupe, black, brown and green. A good assortment to choose from. **On Sale at a Quarter Off.**

FASHIONABLE WOMEN NOW LOOK THROUGH Dotted Veils

For the filmy mesh with dots in high favor. The mesh itself may be fillet or hexagon or diamond shape, but dots there are sure to be.

One may choose veils with tiny dots close together, with a large size dot. In black only. Veils, each **30c**

Veiling, per yard **50c**

—Main Floor.

Children's Bags

These Little Bags are specially made for kiddies, and is an exact model of Mother's Bag, in silk, in a variety of colors. There is also a tiny mirror enclosed. Price **\$1.00**

—Main Floor.

A Smart Group of Ready-to-wear and Untrimmed Hats in a Rush Sale

Amongst this lot you will find smart little Turbans with ribbon trimmings, Sailors with smart tailored bows, also nifty turned shapes with velvet and ribbon bows.

They come in colors such as navy, brown, purple, blue and black. Also very becoming tricorn shapes in brown and navy and large sailors with smart colored facings.

\$4.00 to \$6.50 Values. Special **\$2.39**

ANOTHER GROUP OF VERY CHIC HATS AT \$7.50

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The styles are all very smart and very becoming. The trimmings are mostly beads or dainty ornaments on the smart turned styles.

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BOWLEY INCIDENT

J. W. Bowley who has been Mayor of Brantford more times than von Hindenburg has been reported dead, was heard to announce this morning that he was confident of election if his name went before the public in the coming election.

MORE RETURNED

Six returned soldiers arrived in the city this morning at 2.15 a.m. They were Ptes. Stokes, Reid, Melkie, Swattham, Ryerson and Hoffman. They were met by Secretary Hutchison, of the O.W.V.A.

THREE MORE MEN

Three more men arrived later this morning, in the persons of Pte. Wilks, 38 High st., Gunner Neil, 66 William st., and Corporal G. Fawkes, 302 William st. Pte. Wilks and Gunner Fawkes are veterans of the Second Tank Battalion. They were received by representatives of the Soldiers Aid Commission.

Industrial Night Was Big Success

The Y.M.C.A. building was thronged with employees and their lady friends of the Eastern Industrial Group at their second social night.

This group embraces the Buck Stove Works, Barber-Ellis, Ham and Nott, Motor Trucks, Piano Case, Waddell's, and Brantford Laundry.

The wives of the members of the Eastern Group Committee acted as hostesses, those present being Messdames Mary Smith (convener), Ruckley, Crawley, Ford, Mitchell, and Williamson.

Mr. W. S. Brewster was present as visiting director for the month and G. G. Scott, chairman of the Social Committee, Messdames J. M. Young and W. S. Brewster were also present, the latter as president of the Y.W.C.A.

The symposium stunts were the best ever put on and directed by George Mosley. All the contests were decidedly keen.

Bucks won two bowling games from the Piano Case.

In the indoor baseball Ham and Nott won with a good score from the Motor Trucks.

The war ball was a new game and proved very exciting. Barber-Ellis side won from Waddell's and the Laundry. Bucks won from



MAJ-GEN. W. A. LOGIE. Who was sworn in as a judge of the Supreme Court of Ontario on Monday.

BICYCLE RACE

By Courier Leased Wire
Madison Square Garden, New York, Dec. 4.—Thirteen of the 14 teams in the six-day bicycle race had covered 959 miles and 4 laps at 5 a.m. to-day, the 51st hour. Halstead was leading. The record for this hour is 1,112 miles and two laps, made by Carman and Corri in 1915. The Bowker brothers were one lap behind. At 8 a.m. the 56th hour, the leading 13 teams had pedaled 1,008 miles 2 laps. The 56th-hour record is 1,599 miles 5 laps, made here by Anderson and Dupuy in 1915.

NEWSPAPERMEN MEET

By Courier Leased Wire
Toronto, Dec. 4.—Proprietors and managers of daily papers in the smaller cities of Ontario are today meeting at the King Edward hotel here to discuss measures to be taken to meet the ever upward inclination of the cost of production of newspapers. Measures to meet this possibility by increasing the price of the newspapers and increasing advertising rates, will be put forward at the meeting today.

C.P.R. CHANGES

By Courier Leased Wire
Montreal, Dec. 4.—Changes in the Canadian Pacific, Telegrams were announced yesterday by Mr. John McMillan, the manager. Mr. W. D. Neill, superintendent of the eastern division, with headquarters in Montreal, is transferred to the Ontario division, with headquarters in Toronto. Mr. Neill is a native of Arthur, Ontario, and entered the service of the Canadian Pacific on March 2nd, 1887, and has served in different capacities on western and eastern lines, being promoted to the superintendent's duty at Montreal on June 1st, 1914.

Mr. Neill succeeds Mr. C. L. Leighty, who is transferred to the operating department in Ontario division.

Mr. W. M. Thompson, traffic superintendent of eastern lines, is promoted to superintendent of eastern division, with headquarters at Montreal.

Frederic Olsen, editor of the San Francisco Call, has to have protection since the publication of allegations of complicity in the legal machinery in connection with the Moore case.

WILSON

(Continued from Page One.)

France, where the president is to take a part in the peace conference.

A picturesque military reception was accorded the presidential party upon arrival by special train, which reached Hoboken at 7.30 a.m.

Opposes Militarism

New York, Dec. 4.—Prior to President Wilson's departure to-day for Europe to attend the peace conference, it became known that he goes determined against militarism in any form. The crushing of French militarism was a part of his plan for the future peace of the whole world, according to persons who conferred with him on the transport George Washington, before it sailed.

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COMING EVENTS

FARMERS' ORGANIZATION, BIG meeting Saturday, at one o'clock, Y.M.C.A., Brantford.

REMEMBER THE BAZAAR, Wellington Street Methodist Church, Thursday, Dec. 5th.

HEAR CHAFER AT PARK Baptist Church. Subjects: Afternoons at 3.30. "Satan, His Origin, Work and Final Destiny."

SOUTH BRANT WOMEN'S INSTITUTE sale of home-made cooking at store in Commercial Building, No. 122 Dalhousie.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY WANTED—Experienced stenographer for Toronto office.

FOR SALE—Oliver typewriter in first class condition, 16-inch carriage, moderate price.

FOR SALE—Choice fresh Jersey cow, Peter Porter, Brantford.

TO RENT—Frame cottage, newly decorated, corner North Park and Dublin street.

BORN

PEARCE in Ottawa, on Tuesday, Dec. 3rd, to Major and Mrs. J. A. Pearce, a daughter.

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NO INTERVIEW WITH HUNS By Courier Leased Wire

Paris, Dec. 4.—When American troops entered France yesterday, the German revolutionary committee tried to get in touch with them.

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LADY BORDEN. Who officiated in the christening of the steamer "Canadian Pioneer," at Montreal on Tuesday.

A. O. F. ELECT OFFICERS

Balloting Took Place at the Quarterly Meeting on Monday Night

On Monday night last the members of Court Endeavor, Ancient Order of Foresters, assembled at their lodge room for the purpose of attending their quarterly meeting and electing their officers for the year 1919.

