

LABOR LEADERS ENGAGED IN WORD WARFARE

Tom Moore, President of Labor Congress, Says His Predecessor, Watters, CAN GO THE LIMIT IN HIS ATTACKS

Watters Retorts That Moore Made Statements That Were Misleading and Therefore Dishonest.

Ottawa, May 7.—The "Citizen" has the following: Tom Moore president of the Trades and Labor Congress, states that he is back at all concerned about the attack made on him at the Toronto Trades and Labor Council last night by C. J. Watters, former president of the Congress, and that so far as he is concerned Watters can go the limit so far as attacks of this kind are concerned.

Watters alleged that Tom Moore did everything in his power to thwart his movements as representative of the workers of the Dominion at the Peace Conference in Paris. He said when he wished to place his side of the dispute between himself and Mr. Moore before the Trades Congress at Hamilton, Ont., in 1919, the matter was pushed through by the side of Mr. Moore from England to Hamilton.

"So far as this statement is concerned," Mr. Moore said, "Watters is at liberty to go the limit. The fact remains, however, that the action I took was approved by close on 1,000 delegates at the Hamilton Conference. Mr. Moore laid stress on the fact that he was nominated for President after both his own and Watters' statement had been read by the Hamilton Conference; and that the election took place after his arrival.

"Other statements which had been spread broadcast, relative to my controlling the convention," added Mr. Moore, "are foolish on the face of them. It is not surprising enough to believe that anyone is capable of controlling the minds of a thousand. If it were true that I did I would sure be some labor leader."

Watters' statement Mr. Moore, who arrived in Ottawa on Monday, when interviewed and asked the purpose of Tom Moore's statement regarding the Hamilton Convention, characterized the statement that he had been given the opportunity to give his side of the case before the election as a "dishonest lie."

"It was impossible for me to arrive at Hamilton before Mr. Moore's report on the Peace Conference was made. That report was misleading, therefore, dishonest," stated Mr. Watters.

The report passed by that convention was against the desire of some of the members of the committee, and against the motion from the floor of the House to postpone action until I arrived the following morning.

Continuing, Mr. Watters stated when he arrived he attempted to speak but was prevented from doing so because the action adopting the report had been passed and the discussion closed. The statement he made in Toronto, Mr. Watters said, was to describe the minds of the delegates to the Hamilton convention, and the wrong impression created by the misleading report to the executive.

NOT A REMEDY AGAINST SIN

Clerics of Anglican Church Will Ask for Elimination of This Clause from Marriage Service.

Cross-Atlantic News Service. (Copy right.) London, May 7.—Elimination from the marriage service of the clause describing marriage as a remedy against sin will be sought at the forthcoming Convocation of Canterbury. Dr. Wason, who is 84 years old, Dean of Canterbury, will propose a change in the order of the clauses for which matrimony was ordained, as follows: First, it was ordained for the mutual society, help and comfort that one ought to have of the other; secondly, it was ordained for the protection of children; thirdly, it was ordained as a remedy against sin.

Other prelates who have views of their own are expected to urge more radical alterations in the service. The "remedy against sin" clause is regarded as "a survival of the Middle Ages when everything connected with sex was regarded as sinful."

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

Special to The Standard. Montreal, N. B., May 7.—The Montreal Medical Society, which has been dormant for some time, was reorganized tonight in order to prepare for the meeting of the New Brunswick Medical Society, to be held in this city this summer. The following officers were elected: Dr. W. A. Ferguson, president; Dr. L. H. Fries, vice-president; Dr. S. W. Burrows, secretary; Dr. A. H. Landry, treasurer; Dr. P. McD. Atkinson, secretary.

CONCESSIONS TO TRAMWAY MEN

Halifax Operators Ready to Meet Men Half Way at Least.

Montreal, May 7.—It is stated that some concessions will be made to the Tramways employees in the matter of wages at a meeting to be held Monday between the Tramways' Commission and representatives of the employees. The plan is to give the men everything that can possibly be given short of coming as a decrease in the rates of fares.

MEXICAN REBELS' BLOODLESS SUCCESS

Vera Cruz Garrison Has Relieved, But Report That Carranza Had Left Capital Not Confirmed.

Washington, May 7.—Reports, official and unofficial, today credited the Mexican rebels with further bloodless successes. Information reaching the rebel agents here, they said, pointed to an early occupation of Piedras Negras, Laredo and Matamoros, the only important border ports of entry remaining in Carranza control.

News of the revolt of the garrison at Vera Cruz was received through official channels, one town being immediately evacuated by rebels, presumably because of the presence in the harbor of Mexican gunboats loyal to Carranza.

Official confirmation of the report was received early in the day by rebel agents that Carranza already had left the capital was lacking tonight. Developments along the border today suggested three possible fights near the United States border. The commander of the Laredo garrison appears to have held his men in line notwithstanding the defection of customs and immigration guards, but rebels were reported to have captured a trainload of Federal reinforcements between Laredo and the border today.

A similar situation was presented at Piedras Negras, opposite Eagle Pass. There the commanding officer was said to have cleared his garrison, while a rebel force advancing northward was said to have reached a point only 25 miles south of the border.

Andrew Almsman, the rebel who has been operating in Northern Tamaulipas, was reported to be preparing to attack Matamoros, opposite Brownsville, Texas. Spokesmen of the revolutionists minimized the importance of the report of a Federal Court to restrict profits in the necessities of life, and the announcement of General Pablo Gonzalez that he could not support the revolution.

CASE WHICH MEANS MUCH TO CANADA

Tests the Power of a Federal Court to Restrict Profits in the Necessaries of Life.

Ottawa, May 7.—(Canadian Press)—A reference which will test the power of a Federal Court to restrict profits in the necessities of life, was argued in the Supreme Court of Canada today, when W. F. O'Connor, K. C., presented for judgment before the court an order of the Board which seeks to restrict the profits which retail clothing in Ottawa may make. Argument by W. M. Tiller, K. C., opposing counsel, was that the Parliament of Canada could not vest in a court of its own creation powers to restrict the disposition of property, constituting an invasion of provincial rights in matters of criminal law. Eugene Lafleur, K. C., representing the Attorney-General of Alberta, spoke briefly on the question of Provincial rights. The case is a re-hearing of a reference heard last March on which the Supreme Court postponed judgment in order to enable the counsel to present a more concrete case than the last, and to prepare for a judgment which will establish definitely the statutes of the Board of Commerce as a profit-fixing tribunal. Argument lasted all day and judgment was reserved.

PLENTY OF TIME IN STATE OF OHIO

Columbus, O., May 7.—Ohio will have four different names for its clock time this summer, and three actually different kinds of time. They are: eastern standard, sun time, central standard and advanced central standard. The last mentioned is an extra only for its coincides with eastern standard time. The name came about through action of communities in western Ohio desiring to advance their clock one hour. It was the same as eastern standard time, but they preferred to call it advanced central standard. About half of Ohio is on eastern standard time because the regular dividing line runs midway from north to south. When it is noon at Youngstown, it will be 11 a. m. at Cincinnati, Dayton and Toledo, but it will be noon at Hamilton and Springfield, which are but a few miles out of Cincinnati and Dayton. At the same time, it will be 11:30 o'clock sun time in some other places.

BENEFITS HAVE ACCRUED UNDER THE SOLDIERS' SETTLEMENT ACT AS REVEALED IN THE DISCUSSIONS OF PARLIAMENT YESTERDAY.

London, May 7.—American Navy crews which have just arrived in this country are in vigorous training for their flight to America in the Red Sea when that stretch, which is now under construction at Bedford, is completed. They are also under a course of air navigation and management.

SETTLERS ON THE LAND PROVED TO BE ALL THAT COULD BE DESIRED, AND THE WHOLE PROVES A GOOD INVESTMENT.

Ottawa, Ont., May 7.—(Canadian Press)—Accomplishments to date, under the Soldiers' Settlement Act, and the work of the Soldiers' Settlement Board, were outlined in the House today. The discussion arose when the House voted into committee of supply on a vote of fifty millions dollars to provide for a continuance of this work. Hon. Arthur Meighen, under whom the board functions, opened the debate by giving to the committee a review of the work accomplished. He stated that the amount of loans approved from the time the scheme was put in operation until the end of last March totalled nearly sixty millions. Fifty thousand applications had been received, over 30,000 had been approved, and 15,254 settlers were now on the land through the assistance of the Government. The average loan per settler was \$3,700, and already 69 applicants had discharged their obligations in full.

Mr. Meighen said that all but two millions of the amount asked for would be advanced in loans, the remaining two millions being required for administration purposes. The work of the home branch in assisting the wives of the soldier settlers was proceeding in a satisfactory manner, and was being extended gradually to all the provinces.

Certain Criticism. Although the majority of the committee appeared pleased with the accomplishments and paid tribute to the work of the Board, a certain amount of criticism was made. One member of the committee rose to allow for the presentation of the report on the settlement of the Quebec South, expressed the opinion that the Chairman of the Board should be a returned soldier, and he objected to the settlement scheme as a whole. He also stated that in the Great War Veterans' Association, in convention at Montreal, had passed a resolution demanding the resignation of the Board. Mr. Meighen replied that the resignation was underway when the resolution was moved, and that it had resulted in the discharge of Mr. Duce, of Edmonton, the mover of the resolution. This man had been in the employment of the Board, but it was found that he was using his position to further his private ends.

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The Minister of the Interior said that he was justified in acting on resolutions unsupported by facts. He must have a justification of actual cases, before he would be justified in acting. He could not see that any gain would result from discussing resolutions which were merely agreed, at the request of Major Pover, that a number of resolutions dealing with the working of the Soldiers' Settlement Act, and passed by returned soldiers' organizations, should be brought before the committee now sitting on re-establishment.

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THE NOVA SCOTIA TEMPERANCE BILL

Various Phases of the Act Explained by the Sponsor of the Bill.

Halifax, May 7.—In the House of Assembly today, Hon. Mr. McGregor explained the temperance bill which he has introduced, stating that all the amendments suggested had been placed in it and decided upon them would be left to the committee. The chief changes include the appointment of a Board of Vendors Commissioned to control the import and sale of intoxicants in rural municipalities, the subject to the approval of the Governor-in-Council, the application of the Act to the expenses of its administration, provision for inquiry into the doings of an inspector or vendor after his resignation, and the prohibition of carrying or soliciting orders for alcohol.

Mr. McGregor doubted the possibility of passing this last amendment, which seems aimed at the several import companies, until the question of inter-provincial transportation of liquors has been definitely settled.

UNITED STATES CREW FOR R-38

Training Hard for Cross-Atlantic Flight—Taking Course in Air Navigation.

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BRITISH POLITICAL PARTY IN A MIX-UP

Lively Dispute Between Two Branches of the Liberal Party Leads to Trouble.

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LORD NORTHCLIFFE NOT IN PRESS PARTY

London, May 7.—(Canadian Associated Press.) Lord Northcliffe is unable to join the Press Conference to Canada. The agenda of the conference is being arranged so that discussions will not be too largely devoted to special newspaper interests, the English delegation desiring to hear views from Canadian representatives on matters of broad interest.

INSURANCE AGAINST PROHIBITION IN YEAR

London Offices Issuing Policies at Five Dollars Per Thousand.

Cross-Atlantic News Service. (Copy right.) London, May 7.—Insurance against prohibition coming into force in England within twelve months will be offered at a premium of \$5.50 per \$1,000.

YUKON DISABLED

Halifax, N. S., May 7.—The American steamer Yukon, which sailed from Norfolk on May 2nd, for Oshkosh with six thousand tons of coal, put in here this afternoon for repairs to her deck gear, and to replace her damaged stern. She encountered a strong gale and heavy gales 800 miles off Halifax on Wednesday night that caused the damage.

TO CONSORTIUM JAPAN AGREES

It Will Become Effective as Soon as Signatures of Officials Are Affixed.

Washington, May 7.—Japan has withdrawn all objections to the Chinese consortium and has prepared a communication accepting the terms agreed upon by Great Britain, the United States and France, the State Department was informed today by the Embassy at Tokio. The consortium will become effective as soon as the signatures of the officials have been affixed. The acceptance of the consortium by Japan ends a two years' effort to provide for the financing of China by representative group members in each of the four countries.

TIME EXTENSION TO HUNGARIANS

Paris, May 7.—Five additional days have been added to the ten days given to the Hungarian Peace Delegation as to consider the reply of the Peace Conference to Hungary. The extension was requested by the Hungarian delegation. The British, French, which the Hungarians have to consider, or the reply date from May 22.

DEVELOPMENT OF CANADIAN NAT. RESOURCES

Special Committee of House of Commons Reports on Proposal to Establish A SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE

Which if Properly Conducted Should be of Enormous Advantage to the Industrial Life of the Dominion.

