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Germans Bend Line Slightly at One Point

New Attack This Morning—Rest of Defences Lost Yesterday Again Are In Hands of Allies—American Patrol Caught in Ambush and All Killed

London, May 9.—A new German attack was made this morning on the Flanders front north of Kemmel. The enemy pressed back the British line slightly at one point.

TWO OF THEM IN FIVE MINUTES

French Aviator Gets 33rd and 34th German Machines

PROBABLY TWO MORE

France Loses Three Aces Who Had Accounted for Forty-five of Enemy—British Bring Down Seventeen on Italian Front and Lose None

Paris, May 9.—Within five minutes on Tuesday Sub-Lieut. Nungesser, leading French aviator, brought down his 33rd and 34th German machines and damaged another which undoubtedly will be placed to his credit.

Paris, May 9.—French aviation has suffered a great loss in the death within a few days of three aces who between them had accounted for more than forty-five Germans.

London, May 9.—British aviators since the last report have destroyed seventeen hostile airplanes on the Italian front and lost none.

Get Eight in Big Fight. London, May 9.—The official statement on aerial operations last night says: "Flying again was impossible on Tuesday until after 8 o'clock because of the pouring rain."

WAR RISK INSURANCE RATE IS REDUCED. A Good Indication of The Lessening Menace of The Submarine

Washington, May 9.—Reduction from three to two per cent in the war risk insurance rate on hulls and cargoes of American steamers traveling through the war zone from American ports to Great Britain and the Atlantic coast of France was ordered today by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo.

Halifax Bank Clearings. Halifax, N. S., May 9.—Halifax bank clearings for the week ending today with comparisons are—1918, \$4,668,861.19; 1917, \$2,878,049; 1916, \$2,256,002.

BRITISH LABOR AGAINST FORCING IRISH INTO ARMY

Strong Appeal Is Forwarded To The Government

SEES DISASTROUS RESULT

Pleads That Soldiers Are Needed on Western Front Rather Than in Civil War—Asks That Steps Be Taken to "Avert Appalling Disaster"

London, May 9.—A joint committee of the Trades Union Congress and the Labor party has sent a strong appeal to the government against enforcing conscription in Ireland.

It must be clearly evident to the government that an attempt to enforce conscription would mean not only the spilling of blood of thousands of Irishmen, Englishmen and Scotchmen, but also the maintenance of a huge permanent army of occupation in Ireland.

Moreover, Irishmen are scattered over the wide world in America and in the dominions of Great Britain itself—besides large numbers on the western front, yet the government is proposing a course which will involve the withdrawal of hundreds of thousands of soldiers to engage in a civil war which will outrage the conscience of the civilized world.

LABOR RESOLUTIONS ON BIG MATTERS. Arthur Henderson Issues Circular With Twenty Seven on Reconstruction

London, May 9.—Arthur Henderson, leader of the labor party, has issued a circular containing resolutions on the reconstruction of the country.

The resolutions, numbering twenty-seven, deal with social reconstruction, the maintenance and protection of the standards of life, provision of soldiers and sailors, discharge of civilian war workers, restoration of trade union conditions, the prevention of unemployment, complete emancipation of women, restoration of personal liberty, political reforms, Ireland, constitutional evolution, housing, education, temperance reform, a ministry of health, state control of railways, mines and agriculture and national finance.

With regard to production, the resolution recognizes the need for the application of more science and intelligence to every branch of the nation's work and the marshalling of the nation's resources to meet the needs in the order of their national importance.

A CALL FOR TEN BENCHES. Residents of Indian town are becoming a bit impatient waiting for city officials to replace the seats in the square facing the river.

WEATHER REPORT. Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, E. F. Stuart, director of meteorological service.

Summary.—A marked depression is centered in Nebraska, while a cool wave covers the western provinces.

Maritime.—Northwest to west winds, fresh to strong during the day, fair and comparatively cool; Friday, fair with a little higher temperature.

LITTLE ONE DEAD. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd, Fairville, will sympathize with them in the loss of their little son, Judson, aged thirteen months, who died last evening.



THIS HOUR GLASS CAN'T BE REVERSED.—Evening Post, N. Y.

Reinforcements For Our Men Great Essential Of All

Sir Robert Borden Issues Statement—If Overwhelmed By Huns, What Use To Tell Them We've Boomed Production?

Ottawa, May 9.—"If a scattered and broken remnant, overwhelmed because not reinforced, should return to Canada, it would profit little to tell them that while they were being designated our production had been largely increased."

ASQUITH MOVES FOR COMMITTEE. Maurice Matter Now Before House of Commons

IRISH NOT TO VOTE. Unionists Resolve To Stand By Government—Substantial Majority For Lloyd George Is The Prediction

London, May 9.—Moving a motion in the House of Commons this afternoon for the appointment of a select committee to investigate the charges made by Gen. Maurice, former director of military operations at the war office, the Irish Nationalist party, according to the Daily News, decided officially on Wednesday night not to participate in the proceedings in parliament today.

WILL NOT ALLOW THE BIG RING BATTLE IN CONNECTICUT. New Haven, Conn., May 9.—Governor Holcomb has refused to permit the Willard-Pulton fight to take place in Connecticut.

CUTTING DOWN TRAVELING BY TRAIN IN ENGLAND. London, May 9.—Sir Albert Stanley, president of the board of trade, announced in the House of Commons yesterday the decision of the government to place great restrictions on traveling in London vicinity, which later will be extended throughout the country.

CHERRY-HUNTER. A pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon in St. Joachim's church, Silver Falls, when the pastor, Rev. A. J. O'Neill, united in marriage Miss Mary V. Hunter and Charles Cherry.

STANLEY REACHES PORT. Halifax, May 9.—After a two week struggle against the drift ice in the Gulf the Dominion government steamer Stanley arrived at North Sydney late last night.

GRAND PRIOR ROWAN. Moncton, May 9.—Provincial Grand Prior Alex. Rowan of St. John paid an official visit to Branch Precinctory Knights Templar, here last night and installed the officers.

TIME VERY NEAR WHEN NEW SHIPS WILL OUTNUMBER LOSSES. London, May 9.—Vice-Admiral Sims, commander of the American naval forces in the war zone, replying last night to a toast to the United States navy at a dinner given in honor of the officers and men of the United States forces, said: "We know the submarine campaign reached its highest point in April of last year. It has since been going steadily down. In the meantime the new tonnage constructed by the Allies has been gradually increasing until the counter has nearly been turned, and we hope within the next fortnight the construction in the aggregate will beat the rate of destruction. We feel assured that the time of recovery has come."

N. B. Soldiers In Fine Work

They and Nova Scotians In Early Morning Raid on Enemy Line Inflict Many Casualties and Capture Prisoners and Guns; Enemy in Most Cases Flee on Approach of Canadians

Canadian Army Headquarters, May 9.—(By W. A. Willison, correspondent of the Canadian Press)—Early yesterday morning strong raiding parties of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick troops, entering the enemy outpost line at Nouvelle-Vitasse village, inflicted many casualties on the Boche, and in addition captured some prisoners and two machine guns. They retired after a successful operation with very slight losses.

The raid, which was carried out at three o'clock, with only flares to break the intense darkness and with the ground deep in mud from the heavy rains, was disappointing in only one feature—the reluctance of the enemy to fight. Save in only a few instances the Boche left his outpost line and made a hasty retreat for the rear.

Our men struggled over the muddy ground. Progress was slow, but sure. The first party gained about 100 yards and was held up by wire, which it was unable to cut completely.

The second party gained the support line but the enemy had made a hurried retreat. The third party found two machine guns but no live ones.

The next group had better success. Encountering a hostile machine gun post with a garrison of three men they rushed it. All the Germans in it were killed by one Canadian, who bayoneted two and shot the third.

The machine gun was brought back to our lines. This party continued to advance farther into the village where it met a strong enemy party in a well wired position.

A hot fight followed, in which bombs were freely exchanged. In a short time no fewer than twelve direct hits with bombs were registered against the enemy.

The officer in charge of one of the parties went some distance into the village, but all he saw was one Boche running furiously.

MONTEAL MAY HAVE STREET RAILWAY STRIKE. Montreal, May 9.—A strike of street railway men in this city is amongst the possibilities, and a mass meeting has been called for Friday night, when the men will decide the question.

NEW RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR GIVES BERLIN A SHOCK. Geneva, May 9.—Adolphe Joffre, new Russian Soviet ambassador to Berlin, is shocking official diplomatic circles, according to the Tribune. He has hoisted the red flag above the embassy and refuses to meet the Emperor.

DANGEROUS PLACE TO BE CAUGHT IN DRAFT. New York, May 9.—Four police raiding parties entered ten Turkish baths early today and arrested seventy-five young men who could not produce federal or state registration cards.

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MAKE ATTACKS ON HINDENBURG. Former Influential German Officers Reported Campaigning Against Him for Failure on West Front

London, May 9.—Former influential officers in the German army, supporters of Gen. Von Hindenburg, former chief of staff, are agitating against Field Marshal Von Hindenburg on the ground that the German successes on the western front have not reached expectations, according to reports in the Hague, transmitted under reserve by the correspondent of the Daily Mail.

Another report which, according to the correspondent, appears to have some foundation, is that there is a sharp conflict of opinion between Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, Gen. Ludendorff and the Crown Prince on one side, and Chancellor Von Hertling and Foreign Secretary Von Kuehlmann on the other. The Emperor, after considerable wavering, is said to have inclined to Von Hertling's side, although hesitatingly.

VON LUXBURG IS TO SAIL TODAY FOR MEXICO. Buenos Aires, May 9.—Feeling violence against him, the police yesterday in the suburb of San Fernando guarded the residence of Count Von Luxburg, former German minister to Argentina, who some time ago was handed his passport by the Argentine government, and will sail today for home on board the Swedish motor steamer Suecia.

VON HERTLING TO USE BIG STICK. Amsterdam, May 9.—The Cologne Gazette says that Count Von Hertling, the German imperial chancellor and Prussian premier, has decided to dissolve the Prussian chamber if the third reading of the franchise reform bill is rejected.

IMPROVEMENTS IN CHARLOTTE STREET. Among the interesting business changes of the near future is the removal of Levine's shoe store from 96 Charlotte street to 107 Charlotte street, opposite the Dufferin Hotel, where premises are now being remodelled into a first-class modern shoe store.

Speaking of the matter yesterday, P. M. Levine, proprietor of the business, said that the new store would be modern in every particular, an entire new front was being installed, accommodating two large show windows for special displays of footwear.

The store proper has a floor space of more than sixty feet, which will permit a large room for the growing trade which Mr. Levine caters.

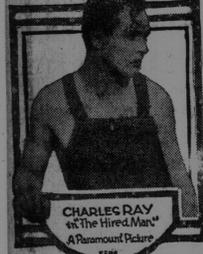
Stock will be moved into new premises about the middle of the month, and full announcement of the opening will appear in the press.

BRITISH LABOR PARTY IN APPEAL FOR FUNDS. London, May 9.—The Labor party has issued an appeal signed by its leader, Arthur Henderson, for funds to finance its campaign to further its programme of war aims and social reconstruction, and also for the election of Labor members to the House of Commons.

Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

CHARLIE RAY'S A BIG FAVORITE

Long, Lanky, Loveable Lad Back Here Tomorrow



CHARLES RAY in "The Hired Man"

Probably no notice from us is required to call attention to the appearance of Charles Ray in "The Hired Man," the third Ray picture under the Ince-Paramount banner...

You may have been one of those who have followed the rise of Charles Ray through his various productions in the past...

The picture tomorrow gives Mr. Ray all of the latitude of "The Clodhopper" and "The Son of His Father"...

Yours for service, IMPERIAL THEATRE.

CHARTER, FAMOUS ENTERTAINER, AND COMPANY COME TO LYRIC THEATRE NEXT WEEK

Chas. J. Carter is a name that has long ago won renown and fame in the United States as representing a man who stands alone in the amusement world...

Opera House Tonight; All New Tomorrow

Tonight will be the last opportunity to see Ching Ling Toy, the Chinese magician, at the Opera House...

Last Chapter of "The Hidden Hand," with Really Funny Fox Comedy at Unique

The many mysteries of "The Hidden Hand" will be cleared away at Unique today when the last installment of this popular serial will be presented...

Gaiety Theatre Showing Franklin Farm for Last Time

Tonight at the Gaiety will be the last opportunity to see Franklin Farm in the comedy "The Scarlet Car," which is positively one of the finest comedies produced to date...

War Notes

The Lithuanians, according to an official despatch from Paris, have declared through their representative in France their wish to remain independent of Germany...

Labor leaders in France have not lost all hope of reaching an agreement with the American mission on the subject of an international conference...

H. H. McKee of Fredericton Dead in War Hospital

Fredericton, May 9.—Harry H. McKee, formerly of this city, youngest son of the late S. H. McKee, died in hospital on May 2 as the result of being gassed in action in France on April 28. He was an undergraduate at U. N. B. some years later and was subsequently he went west and enlisted in western Ontario...

Russia Demands Recall of Ambassador Representing France

Moscow, Saturday, May 4.—(By the Associated Press)—The recall of Joseph J. B. E. Nolens, French ambassador, demanded by Foreign Minister Tchitcherin because of statements said to have been made by the ambassador in the limits of the Russian republic...

Mrs. Matilda Campbell

After illness of about two years, Matilda, wife of Peter Campbell, passed away at her home in Bloomfield, Kings county, although so long ill and failing, her death came unexpectedly and has cast a gloom over the community...

Hunt's Sale Starts Tomorrow

Attention is directed to Hunt's large advertisement on page 10, announcing the commencement tomorrow morning of the Great War in men's and boys' clothing and furnishings...

Gilbert's Cash Specials

- FOR CLEANING 2 Babbitt's Cleanser..... 9c. 2 Old Dutch..... 19c. 2 bottles Ammonia..... 22c. Royal Metal Polish..... 17c. Liquid Veneer..... 22c. and 43c. 2 Bon Ami..... 25c. 25c. Smoky City Cleaner..... 21c. 25c. Chloride of Lime..... 21c. 25c. Sani-flush..... 29c. 2 pkgs. Lux..... 21c. 5 cakes Lenox Soap..... 31c. 5 cakes Gold Soap..... 37c. 5 cakes Sunlight Soap..... 37c. 5 cakes Ivory Soap..... 37c. 25c. pkgs. Cream Starch..... 21c. 9c. pkgs. Invisible Starch..... 21c. Simms' Beauty Broom..... 93c. 1 pkg. (3 cakes) Rickett's Blue..... 6c. Matches are in for an advance. A small lot left. While they last, Tribby Boot Polish..... 7c. tin Nuggitt Boot Polish..... 9c. tin 2 in one Boot Polish..... 11c. tin 15c. tin Orona Cleaner..... 10c. Special Wash Paper..... 25c. 3 pkgs. Toilet Board..... 25c.

Pickles

- Heaton's Mixed..... 12c. Peerless Mixed..... 17c. Peerless Chow..... 17c. 35c. H. M. Chow..... 27c.

Lard and Shortening

- 1 lb. Block Pure Lard..... 33c. 1 lb. tin Crisco..... 31c. 1-2 lb. tin Crisco..... 47c. 1 lb. Kersy Oleomargarine..... 38c. 1 lb. Premium Oleomargarine..... 38c. 1-2 lb. tin Baker's Cocoa..... 40c. 15c. jar Beaver Marmalade..... 13-12c. 25c. jar Sheriffs' Marmalade..... 21c. 30c. jar Furrival's Marmalade..... 27c. 1 lb. jar Betty's Grapefruit..... 15c. Golden Dates..... Only 9c. pkgs. 12c. bottle Eagle Vanilla..... 9c. 3 pkgs. MacLaren's Jelly..... 20c. 25c. tin Clark's Fork and Beans..... 21c. 1 lb. pkgs. Seeded Raisins..... 13c. 1 lb. pkgs. Starr Codfish..... 15c. Snider's Tomato Soup..... 15c. Chilian Beans for Baking, 34c. qt. 15c. tin Paris-Pate..... 12c.

LOBSTER PASTE

Have you tried it? Delicious. 13c. tin

LABRADOR SALMON

Large flat tins..... 35c. Canada Food Board License No. 8-829.

WALTER GILBERT

LOCAL NEWS

No. 9 Home Efficiency Club pantry sale Imperial lobby, Saturday afternoon, 5-11.

LOCAL 661 An open meeting to be held Friday, May 10, 8 p. m., at Oddfellows hall. All are requested to attend.

Military band concert Thursday afternoon next Imperial Theatre. Tickets 25 cents.

Meeting Y. W. F. A. tonight at 8 o'clock, Elks Club, 741 Kingston Row.

MILITARY AND MILLINERY Entertainment, Sports and Sciences in Earnhart street S. S. room tonight. Come early for good seats.

ST. JOHN ART CLUB Conversations, billed for tonight, has been postponed until Thursday evening May 16.

THIS EVENING Lecture by Bishop Richardson in the High School Hall, at 8 o'clock. Members of both Canadian clubs admitted by ticket. Others 25 cents.

WAR-TIME ECONOMY The papers are dealing nowadays with the subject of conservation of foodstuffs. Why now you cannot get the price you are paying for your clothing? We have men's suits from \$10.00 and in up-to-date models. Boys' suits, \$5 and up.—Brager's, 188-197 Union street.

Oak Hall's sale of men's shirts continued Thursday and Friday. Five hundred shirts are being placed on sale, being a special lot bought direct from an overstocked manufacturer. Regular \$2, \$2.25 and \$2.50 shirts. All will be cleared at the one price, \$1.75.

SEEMINGLY BELIEVING The ladies who have been pushing their brains over where they could obtain the material, model and style to suit the most delicate taste, have at last satisfied that longing when they visited our up-to-date stores and inspected our goods. Silks, suits, dresses, shirts, serge suits, dresses and skirts, sweaters and coats.—Brager's, for ladies' wear, 188-197 Union street.

CLIMBING THE LADDER The cash and credit business is booming. The credit business has widened and is not so tight as it was. We are still doing business at the old stand.—Brager's, for cash or credit, 188-197 Union street.

HUNT'S SALE STARTS TOMORROW MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK Attention is directed to Hunt's large advertisement on page 10, announcing the commencement tomorrow morning of the Great War in men's and boys' clothing and furnishings.

AN IMPORTANT SALE First Communion and Confirmation Dressing, Saturday.

A full line of West samples from one of the best manufacturers of children's wear. The daintiest little white dresses from eight to fourteen years. Every one is different and of the shiest, softest material and trimmings. About 200 dresses in the lot. Come at once for choice and selection. —Daniel, Head of Chalmers street.

PREDICT DEVELOPMENTS IN MEXICAN SITUATION (J. M. Robinson & Son's Private Wire Telegram)

New York, May 9.—Important developments in the Mexican situation are predicted by well informed quarters as follows: It is estimated that Washington is going to take drastic action with respect to oil, and there may be a cleaning out of the Mexican underbelly.

The Swiss and Swedish legations are about to take care of identical alien enemies in the United States.

Woman's Exchange Library All the popular and latest books; you can read them for a few cents.

TO LET—A heated apartment of four rooms and new bath-room, near Germain St., Phone M. 789.

Don't Forget That the Cheapest Place in town to buy your Ladies' or Men's Suits is on Wall St. Call and see for yourself.

J. Goldman 26 Wall St. Opp. Winter St. A Haymarket Sq. car will bring you to the door.

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

Good-looking Glasses There is a size and shape of eyeglass lens and a style of mounting in Sharpe's optical department most becoming to you.

To aid you in securing good-looking glasses is part of our optical service.

An extra pair of glasses is a good thing to have. It may save you considerable distress and loss of time when an accident happens.

Come in and let our expert optometrist assist you in picking out a good-looking pair of glasses for reserve use.

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

PROCLAMATION OF THE CALL TO MEN OF NINETEEN WAS ISSUED TODAY

Ottawa, May 9.—A proclamation was published here today calling up for military service men of nineteen years of age, who are unmarried or widowers without children.

The men are required to register on or before June 1. They will not be called to active service before July 1.

To save time in getting out special forms, a man is required merely to forward by registered post to the registrar under the name of A. A. name in full, the date of his birth, his place of residence and his usual post office address.

When the actual call to the colors comes, the men summoned will be notified by registered post to report for duty.

GERMAN U-BOAT LANDS MAN ON IRISH COAST; HE IS NOW IN TOWER

London, May 9.—A German submarine recently landed a man on the Irish coast and he was arrested by government officers.

James MacPherson, parliamentary secretary to the war office, announced in the House of Commons today that this man was in the Tower of London, and would be court-martialed.

BOHEMIANS WANT ENTENTE TO WIN

Even the leading statesmen of Austria have to admit the growth of the discontent in their empire.

Early in April Count Czernin delivered his now famous speech in which he accused Mr. Clemenceau of having made proposals of peace to the Central Empires, thus drawing from the French premier his retort, "Czernin has lied."

In the same speech Czernin referred to the "entente" displayed by the Czechs towards the Austrians. He accused the people of Bohemia of deserting to the allies in order that their country might break away from the Austrian Empire.

Copies of Count Czernin's speech have been received by way of Amsterdam, and it contains some very significant passages.

"What terrible irony it is that while our brothers and sons are fighting lions on the battlefield, and millions of men and women at home are heroically bearing their hard lot, certain leaders of the people are so openly stoked with hate against the German Alliance, which has so splendidly stood the test of time, that they are longer than the slightest connection with the state idea, and find no word of blame for the traitors who have abandoned the fight against their own country and their brothers in arms."

Count Czernin said that he knew there were Czech leaders who were loyal to the Austrians and their empire. Then he concluded, "I appeal to all those who desire a speedy and honorable end to the war to unite and together carry on the struggle against this high treason."

He asserted that the Austrian constitution is not capable of improvement, and the Austrian government is quite ready in conjunction with other competent elements, to proceed to revise the same, but those who hope for a realization of this high treason, to realize their political aims, must first realize that the high treason in the vital of the state constitutes the last war-prolonging hope of our enemies."