Your Problems Solved

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D. (All rights reserved.) Dr. Linscott in this column will help you solve your heart problems, religious, marital, social, financial and every other anxious case that perplexes you.

PERSONAL

Miss Mary Blows, of Saskatchewan is expected to Brantford to-morrow, to spend the winter with her niece, Mrs. George Teakie, 113 East Ave., and with other friends in the vicinity.

NOTICE

Owing to the very expensive lamp bulbs on the street-lighting the Brantford Hydro-Electric System will pay \$10.00 reward to anyone who can give positive information with name of culprit who is breaking or stealing street lights.

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GIVE GERMANS 24 HOURS TO FULFILL ARMISTICE TERMS

New Ultimatum Sent by Foch to the Teutons, Demanding Surrender of Locomotives Which Have Not Yet Been Handed Over

(By Truman H. Talley.) London, Dec. 3.—Events moved swiftly to-day to complete the allied victory over Germany and the Hohenzollerns. Of equal importance in London eyes are the decision to take drastic action against the Kaiser and the accepted belief that the allies must occupy Germany, including Berlin, and Austria in order to enforce the armistice terms.

The press here inclines to be exultant in the probability of the occupation of Berlin and Vienna, which is deemed necessary because of countless infractions of the armistice terms. While such information comes slowly from enemy sources, the report that Marshal Foch has sent an ultimatum to Berlin demanding that Germany surrender the rest of the locomotives agreed to in the armistice is probably correct.

Marshal Foch sent a new ultimatum to the German armistice delegates demanding that Germany give up the rest of the locomotives agreed to, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen transmitting advice from Berlin. Mathias Erzberger, leader of the German armistice commission, protested that it was impossible and asked for a respite. The ultimatum expired Monday forenoon with what result it has not been learned.

A Reuters despatch from Berlin to-day confirms the delivery of the ultimatum, the time limit of which is 24 hours. It says Mathias Erzberger, of the German armistice commission, offered to deliver all the locomotives as soon as they were repaired. The German newspapers, adds the despatch, point out that there is no hope of prolonging the armistice and that it is likely the allies will occupy Germany.

ARRANGE CREDITS FOR \$200,000,000

To Be Spent in Canada on Munitions and Food-stuffs

Ottawa, Dec. 3.—Half a dozen announcements of steps taken by the Government to assist private individuals to promote export trade and generally to meet the problems of the post-war period were made to-day. In the first place the Government has received credits for the British Government amounting to \$200,000,000. This sum is to be expended in Canada and while \$50,000,000 is to be utilized in winding up the business of the Imperial Munitions Board, the balance is to be expended upon foodstuffs and will ensure to the benefit of the agricultural community of the Dominion.

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Ladies' Velour and Beaver Cloth Coats, in exceptionally fine selection of styles and a complete range of sizes. Priced at \$26.50

SALTS SILK PLUSH COATS

These Coats are made from Salts' Famous Plush. They are well lined and are shown in the newest models in full range of sizes up to 34. Special Sale Price \$35.00

FUR SETS AND COATS

Black Wolfe Sets—Scarfi, made in animal shape, finished head and tails, and round muff to match. Special Sale Price \$50.00

Civet Cat Sets—Large cape lined with crepe-de-chine, and muff made with drop skins. Special Sale Price \$35.00

Hudson Seal Coats, 45 inches long. Made from best quality selected skins, neatly lined with pussy willow taffeta. Special at \$275

KIMONA SILKS

Kimona Silks and Satin—Elegant range of colors and best quality, Cheney Make, and 35 inches wide. Special at \$2.00

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Ambassador Gerard Says:

"The German Armies were held only a few days, yet the delay of those few days changed the fortunes of the whole world."

The Belgian soldiers who held on those few days, died fighting. Their children are dying of slow starvation. It would be well to digest these two statements.

If we grasp what this situation means, we can SAVE Belgium—not by the sword, but by paying our debt in part.

A contribution of a few dollars, administered by the Canadian Bureau in Brussels, will restore health and strength to a little Belgian, now in the grip of pitiless starvation. Oh, it is hard to write calmly and sanely about a horror that is positively ghastly...

Growing children struggling along on a bowl of soup and two pieces of bread a day, furnished by United States loans to the Belgian Government. Poor little mites, what hope is there in such a ration of building flesh and bone? No wonder Consumption and Rickets stalk through the stricken land.

Through the Belgian Relief Fund, YOU can help to alleviate this horror for at least one little sufferer. You needn't forego your three good meals a day to do it. Send in your contribution. Mark it "For the Belgian Children". And whatever you give, give quickly!

Belgian Relief Fund

(Registered under the War Charities Act) 114 (Registered under the War Charities Act), or to God, Hately, secretary Local Committee, Brantford, to Courier Office, or to Headquarters, 65 St. Peter street, Montreal.

countries now suffering from food shortages. There are some 400,000,000 bushels in the United States, 225,000,000 bushels in Australia, and 75,000,000 in the Argentine Republic. At the same time the next Australian and Argentine crops will be coming on the market early in 1919. Furthermore various countries have fixed prices as a result of war conditions. In Canada the price is by agreement to prevail until August next and thus covers the grain of the crop of 1918. In the United States the Government has guaranteed the price not only for a

Here's Another List of Xmas Presents For the Family

FOR FATHER

Mocha Gloves, in wool or fur lined, and specially priced at \$5.00 to \$2.50

Initial Handkerchiefs, in fine linen. Priced at 50c

Cashmere and Silk Socks, all sizes. Priced at \$1.00 to 50c

Large assortment of Fancy Ties. All colors. Price \$3.50, \$3, \$2.50

Braces—Best quality. Priced at from \$1.25 to 75c

FOR MOTHER

Gloves in French kid, heavy weight silk cape skin and chamoisette. Priced at \$3.00 to \$1.00

Fine Quality Handkerchiefs, in linen and sheer. Separate or boxed. Priced at \$1.50 to 25c

Collar for dress or coat, in crepe or satin. Price \$5.00 to 75c

Fine Quality Leather Purses, in envelope or pouch styles. Priced at \$8.50, \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.50 to 75c

Parasols—Fancy or plain handles and good tops. Priced at \$8.00 down to \$1.50

FOR SISTER

Fancy Boudoir Caps, in all colors and pretty styles. Priced at \$3.00 to 79c

Fancy Silk Hose, full range of sizes and in all the wanted colors. Priced at from \$2.75 to \$1.25

Vestie of fine net or satin. Priced range \$5.00 to \$2.00

French Ivory, in sets or odd pieces. Manicure set in leather cases. Priced at from \$15.00 to 75c

FOR BROTHER

Military Brushes, Collar Bags, Handkerchiefs, Silk Ties, Umbrellas, Braces, Gloves, etc.



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COURIER COMICS

"Now, my son," said the conscientious father, "tell me why I punished you."

"That's it," blubbered the boy indignantly.

"First you pounded the life out of me, and now you don't know what you done it for."

He had just been rejected and the shock had a telling effect upon him.

"I shall never marry now," he said dejectedly.

"Don't be foolish! Why not?" she inquired.

"Well," he said, "if you won't have me, who will?"