Ottawa, May 7.—In the House of Commons tonight, Hon. George Crozier, London, outlined a scheme for the establishment of a research institute for Canada, as reported by a select committee of which he is chairman. Mr. Crozier quoted the report of the committee as follows: "The object of action to be taken to establish a national research institute in Canada is to assist to all who know what is being done abroad in this line. To meet the international competition which the work of laboratories in Great Britain, the United States and overseas British Dominions in creating Canada must have a national research institute which will place at the disposal of the Dominion the resources of science, and further the development of the natural wealth of the country to meet the high burden of debt imposed by the war. If the natural resources of the Dominion were appropriately utilized, its developed wealth might readily be as much as ten times what it is now. The conservation of our natural resources into developed wealth can only be accomplished, however, through the application of that science of the most advanced type."

Mr. Crozier explained that the functions of the institute will be in the main of two kinds. First, the standardization of all measures used throughout the country including standards of length, volume, weight, etc., of heat, light, electricity and other forms of energy, of the scientific and technical apparatus used either in the public services or by the industries of Canada, and of the quality of materials required in the construction of public works, etc.

Second Function. The second function of the institute will be to direct and supervise research into technical processes and methods in Canada, and the development of our natural resources, the expansion of existing industries or the furthering of new ones and in the utilization of what are now discarded as waste products. The methods to be followed in the fulfilment of the labor portion of this programme will be in the main those adopted by Great Britain and the United States. The endeavor will be to form in this country trade associations, which it is proposed to call upon to carry out research. Industries interested throughout the land interested in a particular form of activity will be brought together and by joint effort a research program will select and pay the salary of a competent scientific investigator or research expert who will carry out the work in a properly equipped laboratory in the government institute.

The report of the committee recommends that the institute be located on a convenient site, fifty acres in area, near Ottawa; that parliament appropriate \$500,000 for the purchase of this land and the construction of a building; \$100,000 for the scientific equipment of the institute and \$50,000 for salaries and maintenance during the first year of its operation. Mr. Crozier explained that the figures are based on current cost estimates and figures supplied by the Director of the United States Bureau of Standards, and that the total sum could be spread over a number of years.

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Names of delegates to the conference, additional to those already announced, have been received by Mr. C. F. Cranall, honorary secretary of the Canadian Press Association Commission, in charge of arrangements, and include Sir Patrick McGrath, proprietor of the St. John's Evening Herald, Newfoundland.

FRASER DRIVES ARE SAFELY IN

Estimated Company Has Cut 125,000,000 for Its Various Mills.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., May 7.—All of the dozen lumber drives for the Fraser Co., Ltd., in this district, containing some twelve million feet of the supply of logs for the season's cut at the Victoria mill, have been brought out of the stream successfully. It was announced this morning.

Jan. G. Douglas, driver on the Taylor for Fraser's, is the last one to come out, but it is in the main Nashwanak River and is in safe waters. All the other drives in this district are out, and last night a crew of men were despatched to Magalloway, where the log is breaking up in the lake. They will bring the season's cut of four million feet down the lakes in large booms to the site of the new Fraser mill, which is now in course of construction, and will, it is expected, be ready for operation some time in June.

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PREMIER'S FUTURE IS UNCERTAIN

Some Say He Will Resign as Soon as Session is Over, and a New Leader Selected.

Ottawa, May 7.—Simultaneous announcements that both Sir Robert Borden and the budget will be in Parliament next week have given politics a new lease of life. The Prime Minister is reported to be in better health than was commonly supposed, and will, it is understood, make an important speech on the budget. His future, however, is uncertain. In some quarters the opinion is held that he will continue in office until a return of illness or defeat at the polls compels him to retire. Others, professing to have more intimate knowledge, say that he will resign as soon as the session is over; and that Unionism will be faced with the task of selecting a new chief. Sir George Foster, who has led the House with consistency since all through the session, is now spoken of as the new leader; with Sir Thomas Walter and Mr. Meighen both being largely out of the horizon. Everything, however, depends upon the condition and mind of Sir Robert.

Little or nothing has come from behind the veil of secrecy which shrouds the budget. There is talk of an increased business tax; of an "economy" upon which it is safe to base a prediction. Only one thing is certain, some kind of a new taxation is contemplated, or else the country is in for another loan, something which at this stage would be highly unpopular with parliament.

In connection with the budget an address which Mr. Borden, Commissioner of Taxation, gave before a gathering of members and senators this morning, was extremely interesting. Among the interesting things which he had to disclose were: That there were a million persons making returns this year; that there was a thousand in Toronto alone who had not filed a return; that in 1917, 17 Senators and 30 Members of the House had taxable incomes; that while the United States had 141 persons with incomes of a million a year, Canada did not have one; that the average tax rate falls mainly upon the cities; that only .04 of one per cent of the farm acre of Ontario had taxable incomes; and that the total tax income to collect. These facts were a revelation to the Parliamentarians, particularly as many of them are under the too common delusion that a national income tax collecting machine could be devised and smoothly operated within a year or two, after that Canada ought to be producing as much with this tax as countries of such immense wealth as Great Britain and the United States.

Mr. Meighen's land settlement estimates brought him a number of well-deserved bouquets from all sides of the House. These, at any rate, in the feature of the Government's administration that is not open to attack, if having been a pronounced and unchangeable success since first; and the Minister of the Interior, who usually comes in for the blows that are always aimed at hard fighters for once found himself in the position of being commended by friend and foe alike.

NEW LAREDO TROOPS REVOLT

State Gov't at Vera Cruz Has Been Removed from Cordova to City of Vera Cruz.

Washington, May 7.—The Federal garrison at Nuevo Laredo, in the State of Coahuila, just across the border from Laredo, Texas, has revolted and joined the Sonora movement, according to authoritative advices received in Washington today. The Federal garrison at Vera Cruz revolted yesterday and left the city. The State Government of Vera Cruz has been removed from Cordova to the city of Vera Cruz. It also was reported that the Pan-American Railway from Tonala to the Guatemala border is in the hands of the revolutionists.

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### Canadian National Express Company

It is expected that when the Government takes over the Grand Trunk Railway it will also take over the Canadian Express, and there is considerable speculation as to what the effect will be upon the situation of the express companies operating in the Maritime Provinces. When the Government took over the Canadian Northern it also took over the Grand Northern Express, calling it the Canadian National Express.

At present the Canadian Express, which is owned by the Grand Trunk and the Dominion Express, owned by the C. P. R. have operating rights on the Government roads in the Maritime Provinces, but these may be abrogated at a month's notice when the Government takes over the Grand Trunk it is expected it will incorporate the Canadian Express into the Canadian National Express, and practically establish a monopoly of the express business on its lines. If this action is taken it will probably cut the Dominion Express out of a considerable business it does over the old I. C. R. but the Dominion Express will still be able to do business with Halifax and western Nova Scotia by way of the St. John and Digby service and the old D. A. Railway. This may mean an increase of its business through St. John.

If the Canadian Express is swallowed up by the Canadian National, it is possible there may be some changes, but it is not likely that the operating staffs will be affected to any extent. The Express Companies are doing a bigger business in the Maritime Provinces today than ever before, and a government express system would probably have need of all the men now employed.

### WITNESSES FAILED TO ANSWER COURT

New York, May 7. — Witnesses scheduled to testify before Federal Commissioner Gilchrist, in bankruptcy proceedings brought by strategy companies against Jules W. ("Wicky") Aronson and David W. Sullivan, former head of the brokerage firm of Sullivan & Company, in connection with New York's \$5,000,000 bond pool, failed to appear.

Commissioner Gilchrist waited for Ray Cohen, sister of "Wicky" Cohen, associate of Aronson, to appear and give further testimony, and in anticipation of clashes between witnesses, arrangements had been made in station extra guards in the commissioner's room.

### FRASERS SECURE DOM. PULP MILL

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., May 7. — The Fraser Companies, Ltd., today exercised an option they have recently held on the Dominion Pulp Company's mill near Chatham, on the Miramichi, and holdings of 238 square miles of Crown timber limits. Somewhat more than \$1,000,000 is involved in the transaction. The mills have a present capacity of fifty odd tons of pulp daily.

The Fraser group own and operate eleven lumber mills and have two more in course of construction. They have a pulp mill at Edmundston, and the Dominion plant will make their second, while they are to have a big pulp and paper plant on the Tobique, authority for which was given by the Legislature this year.

### UNITED VETERANS PROTEST STATEMENT

**Of Gen. McLean—Dominion Executive Pass Resolutions Urging General's Resignation from Committee.**

Ottawa, Ont., May 7.—The Grand Army of United Veterans, one of the leaders of which is Mr. J. Harry Flynn, has joined with the Great War Veterans' Association in its protest against the statement attributed to Brigadier General McLean, M. P., concerning soldiers' wives.

The following resolution, passed by the Dominion Executive of the G. A. U. V., was voted to Mr. C. Grant MacNeill, Dominion Secretary of the G. A. U. V. A. today:

"The Dominion Executive of the Grand Army of United Veterans strongly condemn the attitude of Brigadier General McLean in reference to his statement that the majority of private soldiers' wives are from the servant class, and demand a retraction of his statement, and be it further:

Resolved, that the resignation of General McLean from the Pension and Re-establishment Commission be requested."

Telegrams from all parts of the Dominion continue to arrive at Dominion Headquarters, G. W. V. A., protesting against General McLean's utterance. The majority of them demand that the Dominion Executive, G. W. V. A., ask the General to resign from the Commission.

A wire from the British Columbia Command, received today, contains a resolution passed by the Provincial Executive there, in which a Royal Commission to deal with pensions and re-establishment is advocated. It is stipulated, moreover, that, in the event of such a Commission, there should be direct representation for the rank and file of returned men.

### OSLER ESTATE

London, May 7.—(Canadian Associated Press).—The estate of Sir William Osler has been probated at £11,650 pounds. The will was made December 1919. It leaves his medical and scientific library to McGill University. The residue goes to his widow and, on her death, his residence is devoted to Christ Church college, Oxford, as a residence for the regular professor of medicine.

### DIED.

**HUGHES**—At his residence, Sea Cliff Cove, on May 6th, after a short illness from pneumonia, J. Herbert Hughes in his 43rd year, leaving a sorrowing wife, three children, one brother and two sisters to mourn. Funeral on Saturday afternoon from Summerville Methodist church. Service at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

**BAKER**—In Watertown, Mass., on Tuesday, May 6th, of pneumonia, Charles Parker Baker, of Fairville, N. B. Funeral service will begin at two o'clock Sunday afternoon at the late residence, Manawagonish road.

**CROCKETT**—Died in Boston, May 6th, at the 84th year of her age, Mary Crockett, widow of Thomas Crockett leaving to mourn three sons and four daughters.

**Funeral** Monday from the home of Charles H. Hutchings, 188 Carmarthen street. Service 3 p. m.

**BURNS**—In his home, 122 Rockland Road, on the 6th instant, Edward L. Burns, at the age of seventy-seven years, leaving his wife, three daughters and two sons to mourn.

**Funeral** on Saturday from his late residence to the 7:10 train. Interment at Norton.

### IN MEMORIAM.

**REID**—In loving memory of Pte. Ellis Reid, who departed this life on May 23rd, 1918. He was a housewife in France for two years. Though we know not where he died for freedom's cause, that we might live in peace and glory.

### PARENTS, BROTHERS AND SISTERS.

### OBITUARY.

**Edward L. Burns.** The death occurred in this city on Thursday, May 6th, at his home, 122 Rockland Road, of the late Edward L. Burns, in his seventy-seventh year. Death was not unexpected, as Mr. Burns has been in failing health for some time. Mr. Burns had lived in this city for over twenty years, and was well and favorably known by a large circle of friends. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Burns; one son, Nelson, of Millford, and three daughters, Mrs. Edith Clong, of Campville, New Brunswick; Mrs. Sarah Turner, of this city, and Miss Charles, at home. The funeral will be held Saturday morning from the home of the deceased to the 7 o'clock train and interment will be made at Norton.

### Annual Meeting Of The Y. M. C. I.

**Reports Were Received from the General Secretary and Chairmen of Various Committees Last Night — Officers Elected Later.**

Thomas Nagle, president of the Young Men's Catholic Institute presided at the annual meeting of the board of directors which was held last evening. The reports of the general secretary, and the chairmen of the various committees were read, and all reported a most successful year. The directors elected for the coming year were as follows:—Dr. S. H. Clarke, St. Peter's; J. A. Barry, Assumption; J. Harrington, Holy Trinity; M. J. Sheenan and L. J. McDonald, the Cathedral parish.

The treasurer, A. J. Fitzpatrick, reported the financial conditions of the institute to be most satisfactory.

The president in his annual address spoke of finding conditions very encouraging and commiserated the year's committees on their excellent work during the year. He also paid high tribute to the efforts of the secretary, J. H. Colahan.

The chairman of the physical committee, H. J. Sheenan, reported the excellent showing the teams had made in athletics and reviewed the year's results in baseball, basketball, ice sports and bowling. In doing so he complimented very highly Physical Director, Joseph McNamara, through whose work the excellent showing was largely due.

George O'Neil, chairman of the boys' committee, led off the boys work that had been done, and the different competitions which were held. He stated that the past year had been very successful.

R. P. O'Toole, chairman of the educational committee, reported on the work done, the lectures given, and spoke of the debating club.