PERSONALS

Mayor Hayes left last night on a trip to Toronto and will be absent about a week.

The condition of former Commissioner J. V. Russell is slightly improved today, and he is expected to leave the St. John Infirmary this afternoon.

Mrs. Kathleen Furling-Schmidt left last evening for Boston.

William G. Wooster, who received the sad news of the sudden death of his brother-in-law, William G. Wooster, in Calgary, it came as a great shock.

The sympathy of the community will go out to the bereaved widow and relatives in their sad affliction. Mrs. Wooster is an only sister of Mrs. Chas. W. Smith, 189 Duke street.

THE SHIPBUILDING

London, May 9.—(Via Reuters' Ottawa Agency)—Publication of an admiralty statement on merchant ship construction, shows that for the first three months in 1918 there were 29,250 tons completed in United Kingdom yards and 44,427 tons in Allied and neutral yards.

The year's completion to April 30 was 1,168,474 and in 1917 were 1,168,474 and 1,746,812.

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All the foregoing figures are in gross tons. It is pointed out that last month's output was achieved notwithstanding a very large increase in repaired merchantmen, amounting to 40 per cent, since January.

Carl Gleeson, publisher of the Missouri State Journal, was given a five-year jail term for espionage.

TAKING OVER YORK AND CARLETON RAILWAY

Fredericton, May 9.—It is reported that the Dominion Government has completed or about completed taking over the York and Carleton Railway which is a feeder of the Newcasale-Fredericton branch of the C. G. R. The line runs from Cross Creek to several miles beyond Stanley.

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IN WAL STREET.

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Chicago, May 9.—Corn displayed a good deal of strength today, owing more to reports of unseasonable cold. Frost tonight was predicted for Kansas and Nebraska and there was much receding cover by shorts. Besides, speculations were current that receipts were likely to diminish in the near future.

Opening prices which varied from unchanged figures to 7-8 cent higher, with May \$1.71-2 and July \$1.67-1.2. \$1.67-1.2 were followed by moderate fluctuations.

Gossip of a revival of export demand gave the oats market an upward slant. Confirmation of such talk, however, was lacking. After opening 5-8 to 17-8 cent higher, with July 67-5 to 68, prices hardened a little, and then underwent some reaction.

REINFORCEMENTS FOR OUR MEN GREAT ESSENTIAL OF ALL

(Continued from Page 1.) The importance of production in the various essential industries and especially in that quarter in munitions and in shipbuilding is fully recognized, but all such production is of no avail unless it is accompanied by adequate reinforcements.

If such aid is not afforded the line cannot be held. The line is not held our production will in the end ensure to the advantage of Germany rather than that of the Allies.

More than 100,000 Canadian soldiers are exposed to attack by overwhelming numbers and they will be over-run in the near future.

The termination of the battle, which will probably continue for months and which may be decisive of the war.

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The enemy nations are throwing into this war their entire available man power which has been organized for this purpose during the last fifty years and which is now concentrated upon the western front chiefly against the British forces which are under attack by the enormously superior numbers.

In midst of this struggle the Canadian nation cannot discharge its duty unless its government provides the reinforcement of men, munitions and other necessities of war.

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HELP!

Might we ask the advertisers in the Times-Star to let us have their ad copy not later than 6 o'clock the night before the day on which insertion is desired?

The crush of advertising, which the Times has been carrying the last few months, makes a call for HELP on the part of the business office an urgent necessity.

It is hardly necessary to state the value to YOU of this feature, as the earlier the paper is out the larger the sale—hence, an increased market for you.

It also means that your advertisement will receive the best of attention as regards typographical treatment; will be dressed in the way your PUBLIC SALESMAN should be dressed. Best work of course, can't be done in a rush, and neither you nor THE TIMES is satisfied with a poorly dressed ad.

The unfortunate fact that quite frequently advertisements have to be omitted from THE TIMES account of late copy, prompts this S. O. S. call, and really your own best interests would demand that it be heeded.

Advertising Manager

RECRUITING IN AUSTRALIA

A Major Improvement—No Longer Necessary for Parents' Consent in Case of Boys of 18

Melbourne, Australia, May 9.—(Via Reuters' Ottawa Agency)—Recruiting last week was the best in nine months. The federal government has decided to abandon parental consent for enlistment. Minors of eighteen years of age may now enlist on presentation of their birth certificates, but will not be called to camp until six months later, not drafted until they are nineteen.

GERMANS BEND LINE SLIGHTLY AT ONE POINT (Continued from Page 1.) "Local fighting took place yesterday at Dieppe, in the course of which we captured thirty prisoners. During the night further progress was made by us between the Somme and the Ancre. Our new positions in this sector were improved. Several prisoners were taken."

"Hostile raids were repulsed in the neighborhood of Lens and Merric. The enemy's artillery developed no activity during the night in the Albert sector."

French Statement. Paris, May 9.—The French official statement reports that "Spirited artillery fighting occurred last night north and south of the Arras front. German patrols attempting to approach our lines in the region of Campelle Stagnant were repulsed. There is no report from the remainder of the front."

With the American Army in France, May 9.—(By the Associated Press)—American patrol on the Toul sector fell victim to silent enemy ambush some time last night. The Germans used machine guns and the butts of their rifles. The Americans went out early in the evening, and notices were recorded in an official statement issued last night on British operations on the Italian front.

MATTER OF RIGHT TO TITLE OF "DOCTOR"

Montreal, May 9.—Aime Poirier, a medical practitioner, of St. Polycarpe, Que., who was fined \$50 by Magistrate Cusson some time ago for having inscribed the title "doctor" on his professional cards, and on his office door at St. Polycarpe, because it was held that he had not the right to this title as he was not a member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the province of Quebec, yesterday obtained from Mr. Justice Lamont the issue of a writ of certiorari against Magistrate Cusson, and the merits of the case will be argued on May 20. The petitioner contends that as he graduated as a doctor of medicine from Laval University he was within his rights in assuming the title "doctor" and he asks the court to maintain him in his contention.

COMPANIES STILL RELATIVELY LOW.

Montreal, May 9.—The Dominion Steel Corporation's figures of coal output continue relatively low, and March failed to show improvement, as compared with February. In February the production was 287,000 tons; in March 272,000 tons. In March, 1914, the production was 301,887 tons, and in March, 1915, 364,842 tons. Labor shortage and scarcity of shipping were the main factors.

WAR GARDEN ACTIVITIES The carload of seed potatoes which the War Gardens Association brought in the first of the week, is being rapidly absorbed, and it may be necessary to get another lot sent down. The largest number taken by any individual was six bags. There were for six lots of the Manawagonish road. A similar quantity was procured for the gardening operations in the Thadde Place, Westmorland. There has been quite a large demand for seed potatoes from East St. John members. Fertilizer is also in great demand, and all requests for such are being rapidly supplied from the association office in Union street. A telegram received by Supt. McIntosh states that the supply of small garden seeds will arrive here tomorrow. There has been considerable enquiry for these seeds. The association has still some lots on hand that have not been taken up.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

ALL KIDNEY DISEASES

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., THURSDAY, MAY 9, 1918

VICTORY FOR GOVERNMENT IS PREDICTED

England Intensely Interested In
The Maurice Affair

VIEWS OF THE EDITORS

Some Think Majority Vote in Commons Will Not Suffice as Vindication—Reported Stir Among Unionists With Idea of Supplanting Lloyd George

London, May 9.—The intense interest in the crisis brought about by the letter of General Maurice is reflected in the morning newspapers. They give much prominence to the prospects of today's doings in the House of Commons and the attitude of political parties toward the government and Gen. Maurice respectively, and speculate upon the probable outcome. Editorially the papers again deal with the subject very fully.

Opinion is general that if former Premier Asquith forces to a division his motion to have a select committee investigate the charges made against the government by General Maurice, which some commentators believe will be substantial. However, views differ as to how far this will satisfy the public.

Some hold that a verdict by the House of Commons in support of the government will completely vindicate the government and crush what they call the intrigue of the Asquithian opponents. Others say that such a verdict will prove nothing except reluctance to oust the government at a critical moment, leaving the main question unaffected.

The latter view is voiced by the Daily Chronicle, which, while predicting a parliamentary victory for the government, possibly by a large majority, says this would indicate nothing more than reluctance by the commons at a moment of national peril to overthrow the ministry, while no definite and acceptable alternative exists. It adds that such a victory cannot be a straight forward verdict on the merits of the case. The charges, it declares, ought to be disproved conclusively or the affected ministers ought to leave office.

"As it is," concludes the Chronicle, "the government will continue in power, but will continue subject to doubts of the gravest character."

The Daily Telegraph, on the other hand, has no doubt that the ministerial reply will be complete and crushing and says that if no vote of censure is passed, it will be a salutary warning to the spirit of personal faciousness and partisan bitterness. The Telegraph adds: "There has been more than enough of this employing of distinguished officers who have had differences with the government as stalking horses by the government's political enemies."

Fear is expressed by a section of the press most hostile to Mr. Asquith that if the government falls the "old gang" will regain power. The Conservative

ROYAL YEAST CAKES

Some women hold to the idea that bread-making is a long and difficult operation, but this is a mistake, for with Royal Yeast Cakes, light, sweet bread can be made in a few hours with but little trouble.

FREE: Our new Royal Yeast Cake Book will be sent free upon request. It contains full instructions for making bread and rolls with Royal Yeast Cakes. Send name and address plainly written and this valuable little book will be mailed promptly.

E. W. GILLETT CO. LTD.
TORONTO, CANADA
WINNIPEG MONTREAL

LORD ABERDEEN MUCH DISTURBED BY MATTER

Most of Performers at Benefit Entertainment Fail to Appear—District-Attorney Takes Hand

New York, May 9.—Carl C. Diener, stage director of a benefit given in Carnegie Hall yesterday afternoon for the Child Welfare Association of which Lady Aberdeen is president, was taken to the district-attorney's office and questioned after most of the persons advertised to take part in the programme had failed to appear.

Lord Aberdeen, who was chairman of the entertainment, was much disturbed at the turn it had taken.

Lord Aberdeen has been subpoenaed to visit the district-attorney's office today.

BIG INCREASE IN PAY FOR U. S. RAILWAY MEN RECOMMENDED

Washington, May 8.—All railroad employees whose monthly pay in December, 1915, was less than \$250 a month, have been recommended for wage increases by the railroad wage commission.

The recommendation, if adopted by Director-General McAdoo, would give the workers \$100,000,000 in back pay to January 1, and would add \$28,018,715 to the payroll as of 1917, an increase of 16.021 per cent.

GOOD ROADS CONGRESS

Hamilton, Ont., May 9.—Lieut.-Col. W. G. McKendrick, D. S. O., director of roads for the fifth British army, gave to the Good Roads Congress yesterday a message on some of the work he had done in road building at the front. He had handled all sorts of laborers, but the best and quietest workmen were the Canadians. They wanted to get the work done, and went right at it.

A suggestion to make all future roads wider was the idea in a speech of E. Howard Annis of Whitley.