The amateur golfer had not been doing very well, and toward the close of the round he turned to the caddy and said:

"Let me see; is that 195 or 196 strokes?"

"I don't know, sir," was the reply. "What you need is an adding machine, not a caddy."

"Are you laughing at me?" demanded the professor sternly of his class.

"Oh, no, sir," came the reply in chorus.

"Then," asked the professor even more grimly, "what else is there in the room to laugh at?"

"Are you of the opinion," asked a slim-looking man of the druggist, "that Doctor Smith's medicine does any good?"

"Not unless you follow the directions."

"What are the directions?" asked the man.

"Keep the bottle tightly corked."

A maid was brushing her mistress's hair when she mentioned that she had heard Miss Evans sing in the parlor the night before.

"And how did you like it?" asked the mistress.

"Oh, num!" answered the maid. "It wuz beautiful! She sung just as if she wuz gargling."

"Auntie," asked little Helen, "are you an Indian, or did you marry one?"

"Gracious no, child, of course not!" said the young aunt. "Why do you ask such a question?"

"Well," said the child, "I saw a lot of scalps on your dressing-table."

HE DARKENED HIS GRAY HAIR

They Used to Call Him Grandpa, Now They Call Him Kid

Tells How He Did It

Mr. J. A. McCrea, a well known resident of San Francisco, who was called Daddy and Grandpa on account of his white hair, and who darkened it with a simple home-made mixture, recently made the following statement:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home with very little cost, that will darken gray hair and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add one ounce of bay rum, a small box of Orlin Compound and 1-4 ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This is not a dye, it does not color the most delicate scalp and is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off. My friends now call me 'Kid.'"

WELLAND QUOTES WIVES AT \$200.

According to the Niagara Falls Review, Isaac Kumsky, who ran off with another man's wife to Welland, settled out of court with the husband of the woman by paying him \$200.

FISH FISH

Remember—This is Cod Fish Week as advertised by the Canada Food Board.

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COL. THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

BRITISH NAVY KEPT SEA FREE SAYS ROOSEVELT

Ex-President of America Bears Ringing Testimony to Britain's Part in War — U. S. Should Support Allies at Peace Conference

New York, Dec. 3.—Asserting that the United States had done heavy much as the British navy, and the British, French and Italian armies to bring about the downfall of Germany, Theodore Roosevelt declared in a statement tonight that it is "our business to stand by our allies at the Peace Conference."

He said it should be "instantly conceded that Great Britain leads the world's most powerful navy," and that it is "sheer nonsense" to say the American navy is fighting for President Wilson's famous "fourteen points." He made the assertion that there was not one American in every thousand who ever heard of them.

British Navy Needed.

The British Empire imperatively needs the greatest navy in the world, and this we should instantly concede," said the Colonel. "Our need of a great navy comes next to hers, and we should have the second navy in the world. Similarly, France needs a greater military strength than we do, but we should have all our young men trained to arms on the general lines of the Swiss system."

Anything or Nothing. "A 'The freedom of the seas is a phrase that may mean anything or nothing. If it is to be interpreted as Germany interprets it, it is thoroughly mischievous. There must be no interpretation of the phrase that would prevent the British navy, in the event of any future war, from repeating the tremendous service it has rendered in this war."

British Must Keep Colonies.

"The British must, of course, keep the colonies they have conquered. As for this nation, it must keep its absolute economic independence and raise or lower its economic barriers as its interests demand, for we have to look after the welfare of our own workmen. We must insist on the preservation of the Monroe Doctrine. We must keep the right to close the Panama Canal to our enemies in wartime and we must not undertake to interfere in European, Asiatic or African matters with which we ought to have properly no concern."

Responsible or Division, Declaring that "President Wilson has not given that slightest explanation of what his views are or why he is going abroad" the Colonel asserted: "He is himself responsible for any division among the American people as regards the Peace Conference at this time."

"He has never permitted the American people to pass on his peace proposals, nor has he ever made those proposals clear and straight forward. As for the fourteen points, so far as the American people have expressed any opinion upon them, it was in November 5 when they rejected them," he continued, adding that the American army was fighting to smash Germany and "the American people wanted Germany smashed."

Accepted by Enemies.

"The allies have never accepted the fourteen points," he continued, "the United States have never accepted them. Germany and Austria enthusiastically accepted them. Here certain individuals, including President Wilson, Mr. Hearst, Mr. Vickers, and, as I understand it, a number of pro-Germans and pacifists and International Socialists have accepted them, but neither the American people nor the American Congress has accepted them."

The Colonel declared that "Mr. Wilson himself has rejected at least one of the fourteen points and has interpreted another, in the directly opposite sense to its plain and obvious meaning," and added that some of the fourteen points are thoroughly mischievous under any interpretation, and most of the others are vague and ambiguous.

Senator Phelan will present a petition from the Catholic clergy of California to President Wilson asking that Ireland's political freedom be espoused by the United States at the peace conference.

RESTORE ORDER IN TURKISH ARMENIA

Viscount Bryce Urges That Allies Should Send Army of Occupation

DISCIPLINE NEEDED

London, Dec. 4.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—In the opinion of Viscount James Bryce, former ambassador to the United States, "it is extremely desirable that every effort should be made to send in a sufficient Allied force to occupy what was Turkish Armenia and re-establish some sort of order there."

This view is expressed in a communication to the Manchester Guardian, copied with a regret that the conditions of the Turkish armistice failed to provide for the immediate occupation of the Allies of the six Armenian vilayets, and also of Cilicia (modern province of Adana on the Mediterranean). Lord Bryce says, however:

"I cannot think that this omission was due to any doubt as to the necessity, and indeed the solemn duty, of delivering all the Armenian districts utterly and forever from any vestige of Turkish rule. The British Government, he continues, has pledged itself, so frequently and clearly in this deliverance, and, as we understand, both President Wilson and the French Government have expressed themselves so strongly in favor of such a policy that we cannot doubt the honest purpose of the government."

"It need hardly be said," the statement goes on, "that to leave the Eastern Christians of Armenia and Syria under Turkish rule would excite the warmest indignation all over the country, and if possible, a warmer indignation in the United States, where the interest in Armenia has been extremely great and has been evinced by the enormous contributions which have been made to the relief of the Armenian refugees."

"Can anybody in this country be found who objects that after the three hideous massacres which the Turks have perpetrated in Armenia since 1915, culminating in the worst massacre of all in 1915, when 800,000 Christians perished, it is not possible for a Christian power, or indeed any power of human feeling, to leave the Turk free to begin oppressions afresh, or to fall to show by turning the Turk out the country the anger and horror which his cruelties have excited? I need hardly add that the presence of Turkish rule in these regions, with their great strategical importance, would be material to Germany if ever she saw her chance, in realizing her scheme for pushing her influence towards Persia and Central Asia."

"One fails to see any reason why the Turks, being absolutely at the mercy of the Allies, and having committed with the tacit approval of Germany, the hugest single crime that has been committed in the whole course of the war, should not have been compelled to an absolute unconditional surrender. Why should any favorable conditions have been granted to them who have shown that, whether under Abdul Hamid or under ruffians like Enver and Talaat, they are capable of the most revolting crimes?"