The membership committee reported matters to be satisfactory although the membership was not as large as the preceding year.

J. Houghton read the religious committee's report.

The address of the incoming directors was delivered by Judge R. J. Ritchie.

The directors whose terms expired last evening included Judge H. O. McInnes, Charles Owens, Alfred Dwyer, J. L. Barry and Dr. L. Fleming.

A meeting will be held in the near future by the directors when the election of officers and the appointing of committees for the ensuing year will take place.

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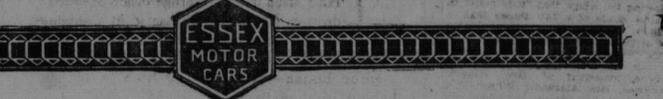
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And the Essex came unknown. Merit was its only advocate for recognition. Its quality was instantly obvious. In looks, in action, its appeal was dynamic. And it drew immediate response from all classes of motor users.

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To those who had owned light cars, the Essex was a revelation. It gave them a new sensation of stability and power. They found charm of appearance, riding ease, and pride of ownership that comes from possession of a car they know none can surpass in performance.

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## Gray-Dort Headquarters at Old St. Malachi's Last Word in Auto Agency Equipment

Entire Ground Floor of Historic Building at Corner of Leinster and Sydney Streets Adapted by Enterprising Firm of Wm. Pirie, Son & Company. Opening on May 10th.

An event of much interest to the motorists of the province and to tourists as well will be the opening of the new headquarters for St. John of Wm. Pirie, Son & Co. New Brunswick, week distributors for Gray-Dort Motors Ltd., in the old St. Malachi's Hall, corner Leinster and Sydney streets, on the afternoon and evening of Monday, May 10. For some weeks this historic building has been in the hands of carpenters, painters, floor polishers and electricians and as a result this enterprising firm now offers an automobile agency with a real metropolitan touch, the last word in up-to-date equipment, facilities for demonstration and storage and a range of 1920 models sufficient to please the most discriminating buyer. Provincial dealers in Gray-Dort cars, local users, and friends of the hustling members of the St. John organization have been invited to be present at the opening which promises to be something of a landmark in motoring circles.

The firm of Wm. Pirie, Son & Co. which controls the sale of Gray-Dorts in New Brunswick has its headquarters at Grand Falls. The St. John organization, which is now housed in the old St. Malachi's is headed by P. Brennan as general manager, and Mr. Brennan's ability and popularity have contributed very largely to the success which has secured such an enhancement possible.

Associated with Mr. Brennan are E. J. Carleton, who looks after the accounting department and parts, and Frank J. Lynch, salesman and Harry Dever head mechanic, formerly with M. R. A. Ltd., furniture department.

The entire ground floor is occupied by the Gray-Dort agency and on entering the building from the wide door at the corner of Leinster and Sydney streets, one finds himself directly in the open-plan show rooms. Here some thirty cars or more are on exhibition and one may choose between the Gray-Dort regular, which has been produced this year with ten major improvements, and a beam automobile,

the "Special," Six and Two-Passenger Roadster. No matter what ready car model, however, the buyer can count on the same sturdy, powerful built motor with its big bore and long stroke heavy crank and shaft and a rear axle built specially in Chatham for the Gray-Dort people. One may choose in color between the gray of the "Regular," and the maroon of the "Special." Sedan and coupe models are also quoted.

Attention to the sitting cars, however, does not prevent an examination of the beauties of the room. Here is a floor space of 30x40 with new hardwood floor, newly laid and varnished, and entire front of plate glass, and a large new window cut in the Leinster street side of the building. Walls and ceiling have been done in buff Murex with chequered, in many color extending around the room about three feet from the floor. Lattice work in mahogany color spanning the two wide arches in the portable partition of the rear of the room also add greatly to the general effect. The lighting is superb with large white globes softening the rays of powerful incandescent bulbs. On the walls are framed photographs showing views of the great Gray-Dort establishment at Chatham, Ont.

Suitable office room has been found in a large room in the southwest corner of the building and here in a space 6x12 seating plans are made and the destinies of the St. John branch directed. Directly behind the main show room and opening into it through the portable partition is a large storage room, filled with cars new and old. This room, 8x24, is most conveniently and admirably adapted to the facility with which the growing business of the company in St. John can be handled. At the further end of the building from Sydney street, occupying a space 23x43 is the repair room, where the machinist is employed in making the necessary repairs. To the right of this is the

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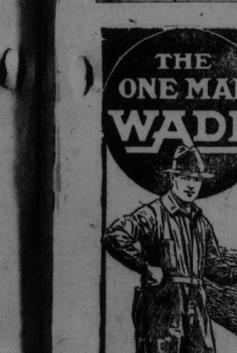
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Our Millinery Room is equipped with 2 machines, 2 large tables, suitcases lockers and blackboards, 2 ironing stands with electric irons.

The teachers in charge—Miss Joseph Carleton were most efficient in knowledge and instruction. About 165 hats were made, some remodelled, and in many cases the material for the new hats was supplied by Committee and the hats purchased at cost after the exhibit.

For the Autumn Term in this Department we cordially recommend these teachers for the work, as we understand their applications have been sent to the secretary.

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In our Dressmaking classes, elementary and advanced work were taught, and in very many cases ordinary sewing was utilized ground.

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In closing the term's work, which involved much detail of importance, Mrs. O'Brien and myself carefully checked all our indebtedness, made an inventory of the Dressmaking and Millinery accessories for the classes to facilitate the Autumn organization.

The Dressmaking and Millinery Rooms could be available for meetings of Associations at the customary rental charge, which would increase the funds. We beg to state that the Dressmaking Room was rented for one evening to the School Teachers' Association for the charge of \$3.00. This we trust will bring other satisfactory arrangements.

The large number of cuttings from garments, of no value to students, was divided, and sent to the home of the Good Shepherd, Waterloo Street, and to the Protestant Orphanage on Britain Street, where they can be utilized for making quilts for the children's beds.

It is with much regret, that I express on behalf of Mrs. O'Brien, her sincere regrets for unavoidable absence from the City, thus preventing her attendance at this meeting. Mrs. O'Brien has been a splendid co-worker in our Home-making Department. I can assure the Vocational Committee, that these duties and responsibilities have developed the closest confidence and good fellowship among the members of this sub-committee.

To our co-worker, Mr. Wilson, to our

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Likewise we wish to place on record, our appreciation of the Press for the never flagging interest and reports of our work.

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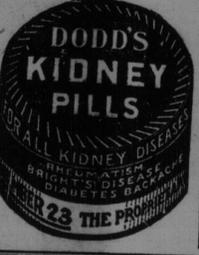
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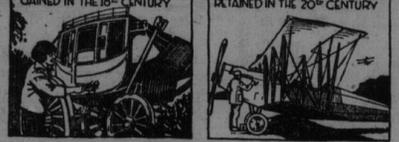
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# THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

## The Yacht Club Quarterly Meeting

Officers and Members of R. K. Y. C. Were Guests of Commodore Starr Last Evening—Annual Cruise Will Start July 24th.

The quarterly meeting of the Royal Kennebec Yacht Club was held at Bond's last evening where officers and members were the guests of the commodore, F. P. Starr.

## Big League Results

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia 5; Boston 4  
At Boston: Philadelphia... 10030010-5 31 0  
Boston... 000120010-4 8 0

St. Louis 10; Detroit 4  
At Detroit: St. Louis... 010204120-10 11 1  
Detroit... 111000010-4 7 4

Schubert and Billings; Leonard, Ayres and Ainsworth.

Chicago 6; Cleveland 1

At Chicago: Cleveland... 000100000-1 7 2  
Chicago... 010000100-6 11 2

Callahan; Nicholson and O'Neill; Williams and Schalk.

Washington 6; New York 5

At Washington: Washington... 420000000-6 14 0  
New York... 010000000-5 9 2

Shore, Thormahler, Quinn and Ruel; Sydney, Beckson and Picinich.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York 7; Brooklyn 6

At New York: (11 Innings)  
Brooklyn... 000100002-6 16 1  
New York... 000011010-7 11 4

Marquard, Mitchell, Grimes and Ebbitt; Benton, Barnes and Snyder.

Chicago 6; Pittsburgh 4

At Pittsburgh: Chicago... 003000101-6 12 1  
Pittsburgh... 000001021-4 8 2

Alexander and Killefer; Carlson, Meader and Schmidt.

Boston 8; Philadelphia 6

At Boston: Philadelphia... 022000110-8 9 0  
Boston... 010020101-6 14 1

Jones, McQuillan, O'Neill; Cantwell, Smith and West.

Cincinnati 15; St. Louis 11

At St. Louis: Cincinnati... 480020101-15 17 2  
St. Louis... 000230014-11 15 3

Flaherty, Salles and Haridem; Schupp, Goodwin, Sheridan, May and Clements.

### INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Toronto 7; Reading 1

At Toronto: Reading... 000000000-1 5 1  
Toronto... 40000102X-7 9 0

Justin and Komnik; Quin z and Sanberg.

Baltimore 5; Buffalo 1

At Baltimore: Buffalo... 000040000-4 5 1  
Baltimore... 101003000-6 14 2

Jones, Hellman, Thomas and Casey; Ogden and Egan.

Rochester 9; Syracuse 4

At Rochester: Syracuse... 12000050X-9 8 2  
Rochester... 000101020-4 8 7

Clifford and Beyers; Emmann and Madden.

Jersey City, 12; Akron, 5

At Akron: Jersey City... 231000051-12 14 0  
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Wilhelm and Freitag; Hyde; Higgins and Smith.

After the "personally conducted" tour abroad a band of English travelers were crossing the channel home.

It was very rough and most of the ladies retired to the cabin. Only one—an elderly little spinster—stayed on deck.

As the vessel pitched and tossed, and heavy showers of spray drenched everything, a fellow tourist came to her.

"Excuse me, Miss Black, but I thought perhaps you feel the need of a strong arm to lean on—something to support you, you know."

"Oh, Mr. Black!" sighed the lady, as she lurching toward him and landed her hand on his shoulder. "How sweetly and romantically you have expressed it."

ing won \$25,000 in purses on the track during the past year.

Purses range from \$125 to \$1,000 for the big special races.

## Sports Committee Of Playgrounds

Decided Last Evening to Have Olympic Marathon Trials for Maritime Provinces in St. John June 26.

At a meeting of the Sports Committee of the Playgrounds Association, held last evening, it was decided to have the Olympic Marathon trials for the Maritime Provinces held in St. John on Saturday, the 26th of June, when track events will also be run off on the East End Improvement League's grounds.

It might be stated that the M. P. B. A. U. of Canada have authorized the holding of the Maritime Olympic trials for boxing in Halifax, and the trial track events are to be held in Truro on July 1st.

The course to be run will likely be started somewhere in the locality of Quispianis, the runners coming in over the Rothery road and finishing the final laps of the race on the cinder running path at the East End Leagues grounds.

Further announcement in regard to this road race will be made later.

## GIBBONS IS OUT OF RETIREMENT

St. Paul, Minn., May 7.—Mike Gibbons, middleweight pugilist, came out of retirement today with a challenge to John Wilson, of Boston, who last night wrestled the middleweight championship from Mike O'Dowd, of St. Paul, in a 12-round bout.

Gibbons seeks a match with Wilson for July 4, or after in Minneapolis.

## THE DREAM MARE.

The Milkown man, the owner of the celebrated dream mare, was in Mr. Graham's barber shop Tuesday when there happened to be present the recent owner of Queenie Patchen, one of the fast ones that had figured in that startling dream of a few weeks ago.

Charles Mackay, M. D., of Fredericton was in town yesterday.

Mrs. George V. McInerney and Miss Grace McInerney, of Chatham, who have been spending a few days in the city, the guests of Judge McInerney, left last evening for Montreal.

## Dunlop Trophies Are Now Ready

Trophies Will be Awarded to Teams Winning Championships in Maritime Provinces, Middle West and Far West, to be Held Early Next Fall.

The Y. M. C. A. authorities have received word from F. J. Smith, the National Physical Director that the Dunlop Trophies are now ready.

The Associated Press correspondent recently went over the course, which is that of the Antwerp Golf Club, at Cappelrinhosch, about 15 miles from Antwerp.

It is a course which should be played over several times by any one who intends to compete in a real match, the correspondent was told by one Scotch officer—a scratch man at St. Andrews—who found difficulty sometimes in making the round in bogey, which is 78.

The length of the course is 5,820 yards—2,885 yards for the first nine holes and 2,935 yards for the last nine, the fifth is 540 yards—the cleanest, widest straightaway of the lot, though even this offers occasional pitfalls or wooded difficulties, and the shortest is the 12th 150 yards, a nice little pitch for the accurate masher but so full of trouble in the shape of

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Under a compact not yet signed, New Zealand has the right to stage the match this year, in accordance with an Australasian agreement to accord one out of every three challenge rounds to which that country may be entitled to New Zealand, Melbourne and Sydney had the 1912 and 1916 matches, and it is now New Zealand's turn again.