Col. William D. Schier, chairman of the Massachusetts Highway Commission, told the congress that, in future, the highway must be constructed for the motor truck.

HORLICK'S

Malted Milk for the Home
A nourishing food-drink for All Ages. Wherever at anytime. Delicious, sustaining. No cooking

LOCAL NEWS

Arnold's next auction sale will be at 79 Ludlow street, Carleton, all this week. We have leased the above store and intend giving the people of Carleton an opportunity to share in the wonderful bargains going at this sale. 5-18

LEFT ON BUYING TRIP.
Alx. Lasser has left on a buying trip to Montreal and Toronto.

George Pierce has removed his barber shop to 51 Brussels street, where he will be pleased to attend to his customers and friends. 81198-5-11

Will test your eyes by appointment at your home. Mrs. K. W. Epstein, Optometrist, 191 Union street, Main 5554.

Reserved Sydney soft coal, good quality, reasonable price, prompt delivery. Jas. S. McGovern, 3 Mill street. Phone Main 52.

Peas hard coal landing. Telephone 5. Gibson & Co., Limited, Main 2998.

Wanted, first-class male cook. Apply Royal Hotel. 81138-5-10

We have removed from 210 to 222 Union street, where we will be pleased to receive all our customers. Picture framing and enlarging at lowest prices. We also carry a good assortment of all the latest Victor records. 5-18.

Oilcloth for stair, shelf and table; rakes, hoes—Dural, 17 Waterloo street. 81028-5-18.

Chamber girl wanted, Royal Hotel. —T.F.

Men's and boys' suits that are good, strong and well made for less money than other stores—Turner, out of the high rent district, 440 Main. t.f.

TINO'S LIFE SAVED
BUT RECOVERY SLOW.
Zuteli, May 8.—Former King Constantine of Greece has undergone an operation in a Zurich hospital and is now out of danger. It is believed, however, that his convalescence will be slow.

Same All Round.

Zurich, May 8.—A Vienna despatch printed in the Frankfurter Zeitung last Tuesday, says the German labor party at a meeting Sunday, demanded the creation of a common provisioning bureau for Germany and Austria-Hungary.

When a small boy gets into trouble there is usually a sick in it. When he grows up and trouble gets into him there are generally several "sicks" in it.

PAINLESS EXTRACTION Only 25c

We make the best teeth in Canada at the most reasonable rates.

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Head Office: Branch Office:
527 Main St. 35 Charlotte St.
Phone 68. Phone 88.
DR. J. D. MAHER, Prop.
Open 9 a. m. Until 9 p. m.

LOCAL NEWS

A meeting of the Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. F., was held last evening to complete plans for their self-denial day.

Children playing with fire started the curtains in Mr. Patterson's home in Clarence street in a blaze. The fire was extinguished before the fire department arrived.

Private and Mrs. E. M. Huestis were given a reception by their friends at the home of J. B. Farris, Upper James. Private Huestis recently returned from overseas.

Chief of Police Simpson has been advised by the Canada Food Board that the time allowed for grocers to secure their licenses has been extended to June 1. After this date it will be illegal to carry on business without a license.

The new police patrol came to grief last night at the corner of Sydney street and King square, north, when the steep rise in the ground caused the wheel to

Restore natural color
to gray hair. Take the simple, easy, safe way to change your gray, faded and lifeless looking hair to its natural dark, lustrous shade, perfectly natural in appearance. Be young looking. Thousands are renewing their youthful looks in just this way.

Yerxa can be had ready to use. Your dealer will refund the purchase price if not satisfactory.

Yerxa Hair Health
E. CLINTON BROWN, Druggist

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Owing to the steady increase in our Optical Business, we are obliged to have our office more centrally located for the convenience of the public, where we will still be able to serve you at the most moderate prices.

S GOLDFEATHER
146 Mill Street, St. John, N. B.
Open Evenings.

MOVED
We are now doing business in the new stand, 516 Main street, corner Simonds street.

SPECIAL VALUES
Five Roses or Oglivie's Flour—\$ 6.00
8 lb. bags \$12.25
Choice Potatoes, 30c peck, \$1.15 bush.
Strictly Fresh Eggs, 40c doz.
2 lbs. Prunes, 35c lb.
2 pkgs. Seedless Raisins, 25c.
Canned Peas, 15c can
Canned Corn, 19c can
Good Salmon—1 lb. can, 19c
Mayflower Salmon, 25c can
4 cakes Lenox, Borax or Fairy Soap, 25c.
Large can Baking Powder, 25c.

Yerxa Grocery Co.
Cor. Main and Simonds Streets.
Phone M. 2913

COAL
Best Quality
Reasonable Prices

R. P. & W. F. STARR, Ltd.
Wholesale and Retail Dealers
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SAWED HARDWOOD and GOOD SOFT COAL
The Colwell Fuel Co., Ltd.
J. FIFTH BRITAIN, Mgr.
Phones West 17 or 90.

Reserve, Sydney Soft Coal
PROMPT DELIVERY

A. E. WHELPLEY
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Granulated Eyelids,
Sore Eyes
Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Marine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Druggists or by mail 50c per Bottle. Marine Eye Salve in Tubes 25c. For Book of the Eye FREE ask Marine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

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Cor. Waterloo and Golding St.
Phone 3457.

Red Cedar Moth Flakes 12c

Better and Cleaner Than Moth Balls

WASSONS GOOD VALUE DRUG STORE 711 MAIN ST.

WALL-PAPER

Excellent Value in Wall Coverings for Every Room. Some Odd Ends to Clear at Less Than Mill Prices.

254 Waterloo Street, CARLETON'S
Corner Brindley Street. Store Closed 11-9 p.m.

Oilcloths and Linoleums

In a Large Variety to Select From.

CARPET SQUARES in Axminsters, Wiltons, Velvets, Brussels and Tapestry designs, in all sizes at lowest prices.

Blinds, Blinds, Blinds at All Prices.
All Plain Green Linoleums in Two Yard Widths
English Linoleum in Four Yard Widths.

MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS EARLY

Amland Bros. Ltd.

19 WATERLOO STREET

Coconut Oil Fine For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Don't use prepared shampoo or anything else, that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain purified coconut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy suds, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The latter rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get purified coconut oil at any pharmacy, it's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

Russell Leaders Arrested.
Joseph F. Russell, head of the International Bible Students' Association, and five other leaders of organizations founded by "Pastor" Russell, were arrested in Brooklyn, N. Y., yesterday charged with seeking to bring about and enter military service.

Washing Won't Rid Head of Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arron; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

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

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

You can get liquid arron at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.

BROWN'S GROCERY CO.,
86 Brussels St. Phone Main 2666.
267 King St. Cor. Ludlow St. West.
Phone West 166.

OLD FLOUR AT OLD PRICES
Cherry Ripe Flour (old)—Barrel, \$12.75
1/2 bbls Cherry Ripe..... \$6.50
24 lb. bags Purity (standard)..... \$1.70
24 lb. bags Royal Household..... \$1.60
1/2 barrel bags Five Roses..... \$6.00
12 lbs. Brown Sugar..... \$1.00
10 lbs. Granulated Sugar..... \$1.00
(With Orders)

SPECIALS
4 cakes Lenox Soap..... 25c
3 bottles Ammonia..... 25c
3 cans Old Dutch..... 25c
3 bottles Flavoring..... 25c
3 pkgs. Imperial Jelly..... 25c
4 pkgs. Bee Jelly..... 25c
2 pkgs. Not-Seed Raisins..... 25c
8 lbs. Good Onions..... 25c
2 cans Salmon (lits)..... 25c
2 lbs. Good New Prunes..... 25c
Domestic Shortening—Per lb..... 47c
3 lb. pails..... 30c
10 lb. pails..... 2.95
Choice Country Butter—Per lb..... 47c

EGGS! EGGS!
Fresh, Arriving Daily from the Country
30c. per dozen.
Goods Delivered All Over the City and Carleton

POTATOES
Best Potatoes, when called for, 25c peck, \$2.35 bbl.
When delivered, 29c peck, \$2.60 bbl.
Best Turnips, when called for, 15c peck, \$1.25 bbl.
When delivered, 19c peck, \$1.50 bbl.

White Beans..... 27c. qt.
Extra Sweet Oranges, 25c, 30c, 35c, and 40c. dozen.
Apples..... 35c and 40c. peck
Everybody Can Have a Garden—15 pkgs. Flower or Vegetable Seeds for 25c.

Choice Dairy Butter..... 45c. lb.
Best Ontario Creamery Butter, 50c. lb.
Choice Roll Bacon..... 38c. lb. by piece
Canned Shoulder..... 33c. lb.
10c. tin Cleanser..... 7c.
15c. tin Lye..... 10c. tin
4 cakes largest Laundry Soaps..... 25c.

THE 2 BARKERS LIMITED
Canadian Food Control License Nos. 8-1433 and 8-1434

Parkinson's Cash Stores

Special Prices
At Our 3 Stores

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513 Adelaide St. — Phone 962
147 Victoria St. — (Phone Removed)

East St. John Post Office

Granulated Sugar..... 10 lbs., \$1.00
King Cole Tea..... 5 lb. parcels, 50c. lb.
Orange Pekoe Tea..... 2 lb. parcels, 42c. lb.
Black Tea..... 5 lb. parcels, 38c. lb.

FLOUR
King's Quality (white), 24 lb. bags, \$1.65
98 lb. bags..... \$6.25
White Star—24 lb. bags, \$1.65
Royal Household (white)—24 lb. bags..... \$1.70
Prunes..... 2 lbs. for 25c.
Dates..... 3 pkgs. for 25c.
Cosmos W. Knight Soap..... 4 for 25c.
Other Goods Equally Cheap.

LIFEBUOY HEALTH SOAP

Be Clean—and Safe.
Think of the germ-laden things come into contact with every day. Then remember that there is a splendid antiseptic soap.

Use Lifebuoy for the hands, the bath, the clothes, and the home. Its rich, abundant lather means safety. The mild, antiseptic odor vanishes quickly after use.

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After Every Meal

Following the sun with

WRIGLEY'S

Vision, for a moment, those far off ports beyond the trackless seas—

From Arctic ice, to the torrid lands beneath the Southern Cross—

From towns tucked in the mountains, to the busy river's mouth—

WRIGLEY'S is there!

There, because men find comfort and refreshment in its continued use.

Because of its benefits and because

The Flavour Lasts!

MADE IN CANADA
Sealed tight—Kept right

WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT
THE PERFECT GUM
MINT LEAF FLAVOUR

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CHEWING GUM
PEPPERMINT

WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT
CHEWING GUM
THE FLAVOUR LASTS

After Every Meal

A 10 DAY SALE

Of

Ladies' Men's and Baby's SUMMER FOOTWEAR

"Get Your Choice Before It's Chosen"

1100 Pair of Summer Shoes



Now, "All Aboard" for Our Big Advance Sale of Spring and Summer Oxfords and Pumps. The sale is now on. Lose no time in getting a choice. Such an opportunity to buy these lines of footwear in the month of May was never before offered the citizens of this city.

We feel this sale will prove most timely, and a privilege you certainly do not often get at such a seasonable date.