Lord Bryce points out that the demobilization of the Turkish army will let loose a large number of armed men accustomed to acts of violence who will wander over the country and for whom the Turkish Government will not attempt to provide.

Another thing to consider, he says, is that Allied forces, if on the

spot, could rescue many of the Christian women seized by the Turks and carried off to be sold into slavery or to become inmates of Turkish harems. They might rescue, too, he thinks, numbers of the boys that were seized, given to darvishes and carried off to be brought up as Mussulmans.

Furthermore, one should remember, he says, the great numbers of refugees that fled across the Russian frontier from the Northern Armenian provinces, and who have not ventured to return owing to the fear of encountering roving bands of demobilized Turkish soldiers. Only the presence of Allied troops would induce them to return to their homes.

"For all these reasons," he sums up, "it seems urgent in the interests of humanity that these terrible stories should be reduced to some sort of order at the earliest possible moment. It is useless to expect any of these things will be done by the Turkish Government."

CHILD GETS SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach or bowels

A laxative to-day saves a sick child to-morrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat, or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile, and fermented waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well-playful child again. A thorough inside cleansing is often all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

MONTREAL HARBOR CLOSES.

By Courier Leased Wire

Montreal, Dec. 3.—By the end of this week it is expected the Montreal harbor will be closed for the season and all the activities carried on here during the summer will have been transferred to St. John and other coast ports. But five ocean vessels not remain in the harbor, and these are being loaded as rapidly as possible in order to get clear of the river before the freeze-up comes. A mere handful of harbor employes remain in the port to-day, the greater number from dock officials down to longshoremen having left for St. John and Portland during the last two weeks.

BANDITS MAKE HAUL.

By Courier Leased Wire

Bisbee, Ariz., Dec. 3.—Five masked bandits killed Customs Collector Carter of Agua Prieta, Sonora, Mexico, and two guards, wounded a third and then escaped with \$125,000 in gold last night. They are believed by officers of Sonora and Arizona to have crossed to the American side of the border and are being sought to-day in the vicinity of Douglas. The robbery occurred 12 miles west of Agua Prieta.

It's Always Best — To Be Well on the Safe Side

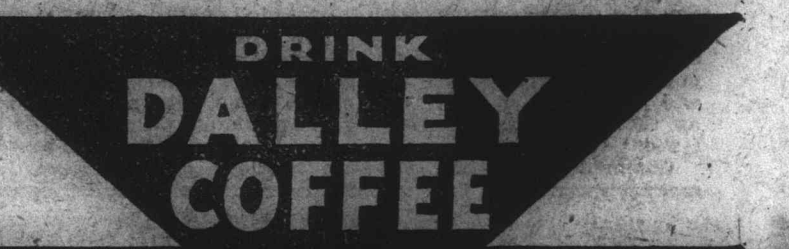
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Rippling Rhymes

SAFE TRAVELLING

It fills me with emotion, that peace enjoys a boom; we soon may sail the ocean, and have no thought of doom; we'll board the vessel rumm'ing to Liverpool, and Lunnun, and need not strap a gun on, or dread a briny tomb. The terror of the waters has had its little day; the submarine that slughters, can't make the business pay; we'll have a trip to Cadiz, and take along the ladies, nor have a fear that hades will break out on the way. I long to cross the briny, the sea and mournful sea, and visit Pe-lan-land-Chiny, and lamp the Zuyder Zee; but thinking of the dangers awaiting pilgrim strangers, and giddy ocean rangers, had put cold feet on me. I curbed my lust to wander to far off shores and isles; I couldn't bear to ponder on sinking seven miles; it was against my wishes to act as wholesome dishes for silmy, hungry fishes, served up in uncooked styles. It made me shrink and shiver to think of billows dark, of yielding up my liver to some abnormal shark, of dying in a quarrel, that I might point a moral and lying on the coral, all silent, cold and stark. But soon the ocean highway will be as safe again as are the country byways, the myrtle shaded lane.



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YES, OLD CHAP, THIS GOAT WAS THE OFFICIAL MASCOT OF A COMPANY OF U.S. MARINES IN FRANCE. IT WAS SENT ME BY ONE OF THE COMPANY.

WHY—OF COURSE, OLD DEAR.

WELL—YOU AIN'T GET ME? GOATS DON'T SMELL GOOD!

AW—I'M SURE THIS ONE DOES, OLD TOP! I HAD A VETERINARY IN TO LOOK IT OVER, AND HE SAID IT WAS IN PERFECT HEALTH!

AW—IT COULDN'T BE IN PERFECT HEALTH IF ITS OLFACTORY NERVES WERE DEFICIENT, COULD IT?

WHAT'S THAT GOT Y'DO WITH IT?

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FINANCIAL HISTORY OF AMERICA'S PART IN WAR

Annual Report of Retiring Secretary, Wm. McAdoo Tells How People of U. S. Contributed to the Cause of Victory—Paid Billions in Taxes

Washington, Dec. 4.—The financial history of America's part in the war is set forth by Secretary McAdoo in his annual report drafted before his resignation, and made public today by the Treasury. It is the history of how the American people paid billions in taxes, raised four great liberty loans and created a tremendous pool of credit with which the Treasury through its many war agencies paid the bills of the army and navy, the Shipping Board and other government departments, loaned billions to the Allies and millions to war industries, helped support the families of soldiers and sailors and aided farmers over periods of financial stringency.

"The payment into the Treasury of vast sums in war taxes and from bond sales," said Secretary McAdoo, "and the transformation of our varied and complex economic life to the supreme task of winning the war have been accomplished without shock or financial disturbance. The credit and business structure of the nation remains sound and strong. The results of the four liberty loans are a tribute to the patriotism of the American people and to the economic strength of the nation."

The report constitutes Secretary McAdoo's final accounting of his stewardship before retiring as the nation's finance minister. Throughout the report, Mr. McAdoo refers repeatedly to the remarkable achievements of America's civilian population in providing the money and materials for war, and acting as the "eager second line of defence."

Commenting on the showing of financial arrangements in great detail by the document, Treasury librarians recalled that the financial history of the Civil War is buried in a great stack of musty ledgers, and probably never will be officially compiled.

For the fifteen months ending last June 30 Secretary McAdoo estimated that the actual cost of the war, with allowances for the government's ordinary expenses in ordinary times, amounted to \$13,232,000,000. Nearly half of this, or \$6,499,000,000, went into permanent investments, in the form of ships, shipyards, war vessels, army camps, buildings, and in loans to Allies or to American war industries. Of the year's expenses 31.6 per cent, came from taxation.

The civil establishment of the government during the year spent \$1,507,000,000, while the War Department spent \$5,694,000,000 and the navy \$1,368,000,000. For support of the army alone the government paid out \$4,412,000,000. The naval expenditures included the construction of new vessels, machinery, armament, equipment and improvements at navy yards. Total ordinary disbursements for the year amounted to \$6,966,000,000 and ordinary receipts, excluding money received from Liberty Loans, amounted to \$4,174,000,000. Loans to Allies during the year amounted to \$4,789,000,000 additional.