## Y.M.C.A. BASKETBALL SEASON HAS CLOSED

Satisfactory Wind-up Last Evening When Seniors and Intermediate Teams Enjoyed Supper—Programme Carried Through.

The Y. M. C. A. Basketball season had a satisfactory wind-up when the members of the Senior and Intermediate Teams enjoyed a supper in the Y. M. C. A. last evening.

After supper a short programme was carried out. A toast to "The Teams" was proposed by H. L. Treat, one of the "Old Guard" who spoke of past experiences with the team. It was responded to by Roy Willett, captain of the Senior Team and Clayton Urquhart, Captain of the Intermediate team.

A toast to "The Game" proposed by Frank Thorne was responded to by T. Armour, who spoke of the early days of the game and of its rapid development since it was organized in 1891 by Dr. N. A. Smith.

Mr. Geo. L. Warwick, President of the Association, presented the silver medals to the players in recognition of the winning of the city championships—both Intermediate and Senior.

## CLERGY HAD STRONG HEADS IN ALL SENSES

A Revival of the Old Custom Might Lead to More Frequent Ordinations With a Greater Number of Would-be Pastors.

Passage by the Massachusetts Senate of a bill to permit the sale of beer and light wines with an alcoholic content of not more than 2.75 per cent, reminds an accomplished Massachusetts antiquarian and philosopher to send to the New York Times the bill-of-fare for the ordination of a pastor of the Boston Old North Church, the church of Increase and Cotton Mathewer, in 1728.

To be sent to Mr. Townsend's (for ministers entertained there), one plum cake, two bread bricks, 12 doz. Canary wine, two pounds fresh butter, 12 barrel ale.

From the cook shop: three small patties, 12 doz. tarts, 12 doz. fowls, 15 roast tongue, 2 doz. fowls.

To roast: 5 pecks beef, 5 kins of veal, 5 quarts ham, 12 doz. fowls, 12 doz. geese, 12 doz. turkeys, 12 doz. ducks, 12 doz. chickens, 12 doz. geese, 12 doz. turkeys, 12 doz. ducks, 12 doz. chickens.

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### PLEBISCITE ON PROV. PROHIBITION

Will be Held Early in July According to Announcement of Premier.

Fredericton, May 7.—An announcement was made by Premier Foster, this afternoon, that the plebiscite on the provincial prohibition law now in force as a war measure in New Brunswick, will be held early in July. The Premier said that the date of the plebiscite had not been definitely decided on, but that it would be announced at least a month before polling takes place and that the questions to be submitted at the plebiscite will be announced at least a month before the date of the plebiscite.

### DUFF TO ENQUIRE ABOUT MR. O'CONNOR

Ottawa, May 6.—The extent to which W. F. O'Connor, K. C., is employed by the Government, in accordance with his duties as Commissioner on the Board of Commerce, is to be investigated in the House of Commons by Wm. Duff, member for Lunenburg, N. S., who, on Monday next, will ask the Government whether Mr. O'Connor is employed by the Department of Justice or any other Department, and whether he is paid an additional salary. The total remuneration paid to Mr. O'Connor by the Government for his services and expenses from all sources during 1918 and 1919 is an item in Duff's question.

### DELICATE GIRLS MADE STRONG

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If growing girls are to become well developed, healthy women, their blood supply must be carefully watched. Mothers should not ignore their unsettled moods or the various troubles that tell of approaching womanhood. It should be constantly borne in mind that pale, bloodless girls need plenty of nourishment, plenty of sleep and regular outdoor exercise. But a lack of appetite, and tired, aching limbs tend to hinder progress. To save the weak, thin-blooded sufferer she must have new, rich, red blood and nothing meets a case of this kind so well as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only enrich and increase the blood supply, they help the appetite and aid digestion, relieve the weary back and limbs, thus promptly restoring health and strength and transforming anemic girls and women into cheerful happy people. Among the thousands who have obtained new health and strength through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is Miss Violet Booth, Glenora, Ont., who says:—"For a long time I was in a body run down condition. I was pale, breathless at the least exertion, and could hardly do any housework without stopping to rest. I often had severe headaches, and my appetite was poor and sickle, and I would get up in the morning without feeling the least bit rested. I had tried several medicines, but did not get benefit from anything until I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When I had taken two boxes I could see an improvement and after using six boxes I found my health fully restored. I feel altogether different since I used the pills that I strongly advise them for all weak, run down people."

If you are weak or ailing in any way, avail yourself at once of the splendid home treatment which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills so easily afford, and you will be among those who rejoice in regained health. These pills are sold by all dealers in medicine, or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville.

### WONDERFUL EXHIBIT OF GOLD ORNAMENTS

University of Pennsylvania Get Historic Collection, Dating Back to Incas and Aztecs.

Philadelphia, May 7.—Gold ornaments, idols, crowns, armor and other relics of great historic value which date from the civilizations of the Incas, Aztecs and other Mexican and Central and South American peoples are contained in a collection of 900 specimens recently placed on view for the first time in the museum of the University of Pennsylvania.

The exhibit was only recently brought to its present completeness by the purchase of objects which had been in possession of a noble French family for generations, but which were sold at Paris because the family was impoverished.

Gold was used by the Aztecs and Incas only for ornaments, religious emblems and attire. These objects, shipped to Spain by Pizarro, Cortes and others in the 16th and 17th centuries were melted and coined. This explains the rarity of the original golden objects.

A grave recently opened in Colombia proved a rich trove of them. It was apparently the burial place of a princess. Enough golden ornaments were discovered completely to clothe a modern woman for her appearance in a ballroom. There were, besides a crown, a breast plate, giraffe, armlets and various other appendages, aside from a great quantity of jewels, rings and necklaces of amazing beauty are among the objects.

### ACID IN STOMACH SOURS THE FOOD

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion.

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion are nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation, then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acid fluids and gases which inflame the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas, or have heartburn, flatulence, water brash, or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effective, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acids of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salts is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble with excellent results.

Charles Edmund Murray has met with an automobile accident and sprained his ankle. He is now in the Infirmary, where an X-ray will be made of the injury. He is an employee of Smith's Fish Market.

### Mothers' Advice

The responsibility for a daughter's future largely rests with the mother. The right influence and the information which is of vital interest to the daughter imparted at the proper time has not only saved the life but insured the success of many a beautiful girl. When a girl's thoughts become sluggish with lassitude, dizziness, or a disposition to sleep, pains in back or lower limbs and a desire for solitude, her mother should come to her aid and remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, will at this time prepare the system for the coming change and start this trying period in a young girl's life without pain or irregularities. Thousands of women residing in every part of the United States bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtues of this medicine, and what it has done for their daughters.



Brooklyn, N. Y.—"I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound enough for what it has done for my daughter. She was 15 years of age, very sickly and pale and she had to stay home from school most of the time. She suffered agonies from backache and dizziness and was without appetite. For 3 months she was under the doctor's care and, just as better, always complaining about her back and side aching so I did not know what to do. I read in the papers about your wonderful medicine so I made up my mind to try it. She has taken five bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and doesn't complain any more with her back and side aching. She has gained in weight and feels much better. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all mothers and daughters."—Mrs. M. Flanagan, 316 Marcy Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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CANADA'S NATURAL RESOURCES.

The report of the Special Committee appointed to consider a scheme for the foundation of a Institute for Scientific Research in Canada was laid before the House of Commons, last night, by Mr. Home Croft, the Chairman.

Without going into detail as to the number or extent of these resources, we may just mention one of them, the Ontario nickel deposits, which are the richest in the world.

Another particular in which Canadian interests need safeguarding is the interest of what may be called desirable industries. If Canada had had nickel refineries since the beginning of this century, undoubtedly great nickel-steel works would have come into existence here and given employment to an army of workers.

While our nickel deposits are perhaps one of the most important of our natural resources, they are not by any means the only ones that are awaiting development.

The same periodical publishes an article on the Canadian railroads by Mr. F. A. McKenzie, the well-known correspondent and traveller, in the course of which he says:

"Freight rates in Canada have risen, as they have everywhere else in the world, the increase here being forty per cent, but they are still surprisingly low. Not low enough, of course, to satisfy the farmer—they could never be that! But were we to obtain something approaching them in England, our merchants and farmers here would imagine that the millennium had come."

The price of gasoline and the rates charged for the transportation of freight on the railroads have a very material effect on the general cost of living, and, as the Ottawa Journal remarks, some Canadian critics to whom far pastures always look green, might with profit give some consideration to these two statements.

money lasts. But the result upon the whole is that, potatoes being scarce, prices are kept up almost without respect to local boycotts. Sugar is in short supply. We had some rationing of this during the war; could we not have it again? One of the causes of high prices of sugar is the householder who puts several bags of it in his attic storeroom, on the plea that he has been advised to get ready for the preserving season.

Coal merchants say that the high price of coal is due to the eager desire of consumers to fill their bins forthwith. They say that were a rationing system in force coal would drop 25 per cent, because it would take the business out of the hands of the jobbers, and it would relieve the coal operators of the necessity of having to add a sufficient additional sum to take care of possible advances in wages and freight and other charges between the time of sale and the time of distribution. Thus one might run through the whole gamut of supplies. It is said that there are hundreds of men's and women's suits, and thousands of pairs of shoes in the country left on the shelves because they are out-of-date, while the newer goods are put forward and the consumer is required to make up in the new goods' prices for losses sustained upon the other goods.

Government regulation might extend some amount of relief in relation to the cost of living. But it would encounter strong opposition both from producers and consumers. The protests because of limited supplies of sugar would, for instance, mount higher than do protests at the prices that have quadrupled in so many years. The high prices are of themselves a regulating influence, with this difference, that they regulate the poor without touching the rich. Yet it is quite possible that as much economy is being practiced in the homes of the well-to-do as in homes where economy is essential. High prices find opposition in all homes alike. We are far from convinced, having in view the masses which the constantly-increasing prices create, that certain definite measures toward Government regulation of supplies of necessities would not be wise and prudent.

SOME COSTS IN ENGLAND. It has been stated, says the Empire, that the price of petrol—what we in Canada know as gasoline—were reduced to 65c. per gallon as recommended by the sub-committee which on behalf of the Central Profiteering Committee has been inquiring into the costs and profits of motor fuels, it would result in a saving to the country of \$50,000,000 a year. What would be the saving if the price were reduced to the latest Canadian price, 42c. per gallon?

The governments of the immediate future will stand praised or blamed by posterity in proportion as they achieve a balance between expansion and conservation. In due ratio to their use and disposition of the resources at hand without a mortgage on the future.

Supplies and Prices. The difficulty that is being experienced in obtaining large supplies of some articles of food and comfort, such as sugar, coal and, in some parts of the country, potatoes, and the enormous increase in the cost of them when they can be procured, has led to the suggestion being made that a rationing system should be introduced into the country as a means of combating the trouble. It has been pointed out that when the war began to affect supplies in England those who had money were still able to purchase the things they required, while those who had not money were forced to do without. This state of affairs was fast producing a threatening condition of unrest, when the Government stepped in with the rationing system. This system still continues in effect in respect to certain commodities. The Government controls the price as well as the ration. The obvious discontent is so far as suspicion that some one is profiting at the expense of his fellow citizens may be concerned. It insures fair play all around.

The women in many Upper Canadian centres are organizing to bring down the price of potatoes, and are refusing to buy at prevailing figures. The most with money will not care if potatoes are \$4 a bag. Price is of little consequence to his purse. Even those who have not a great deal of money may be careless as to prices while the

banquet at New York to inaugurate as a criminal anarchist. Perhaps a man who feels he must use violent language to appeal to the public senses is exult in his own country.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

A Real Seal. (Hamilton Herald.) "Everybody in Russia will celebrate May day by working all day," said Trotsky, last night. Trotsky says good. The Russian proletariat has found its master.

Really. (Columbia Record.) Much of England's trouble has been due, perhaps, in having a dub in Dublin Castle.

Beer and the War. (Haleigh News and Observer.) The author writes a lengthy article which shows how beer saved the British. He has taken action for prosecution to stop a committee to investigate a plan after having already declared for it?

Going to Enquire Now. (Woodstock Sentinel-Bulletin.) Premier Duff has announced that a committee will be appointed to investigate and report on the advisability of adopting proportional representation for Ontario. But we thought the United Farmers had already decided the matter. Among the list of democratic reforms embodied in the official draft of the Farmers' platform is proportional representation. Doesn't it seem a bit curious to establish a committee to investigate a plan after having already declared for it?

A Favorite Loophole. (Hamilton Herald.) If there has been any crooked work in connection with the administration of the Canadian National Railway, says D. B. Hanna, the president, is anxious to know about it, and with this object in view he has taken action for slander against S. Cahill, M. P., for Pontiac, who is reported to have made charges of irregularities both in the house and at a Reform club meeting in Montreal. It would not be surprising to hear of reporters being blamed for all the trouble.

Good Advice. (Regina Post.) "Diffuse Canadian services; ship by Canadian carriers; patronize Canadian railways, ships and banks; place insurance in Canadian companies; employ Canadian architects, engineers, scientists and other experts; spend vacations in Canada." All good advice, which Canadians would do well to accept. It is issued by the Canadian Reconstruction Association.