These Shoes we've had for some time, we admit; but owing to a heavy stock of Ladies' Boots, we decided to hold these Oxfords and Pumps back until the bulk of the boots were disposed of, we therefore now announce Our Sale of These Spring and Summer Goods at the Following Startling Low Prices:

We Bought Them Right—We Are Going to Sell Them Right—They Must be Cleared Out to a Fair

200 PAIRS LADIES' OXFORDS	
Ladies' Black and Tan Low Shoes—Reg. price, \$3.00	Sale Price, \$1.95
Ladies' Black and Tan Low Shoes—Reg. price, \$5.00	Sale Price, \$2.95
500 PAIRS LADIES' PUMPS	
Ladies' Black and Tan Pumps—Reg. price, \$2.50	Sale Price, \$1.65
Ladies' Black and Tan Pumps—Reg. price, \$3.00	Sale Price, \$1.95

Ladies' Black and Tan Pumps—Reg. price, \$4.50... Sale Price, \$2.95

Ladies' Black, Tan and Patent Pumps—Infancy patterns, (up-to-date). Reg. prices, \$5.00 to \$5.50	Sale Price, \$3.65
Nice assortment of Light-weight Pumps for Summer, in patent, gun metal, suede and velvet. Reg. prices, \$3.00 to \$4.00	Sale Price, \$2.35

50 PAIRS LADIES' SPORT BOOTS	
Ladies' Sport Boots, with rubber soles and heels. Reg. price, \$4.00	Sale Price, \$2.65
Ladies' Sport Boots, with rubber soles and heels. Reg. price, \$5.00	Sale Price, \$3.65

50 PAIRS MEN'S LOW SHOES

Men's Patent Blucher Oxfords—Reg. price, \$5.00... Sale Price, \$3.65

200 PAIRS MEN'S BOOTS	
Men's Gun Metal Button Boots — Reg. prices, \$6.00 to \$7.00	Sale Price, \$4.95
Men's Gun Metal Laced Boots—Reg. price, \$6.00	Sale Price, \$4.95

Men's Patent Button Boots—(Just the thing for summer). Reg. prices, \$5.00 to \$6.00... Sale Price, \$4.45

100 Pairs Infants' Soft Sole Shoes—(Made of Red Kid). Regular prices, 65c. to \$1.00, including Boots, Slippers and Sandals, All at 45c. per pair to clear.
No Goods on Approval! Sale Continues Until Saturday, May 18th.
The Bulk of the Above Goods on Sale at Our KING STREET STORE. Goods Will also be on Sale at Our Two Branches

"THE HOME OF RELIABLE FOOTWEAR"

Waterbury & Rising, Limited

61 KING STREET—212 UNION STREET—677 MAIN STREET

This Space Reserved for CONSUMER'S COAL

Lois Borden
EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK
THE ORIGINAL

Healthy Babies!

Nature's Food is best for infants, but when it is not available, use this pure, clean, wholesome milk that has been the standby of mothers during three generations.

Write for helpful book "Baby's Welfare." It is free.

The Borden Milk Co. Limited
"The Leader since 1857"
Montreal

Use The WANT AD. WAY

War Garden Bulletin
PRACTICAL DAILY GUIDE FOR VACANT LOT AND BACKYARD GARDENERS ENLISTED IN GREAT PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN

Issued by the Canada Food Board in Collaboration With Experts on the Staff of the Dominion Experimental Farm

THE POTATO PATCH.
Every prospective gardener must concentrate on potatoes this year. The most suitable soil for the tubers is a rich, deep, friable, warm sandy loam with good natural drainage, a constant moderate supply of decayed or decaying vegetable matter. The warmest and best drained soils that can be obtained should be chosen for the early potatoes and the sets should be planted shallow, so that they will get the advantage of the heat from the surface soil.

May is the time to plant your potatoes, but in the meantime be preparing your soil. Get it as mellow as possible. While forking it over add some stable manure. To obtain enough food to produce twenty or thirty bushels of tubers a small patch of ground must take up and evaporate through the leaves tons and tons of water. This water holds the plant food in solution. Your soil does not hold water and it should be your task to make it do this. The more like a sponge you can make it the better, providing the water in it does not become stagnant. If you add plant food to a

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Stores Open at 8.30—Close at 6 o'clock Daily, Saturdays 10 p.m.

Friday and Saturday Specials

Slip-on Veils
Black, Brown, Taupe and Purple
10 cents

Ladies' Silk Ankle Hose
40c., 65c., \$1.00

Children's Stamped Dresses
Blue, Pink, Natural
1 to 4 years
50c. Each

Ladies' Neckwear
New styles in satin, pique and voile, also a few colors in Crepe Ties... 75c.

ANNEX
15 cent Cotton Sale

15 cent Unbleached Cotton evenly woven, 40 in. wide. Reg. 22c. cotton. Sale Price, 15c. yd. A Great Bargain

LINEN ROOM

SPRING SALE OF Men's Waterproof Coats, Men's Burberry Spring Top Coats and Boys' Pants

Starting Friday Morning
The Waterproof Coats and Top Coats in this sale are of undoubted good quality, the product of the best makers in each line. Quality being assured, the prices speak for themselves.

Parmetta Waterproof Coats Motor Styles
Sale Prices, \$6.30, \$6.98, \$10.40

Parmetta Coats English Storm Style
Sale Prices, \$11.35, \$13.98, \$16.80

Burberry Spring Top Coats Specially proofed by the Burberry process; excellent for motoring.
Sale Prices:
4 Coats only... \$15.00 each
6 Coats only... \$17.50 each
4 Coats only... \$20.00 each

Boys' Pants and Plain Bloomers Ages 5 to 10 years
Plain Pants... Sale Price, \$1.20
Plain Pants... Sale Price, \$1.35
Bloomer Pants... Sale Price, \$1.10
Bloomer Pants... Sale Price, \$1.48

MEN'S CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

Friday and Saturday Specials

Ladies' Chamois Gloves Washable, Natural Color; All Sizes \$1.25 pair

Ladies' Chamousette Gloves All white, also white with black stitching. 75c. pair

Handkerchiefs In Colored Lawn, Assorted Shades 10c. each

Lace Table Centres 30 in. round 60c. each

Bureau Scarfs Muslin, Lace Edge 50c. each (FRONT STORE)

Silk Remnant Sale Plain, striped and fancy silks in lengths suitable for making blouses, dresses, skirts, etc. SILK SECTION—2ND FLOOR

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

EAT MORE POTATOES IS BANGOR SLOGAN

Chamber of Commerce Asks Everyone To Celebrate Potato Week

(Bangor Commercial)
"Eat potatoes and save wheat" is the slogan that Bangor people are asked to adopt this week. There are lots of reasons for complying with this, the principal one, that Hoover asks us to do it, saying it will help win the war, and that being the case, there is no alternative but to comply—at least none for patriotic citizens.

In a pamphlet being distributed by Bangor Chamber of Commerce for Director L. S. Meddill, federal food administrator of Maine, the following advice is given:

By eating potatoes instead of wheat the people of Maine can help win the war as well as by purchasing Liberty bonds and contributing to the Red Cross. The situation in brief is this: We have not enough wheat for the Allies and ourselves. We have an abundance of potatoes. Although the potato is a native vegetable, the American per capita consumption is very low, averaging only about one-half that of Europe.

At a time when the world is so in need of food it would be criminal to waste anything so important as the potato. It becomes the duty of the Americans to eat up their potatoes. They are good fuel. They furnish starch which burns in your muscles to let you work. One medium-sized potato gives you as much starch as two slices of bread. When you have potatoes for a meal you need less bread. Potatoes can save you wheat.

They give you salts like other vegetables. You need the salts to build and renew all the parts of your body and to keep it in order. To boil them so that they will be "fit for a king," drop the unpeeled potatoes into boiled salted water and cook twenty to thirty minutes. Drain the water off at once. If they are cooked too long or allowed to stand in the water they get soggy.

If you peel the potatoes before cooking them you will waste time and potatoes both. You may throw away a sixth or even a quarter of the good part of the potato with the skins. Also, if the potatoes aren't covered up by the skins while cooking some of the valuable material will soak out into the water. Even very small potatoes can be economically used, if they are boiled in their skins.

For best mashed potatoes, peel the boiled potatoes, mash and beat until very light, adding salt, fat and hot milk, a half cup of milk to six potatoes. If dinner is not ready to serve, pile lightly in a pan and set in the oven to brown. The baked potato don't to help you: Don't have your oven too hot. Don't have different sized potatoes. Don't delay in getting them in—they refuse to be hurried along towards the heat. Don't fail to allow forty-five minutes to an hour for a medium sized six-ounce potato. Don't pick too big potatoes. Don't put them in your oven dripping with cold water. The federal government has this physically fit or sponge-like soil, good growth is bound to result. The value of stable manure is that it makes the soil physically fit and supplies some food at the same time.

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say regarding the necessity for eating more potatoes:
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Fifteen hundred home-demonstration agents of the United States department of agriculture and the state agricultural colleges started out this week from Washington to carry the message of "Eat More Potatoes" to every American woman, rural and urban, who can be reached.

They are saying that if potato consumption is not increased markedly, within the next few weeks, millions of bushels will rot, the wheat-saving effort will not be wholly successful, and farmers may not plant enough potatoes this year.

This nation-wide effort is the opening phase in a whirlwind drive to awaken times a day.

the country to the necessity of saving the surplus potato crop. As it means also a saving of wheat, the combined forces of the food administration and the United States department of agriculture have undertaken jointly to urge.

Now that the potato crop is being moved and the prices on this product are falling to a wheat level, the necessity for co-operation of all federal and state forces in a nation-wide potato campaign is imperative, federal officials point out.

The home demonstration agents of the United States department of agriculture and the state agricultural colleges are ready to push the potato along a well-paved way. They are teaching how to use mashed potatoes as a substitute for wheat flour in breads and pies and cakes; they are giving instructions in the making of potato loaf and scalloped and baked dishes. They are showing women how they can train their families to eat potatoes cheerfully three times a day.

In the cities the gospel of potatoes for patriotism is spread through the war kitchens, the neighborhood centres, the clubs, the churches, demonstrations in settlement houses, talks before Red Cross auxiliaries, etc. Potato booths are being arranged in the local food stores and in the retail stores and the schools and clubs are being enlisted in the big drive, Stimulate Rural Consumption.

In the country the work is not so spectacular but just as telling, for through the country organizations and the home demonstration agents' voluntary workers, the potato idea is carried directly to thousands of women in their own homes.

These home demonstration workers are dedicating their time and energy to the work of aiding the women of the country in their war conservation problems and are proving more and more every day that this is the most direct and practical route for carrying an idea into the hearts and homes of American women.

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Centenary of Tilley's Birth Is Remembered

Speeches by Prominent Citizens and Unveiling of Permanent Laurel Wreath Mark the Occasion

The unveiling of the laurel wreath which has been added to the statue of Sir Leonard Tilley was witnessed by a large crowd yesterday and the addresses were listened to with close attention.

"I can remember in the old days when I used to run about the very square in my bare feet, many times have I heard the voice of this great patriot ringing out from the court house, which was usually a hustings centre," said Dr. J. H. Fink.