Looking forward, Secretary McAdoo found great difficulty in forecasting expenditures for the current fiscal year, which ends next June 30, on account of the sudden coming of peace. Estimates which he presented are based on calculations of each department in advance of revisions since the signing of the armistice and he does not consider them reliable. With this explanation Mr. McAdoo forecast expenditures for this year at \$20,687,000,000 for government purposes and \$4,375,000,000 for loans to Allies and \$2,540,000,000 for redemption of outstanding certificates and other debt cancellation. Total estimated disbursements for the year were put at \$27,718,000,000.

Against this estimate which actual expenses at the rate of a little more than a billion and a half dollars a month to date, indicate is too high, Mr. McAdoo calculated that the government will receive about \$5,000,000,000 before the end of the fiscal year next June 30, from income and profits taxes, \$1,000,000,000 from other taxes, \$190,000,000 from customs and \$555,000,000 from miscellaneous sources, including \$70,000,000 from increased postage, making estimated receipts from ordinary sources \$6,845,000,000. In addition, he figured roughly on a little more than \$5,000,000,000 from further issues of Liberty bonds and \$1,200,000,000 from war savings. These figures added to receipts from Liberty Loan bonds already sold make \$14,168,000,000, the total of popular borrowings expected during the year. On this basis the total estimated receipts would be \$21,023,000,000, or \$6,695,000,000 less than tentative estimates of disbursements. Actual developments are expected to change these calculations greatly.

The United States' public debt last June 30 was \$12,396,000,000, without taking into consideration the \$1,819,000,000 free balance in the Treasury to partially offset the debt. The public debt has been increased since then by the Fourth Liberty Loan of nearly \$7,000,000,000 and by Treasury certificates of indebtedness amounting to several hundred million dollars.

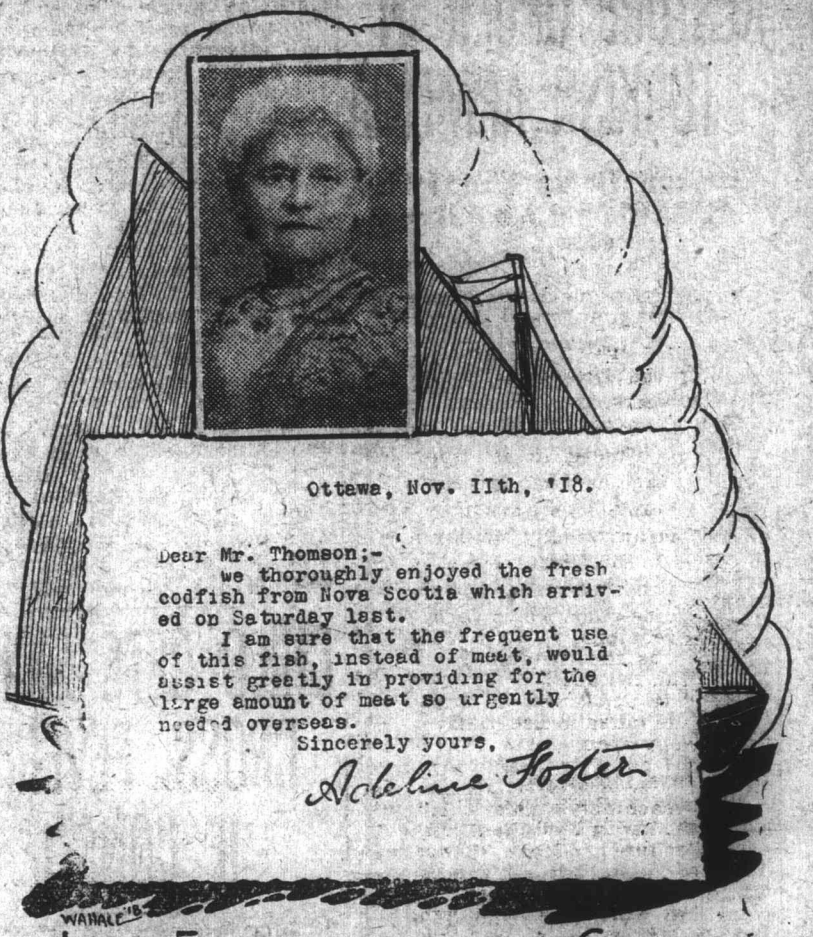
Liberty Bonds.

The report disclosed for the first time the activities of the Treasury's sinking fund to buy up Liberty bonds in an effort to keep their price from falling far below par. Up to November 1, it is shown, \$244,026,500 worth of bonds, face value, had been purchased on the open market for \$234,810,000, or at an average price of about 96 per cent, and subsequently held by the Treasury. Of this sum, \$172,445,000 were second Liberty Loan bonds, of both 4 and 4-1-4 per cent issues; \$70,935,000 were third Liberty Loan bonds, and \$366,000 were first Liberty Loan converted bonds.

The report also showed that the War Finance Corporation, up to October 31, had made loans amounting to \$47,716,000, of which \$29,869,000 had been repaid, leaving advances outstanding \$17,847,000. Most of the loans, or \$64,739,000, went directly to war industries. Public utilities were the principal borrowers, while lumber companies, coal operators, manufacturers and stock raisers rank next in number of applications.

The magnitude of the work of the Capital Issues Committee was indicated by the report that since its organization last May 17 it has examined nearly 2,000 applications from prospective issuers of securities, aggregating about \$2,350,000,000.

"About 20 per cent of these applications were disapproved," said



LADY FOSTER EULOGIZES CODFISH

Ottawa, Nov. 11th, '18.

Dear Mr. Thomson:—

I have thoroughly enjoyed the fresh codfish from Nova Scotia which arrived on Saturday last.

I am sure that the frequent use of this fish, instead of meat, would assist greatly in providing for the large amount of meat so urgently needed overseas.

Sincerely yours,

Adeline Foster

GET RID OF HUMORS AND AVOID DISEASE

Humors in the blood cause internal derangements that affect the whole system, as well as pimples, boils and other eruptions. They affect all the organs and functions, membranes and tissues, and are directly responsible for the readiness with which some people contract disease.

For forty years Hood's Sarsaparilla has been more successful than any other medicine in expelling humors and removing their inward and outward effects. It is distinguished for its thoroughness in purifying the blood, which it enriches and invigorates. Other medicines act like it, but no other medicine is like it.

Get Hood's Sarsaparilla today. Insist on having Hood's.

Adoo had this to say.

"The Federal reserve system has permitted the enormous transactions connected with the financing of the war to be carried through without shock or disturbance and its services will not be less important to the government and to the nation from a war basis to a peace basis and to assist and foster the development of agriculture, industry and commerce under normal conditions."

Mr. McAdoo dealt at length with the accomplishments of the War Risk Insurance Bureau, which has built up an organization of fourteen thousand employees, necessary for the issuance of about a million checks, every month to soldiers and their dependents for allotments, allowances disability, compensation and insurance.

"It is certainly one of the greatest business enterprises in the world," he said, "and indubitably the largest life insurance concern on the globe, having nearly \$36,000,000 of life insurance in force."