A BIT OF VERSE

MOTHER'S DAY, MAY 10TH, 1920. Mother! that precious name, Foremore the same, Earth's sweetest word, Though ages past have down No sound as ever known, Like that dear name alone, Or ever heard.

From childhood's earliest day, She guarded all our way, With tender care, She shared our joys and woes, Each cherished hope did know, Heard every whisper low, Of childish prayer.

Through the long hours of night, When tears bedimmed her sight, Her pain she soothed; Never of self a thought; Always for us she wrought With tireless loss she sought Our path to smooth.

Wondrous oh, wondrous love, Most like to that above She gave alone, (State that our lips we seal, From loving words which head Each haustache and reveal Love oft unknown.

Oh! what a debt we owe, Our grateful love we'll show While now we stray; More tender yet to be, Thoughtful and eagerly Her slightest need to see Each passing day.

Our Mother's God, to thee In deep humility, We lift our prayer; Keep those we love the best Through every trial and test And may they ever rest Safe in thy arms, Amen. J. W. Bonnell, Fredericton, N. B.

The More You Give The More you Have. Keep well in mind this precious truth. We borrow half our happiness From those to whom we give it.

THE PLAGUE OF PIMPLES Body Covered With Them. The primary cause of pimples arises from the blood not being in a good condition. When the blood becomes impure you will find that pimples will break out all over the body, but more particularly on the forehead, nose and chin, and although they are not a dangerous trouble they are very unsightly. What you need when pimples or boils break out is a real good blood purifying medicine such as Burdock Blood Bitters.

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Benny's Note Book

Yesterday Mrs. Watkins asked me if I wanted to make a dime, saying, My baby carriage is at Stitts hardware store having the wheels fixed, will you go and get it and push it back for me?

Which I started to do, thinking (Gosh, I hope none of the fellows is out. And I got half way back with it without seeing Skinny Martin and Leroy Shooter down the street spinning topped, me thinking, Heck, damn it. And there was some red headed kid going past, and I said Hey do you want to make a cent, push this thing down to the corner for me, my arms are getting tired, and the red headed kid said, Not for a cent I want, 3 cents is what I charge for pushing baby carriages, and I said, O all right, Ill give you 3.

After he pushed it down past Pats and Skinny and Leroy Shooter, me wawking in back of him as if I didnt even know who he was, which I didnt, and he stopped pushing it down at the corner, me saying, Ill give you the 3 cents as soon as I get the thing from the lady. Which just then I saw some more of the fellows playing hop scotch in the next block, and I said, Well, as long as you made 3 cents you might as well make 3 more, push it past those fellows up there and Ill give you 3 more.

Nothing doing, my eyes has gone up, there's 6 cents now. I just joined the union, and the red headed kid, and I said, Well, holy smoke, Im on my way to get a dime, and he said, Thats none of my bibles, and just then the fellows started to look down the street and I said, O all right, damn it, Ill give you 6 if you push it all the way.

Ill push it all the way for 8, wats you think I am, a strike breaker? said the kid. Which I had to promise him 8, making 11 altogether, and he pushed it all the way to Mrs. Watkins, me wawking in back of him as if I was just taking a walk by myself, and when Mrs. Watkins gave me the dime I had to give it to the red headed kid and 5 marbles besides to make up for the extra cent.

Proving anything is better than being embarrassed. Romantically Expressed. the fellows playing hop scotch in the next block, and I said, Well, as long as you made 3 cents you might as well make 3 more, push it past those fellows up there and Ill give you 3 more.

Had His Doubts. "Figures won't lie!" declared the statistician. "Maybe you're right," answered the mild mannered citizen. "And yet, somehow, I can't put implicit faith in the numbers that go up on a taxicab register."

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The burial of Arthur W. Lingley took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, 186 Market Place, W. E. to Cedar Hill. Rev. W. R. Robinson was the officiating clergyman.

The funeral of Mrs. Esther E. Ervin was held yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 363 Ladbroke street, W. E. Funeral service was conducted by Rev. Jacob Heamey, and interment was in Cedar Hill.

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widow of Thomas Crockett, took place yesterday at her home in Boston after a lingering illness, in the 84th year of her age. Mrs. Crockett, who before her marriage was Miss Mary Macaulay, was born in this city, but about fifty years ago with her husband, moved to Boston, where she has resided since. Mr. Crockett, a son of the late Thomas Crockett, was while in the city associated with his father and brother. William Crockett, in the building business, and some of the older and well-built edifices stand as monuments to their skill.

She is survived by three sons, Fred, of Boston, and William and Albert, of Chicago, and four daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Ogier, Mrs. A. Johnston, Mrs. Charles Brebner and Miss Josephine.

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An amusing thing happened in Toronto a few weeks ago. Five boys were brought before the magistrate for throwing snow balls at a street car full of people. This, of course, was not a terrible offence, although it was a rather thoughtless way to spend spare time. The magistrate began to question the boys to see how much they knew about the world in which they lived. He asked, "Where is St. Petersburg?" "In the United States," "What is Cairo?" "In Brazil," "Who was King Edward's father?" "King Alexander," "What was Sir Wilfrid Laurier?" "King's Adviser in London." The magistrate began letting the boys go on suspended sentence said, "A very serious crime has been committed against you boys by your not getting an education in this country where it is given free."

Did you get the full meaning of what the judge said? The boys had been arrested for an offence against society, but the judge said, "A very serious crime has been committed against you boys by society!"

Read! Read! What shall I read? Read the list of books below and it will give you some suggestions as to good reading for boys.

"Read! Read! What Shall I Read?"

The list of books that might be named is so long that I have finally decided to mention those that deal with camping and other features of outdoor life. During the summer months every real boy is spending all the time he can outdoors and, even when he has to stay in, he likes to read about the woods and the fields. Here is a list; make your choice and buy them through any local bookseller or borrow them from a library:

"American Boy's Book on Bugs, Butterflies and Beetles," by Beard.

"Flower Guide" and "Bird Guide," by Beard.

"Field and Forest Handy Book," by Beard.

"At Home in the Water," by Curran.

"Camping and Outing Activities," by Cheley and Baker.

"Shelters, Shacks and Shanties," by Beard.

"The Boy Craftsman" and "Handicraft for Handy Boys," by Collins.

"Harper's Wireless Book," by Verrill.

"The Camera Made by Collins," by Collins.

"Captains Courageous," by Kipling.

"Treasure Island" and "Kidnapped" by Stevenson.

"Tom Sawyer" and "Huckleberry Finn," by Mark Twain.

"The Biography of a Grizzly," by Selton.

"The Ransom of Red Chief," by O. Henry.

"Boy Scouts' Book of Stories," by Golding.

"Down to the Sea," by Grenfell.

"Boy's Life of Roosevelt," by Hagedorn.

I have tried to keep this list from being so long as to frighten you, but at the same time to have it include a few books on about every subject in which you are interested. Are you and the boys of your city or town going camping for a week or a month? Here's an idea! See if your local librarian will loan you a box of books for camp. Most of them will do so if you will understand of course, that you will replace those not returned in good condition.

Yours for some good summer reading.

FIRELIGHTER.

all of Boston. Mrs. Mary Seymour and Mrs. Margaret Crockett, of this city, are sisters-in-law. J. Herbert Crockett is a nephew.

The body will reach the city on the Boston train, Monday, and the funeral will be held Monday afternoon from the residence of C. H. Hitchings, 131 Carmarthen street, at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Simon Anderson.

The death took place at an early hour yesterday morning of Mrs. Nellie, wife of Simon Anderson, Sewall street, and daughter of the late Dennis and Hannah O'Leary. Deceased is survived by her husband and brother, Timothy O'Leary, from whose residence the funeral will take place on Sunday.

Mrs. Rebecca Williams.

Friends of Mrs. Rebecca Williams, widow of James Williams, will be grieved to learn of her death, which took place early yesterday morning at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Frederic Baker, 287 Guilford street, West St. John. She formerly resided at Centerton, Kings County, N. B. Mrs. Williams was eighty-six years of age and leaves to mourn her daughter, Ella, one granddaughter, Mrs. Frederic Baker, and one grandson, Charles Cathline, of St. John. Interment will be at Long Reach on Monday on the arrival of the steamer D. J. Purdy.

Mrs. George E. Fairweather.

Edgar H. Fairweather received the sad news from Boston yesterday morning that his mother, Mrs. Geo. E. Fairweather, had died from pneumonia, after an illness which commenced on Saturday last. Mrs. Fairweather had for several years, with her daughters, Messrs Carrie and Grace, spent the winter seasons in Boston, and she had been in her ordinary health until the last week-end. The remains will be brought to St. John for interment, reaching here on Saturday night. Mrs. Fairweather was a St. John lady, Miss Emma Thrus, a member of Trinity church congregation, and will be favourably remembered by the older residents. Her husband died six years ago. The son and two daughters mentioned are the surviving members of the family.

**Police Court Cases Yesterday**

Considerable Time Taken in Case Preferred Against Dr. Kelly for Issuing Two Prescriptions — Other Cases Dealt With.

The case of Dr. C. M. Kelly charged with violating the Prohibition Act in the issuing of prescriptions was resumed in the Police Court yesterday afternoon. W. M. Ryan, in closing the case for the prosecution stated that the doctor had violated the section 131 of the Act, dealing with the issue of prescriptions. The two prescriptions offered in evidence showed that one had been filled on the 16th of March, the second had not been dated but had been filled on the following day. He stated that while the liquor authorities did not believe the defendant was engaged in the illegal traffic, it was their desire to express on the profession the necessity of fulfilling the provisions of the Act.

Dr. Kelly on being sworn stated that the two prescriptions had been given by him to Alexander MacLeod, a lumberman with camps at Musquash and Nauyasewauk. The doctor thought his patient, an elderly man of over seventy-five years of age, a thoroughly reliable man, and as he stated that he had two large crews in the woods, and it was very hard to get a doctor when needed, the doctor gave him two prescriptions. The patient called in the evening and the doctor told him to have one prescription filled that night, the second the next day. The reason he explained, that the second prescription had been left blank was so that his patient would not be obliged to return to the office the next day. MacLeod carried out the instructions as had been shown in the evidence.

Two subscriptions, issued in February of which but one had been dated were also submitted by the prosecution, those the doctor said he had explained to the Chief Inspector at the time and had been told that his explanation was entirely satisfactory. The magistrate—"The Chief Inspector's opinion doesn't amount to a row of shoes, as far as the legal part of the Act is concerned."

Following Dr. Kelly's evidence, Mr. Ryan contended that the onus rested on the doctor, and his explanation had not met it, it was evident that a technical violation had been made. The judge announced that he would deliver judgment on Monday at two o'clock.

In the morning court, Hugh Patrick, an agent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company was charged with the misappropriation of funds, and was remanded until Saturday. H. E. McLean appeared for the prosecution, and W. M. Ryan for the accused.

Daniel Hoop, a student, year old protectionist, was remanded, and his case will be investigated.

Further evidence was given by Harold Peacock in the case of Thomas and Albert Connell, and Charles Ritchie charged with cutting the wires of the N. B. Telephone Co. and the accused were remanded and will appear Tuesday morning when additional witnesses will be called.

**WERE ENTERTAINED.**

The young people, some forty in number, who took part in the May Pole Dance at the Recreational Centre recently, were entertained last evening at a delightful party at the Y. W. C. A. on King street East. A very jolly evening was spent, refreshments being served. The chaperones were Mrs. J. D. Hunter, Mrs. T. H. Gommerville and Mrs. Coleman.