"Although his statesmanship was wonderful, dazzling and brilliant, we revere today his morals as a man as much as his ability as a statesman," he continued.

"The most salutary lesson of his life is that we can learn from the life of Sir Leonard Tilley," said Judge McInerney in opening his address.

"The speaker pointed out that no man had risen to a high place in the history of the state without making many enemies.

"We should today be determined to hold and defend to the last drop of blood that wonderful country that was brought together by Tilley and his associates.

"It had been stated, she remarked, that the British workmen would 'down tools' if deprived of their beer, and this was the only character as one of the greatest insults ever offered to labor.

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IRELAND LESSENS USE OF LIQUORS Report Shows That Convictions for Drunkenness Have Fallen 40 Per Cent in Ten Years

(By the Christian Science Monitor Special Correspondent in Ireland.)

Dublin, Ireland—A meeting was held yesterday in the House of Commons in London for the purpose of considering the report of the Royal Commission on the Liquor Traffic in Ireland.

"The report shows that the consumption of spirits had decreased by about 200,000 gallons, and that the consumption of beer and port wine had fallen from 7,000 in 1906 to 40,500 in 1916.

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THIS WEAK, NERVOUS WOMAN TOOK VINOL

It Made Her Strong and Well

Barnevel, Wis.—"I was in a weak, nervous, run-down, anemic condition, so that my housework was a burden. Vinol was recommended, and it made me well and strong. It is certainly the best tonic and strength creator I have ever taken."

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Vulnerable to Machine Gun and Rifle Fire at Points: Training is Poor

With the British Armies in France, May 8—Further details are now available from various sources regarding the new German tanks, several of which made such a poor showing at Villers-Bretonneux on April 24. The machine weight forty-five tons and is so unwieldy it is unable to negotiate broad trenches and cannot move over ground torn heavily by shells.

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This magic spot ends corns

PLACE it on your throbbing corn tonight. It takes but a second.

Relief will come instantly, because the felt ring relieves all pressure. The medicated spot of wax soothes while it works. You will wonder why you waited so long. Tomorrow your corn will not hurt as it has today.

And within 48 hours the corn will come out easily, painlessly. Blue-jay is the gentle, certain way, discovered by a great chemist. Blue-jay Plasters are made by Bauer & Black, famed for surgical dressings.

Paring is Extremely Dangerous and only a makeshift. Infection is possible. Harsh and mussy liquids are disagreeable. Blue-jay is irreplaceable to the average corn. Once in a while you will never let a corn hurt again.

Large Package 25c at Druggists. Small package discontinued. BAUER & BLACK, Limited. Chicago Toronto New York.

These Bad Results follow a lazy liver—Constipation; Headache; Biliousness, and other evil, painful, dangerous things.

This Good Old Remedy comes to the rescue. Take two or three pills at bedtime—once. After that, one each night; two, now and then, if necessary.

Carter's Liver Pills. Genuine Bitters Signature. Colorless faces often show the absence of iron in the blood. Carter's Iron Pills will help this condition.

NEWS OF SOLDIERS

That her son, Private Harry McKee, who enlisted eighteen months ago in Winnipeg, had died in France May 7, was the word received yesterday by S. H. McKee of Fredericton. Word had been received that he was badly gassed but there were hopes of recovery.

In order to add the military appearance to the headquarters of M. D. No. 1 on the corner of Mecklenburg and Sydney streets, a large forty-pounder cannon was placed in position on the terrace yesterday.

The 6th Siege Battery of Woodstock is soon to leave for their summer camp at Petawawa (Ont.), where they will complete their training previous to going across. Fifty-two recruits of No. 9 Siege Battery on Partridge Island left some few days ago and were transferred into the battery at Woodstock, so that the latter artillery unit would have its full complement going into summer training at Camp Petawawa.

Within three weeks of his retirement from the service of Hon. James Duff as commander of the steam yacht Doslaurs, Capt. William P. S. Porter, Victoria, veteran navigator of the Pacific Ocean, made his last voyage. He succumbed to heart disease at San Francisco.

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BUDGET DEBATE OVER

Ottawa, May 8—The budget debate came to a close at 11 o'clock tonight. The house immediately went into committee on the formal resolutions covering the various taxation proposals of the government. Rapid progress was made, being little disposition on the part of members to discuss the details.

Mr. McLean submitted an amendment to the tariff on cinematograph films should be British preferential, 2 cents per linear foot; intermediate tariff, 8 cents per linear foot; general tariff, 8 cents per linear foot. From this source, the acting minister of finance said it was estimated that the revenue would be \$300,000 approximately. The rates of

Put up in a yellow wrapper; three pine trees the trade mark; price 25c and they manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Storm Over Anti-Hun Bill. Ottawa, May 8—Senator Lynch-Staunton's bill for the identification of traders in German goods, was given its details will be considered in committee tomorrow. The bill, which is designed to protect the public against dealers who may seek to sell German goods as the products of Canada, or Britain, or of any allied or neutral country, or if it passed both houses, give Canada the most advanced legislation of that character thus far adopted by any allied country.

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ALTHOUGH economy is not the first consideration with those who use O-Cedar, it is nevertheless an important "added advantage" that all who use O-Cedar profit by. For, O-Cedar is at its best for polishing when used with "half water."

The Correct "O-Cedar Way" of Polishing. A wet cloth—a few drops of O-Cedar on it. This forms a soft harmless "lather" that cleans away the dirt accumulated on top of the varnish. Then a light rubbing (with a dry cloth) gives the wonderful "O-Cedar Result. It makes a brilliant polish, free from gum or grease and absolutely dry. After using it the "O-Cedar Way" a white-gloved hand may safely rest upon it.

Many useful applications have been invented and produced to aid the modern housewife, but none of these has meant so much to her, as an aid to good house-keeping as O-Cedar Polish.

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., THURSDAY, MAY 9, 1918

Mrs. McKeown New Head Of S.C. Association

Annual Meeting of Useful
Organization
Stronger Than Ever

Reports Show Much Valuable
Work Accomplished and Sub-
stantial Cash Balance on Hand
for Future Use - New Circles
Formed

The third annual meeting of the Soldiers' Comforts Association was held yesterday afternoon in the assembly hall of Centenary church. The reports of the various officers, including the secretary and treasurer, and also the reports from the local and provincial branches, showed the association to be in a flourishing condition, both financially and otherwise. The new board of officers.

The nominating committee presented the names of the following members for office during the coming year all of whom accepted: Honorary president, Mrs. George McKeown; president, Mrs. H. A. McKewen; first vice-president, Mrs. H. B. Peck; second vice-president, Mrs. Harry R. McLellan; third vice-president, Mrs. J. H. Doody; treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Holly; recording secretary, Mrs. H. L. Spangler; and corresponding secretary, Mrs. John LeLachur.

A letter was received and read at the meeting from Mrs. McKeown, retiring president, expressing her regret at inability to be at the third annual meeting. Mrs. McKeown is at present in Hot Springs, Virginia, for her health.

Secretary's Report.
The first order of business was the presentation of the report of the secretary, Mrs. John LeLachur, which was as follows:

This third annual report of the Soldiers' Comforts Association covers from May, 1917, to May, 1918. During this period eight regular and ten executive meetings were held. The work of circles and committees has been regularly reported at the meetings, and it has been most gratifying to find that there has been no lack of interest or falling off of work.

Two new circles have been formed this year, one at Plaster Rock, Carleton county, and one at New Dennis, Victoria county. Throughout the province increased interest in our work for the men in the trenches has been shown by the many applications for yarn. Miss Bejaya, the association secretary, has proved most efficient, and is ever ready to give information regarding the work.

In May, 1917, an appeal for baseball outfits was made, and as a result we shipped overseas five complete outfits; one outfit was donated by the Y. W. P. A. We also forwarded gloves, bats and bats to the value of \$121.50. The shipping of Christmas parcels began in September, at which time a special appeal was made for the "lone soldier." This resulted in many hundreds of parcels being sent to the C. C. battalions in France, to be distributed to the men, who otherwise would not be remembered.

In November an appeal for socks was made and a good number were sent in by friends all over the province. This appeal was made in response to many letters from France, telling of the urgent need for extra socks during the months of January and February, when the men on active service suffer from trench feet.

By the passing of the war credits act it became necessary for all societies engaged in patriotic work to register. Through the kindness of Dr. Barnhill this was attended to promptly and in due time we became an incorporated body under the name of the Soldiers' Comforts, Limited. As a means of collecting funds for our association, George McKeown very kindly donated large shares which were placed in various centres and in this way quite a generous amount was raised. Owing to the ever increasing price of wool, without which our knitters throughout the city and province would be at a standstill, it was decided to hold a tag day. Saturday, March 30, was decided on, and the work organized under the leadership of Mrs. H. B. Peck. The Commercial Travellers' Association came to our aid and by their untiring efforts the magnificent sum of \$11,174.64 was placed to our credit.

Each year we begin our work praying and hoping that the war will be over before the year closes, but so long as the war continues, as an association we must work doing all in our power to bring comfort to those who on the battlefield are giving up their all for us.

In closing my report I would like to move a vote of thanks to all who have helped to make this year a success. To Commissioner McLellan, George McKeown, J. Walter Holly, C. H. Bostwick, Colonel Sturdee, Walter Golding, Chester Akley, Centenary church officials, Commercial Travellers' Association, the N. B. Telephone Company, T. McKeown & Sons, Messrs. Lockhart & Ritchie, Barnes & Co., J. & A. McMillan, Flewelling Press Company, all societies who helped in the work of tag day and to the public in general for their generous support.

Treasurer's Report.
The report of the treasurer, Mrs. Holly, showed a large balance on hand. The report was as follows:

I beg to report on the treasury of the Soldiers' Comforts, Limited, for the third year, ending April 30, 1918:

Receipts.	
Balance from previous year	\$2,926.87
General donations and subscriptions	854.89
Wool donations and subscriptions	2,759.02
Tobacco donations	70.00
Association pins (Ryrie Bros.)	84.05
Membership fees	19.25
Eastern appeal (Commercial Travellers' Association and Ladies' committee)	11,961.61
Appeal for baseball outfits, May, 1917	121.00
Appeal for socks, November, 1917	185.75
"Lone Soldier", October, 1917	576.04
	\$19,609.68

Expenditures.	
General	\$ 238.00
Expenses (stenographer, express, printing, coal, light, etc.)	985.40
Wool	6,338.19
Association pins (Ryrie Bros.)	100.00
Bases (Wilson Box Co.)	368.33
Insurance (Lockhart & Ritchie)	121.00
Baseball outfits	87.75
Baseball caps	121.00
"Lone Soldier" goods	589.77
	\$ 9,191.94

Balance in bank \$10,417.74
Balance on hand \$10,416.99
Cash 75
Total \$20,911.74

Respectfully submitted,
REGINA M. HOLLY,
Treasurer S. C. A.

The Auditor's Report.
To the President and Members, Soldiers' Comforts Limited, City.