The report discloses that Liberty Loan conversions have been made as follows: First Liberty Loan 3-1-2 per cent bonds exchanged for 4 per cent bonds, \$568,200,000; second Liberty Loan 3-1-2's and 4's exchanged for 4-1-4's \$183,899,000; second Liberty Loan 4's exchanged for 4-1-4's, \$1,541,661,000. This indicates that most bond buyers have failed to take advantage of the Treasury's offer to convert past issues into bonds bearing a higher rate of interest. It is now late to convert.

Referring to federal farm loans amounting \$18,528,000 during the year ending last September 30, the report said: "The existence of this system operated under government supervision, granting long-term loans at reasonable rates of interest has unquestionably saved the farmers of the United States from many exactions foreclosed, and denied of financial accommodations during this period. The system has been a harbor of refuge for the borrowing farmer, through its competition with other loaning agencies it has reduced interest rates almost everywhere in the United States and has saved the farmer in large measure from those financial troubles which otherwise must have beset him. It has constituted the greatest governmental agency for financing the basic industry of the United States—that of agriculture."

The report also dealt with the Treasury's activities in licensing and supervising the liquidation of enemy insurance companies operating in the United States; the Public Health Service's tremendous accomplishments in combatting the influenza epidemic and maintaining sanitary conditions about camps; the International High Commission's success in promoting uniformity of commercial regulations between the United States and Latin American countries and the tasks imposed on the Customs service in connection with the policing of harbors during the war.

DUTCH LAWYER VISITS U.S.

The Hague, Dec. 4.—In order to bring into closer touch the scientific and intellectual forces in Holland and the United States, Leyden University, at the suggestion of the Dutch government, has commissioned Professor van Vollenhoven, one of the world's leading authorities on international law, to accompany Minister Cramer to Washington where the professor will make a long stay.

Influential circles have long been urging Holland to follow France's example in sending out intellectuals of the type of Bergson and Tardieu to visit and lecture in other countries and Professor Vollenhoven's appointment is regarded as the result of that movement.

FRANCE LOST CATTLE.

By Courier Leased Wire.

Montreal, Dec. 3.—According to advices received here, France has suffered a loss of 2,800,000 head of cattle since the outbreak of the war. Moreover, the cattle have greatly lost in weight. Before the war the average weight in meat of slaughtered cattle was from 770 to 880 pounds, whereas to-day it hardly exceeds 550 to 570 pounds.

RAILWAY APPOINTMENTS.

By Courier Leased Wire.

Montreal, Dec. 3.—Two important transportation appointments are officially announced in connection with the nationalization of the group of railways now under government control in Canada. Carlos A. Hayes, now general manager of eastern lines, becomes vice-president in charge of traffic over the entire Canadian National System of Railways and F. P. Brady succeeds Mr. Hayes as general manager of all lines from Port Arthur, O'Brien and East.

GIRL'S BLOOMERS.



To Obtain This Pattern Send 15c to The Courier Office, or two for 25c.

Every up to date mother of bloomers for her young daughter in preference to petticoats, for they are neater and give much better service. The style shown in No. 8782 is very practical to wear under wash dresses, for the underwear may be made of this lawn, with the bloomers of the same material as the dress. The bloomers are cut full to give plenty of freedom, but they are not at all bulky. The straight underwaist buttons at centre back and a choice of three neck outlines is given—high or low round and square.

The girl's bloomers pattern No. 8782 is cut in seven sizes—2 to 14 years. In the 8 year size the separate bloomers require 1 1/2 yards of 36 inch, or 1 3/4 yards of 44 inch material. The separate underwaist require 1/2 yard of 36 inch material.

To Subscribers in Arrears

Paper Controller Orders Cutting Off of Unpaid Subscriptions!

Mr. R. A. Pringle, K. C., the Paper Controller of Canada, has issued an order, effective January 1, 1919, which says:

"Discontinue sending paper within three months after date of expiration of subscription, unless the subscription is renewed and paid for."

There are many other restrictions imposed, but this one is the most important. Therefore, between now and the end of the year The Courier's subscription list must be overhauled, and put on a paid-in-advance basis, in order to comply with a governmental order.

Accounts have already been sent out to those in arrears, but subscribers do not need to wait for a "dun" to spur them to action. The date on the label affixed to the paper sent to mail subscribers tells the story. City subscribers can learn how their subscription stands by referring to their last receipt.

The reason for this regulation of the Paper Controller is that it is the practice of some publishers to send their newspaper until ordered stopped, and this practice frequently means a failure to collect anything for subscriptions in arrears, in which case there is a virtual waste of paper. It is to prevent paper waste that the new regulation has been decided on.

The manufacture of paper consumes labor, wood, coal, chemicals and transportation facilities, and every ton of paper saved means just so much labor, raw materials, chemicals, fuel and transportation available for urgent war needs. For these reasons the Government insists that paper shall be saved, and proposes that only those who pay for their publications shall receive them.

Under these regulations The Courier will have no choice in the matter of dealing with subscriptions in arrears for over three months.

Send in your subscription at once. Do not delay, the collectors call regularly on city subscribers. Keep your account up-to-date.

HEALTH WARNING

Owing to the renewed outbreak of the epidemic in several cities, the Board of Health has investigated, through the officials handling the situation, and in order to safeguard our citizens and avoid the necessity of renewing the ban, be warned:

To avoid crowds.
Do not mingle with others unnecessarily.
Travel and visit as little as possible.
Do not encourage guests from other cities.
Do Christmas shopping early to avoid the crowds later.
Organizations execute your duties in committee rather than in assembly.
Take care of your general health.

The local situation is favorable—Help to keep it so.

DR. N. W. BRAGG,
M. H. O.
T. J. MINNES,
Chairman Board of Health.

FAVORS IRISH PORT.

(Associated Press).

London, Dec. 4.—Lord Morris, in advocating the establishment of a port of call for Atlantic liners on the west coast of Ireland, told a parliamentary committee it would facilitate trade between Ireland and Canada by way of Newfoundland, as under existing conditions this trade had to pass through Liverpool or Glasgow, which necessitated a delay. He also urged the movement on the ground that it would affect passenger traffic, since passengers invariably preferred the shortest possible sea route.

GETTING AN HONEST LIVING.

A Dutchman is at present being held in Cabourg jail for deportation to his native neutral Holland. He had been doing a little business as a boot-legger, with pocket-picking on the side, "just enough," as he explained it, "to make an honest living."

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FRANCE LOST CATTLE. Currier Leased Wire Montreal, Dec. 3.—According to reports received here, France has lost a loss of 2,600,000 head of cattle since the outbreak of the war. Moreover, the cattle have lost weight. Before the war the average weight in meat of a head of cattle was from 770 to 800 pounds, whereas to-day it hard-ly reaches 550 to 570 pounds.

RAILWAY APPOINTMENTS. Currier Leased Wire Montreal, Dec. 3.—Two important transportation appointments were officially announced in connection with the nationalization of the railways now under government control in Canada. Carlos Hayes, now general manager of the Canadian National System of Railways, has been appointed as general manager of the lines, becomes vice-president in charge of traffic over the Canadian National System of Railways and F. P. Brady succeeds Hayes as general manager of the lines from Port Arthur, O'Brien.