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THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

MONTREAL SALES (McDougall & Cowans) Montreal, Friday, May 7, 1920. Steamships 74-85, 84. Brazilian 42. Can Cement Com-65 1/2. Steel Cement Com-66 1/2. Dom Iron Pfd-78 1/2, 78 1/2. Dom Iron Com-72, 70 1/2, 70 1/2, 70 1/2. 1925 War Loan-85, 84 1/2. Montreal Power-84 1/2. Shawinigan-105 1/2. 1927 War Loan-94 1/2, 94 1/2. Illinois Pfd-99. Toronto Rly-44 1/2. Detroit United-100 1/2, 100. Can Car Com-54. Bell Telephone-106, 104 1/2. Laurier Pulp-93 1/2, 93 1/2. Asbestos Com-73. Lake Woods-100. Smelting-94 1/2, 94 1/2. Wayagamack-89 1/2, 90 1/2. Quebec Rly-83 1/2. Atlantic Sugar Com-91 1/2, 89 1/2, 90 1/2. Breweries Com-52, 51 1/2. Span River Com-58 1/2, 58 1/2. Span River Pfd-100, 100 1/2. Bromption-96 1/2, 98 1/2. Ames Holden Pfd-100. Can Cotton-91, 90 1/2. Can Converter-65, 64. Glass Com-63 1/2. Penman's Ltd-122, 123 1/2. Steel Canada Com-75 1/2, 77. Gen Electric-106, 104 1/2. Bell Telephone-104 1/2. Abitibi-65. Price Box-300. Riondon XD-461. Quebec Railway-24, 24 1/2. Breweries Com-52, 51 1/2. Dom Bridge-69 1/2, 69 1/2. Dom Cannery-57.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS) Montreal, May 7, 1920. Abitibi Bid Ask. 94 1/2 95. Brazilian Ltd and P. 41 1/2 42. Bromption 97 1/2 97 1/2. Canada Car Pfd 53 1/2 54. Canada Cement 85 1/2 86 1/2. Canada Cement Pfd 92 92. Can Cotton 91 91. Detroit United 100 1/2 100 1/2. Dom Bridge 96 1/2 96 1/2. Dom Cannery 57 57. Dom Iron Pfd 78 1/2 78 1/2. Dom Iron Com 72 72. Dom Texas Com 127 127. Laurentide Paper Co 93 1/2 94. MacDonald Com 27 28. Mt. L. H. and P. 84 1/2 85. Quebec Railway 24 1/2 25. Riondon, X.D. 461 461. Shaw W. Amal. 105 1/2 106. Spanish River Com 89 1/2 87. Spanish River Pfd 123 1/2 123 1/2. Steel Co Can Com 77 1/2 77 1/2. Steel Co Can Pfd 114 114. Toronto Rly 44 44. Wayagamack 89 1/2 89 1/2.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS (McDougall and Cowans) New York, May 7, 1920. Open High Low Close. Am Beet Sug 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2. Amer Car Fy 32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2. Am Loco 94 1/2 95 94 1/2 95. Am Sugar 129 1/2 130 129 130. Am Smelting 60 1/2 60 1/2 60 1/2 60 1/2. Am Steel Pfd 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2. Amer Woolen 111 111 110 110. Am Telephone 94 1/2 94 1/2 94 1/2 94 1/2. Amex 57 1/2 57 1/2 57 1/2 57 1/2. Amer Can 41 41 41 41. Ashchen 80 80 1/2 80 1/2. Bait and O. 23 1/2 23 1/2 23 1/2 23 1/2. Bald Loco 115 1/2 116 114 114 1/2. Beth Steel 96 96 94 94 1/2. B. R. T. 118 118. C. F. I. 35 1/2 35 1/2. Chino 33 1/2 33 1/2 33 1/2 33 1/2. Cent Leath. 74 74 72 72 1/2. C. P. R. 117 1/2 117 1/2 117 1/2 117 1/2. Crucible Steel 138 138 134 134. Erie Com 12 1/2 12 1/2. Gt North Pfd. 75 75 74 74 1/2. Good Rub. 62 1/2 62 1/2 62 1/2 62 1/2. Gen Elec 143 1/2 143 1/2 143 142 1/2. Gen Motors 30 1/2 30 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2. GE North Ore 38 1/2 38 1/2 38 1/2 38 1/2. Indus Alcoho 85 1/2 85 1/2 85 1/2 85 1/2. Inspir Copper 53 53. Kennecott Cop 27 1/2 27 1/2 27 1/2 27 1/2. Mex Petro 181 181 177 177 1/2. Mexale Steel 44 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2. Miss Pacific 25 1/2 25 1/2 24 1/2 24 1/2. NY NH and H 29 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2. N. Y. Central 70 1/2 71 70 1/2 70 1/2. Norf and West 32 32 31 1/2 31 1/2. North Pa. 74 1/2 74 1/2 74 1/2 74 1/2. National Lead 30 1/2 30 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2. Pennsylvania 40 1/2 40 1/2 40 1/2 40 1/2. Pr Steel Car 100 1/2 101 100 100 1/2. Reading Com 85 1/2 86 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2. Republic SSI 97 1/2 97 1/2 95 1/2 95 1/2. Royal Dutch 115 1/2 115 1/2 114 1/2 114 1/2. St. Paul 134 1/2 134 1/2 134 1/2 134 1/2. South Pacific 93 1/2 93 1/2 93 1/2 93 1/2. South Ry 21 1/2 21 1/2 21 1/2 21 1/2. Standard Oil 80 1/2 80 1/2 79 1/2 79 1/2. Union Pacific 118 1/2 117 1/2 117 1/2 117 1/2. U. S. Steel Co 96 96 94 1/2 94 1/2. U. S. Rubber 39 1/2 39 1/2 37 1/2 37 1/2. U.S. Copper 70 70 69 1/2 69 1/2. Westinghouse 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2. U. S. Steel Pfd 107 1/2 107 1/2 107 1/2 107 1/2.

N. Y. COTTON MARKET (McDougall and Cowans) Cotton High Low Close. January 35.35 34.50 34.50. May 40.70 40.10 40.10. July 38.60 38.00 38.00. October 36.82 36.35 36.35. December 35.96 35.00 34.90.

LONDON OIL TRADE London, May 7.—Calcutta linseed, 42 pounds; linseed oil, 97c. Petroleum, American refined, 2s. 1 3/4d. Spirit, 2s. 2 3/4d. Rosin, American strained, 66s. Type "G", 64s. Paraffine spirits, 190s. Tallow, Australian 90s.

NOTICE My wife, Elison E. Moushan, having left my bed and board without cause, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her. Dated May 5th, A. D. 1920. JOSEPH P. MONAHAN.

ACTIVE STOCKS IN ANOTHER DROP Light Trading and Absence of Any Substantial Buying Demand Were in Evidence. (By F. B. McCurdy & Co.) New York, May 7.—(Closing Stock Letter)—Shortly after the opening there was a resumption of the reactionary trend which characterized the late trading yesterday, and prices of the active stocks dropped off from one to two points. Trading was light, but the thinness of the market, and the absence of any substantial buying demand, which was recently being commented upon, was again in evidence. The steel and Equipment Stocks were adversely affected with the rest, despite the large demand for their products which the testimony of the railroad executives in Washington has indicated. The oil stocks also slid off easily, but required it near the close. Atlantic Gulf and Inducto Johnston were similarly affected. The news of Carranza's flight to Vera Cruz caused a rally in the Mexican oils and renewed expressions that his downfall will be a benefit to foreign interests in Mexico rather than otherwise. Money returned at seven per cent and held throughout the day.

MARKET STEADY IN THE MAIN Conditions Prevailed Comparable to Mid-Summer Dullness—Turnover Very Small. New York, May 7.—Conditions comparable to mid-summer dullness prevailed today in the stock market, the turnover of 600,000 shares being the smallest, with one or two exceptions, since the beginning of the year. A score of the usual favorites in the steel, equipment, motor and oil groups, making up considerably more than 50 per cent of the whole. Ralls were relatively more active than usual, irregular gains. Tenders trying to bring the division again proceeded on the theory that the Federal authorities, as represented by the Interstate Commerce Commission, can no longer ignore the claims of the operators for higher rates. Shippings continued prominent under lead of Atlantic Gulf and United Fruit, but the speculative qualities of those on their value as marine commodities than as producers of sugar and other foodstuffs.

EXTENSIVE DEAL IN TIMBER HOLDINGS Ottawa, May 7.—According to reports here plans are being completed for the biggest deal in timber limits ever carried out in the Ottawa district. The undertaking is being negotiated by Montreal and Toronto interests and when completed will run close to \$30,000,000. They embrace the purchase of the extensive timber limits and undertakings of the Edwards Lumber Co., and the well known Branson Lumber, and the Gilles Lumber Co. The question is one of the amalgamation of the three companies, the combined limits of which will constitute one of the largest single holdings of any company in Canada.

CHICAGO PRICES (McDougall and Cowans) Chicago, May 7.—(Close)—Corn—May, \$1.91 3/4; July, \$1.72 7/8; September, \$1.63. Oats—July, 94 3/8; September, 77 3/4. Pork—May, \$36.00; July, \$36.00. Lard—July, \$31.90; September, \$21.87. Ribs—July, \$18.93; September, \$18.53. High Low Close. May 185 188 1/2 191. July 174 174 1/2 175 1/2. September 164 163 1/2 163. Oats May 106 106 1/2 106 1/2. July 94 94 1/2 94 1/2. September 78 77 1/2 77 1/2. Pork May 36.00 36.00 36.00. July 36.95 36.90 36.90.

3rd. N. B. Heavy Brigade, C. G. A. The 3rd N. B. Heavy Brigade is being equipped as a mounted unit. A large number of recruits are required. It is expected the Brigade will go to Camp this summer. Issue of Clothing to 15th Heavy Battery, 4th Siege Battery and 6th Siege Battery on their respective drill nights. E. M. SLADER, Capt. and Adj. 3rd N. B. Heavy Brigade, C. G. A.

ABITIBI STRONG SELLER FRIDAY Laurentide a Firm Issue, and Bromption Proved Strongest Stock on the List. (By F. B. McCurdy & Co.) Montreal, May 7.—Trading on Montreal exchange very well up to the recent average this morning, amounting to 650 shares, one third of which was contributed by Abitibi. No other stock contributed as much as 1000 shares. Abitibi did not show any special advance, although it sold up to 66 and maintained its strength to the close. The activity in the stock is undoubtedly due to the announcements which took place yesterday, to the effect that a bond issue of \$4,000,000 had been arranged for and that out of the proceeds, certain other issues will be retired, the capacity of the Company's water power will be largely increased while that of the newspaper mills will be doubled, bringing the company's output in vicinity of 500 tons per day. In addition there is to be installed wrapping paper machinery which will give the company a large output of that product. Laurentide was quite firm. Bromption was the strongest stock on the list. Wayamack changed hands at 90 and Riondon was steady. Spanish River issues still continue duk and are steady. There is talk of a tendency on the part of some of the large holders of the preferred stock to oppose the proposals of the directors. Dom Steel was an active issue, and Steel of Canada was dead. Nothing was done in Steamship nothing. The announcement is made that British Empire common will consist of two issues, one being sterling value of £1 for the British market and the other being in dollars with par value of \$100 for the Canadian or American markets.

INCREASE CAPITAL BELL TELEPHONE CO. Ottawa, May 7.—The Railway Committee of the House of Commons has approved the application of the Bell Telephone Co. of Canada to increase its capitalization to \$75,000,000 from \$30,000,000. C. F. Sis, vice-president of the company, in support of the application said that the increase in capital was necessary owing to the abnormal increase in the demand for telephones and the prospects of even greater business during the next five or ten years.

PARIS OFFERING ON MONTREAL Montreal, May 7.—The purchasing commission of the City of Paris has been advised to offer on the Canadian market at the present time only \$1,000,000 of City of Paris 6 per cent ten year coupon bonds, the placing of which is being arranged through Municipal Debenture Corporation of Montreal. The first amount spoken of was \$20,000,000, and the reduction is due to the reason that, owing to the present high prices of food-stuffs, it is unwise to spend a larger sum.

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STEELS TAKE A DECIDED BRACE Oil Stocks Rally on Announcement of Carranza's Flight to Vera Cruz. New York, May 7.—Swelling continued through first hour and finally U. S. Steel broke through 95. At 94 1/2-95 suggesting recovery appeared and this helped all steels. Announcement that President Carranza of Mexico, had fled from the capital to Vera Cruz came at a time when Pan-American was selling at 94 1/2. Steel rallied two points on announcement. Oil interests here expressed opinion that the ousting of Carranza will be a move decidedly in favor of foreign capital with investments in Mexico. Head of large steel company says all steel companies will make big money over next 12 months. There is no chance, said he, of material reduction in prices or slowing down on account of lack of demand. Railroad strike has curtailed operations and this, together with curtailment incident to steel strike, has kept production far below consumption requirements. We cannot sell steel for greater business during the present labor difficulties. Great needs of railroads and requirements for new buildings will keep steel companies employed for a long time to come.

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is no great one to make efficient collection practically impossible. We believe that the existing Excess Profits Tax calls for revision forthwith. It should be made a tax on profits only after provision has been made for interest, depreciation and other necessary and legitimate charges, and should have no relation to the proportion which those profits bear to the amount of capital employed. A tax of this nature would be found capable of efficient collection, by reason of its complete simplicity. The tax should range from 10 per cent to 20 per cent of the profits of all business whether conducted by individuals or corporations. There should be no Super Tax.

Calculations have been made by authorities who state that such a tax efficiently collected would yield a greater revenue to the State than that which the Government now derives from the existing tax; it would have the effect of stimulating business expansion and production and would bring about lower commodity prices; it would lessen the burden of collection now imposed on the Government; it would tend to curb extravagant expenditures.

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**COTTON WORKERS' STRIKE AVERTED**

Operators Grant the Increase in Wages Demanded—Agreement to Hold One Year.

Manchester, May 6.—The wage dispute in the cotton trade, which involved 400,000 operatives, has been settled. The operatives have granted an increase of 23½ per cent on the present wages with an additional ten per cent to mate card-room workers. The agreement is to last 12 months. The cotton employers had given notice that they would quit work on Saturday next, unless their demands were conceded. The question has been the subject of prolonged conferences between the Minister of Labor and the employers, and employees organizations.