Ladies and Gentlemen—I have audited the report of your treasurer for the year ending April 30 last, as per statement submitted, and which is correct. The balance carried over from previous year was \$2,926.87, which with receipts for the year make a total of \$19,609.68. Expenditures for year were \$9,191.94, leaving balance of \$10,417.74, viz, balance in bank, \$10,416.99, which I have verified, and cash on hand, 75c. I have checked postings of cash book to ledger which are correct, and vouchers have been produced for all payments. The books are carefully and systematically kept.

T. E. STURDEE, Auditor.

Wool Committee.
The report of the wool committee was submitted by Mrs. J. Walter Holly, convener of knitting, and was as follows:

Receipts, \$2,759.02.
Don.—15,512 pairs socks, 24 caps, 1,047 pairs mitts, 80 mufflers, 3 sweaters. Assoc.—13,607 pairs socks, 255 caps, 214 pairs mitts, 80 mufflers.
Total—29,119 pairs socks, 259 caps, 1,361 pairs mitts, 80 mufflers, 3 sweaters.

Expenditures, \$6,715.36.
M. R. A. (pins) \$ 64.46
Vassie & Co. (tape) 15.12
Printing tags and appeal 40.25
119.83
\$6,835.19

Respectfully submitted,
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Convener of Knitting.

The packing committee, Mrs. Harry R. McLellan convener, reported that since April 24, 1917, until April 24, 1918, 704 cases had been shipped which contained 5,681 individual parcels of which 3,188 were sent to lone soldiers. From July, 1915, to April, 1918, the total number of cases shipped was 2,476, and the total number of parcels in the same time sent overseas reached 22,467.

It was decided at the meeting yesterday.

You wonder why H.P. sauce is so delicious.

If you could see the choice
oriental fruits and spices
—being blended with Pure
Malt Vinegar to make H.P.
you would know.

Just a few drops of
H.P.—it makes the
meal so enjoyable.

day to make the fee for the coming year for associate members \$1.

Reports from Local Circles.
The following reports were submitted from the local branches of the Association to the meeting yesterday: The Association of which Miss Hilda Shaw is the treasurer, reported that 296 parcels had been sent overseas during the year; forty-two pairs of socks to the 20th Battalion, \$10 donated to the yarn fund, the total receipts for the year were \$402.17, and expenditures were \$268.21.

For Douglas avenue circle, Mrs. F. C. Beattie, secretary, reported one sweater knitted, 288 pairs of socks, 258 parcels sent overseas, which were divided as follows: 105 parcels to lone soldiers in care of the Y. W. P. A., 105 parcels to Major Allen Leavitt and Major Lawrence Allen, and also fifty additional parcels to Major Leavitt in another shipment, forty to Major McKensie, sixty-two to Captain Steel of the Salvation Army; money collected, \$294.71; money expended \$347.73.

Harmony circle, Mrs. Willis, secretary, reported cash for the year \$228.26; cash sent \$179.75; socks donated to the depot, 140 pairs.

Alexandra circle, Mrs. Mason, president, reported money raised \$273; shipped overseas, seventy-five parcels and forty-eight pairs of socks knitted.

West Side circle, Mrs. Fraser, president, reported 460 parcels packed and sent overseas, 411 pairs of socks, 296 pairs of mitts, including assorted comforts; total money raised, \$3,478; from 800 letters have been donated to the association.

Red, White and Blue, Miss Hattie Disher, secretary, reported the receipts for the year to be \$207.30; expenses \$156.66; net profit \$50.64. The yarn fund \$95; tobacco fund \$20 and the appeal \$10.

True Canadian Circle, Mrs. Todd, president, money made during the year, \$862.32; expenses \$705.08; 219 parcels sent overseas and seventy-five pairs of socks on hand.

Monday Evening Club, St. John, reported 179 pairs of socks knitted; eighteen parcels shipped overseas and \$20 donated to the S. C. A.

MRS. POTTER PALMER

Estate of Society Leader May
Prove Worth \$15,000,000

Patron of Arts and Labor; Her Services
to Columbian and Paris Expositions
Earned Her Fame; An Organizer of
Charity Ball

Mrs. Potter Palmer of Chicago, whose death was reported this week, died from pneumonia in her winter home in Florida. At her bedside were her sister, Mrs. Frederick D. Grant; her brother, Adrian G. Honour; her two sons and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Honour Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Potter Palmer, Jr., and her daughter, Mrs. Honour Palmer.

In addition to being Chicago's acknowledged social leader, she was for years and more, Mrs. Palmer had an enviable reputation as a sagacious and far-seeing business woman. Her work as president of the board of lady managers for the Columbian Exposition at Chicago stands well up among the record achievements of American women in business. Also, she was a connoisseur in art, and encouraged its development.

Mrs. Palmer, who was Miss Bertha Honour, was born in Louisville of French descent. Her father, H. H. Honour, was one of the chief citizens in Louisville, and his daughter grew up well known in the social life of the Kentucky city. She went to school at a convent in Georgetown, Md., and on her graduation went to Chicago, where she made her debut in 1870. She married Potter Palmer, a prominent merchant, who was considerably older than herself, in 1873.

Her initiation into the intricacies of business came while she was a young bride, for her husband suffered, together with thousands of others less wealthy than himself, as a result of the great Chicago fire. To his wife, Mrs. Palmer afterward gave much of the credit for recouping his losses on this occasion.

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Soon after the World's Fair was over Mrs. Palmer began to interest herself in the annual charity ball held in Chicago. She was the leading spirit in organizing it and carrying it through to a successful conclusion each year. Even when traveling in Europe, Mrs. Palmer always returned home in the fall in time to act as one of the promoters of the affair.

SOOT Reins Your Clothes

Ever have soot spoil your
clothes on wash day? Avoid
this nuisance and keep your
clothes and temper sweet by using



Witch Soot Destroyer

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NO FLAME, NO ODOR,
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DIRECTIONS:
Make a bright, hot fire, then place a "Witch" (unopened) in the hottest part. Shut down all plates and open all dampers leading to chimney. In a few minutes all fires will be cleaned of soot. If chimney is very dirty you may require two packages to obtain the desired result.

Price 25 cents at all Dealers.

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HALF MILLION U. S. SOLDIERS IN FRANCE

Washington, May 8—More than half a million American soldiers have been sent to France. Secretary Baker today authorized the statement that his forecast in congress in January that 500,000 troops would be despatched to France early in the present year had been surpassed.

Secretary of G. W. V. A.
Ottawa, May 8—N. W. Stewart, who served two years convalescence with the Battalion from British Columbia, and was wounded, has been appointed secretary-treasurer of the Great War Veterans' Association of Canada, department board, in succession to N. F. Knight, who has relinquished the office owing to ill-health.

Mr. Stewart will carry out the duties until the annual convention of the association in Toronto next July, when his appointment will likely be confirmed. He is a native of Aylmer (Que.), but enlisted for overseas service in Vancouver.

Murder in Sydney

Sydney, May 9—At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon two men had been arrested on suspicion of having murdered Joseph Younan in his store on the night of May 8 and by 6 o'clock it had been decided that while neither one of the accused was connected with the murder, further developments as a result of their arrest might occur.

The second man to be arrested was Michael Ryan, who was taken at 8 o'clock by Chief of Police McCormick and Inspector Floyd, at the plant of the By-Products Coke Company. Ryan is a Nova Scotia about thirty-three years of age, but while he appeared nervous on being arrested, he is not believed to be the man wanted. It was decided after closely questioning him.

The first man to be arrested as reported was John James Hennessy, of New Waterford. Both Ryan and Hennessy are being held until this morning when they will probably be released. In both cases the arrests were made as the result of descriptions of men supplied by Syrians, who declared that they looked like men who had been hanging around the store during the day the murder was committed. A Syrian boy told the police that a man had visited the store on four different occasions.

With only a blue mask, a cap, a revolver, and a vague description of the gunman, at times, the city police had a difficult task from the start to discover the man who at 11:40 o'clock Monday night shot and killed Joseph Younan in his store.

Angus McLeod, who has lived over the store for about a year, told a reporter that he ran down stairs when he heard the shot. He was intimately acquainted with Mr. Younan. "Joe was conscious," he stated, "and as I believed that he was going to die soon, I tried to get all the information I could from him. When I asked him who did the shooting he said that he saw the man, but the man had something black on his face. He was shot in the lower left side, but was not bleeding much. The man had come behind the counter and poking a gun at Joe, ordered him to hold up his hands. Joe thought he was fooling and the man

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struck him in the face, and right afterwards fired.

"When I asked Joe who did the shooting he said that he could not understand why it was done. He said that he had no enemies that he knew of. He knew that he would die, as he said a couple of times, 'I'm done.' I telephoned Dr. John McDonald and the police."

Tuesday morning Mr. McLeod visited the field through which the gunman had run and found a piece of blue cloth which had been used as a mask. The cloth was large enough to cover the face and had holes for the eyes. Another man found a cap. The revolver, which had two empty shells in it and was of 38 calibre, was found by W. Ferguson, 181 Prince street, on the railway track, when he was going to his work at Chapell's factory.

A Strategic Position.

Jinks was always complaining of his wife's memory. "She can never remember anything," said he. "It's awful."

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"What was it?" asked Jinks, eagerly.

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HOW DIFFERENT FIGHTERS FEEL BEFORE BATTLE

There are few boxers nowadays who enter the ring as John L. Sullivan used to enter it in the olden days. Sully never knew what nervousness was, and sometimes an hour before a battle he would lie down and take a good nap. He seemed to go into the ring as you would go to a picnic. The little drubbing in sight never worried him.

and joked with his seconds and friends and was always full of life, fire and ginger. He often said that he never worried and seldom lost any sleep over a battle.

102 DEATHS IN AIR CAMPS

Washington, May 8.—The War Department authorizes a statement that there had been 102 deaths in flying accidents in aviation schools and camps in this country and at Camp Borden, Toronto, from the date of establishment to April 24, 1918. These deaths were distributed as follows:—

PASSPORT BILL HITS AMERICANS NOW IN GERMANY

Washington, May 8.—The House has passed the Administration Passport Bill requiring all persons entering the United States to have a government permit and giving the president broad powers in restricting entrance to and exit from American ports.

of the House Rules Committee, urging action. Controversy in Senate. Protracted controversy in the Senate over the Sedition Bill to severely penalize disloyal acts and utterances and interference with Liberty Loan sales and the army draft, ended late today in adoption of the conference report on the measure by a vote of forty-eight to twenty-eight. The House is expected to agree to the report next week.

truthful statements made with good motives. The Emergency Bill, authorizing the department of agriculture to spend \$19,780,288 to increase production of food, was ordered favorably reported today by the House Agricultural committee.

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MOTOR CARS IN P. E. ISLAND. Prince Edward Island is going to give motor cars more liberty. This summer all the roads will be open to motors at all times, except that on Tuesdays and Fridays, which are market days, the rural roads will be forbidden ground for the automobiles.

Paris, May 8.—Count Gilbert De Lafayette, son of the Marquis De Lafayette, and a descendant of General Lafayette, of revolutionary fame, has been decorated with the war cross. He has been serving as a sergeant in the French artillery.