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TEXAS DOCTOR SAYS TANLAC IS WONDERFUL

Prominent Texas Physician Says He Has Treated About Fourteen Hundred Cases of Influenza During the Past Month and Has Found Tanlac to be the Best Tonic to be Had to Build up His Patients

The following letter from Dr. J. W. Sandlin, one of the most prominent physicians of Southern Texas, has just been received at the Tanlac office, and gives indisputable evidence as to the value of Tanlac as a reconstructive tonic for persons who are recuperating from the after effects of Spanish Influenza. His letter follows:

"Humble, Tex., Nov. 5, 1918.
"Dear Sir: Just a few lines in reference to Tanlac. I have found your preparation to be a wonderful reconstructive tonic and in my opinion it has no equal in its line. I have found it to be the best tonic to be had to build up my patients who have had Spanish influenza. I have treated within the past month about fourteen hundred cases and have never been able to get sufficient Tanlac to supply our people."

"Yours very truly, J. W. SANDLIN."
Dr. Sandlin not only enjoys a very large practice as a physician, but he is also a man of wide influence and ranks as a leading citizen of the enterprising little city of Humble, Tex. As a practicing physician of sixteen years' experience, Dr. Sandlin was quick to recognize the superior tonic properties of Tanlac over other remedies and unhesitatingly and voluntarily gave Tanlac his unqualified indorsement.

Although the influenza epidemic has greatly subsided, it is still prevalent and breaking out anew in many sections of the country and continues to claim its victims by the thousands. Persons who have had influenza are oftentimes left in a very weakened, rundown condition, and unless the greatest care is taken, both as to habits and diet, serious complications are apt to follow. Persons who have had it are more apt than ever to have it a second time. If you are in this condition nothing on earth will build you up and strengthen you like Tanlac, which contains the most powerful tonic properties known to science.

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The Canadian Angle

An amusing bit on the effect of the new C. P. R. president's hat appears in the Chatham "News"—this effect being produced, doubtless, by the law of suggestion. The hat of Mr. Beatty is said to be tilted at a rakish angle; and the moment that this was found to be the case, the mimicry of that hat became a sacred duty on the part of the employees according to the story.

In the good old days of Baron Shaughnessy, says the writer, the brisk and businesslike boy who delivers our C. P. R. newspapers used to march into the office with his noble blue cap set square across his noble brow.

That cap was a fixture there. We got used to it. It was the part of the established order of things. One could as easily imagine the boy pushing it to one side or the other, as one could imagine a breeze on the Nile upsetting the grand Pyramids.

One day last week we got a shock. Into our office slipped the young man with his cap tilted rakishly over the ear.

"What's the matter, kid?" we enquired. "Getting the sun?" "Nops," and he braked out again without troubling to explain. But we have just discovered the truth. It is Baron Shaughnessy used to wear his big square-set across his forehead. But the new president of the C. P. R.—his first Canadian-born president—Mr. E. W. Beatty, invariably carries his chessman tilted at a rakish angle.

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URGENT SOLDIERS TO KEEP UP INSURANCE

U. S. Impresses Desirability of Maintaining Payments After Demobilization

Washington, Dec. 4.—As soldiers are demobilized, effort will be made to impress on them the desirability of their continuing payments on their government voluntary life insurance, which can be maintained for five years after peace, even though the right to convert to a civil life. This will be done by insurance agencies in the army, working together with authorities of the Treasury's war risk insurance bureau.

Secretary McAdoo in a statement has urged soldiers to retain their insurance to protect their families by retaining the right to convert this into other forms to be provided by the government. An additional reason, it is said, is the Treasury's desire to make of the soldiers' salaried insurance a demonstration that government life insurance is successful, and can be extended.

"I desire to see all American soldiers and sailors," said Mr. McAdoo's statement, "that it is their opportunity and their privilege to keep up their insurance with the United States government after the war has officially terminated, and even after they have returned to civil life."

PRINCE OF WALES IS DEVELOPING But Still Remains Boyish—Marriage Question in Abeyance

Associated Press London, Dec. 4.—"The Prince of Wales is developing, but remains boyish," says a morning paper, which recalls that when King Edward the Great was the age of the present prince, he had been married for five years, had two sons, presided over a large establishment, and was admitted the chief figure in the social world.

The question of the prince's marriage is in abeyance, as is that of Princess Mary's, Queen Victoria was determined that her daughters should marry young, and openly said: "Queen Alexandra never encouraged match-making for her daughters nor Queen Mary for hers." Arrangements have been made, it is understood, for the Prince of Wales to go to Cambridge this fall for an officers' staff course, but the plan was altered and the prince was directed to go to France, where he visited in turn the various forces of the Allies.

EAT LESS AND TAKE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Take a glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Bladder bothers.

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out. They weaken from overwork, become sluggish, the minimal tissues clog, and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead, your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizziness, nervous spells, bad stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

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OPPOSED WAR POLICY.

(Associated Press.) London, Dec. 4.—M. Stambulwsky, leader of the "Peasants" party and head of the New Peasants' government in Bulgaria, was among those who sought to prevent King Ferdinand from committing Bulgaria to war on the side of the Central Powers.

At a conference of party leaders held with the King at the palace, M. Stambulwsky spoke, his mind freely, telling the king that he was leading the country to destruction, and that he would pay for his crime with his crown and perhaps with his head.

To this the King replied that Stambulwsky need have no concern for the royal head, but that better take care of his own. Later Stambulwsky was imprisoned.

WANT CONCILIATION BOARD.

By Courier Leased Wire Hull, Que., Dec. 3.—As a result of the City Council refusing to consider a request from the city firemen for an increase in salary amounting to 25 per cent. of the present wage schedule last evening, the firemen have decided to apply to the Minister of Labor for a board of conciliation.

Famous British Tank, The Fighting Britannia, Has Helped to Win War

CAPT. RICHARD HAIG, K.C., Has Paid a Second Visit to Canada with the New Famous British Tank, the Britannia, which has figured so largely in war campaigns in the United States and the Dominion during the past two years.

The Britannia, by the way, is properly alluded to as "she," because this tank is what is known as a female tank. There are male tanks also which are exactly similar in appearance to the female, but they are armed with six-pounder guns instead of machine-guns, which form the exclusive equipment of the female tanks such as the Britannia.

The Britannia is a "mark 4" tank, and in appearance is exactly similar to the tanks in use to-day. Not only in appearance, but in construction also, but the "mark 5" tank, now used, is entirely different in regard to machinery. "Mark 1," the first tank, had wheels, and "mark 2" was substituted. "Mark 3" was not very good, and the big success in tank warfare was the Britannia, which led many fights against the Hun's until discarded for the newer model and the whippet tank. The only difference between the Britannia tank and the latest model is engine power. To get into a tank it is necessary to select one of the five



CAPT. RICHARD HAIG.

doors. There is a door at each side, two on the roof, and one in the rear, and on entering the first impression is that with its war crew of seven men and one officer, the machine would be badly crowded. Six of the seven men fight the machine guns, while the remaining man and the officer steer.

It takes three men to crank up the 240 horse-power engine, and from that moment conversation inside the "old bus," as the machine is affectionately termed by the crew, ceases. The armors of the machine are half-inch hardened steel, and is impervious to an armor-piercing bullet.