**SWITZERLAND IS NOW WIDE OPEN**

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Geneva, May 7.—Switzerland, refuge of deposed royalty, has dropped the formality of passport restrictions and will hereafter admit ex-kings and princes out of a job "even if they do not possess passports," according to an order issued by the Chief of Police.

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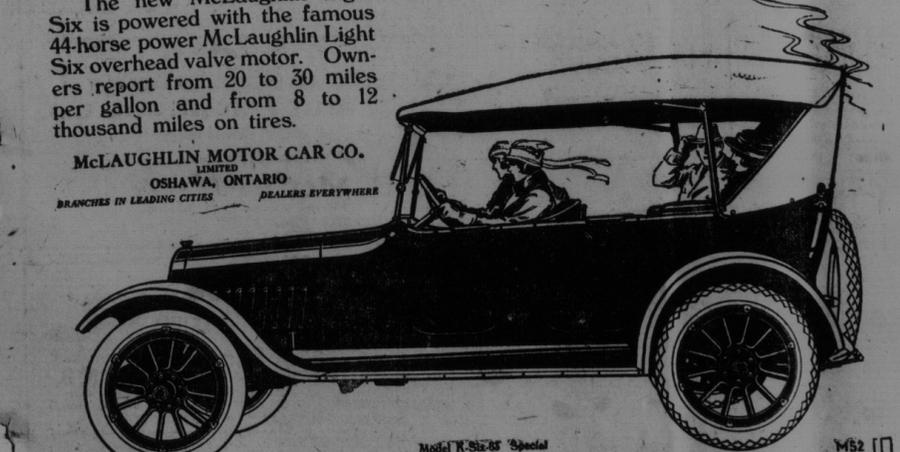
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## Annual Meeting of Missionary Society

Centenary Women Heard Reports of Increased Giving—Officers Elected—Mrs. Sanford President.

The reports read at the annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Centenary church, held recently, were heard with much satisfaction by the members as a most successful year was recorded. There are 16 annual members, and 41 life members. An Easter gift of \$236.65 was reported and the opening of the Mite Boxes disclosed the sum of \$212. The total amount from all sources was \$783.30, which is an increase of nearly \$160 over last year.

The officers elected were as follows: Mrs. C. F. Stanford, President. Mrs. R. A. Sinclair, First Vice-president. Mrs. J. M. Lawrence, Second Vice-president. Mrs. W. G. Smith, Treasurer. Mrs. L. A. Langstroth, Recording Secretary. Mrs. Frank Stinner, Corresponding Secretary. Mrs. H. A. Goodwin, Strangers Secretary. Miss A. M. Hest, Superintendent of Christian Stewardship. Mrs. C. H. Leonard, Superintendent of Mite Boxes.

Devotional Committee—Mrs. J. M. Lawrence, Mrs. E. T. C. Knowles. A short devotional exercise was held, the topic being "The Present Tense—Love." Miss Annie Stark conducted. As it was the occasion of the opening of the mite boxes, readings on that subject were given, one by Mrs. Dawn Lincoln, "The First Mite Box Offering," and "Just a Mite Box," by Mrs. H. A. Goodwin.

Announcement was made regarding the sending of the boys to Missions on the Labrador coast, and a few words spoken as to needs of that portion of the field, and what good use the people make of the contents of bales which are sent to them.

### MOTHER.

I have praised many loved ones in my song, And yet I stand Before her shrine to whom all things belong, With empty hand. Perhaps the ripening future holds a sign, For things unsaid; Not now, men do not celebrate in rhyme Their daily bread.

—Theresa Holburn.

### GIRLS' SUMMER CAMP.

Camp Woodmead, which will open its fifth season in July, furnishes a splendid opportunity for girls to spend a couple of months in good health giving surroundings under careful supervision. The camp, which is located at Petite Riviere, N. S., is open during the months of July and August and each year sees it becoming more popular.

Mrs. Robert Hicks, Mrs. Edmund Estabrook and Mrs. Bertha Oulton of Sackville are spending a few days in the city.

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AN EASTERN WESTERN

## King's Daughters' Monthly Meeting

Members of the Order Will Assist in Teaching Sewing—Luncheon Arrangements for June Meeting Made

The regular monthly meeting of the King's Daughters was held yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Charles A. Clark presiding. After the devotional exercises and secretary's report, the treasurer stated that all bills are paid and a small balance remains in the bank. Mrs. Foster of the house committee said that all rooms at the Guild are filled and spoke in high praise of the excellent management of the matron, Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. R. A. Corbett, convener of the spiritual committee, read her annual report, which showed that in nine months of the year gospel services had been held and much interest shown.

Tomorrow's service will be in charge of Mrs. George A. Henderson, assisted by members of the order. The subject will be "Mother's Day."

After some discussion as to ways of raising money for the order, it was decided to hold a rummage sale early in June. Mrs. A. E. Whippley convener. Mrs. A. Pierce Crockett reported attending a meeting to make arrangements for luncheon to be given the delegates to the National Council of Women meeting in St. John in June. The Order will provide luncheon for one day, and a committee of eight ladies with Mrs. Crockett as convener was appointed.

Assistance was asked for the Brussels street Mission where several ladies have been holding classes, teaching young girls to sew. A number have availed themselves of this opportunity to learn a useful art, and at yesterday's meeting it was decided that support would be given by two ladies from each circle attending on regular nights and assisting in teaching. Mrs. J. Lecheur was asked to call a committee for this purpose.

## MORE WOMEN IN ENGLISH POLITICS

Miss Susan Lawrence Running on Platform of Limitation of Profits and Control of Prices.

Control of prices pending nationalization of necessary industries. Mrs. Macnamara is canvassing for the re-election of her husband, the Minister of Labor, because, as she says, "with his new duties he will have less time than ever for stump speaking."

Lady Boham-Carter is waging a stirring campaign on the Free Liberal ticket for the Commons.

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## Regular Monthly Meeting Was Held

Playgrounds Association Held Session Last Evening—Much Routine Business—Teachers and Assistants Appointed for City Playgrounds.

The regular monthly meeting of the Playgrounds Association was held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. with Mr. W. S. Hest, in the chair. Fifteen members of the association were in attendance.

Various committees submitted reports, all showing fine good progress was being made in the preparation for the season.

The treasurer reported that the balance in the treasury after deducting the expenses of the past month was \$109.62.

Mrs. Geo. Dishart was appointed a member of the finance committee in place of R. S. Ritchie who tendered his resignation.

On account of the resignation of Mrs. H. C. Groat, who is leaving the city, Mrs. A. C. D. Wilson was appointed convener of the delegates to the Local Council of Women.

The resignation of Mrs. W. C. Good as secretary was received and accepted. Mrs. Good, however, will continue in office for a few days. She had previously tendered her resignation some three months ago but was persuaded at that time to continue as secretary.

The following teachers and assistants were appointed for the different city playgrounds:

Central—Miss L. C. Trestowky, Miss Rena McDada. Alexandra—Miss Kathleen Lumby, Miss Josephine Walsh.

King George—Miss Dorothy Simons, Miss Frances Grant. West Side—Miss Emma Higgins, Miss Olive Harding.

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## A SOCIAL EVENING AT EXMOUTH STREET

Auxiliary and Mission Circle Which United Presented Excellent Programme—Election of Officers and Reports Received.

A pleasant social evening was spent at Exmouth street Methodist church when the Auxiliary of Exmouth Street and the Mission Circle met for a gathering recently. Separate meetings were first held, the two societies afterwards uniting.

The Auxiliary held its annual meeting with a large attendance. The Mite Box opening brought a splendid return and a large increase in giving was reported.

Election of officers resulted as follows: Mrs. George Dawson, President. Mrs. James Myers, First Vice-president. Mrs. James Campbell, Second Vice-president. Mrs. Bonnell, Treasurer. Mrs. William Shaw, Recording Secretary. Mrs. John Scott, Corresponding Secretary. Mrs. Lawson, Superintendent of Christian Stewardship. Mrs. George Drake, Strangers Secretary.

The Mission Band, which had met in another room in the school house, then joined with the Auxiliary and enjoyed a pleasant hour. During the evening Mrs. Dawson, on behalf of the Mission Circle presented Miss Flossie Beville with a Life Membership in the Circle, referring to her splendid work. It was announced that both the Auxiliary and Circle had made over twenty per cent. increase in their financial objective and the Mission Band had made one hundred per cent. increase under the able leadership of Miss Flossie Beville and Miss Edith Bastin.

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## MAY GIVE RECITAL WHILE IN ST. JOHN

Arthur Dunham Asked to Play at St. David's Church—Director of Boston English Opera Company.

It is understood that R. S. Ritchie, chairman of St. David's church musical committee has wired to Arthur Dunham, director of the Boston English Opera Company, at present in Quebec, asking Mr. Dunham if it will be possible for him to arrange to give an organ recital at St. David's church while in St. John.

Mr. Dunham is an organist of note, having been organist and for some time director of the Chicago Philharmonic Society, and music lovers will be given a very great treat if he will consent to play in St. John.

## "APHRODITE" TO BE SHOWN IN LONDON

London, May 7.—A \$100,000 production of the musical review "Aphrodite," which has run this season in New York, is to be staged shortly in London. Arrangements are being made to secure the largest theatre here for the spectacle. Asked if the censor would permit the absence of dresses, Mr. Gest replied, "If the public does not like the artistic, it need not go to the theatre."

## IMPERIAL FRIDAY-SATURDAY

St. John's Second Season of Brilliant Opera Opens Monday with Reginald DeKoven and Harry B. Smith's Merrie Music-Story of England When Richard the Lion-Hearted Was King.

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Apoahqui

Apoahqui, May 6.—With the resumption of "old life" during the last few days, the country is gradually transformed into a verdure suggestive of its new lease of life, which has proved an incentive to enter enthusiastically into the customary changes which occur at this particular season; city residents are returning back to the beauties of country life and some have already reopened their summer homes here.

Socially, there has been a dearth of functions, except a series of enjoyable dances which have been in the I. O. F. hall; several of which though enjoyed, have had a tinge of regret since they took the form of farewell parties to some of the young friends who are severing their companionship with the merry party, to take up duties elsewhere. The most of these took place on Monday evening of this week, where Miss Della Gibson, who has been one of Jones Bros' efficient staff, was the guest of honor, in view of her returning to her home at Mountaindale. A lengthy program of dances, including a few extras was carried out, together with several tables of bridge which were enjoyed by those who preferred that form of pleasure. Preceding the supper hour, the large assemblage of guests, waited on Miss Gannon who was presented with a silk ambrosia, mounted in gold and suitably engraved, the presentation being fittingly made by Mr. James Robinson, to which Miss Gannon responded, thanking her thanks and expressing due to the kindness of her friends who had shown their esteem in this most practical and much appreciated gift. Miss Gannon has been very popular socially, and in unusual circles, and her friends greatly regret her departure.

Miss Pauline Erb, of St. John, spent the week-end at her home here. Miss Erb was accompanied by her friends, Miss Alice McBride and Miss Lucie Kelly, who were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Erb.

Mrs. Warren Copp of Backville, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Humphrey, returned home last Sunday.

The Misses Leola Peterson and Annie Gregg were visitors to Moncton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leake were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKean of Belleisle.

Mrs. Whitfield G. McLeod, returned last week from St. John, where she has spent the winter months and has reopened her cozy summer home on Foster Ave.

Mrs. McLeod had as a guest for the week-end, her niece, Miss Helen Corbett of St. John.

Mrs. George H. Secord returned home on Monday, after enjoying a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Theo. Shaw of St. John.

Miss Annie Gregg, who has been head stenographer of Jones Bros., has resigned her position and left on Tuesday for her home at Mountaindale.

Mrs. H. B. Baines of Fredericton, has returned to the capital after spending a few days here, where she was called owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Baines.

On Tuesday afternoon of this week, Mrs. J. Everett Fenwick was hostess at her home, where she entertained the ladies of the Presbyterian and Baptist Missionary Societies of Lower Millstream. A very enjoyable time was spent by the members of the kindred societies.

Afternoon tea was served, Mrs. Fenwick being assisted by Mrs. H. C. Coy, Mrs. Howard Patterson and Miss Florence McAtley.

Mrs. Malcolm King of East Scotch Settlement is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. M. P. Ogilvie.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jette of Fairville, are guests of Mrs. Jette's mother, Mrs. George Gambin at Colville.

Mrs. Leslie Frazer of Windrop, Me., is a guest of her brother, Mr. & V. Wright and Mrs. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Tinas of Titusville, arrived this week to take up their residence at Lower Millstream, where Mr. Tinas has accepted a position as overseer and manager of one of J. E. McAtley's farms.

The large lumber cut of Jones Bros. is partly in but owing to the scarcity of water, Foreman Connelly and crew of river drivers have been forced to abandon their work until the occurrence of rains. However, sufficient logs have come through to the mouth of the stream to commence operations and the mill will begin the summer's cut in a few days. The tail of the drive is some five miles from its destination, though the Millstream from its mouth and extending upwards of a mile is jammed with logs which are available for present sawing.

Miss Rilla Wright, professional nurse of Bangor, Me., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Wright.