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WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BASEBALL National League. In New York—Philadelphia 2, New York 8. Batteries—Prendergast, Tincup and C. Burns; Perritt and Kairden. In Boston—Brooklyn 8, Boston 4. Batteries—Coombs and M. Wheat; Nehf and Wilson. In St. Louis—Cincinnati 9, St. Louis 6. Batteries—Schneider, Conley, Regan, Eller and H. Smith; May, Meadows, Eady. In Pittsburgh—Chicago 8, Pittsburgh 1. Batteries—Tyler and Killifer, O'Farrell; Cooper, Steele and Archer. American League. In Philadelphia—New York 2, Philadelphia 5. Batteries—Caldwell and Hannah; Perry and Perkins. In Detroit—St. Louis 5, Detroit 1. Batteries—Southern and Numamaker; James, Fineran, Cunningham and Yelle, Spencer. In Chicago—Cleveland 5, Chicago 9. Batteries—Groom, Combe, Easman, Coveleskie and O'Neill; Coyotte, Shellenbach, Danforth, C. Williams and Schalk. In Washington—Boston 4, Washington 14. Batteries—Bush, Mays, Wyckoff and Agnew, Mayor; Shaw, Harper and Almsmith, Casey. International League. In Newark—Syracuse 1, Newark 9. In Jersey City—Rochester 2, Jersey City 4. In Baltimore—Buffalo 2, Baltimore 7. In Birmingham—Toronto 2, Birmingham 3 (seventeen innings). WRESTLING Cadock Wins on Points. Chicago, May 8.—Sergt. Earl Cadock of the national army, and world's champion heavyweight wrestler, failed to throw Wladek Zbyszko, the Polish titleholder, in two hours here tonight, but was awarded the decision on points.

WHY THE DODGERS ARE RUNNING IN RUT Manager Robinson Lost Six Of Last Season's Pitches Five of the six members of the Robins who have been drafted are pitchers. A can hoisting of Pfeffer, Mitchell, Smith, Judge and Dell would be well fortified in the box, yet these are the men whose services Robins will be without this season. Last season the five men won one-fifth of the games and last fifty-nine games. Smith and Leon Cadore each won six of the games they pitched. Cadore won thirteen and lost the same number, and Smith won and lost an even dozen. "Oh, come now," he protested, "you're not so heavy as all that."

Not For Norman. Ian MacLaren, in one of his lectures in Boston, gave the following delicious bit of Scotch humor. It was the story of a parishioner of the late Dr. Norman MacLeod, who, on her husband falling ill with typhus fever, called in another clergyman. "Why didn't you fetch your own minister?" was asked. "D'ye think," was the woman's reply, "we would risk Norman with typhus fever?"—Christian Register.

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OMAA KHAYYAM WON SEASON'S FIRST START Escoba Also Shows Good Performance in Derby Trial

Washington, April 24.—The signal corps has decided that birch can be substituted for walnut in plywood catering into the construction of the fuselages of aircraft. This will release a considerable quantity of walnut for propellers and gunstocks. Some mahogany also is used for this part of airplanes and factories are permitted to make a choice of several other woods.

Blair Gowrie, winner of the second race at Pinilco, was murdered by Ottawa bettors. He paid twenty to one and several bank rolls were crumpled as the result.

Mrs. Kate Leydecker's win was her fourth straight. Outside of Tommy Wase she had little to beat. Foreground which ran second to Omar Khayyam belongs to Commander J. K. L. Ross and is an imported colt. It was only his second start and he may turn out to be of some account. Commander Ross also started Hill Hampton, another imported colt, but he was unplaced.

Jockey Kummer rode two winners yesterday and it is a tough day indeed that this clever rider does not put over at least one first.

Jockey Erickson, the clever apprentice rider, is on the ground again for rough riding. He is going to spoil his usefulness if he isn't a little more careful. He should take a leaf out of Carol Shilling's book. Shilling persisted in rough riding back a few years ago and he is now on the ground for good. Erickson will land there too if he isn't careful.

IRISH-AMERICAN SENTIMENT (Hamilton Herald.) At a recent meeting of the Irish Fellowship Club in Chicago, two of the speakers said things which one would like to see printed in Irish newspapers at this time. Quin O'Brien said: "I am the son of a Fenian, a man who left Ireland because of persecution and famine; but if it were necessary to win this war that Ireland should be sunk in the sea alongside the Lusitania, then I would say, 'Sink Ireland!'" And James G. Condon said: "This message should go to the people of Ireland:—Remember your friend, it is fighting for her liberty, and if you harass one of her allies you are not answering the true call of democracy, but are fighting to encumber the liberty and progress of the world."

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LOCAL NEWS

POLICE COURT.
In the police court this morning two prisoners charged with drunkenness pleaded guilty and were fined \$8 or two months in jail. They were sent below.

HEIGHTH OF THE FRESHET.
That the freshet in the river has reached its maximum is the opinion of men closely in touch with the situation. The water seemed if anything to be a little lower today.

DEATH OF CHILD.
Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Shubee Carvell will sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, Norman, Grundmark Carvell, which occurred on May 8 at their residence, 241 King street, West St. John.

HIS ARM BROKEN.
A young boy, Harold Gogan, of 88 Simonds street, while riding down Moore street hill on his bicycle last evening, fell and broke his arm. He was taken to the General Public Hospital and given treatment.

SMALLPOX.
Two new cases of smallpox were found last night and the patients sent to the isolation hospital. One case was in Carleton and the other in East St. John. Yesterday several schools were closed in the city in which were children of families under suspicion were fumigated. This was purely a precautionary measure.

ST. JOHN INTEREST IN AMERICAN CASUALTY

E. H. R. Appleton Wounded—Wife Was Miss Ada M. Galbraith of Carleton

Mrs. Ernest H. R. Appleton, daughter of James W. Galbraith of the West Side, has been officially informed from Washington, D. C., that her husband has been wounded in France. Mr. Appleton is serving with the 101st United States Infantry and is connected with the chief officers' mess. Before going into the army he was in the hotel business in Leominster, Mass. He is a veteran of the Boer war and of World War I, being born in Hull, England. Mrs. Appleton for some time has been residing in Springfield, Mass.

GOVERNMENT MEETING

Increased River Subsidy and Assistance for Veterans' Club Asked For

A meeting of the provincial government, which was opened last evening in the government rooms in Prince William street, was continued this morning. The members of the government met as commissioners of the Provincial Hospital at half past two o'clock this afternoon and as the board of education at four o'clock. This evening they will go on with the docket and it is probable that the meeting will be continued tomorrow.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CATHOLIC GIRLS' GUILD

The annual meeting of the Catholic Girls' Guild was held last evening in the Y. M. C. I. auditorium, Rev. Wm. Duke presiding. The object of the guild is the spiritual, mental and physical development and betterment of young women, especially strangers to the city. There are various committees, such as an educational committee, conducting a night school from October to April.

AFRAID ST. JOHN WILL NOT REACH TOTAL AIMED AT

Red Triangle Fund Campaign Ends Today—N. B. Figures at Noon About \$65,000

With half of the last day of the Red Triangle campaign over and with but a few calls yet to make, the canvassers are very doubtful if St. John will subscribe her full portion.

The canvassers went to work this morning bright and early with the spirit which makes for success. They made many calls throughout the city and, while not being turned away without a donation, yet some of the donations were not so substantial as they had hoped.

It was figured at the campaign headquarters this morning that at noon at least \$65,000 had been subscribed throughout the province, with many places to hear from.

Chief Justice Hasen wired from Vancouver today a subscription of \$200; W. S. Fisher from Winnipeg, \$200; D. C. Dawson from Regina, \$50; Mrs. T. S. Simms from Fort Saskatchewan, \$10; M. G. Teed, \$50.

Judge McLatchey of Campbellton wired that Restigouche, which was asked to raise only \$4,000 or a little more, had subscribed \$9,500.

HIGHER WAGES FOR EMPLOYEES IN PUBLIC WORKS

Council Committee Recommends Increases of Twenty-Five And Fifty Cents A Day For Certain Classes of Workers

The matter of wages for some of the employees in the public works department occupied the attention of the common council committee during their entire session this morning. After a prolonged discussion increases of twenty-five and fifty cents per day were recommended to the council.

In the absence of Mayor Hayes, Commissioner Bullock presided and Commissioners Fisher, McLellan and Hilyard were present.

Commissioner Fisher presented a petition from the men employed on the city stone crushers for an increase of fifty cents a day on account of the higher cost of living, and announcing that they would quit work if the increase was not granted. He presented a motion similar to that before the council on Tuesday, with the exception that it was applied only to transient employees, giving the commissioner of public works authority to fix wages at his discretion. He expected to pay laborers \$9 a day and skilled workers about \$2.75 a day.

Commissioner Hilyard agreed that labor was scarce and it would be undesirable to have the work held up. Commissioner McLellan said that the employees were the poorest paid of any city employees.

Commissioner Bullock thought the different departments should pay the same rates. If one department paid higher rates the men of the other departments would want the same.

After some discussion a scale of fifty cent increases for skilled workers, including motor truck drivers, and twenty-five cents for laborers was suggested.

Commissioner McLellan felt that there should be no reduction in the amount of work planned and, if increased wages were authorized the excess might well be charged to next year's appropriation.

Commissioner Fisher moved that the rates be fixed as follows: Stone crusher employees, blacksmith drillmen, \$8.75 a day; ordinary drillmen and engineers, \$8.50; quarrymen, \$8.25, and laborers \$8; street employees, motor truck drivers, asphalt men, and cement finishers, \$8.25 a day.

Commissioner McLellan moved that the proviso be added that there should be no curtailment of the programme of work and the excess cost be provided for temporarily and cared for in the 1919 appropriation.

The motion as amended was carried and the committee adjourned.

REV. C. P. CARLETON TO SILVER FALLS

Petersville Pastor Appointed As Successor to Rev. A. J. O'Neill

That Rev. Charles P. Carleton will be the new pastor of Silver Falls, St. John county, in succession to Rev. A. J. O'Neill, who goes to the parish of the Assumption, was the interesting announcement made at the Palace this morning by Bishop LeBlanc. Father Carleton has been parish priest for the last thirteen years at Petersville, N. B., where he has proved himself an earnest worker, a zealous priest and an efficient pastor.

Rev. Father Carleton received his early education in the city schools here and later pursued his classical studies at St. Joseph's College, St. Joseph's, N. B., where he took his degree. He concluded his theological course at Quebec seminary in the Cathedral on July 19, 1903, by the Right Rev. T. Casey. He remained for two years on the Cathedral staff and was then transferred to the large and important parish of Petersville, which covers a large area with many missions, the important ones of which are Gagetown and Oromocto.

Father Carleton's return to the vicinity of St. John will be the matter of much congratulation and satisfaction. He will take over his new charge on the first Sunday in June.

Judge John L. Carleton, of Woodstock, and William Carleton, a prominent industrial man in the state, are brothers of Rev. Carleton's mother, Mrs. William Carleton, resides in Padlock street.

It was officially announced this morning that Rev. A. J. O'Neill will officiate for the first time in his new parish in Carleton a week from next Sunday.

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