For the six machine guns which she carries 300 rounds of ammunition are stowed away in lockers. These special lockers are about the most prominent features of the inside of the tank, and are located in the sides over the main drive. In fact, anywhere there might apparently be a little air space. The whole tank weighs just 30 tons, and is 26 feet long.

Capt. Haig, the young officer in charge of the tank, actually fought with it at the front, and he is a war veteran since the beginning of the war, and has twice been wounded. When war broke out he went to the front with the Royal Berkshire, and fought with his regiment until 1916, when he joined the tank corps, and was trained in France for his new duties.

"Canada has every right to be proud of her war record," said Capt. Haig, remarking that when the Canadians were at Giverny his regiment was next them. "I remember that time particularly because the Germans were sending over heavy stuff. It was going right over our heads into the Canadians, and we did not even move a little bit," he added, smiling.

"There is no difference so far as anyone can see between this tank and the tanks they are using now," he remarked in reference to the Britannia. "Outwards and so far as the armor is concerned they are the same, but the old type cannot move fast enough to escape the direct hits from the German guns, which are the only things which can knock a tank out."

"Well, that is not quite right," he continued. "they can be dented. It is not very common, and when it happens in a battle we have to get the only thing to be done, and we have to do it. It does not happen very often, however."

TAKE PROVINCE FROM SEA.

Holland's New Scheme to Secure More Territory.

The announcement that the necessary authority has been given by the Dutch Parliament for the draining of the Zuider Zee probably brings ambitions, which engineers have entertained for a very long period, a step nearer realization. It was in the closing years of the first half of the nineteenth century that Van Diggeften got forward proposals for draining and reclamation, which, in their main aspects, are not very different from those which are receiving attention to-day. The area with which it is proposed to deal is one of nearly 1,500 square miles, of which more than 800 would be reclaimed and the remainder converted into a fresh water lake, thus providing a remedy in the present dearth in Holland of water supplies in summer. From the point of view of the engineer the reclamation on which it is proposed to proceed is a large-scale project of somewhat simple form.

The construction of a main embankment more than eighteen miles long, which it is estimated would occupy nine years in construction, would shut out the sea, and enable four areas, extending more than 500,000 acres, to be reclaimed. These would probably be available for occupation within twenty years, by which time the original reclamation schemes in Holland would be completed. A new province has been added to Holland and the risk of flood damage from the Zuider Zee eliminated, but it will be possible to supply the province with fresh water from the new lake.

An important railway connection across the new embankment between Friesland and North Holland is also included in the provisional plans. On the debit side of the account, regard must be had of the destruction of the Zuider Zee fisheries, but in compensation the fishery of the Zuider Zee is to be derived from the reclamation these are of subsidiary importance.

Deep Sea Exchanges.

The American captain for the time being was a dorky fellow. He had more survivors than he could handle, and he wanted to trans-ship some of them, but he knew how dangerous that laying alongside by the British destroyer would be. He stood on the bridge, nervously smoking a big black cigar, and watched the destroyer manoeuvre. The British destroyer came round, came up and laid alongside as gently as if the manoeuvre were taking place in a lake instead of on a sea where the waves were tremendous. The British captain kept on the bridge, and of his bridge, and the American captain on the port end of his talking, while the survivors were trans-shipped, the American still puffing at his big black cigar.

The trans-shipment was made with the captains conducting a conversation under difficulties, as at one moment the British captain asked the American: "Would you care to come aboard?" "Thanks, no," replied the Briton. "I must be going now. I like your company, but the fact is I can't stand that cigar of yours."

There is plenty of humor about it. After a stormy trip, participated in by British and American destroyers, when the destroyers were about to go their separate ways, the British American on one of the American destroyers signaled to a British com- patriot, miles away: "Thanks, sweetheart."

Not to be outdone in courtesy or josh, the British destroyer came back seven miles and signalled: "Good-night, darling."

Where Travelling Is Bad.

The Munchener Neueste Nachrichten publishes a sarcastic notice on the joys of railway traveling in Germany. The writer wonders how people can complain of railway carriage not being heated, when they remember how important it is not to scorch their costly boots upon hot pipes. He thinks it is a great advantage to travel in an hour and a half with broken windows, owing to the need for fresh air when so many passengers are smoking beech leaves and hops. And what does it matter if the floor is dirty, seeing that it is clean in comparison with the swamps in Flanders.

Then, again, the absence of foot lights is a wise and an official economy, and when people say that the railway carriages are like pigsties they are only comparing themselves to pigs. As regards the state of smoking carriages, the writer can only suggest that it might be well to provide non-smokers with gas masks. People complain that the trains are late—twenty minutes or so, however, or an hour and a half. What folk since they never before knew the unspeakable joy that they feel when a train does at last arrive!

Again, people complain that the trains are slow, although they often in the past pined for the good old days of the stage coach. Now those times have returned, and passengers can go out and walk when the feet are aching, and get to their rooms when they are weary.

No Discrimination in Japan. A young Japanese girl has obtained a license as a pilot. Her name is Yoko Imamura, and she received her training from her father, with whom she sailed the Fujin Maru. When she applied for a license the authorities hesitated, for she was the first woman who ever sought recognition as a skipper. As there was no provision permitting discrimination on account of sex, the license was issued. The Japanese Department of La for built.

Music and Drama

AT THE BRANT.

Of the leading scenic artists in the country, Eve Unsell, whose picturization of "The Pursuit of Polly," starring Billie Burke, will be seen at the Brant Theatre next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, is among the best known. Miss Unsell is a writer of ability and discriminating taste, whose sense of the dramatic properties in motion pictures, is highly developed. Miss Unsell is the author of numerous notable photoplays. These include, among thirty others, "The Dawn of a Tomorrow," for Mary Pickford; "Whirlower," for Marguerite Clark; "The Dummy," for Jack Pickford; and others, many of which are soon to be reissued by Paramount. Her treatment of the subject of "The Pursuit of Polly," the story of which was written by Joseph Forrester and Mann Page, is conspicuous for the artistry the invariably displays in her picturization. Miss Burke is supported in this splendid photoplay by a cast of unusual ability, her leading man being Thomas Meighan, one of the best-known screen players in the country. The picture was directed by Chester Withy.

AT THE REX.

Dorothy Grant (Vivian Martin) is a charming little patriot in a country town who decides to help her country by organizing a Girl's Aviation Corps. The parents of the young women do not take their effort seriously, and although the girls obtain their uniforms, they have difficulty in finding a place to drill. They finally go to a meadow, where a farmer, who is an ex-soldier, offers to teach them drill tactics and they gladly accept his offer.

Dorothy's father, Franklin Grant, owns a munition plant, to which hangs the sign saying, "Devoce of Spies." In the home there is employed a butler named William who Dorothy convinces herself, needs watching especially as he cuts the grape from the wrong way and gives other evidence of not being a professional butler. Dorothy advises Captain Allison, who calls frequently at the Grant home, and she is depressed because she believes she admires her sister, Isabelle.

One evening Dorothy after returning, steals down stairs in her pajamas and sees William crouching near her father's room, carrying a large wet sponge, which she throws over the same room, causing her to believe she is depressed because she believes she admires her sister, Isabelle.

The denouement of the story is seen at the Rex the last of this week.

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