Miss Wright was called home last week owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. R. C. Wright, whose condition is much improved.

Woodstock

Woodstock, May 6.—Mrs. Alonzo Hale and Miss Barrett have returned from Boston where they have spent the past three weeks.

Mrs. A. D. Holyoke, Mrs. E. R. Todd and Miss Alice Lingley, will leave this week on a trip to the Pacific Coast, via Chicago, St. Paul, Seattle and Seattle.

Mr. J. A. Hayden of Worcester, Mass., visited his father, Mr. William Hayden of Grafton and friends in town last week.

Miss Edith Holmes, daughter of Mr. Herbert Holmes left on Thursday for Chicago, where she will spend a week with friends and then continue her journey to San Diego, California, where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. E. M. Oates, and pursue her musical studies.

Miss Gleena Britton who has been visiting St. John, has returned home. The friends of Miss Laura Balmis will be glad to learn that she is recovering from her illness.

Mrs. Chester H. Wallace, Mesquias Station, underwent a surgical operation at the Fredericton Hospital last week, and is making a good recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Gibson were visitors in St. John last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Rogers spent a few days in St. John last week.

Mr. R. P. Hartley spent a few days on professional business in Montreal last week.

Mr. G. A. White, manager of the Bank of Montreal, Shediac, spent the week-end in town.

Mrs. F. D. Foley and children of St. John, are visiting Rev. A. H. Truett and Mrs. Truett.

Miss Marion Hamilton left last Wednesday for Boston, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Merton Wilton.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Leland, who spent the winter in Vancouver, returned home on Thursday after a very enjoyable visit.

Miss Mary Makaney and Master Bernard Lavole left on Friday afternoon for a fortnight's visit to relatives in Bangor, Me.

Mrs. Kenneth Morrison, who has been spending a few weeks here, returned to Montreal on Thursday accompanied by her mother, Mrs. H. N. Payson.

Mrs. Douglas A. Hayland and son, Douglas, who has been spending the winter in Lawrence, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stillion for the week-end, previous to taking up their residence on Cornwell street.

Mr. Albert K. Stetson and Mrs. Stetson of Houlton, spent Friday in town with friends.

Mr. Frank Baird left on Monday for Chipman. Before returning he will attend the closing exercises of the N. B. Normal.

Mr. David Munro, who has been in town for the past two weeks, returned to Montreal. While in town Mr. Munro was the guest of his brother, Mr. Donald Munro.

Mr. and Mrs. Deering and family have moved into the house on Cornwell street, recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. C. O. MacDonald.

Mrs. George Phillet has returned from a visit with St. John friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Macquarrie spent a few days in St. John last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gabel and Mrs. J. A. Connell have moved into the residence of Mrs. H. N. Payson.

Mr. Arthur Stevens of Boston, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Stevens.

Mrs. S. H. McKee of Fredericton, is the guest of Mrs. Frank Baird and Mrs. Baird at the M. Inn.

Mrs. R. Hugh Bruce and children who have been residing here for the past two years, left on Wednesday for St. John, where they will again take up their residence.

Mr. Wightman Manser, who is under treatment at the military hospital, St. John, arrived home on Thursday for a few days' visit very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hood and family of St. John, arrived here on Thursday.

Mr. J. H. Thompson has sold his residence on Broadway to Mr. Edward Bird of McAdam, who will take possession the latter part of June. Mr. and Mrs. Bird has three children and owing to the exceptional school facilities at Woodstock, including the Vocational School, they decided to make their home here in the interests of their children.

John R. Lindow, Northampton, on Wednesday, when the Rev. H. Harrison officiated in marriage of their youngest daughter, Helen Marion to Arnold B. Wright, son of Mr. W. H. Wright. As the bridal party entered the parlor and took their places under an arch of ferns, Mendelssohn's Wedding March was played by Miss Rita L. Grant. After the ceremony a dinner was served in the dining-room, which was beautifully decorated with pink and white crepe paper and pink carnations. The bride wore a suit of navy blue serge with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations and matted hair fern. Many beautiful gifts were received, consisting of silver, china, linen and several cheques, in addition to many beautiful gifts received from a variety of friends given to her on the evening of April 23rd. The groom's gift to the bride was a substantial cheque. At 2:30 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Wright left for St. John. The many friends of the bride and groom extended to them their best wishes. Mr. Wright is one of our returned heroes who served two years in France.

Miss Helen Tompkins arrived home on Friday from an extended visit in Canada and American cities. She spent last summer and winter with her sister, Mrs. H. J. Palmester in Toronto, thence going to Bristol, Conn., where she visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. F. MacLellan, and visits were made to friends in Hartford and other American cities.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby son in their home recently.

Mrs. Sarah Warren is visiting friends in Bathurst and vicinity.

Mrs. (Dr.) Bliss, of Amherst, is visiting friends in St. John and vicinity.

Little Miss Katherine Girvan has returned from a visit to Moncton.

Miss Emma Sherris returned from visiting friends in St. John.

Mrs. Wm. McLean and Miss Alice McLean of Moncton are visiting friends in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roach, of Nodin River, are rejoicing on the arrival of a little son in their home.

The Bible class of St. Andrew's Church Sabbath school spent an enjoyable social evening at the Church Hall on Thursday evening. A short programme was followed by refreshments and games. The guests were the pupils of the Boston superior school, who are attending from outside points in Kent County.

H. M. Ferguson, J. P., has returned from a visit with friends in Campbellton.

Miss Irene McAtley, teacher of East Galloway, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Wood, who is recovering from recent illness at her home in Chatham Junction.

James Callender has sold his beautiful home to Anthony Glen, of Houltonville.

Mrs. Frank Moloney is ill at her home in St. John.

Alex. C. Fraser has returned from a short trip to Chatham, N. B.

Friends in Kent County have received the announcement of the resignation of Rev. James R. Murphy in Notre Dame Church, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, on May 1st. Rev. Jas. Schwabach, D. D., performed the ceremony. Rev. Dr. Murphy formerly belonged to the legal firm of Murphy & Brown, of Chippewa Falls, Wis., and is a son of Cornelius Murphy, formerly of St. Nicholas River, Kent Co., N. B.

John McInerney is ill at his home in St. John.

Dr. R. G. Girvan made a professional visit to Main River on Friday.

George McQuarrie, of Bass River, visited friends in St. John on Saturday.

Mrs. John Targett, of Main River, has recently returned from a visit to Montreal, where her son, Lifford, has been ill.

Work is progressing on Mr. Walker's tugboat, which is expected to be completed in the near future.

The weather is cold and backward and farmers have done practically nothing towards ploughing in crops.

R. O'Leary's mill at Rexton has begun sawing the season's cut of lumber.

Mrs. R. C. Richard, teacher at Little Chookfish, spent the week-end at her home in Rexton.

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**St. Stephen**

St. Stephen, N. B., May 7.—Dr. S. S. Cook has returned from Portland, Me., where he attended the annual meeting of the Maine Veterinary Medical Association.

Mrs. James Perry, of Calais, announces the engagement of her daughter, Beatrice M. Gibson, to Walter McCarty, of St. Stephen.

Mrs. Frederick Grimmer, of Houlton, is the guest of her friend, Mrs. H. D. Bates.

Mrs. Murrell Day arrived from Houlton, Me., and will spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Beckett. Mr. Day will join her here later.

Miss Phyllis Cockburn, spending the week at her home in St. Andrews, accompanied by Miss Rita Nicholson and Miss Dorothy Hoestle.

Miss Jeanie Grant has arrived from New York and will spend the summer months at her home in Calais.

Judge M. N. Cockburn and Mrs. Geo. H. I. Cockburn are visiting Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto this week.

Mrs. and Mrs. David W. Brown, of Dover, Delaware, announced the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn Mildred, to Mr. R. Clarence Bigcombe, of Fredericton, N. B.

The annual union meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of four Calais churches was held in the Congregational Church on Friday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Randall of St. Anne's Church was chairman of the meeting. Out of town speakers were: Miss Wyatt, returned missionary from Porto Rico, who spoke most interestingly of her work; Mrs. Payne, of Portland, president of the State Missionary society, and Mrs. Hatch, of Waterville, Me., who spoke on the Inter-Church Movement. Miss Lorraine Haller, of Calais, gave a very interesting reading. After the meeting a delicious supper was served in the Congregational vestry.

Mrs. Vernon Cushing, of Westbrook, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Roy Webber, who continues to entertain her home on Duke street.

Mrs. Wilfred East has returned from Manchester, N. H., where she was the guest of Mrs. Lewis Dexter.

Miss Louise Purvis and Miss Mary Ward have returned from St. John.

Mrs. Phoebe McLeod, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Budd, has returned to her home at the Union.

Mr. Sam. Minister left last week for Philadelphia to assume his position as manager of a large shoe manufacturing establishment there. Before she departs the employees of the Clarke Bros.' shoe factory presented him with a very handsome gold chain and Knight Temple charm. Mrs. Minister is still here, but expects to leave to join her husband at an early date.

The Bible class of the Baptist Church had a very pleasant social evening at the home of Mrs. Desjardis on Union street on Thursday evening last. Mrs. Stewart Montgomery was the guest of honor and much regret was expressed that Mrs. Montgomery was so soon leaving the class.

The members of Grade XI, St. Stephen High School, had a very enjoyable party at Rosarian Hall on Friday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Montgomery and family have moved to Moore's Mills.

Mrs. Walter L. Grimmer and Miss Gertrude Heilat have returned from St. John.

Miss Mollie Haason left last week for an extended trip to Boston, New York and Chicago.

Mrs. G. W. Ganong, who has been quite ill since her arrival home from the South, is now recovering.

The nurses of Chipman Memorial Hospital had a very pleasant gathering at the Nurses Home on Thursday evening of last week, when they tendered a miscellaneous shower to Miss Gardner. It was an entire surprise to Miss Gardner, and she was the recipient of a number of beautiful and useful gifts. Delicious refreshments

were served and a jolly time spent. Miss Gardner left the last of May for her home in Robbinston. The announcement of her engagement to Mr. Kenneth Comeloun has been made, the marriage to take place early in June.

Miss Miss Downes is making an extensive visit in Boston and vicinity. Miss Winifred Dutch has returned from a visit of several weeks in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Twiss have returned from a visit to Fortna and Boston.

**Rothesay**

Rothesay, N. B., May 6.—A capacity house greeted the performance in the three-act comedy, "Daddy," which was splendidly "put on" and acted to the enthusiastic approval of all present. The entertainment was under the auspices of the Rothesay Community Club, the proceeds, which will be some \$200, were as follows (in order of their appearance):

Jana, the cook, Miss Kathleen Herrett, Mr. Wrenson Brown, Mr. Harold Ellis, Mrs. Wrenson Brown.

Miss Dorothy Purdy, of Thompson, is visiting.

Mr. Andrew M. Blair, of Todd Brown, Mr. Walter C. Doose, of White Brown, Miss M. Kirpatrick, Mrs. Chester, Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. Jean Daniel, Mr. Frederick Doose, of Adams, and Mrs. Harrison, who sang two songs in her usual charming style and also by the presence of the Rothesay College orchestra, which furnished several fine selections. The entertainment was held on Tuesday night, in St. Paul's Church, Sunday school house. All taking part did splendidly, but to energy and executive ability of Miss Piddington much of the success is due. The proceeds, which will be over \$100, will be added to the funds of the club. After the programme, refreshments were served to all taking part.

After a few months spent in the Shanty South, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Robertson are expected home early next week, coming to their summer residence in Rothesay.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mackay, of Halifax, have been visiting Mr. Mackay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mackay. On Sunday afternoon last in St. Paul's Church, Rev. Canon Daniel christened their baby, recently received the name William Ray. The baby's father, Mr. Donald McAvity and Dr. Kelly were the sponsors. A number of the relatives, on both sides of the house, were present.

Mrs. Walker Harrison left last night (Wednesday) for Halifax, there to visit Mr. Harrison.

Dr. O. R. Peters moved last week to the house purchased by him from Mr. L. E. King and recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gray, who have moved to Douglas avenue, St. John.

Miss Lillian Brock, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Annie Brock, expects soon to return home to Baltimore.

Members of "The Ladies' Aid" of the Presbyterian Church, as is usual on the first Wednesday evening in each month, enjoyed tea together in the vestry and afterward held their devotional and business meeting. The attendance was good, the president and vice president, Mrs. J. H. Henderson and Mrs. David Ross; secretary, Miss A. M. Dobbie; treasurer, Miss Bessie Henderson; also Mrs. Graham of Hampton, wife of the pastor, were among those present.

Miss Dorothy Purdy, who has been guest of Rev. Canon and Mrs. Daniel, left this week to visit her parents, Mr. Colthurst at Campbell.

The Rothesay members of Loyalist Chapter, L. O. D. E., were hostesses at luncheon on Monday at the residence of Mrs. Fred Crosby, having as guests the members from St. John who were Mrs. R. A. Armstrong, Mrs. Harold Allison, Miss Jean White, Mrs. Herbert Vroom, Miss Eileen Gillis, Miss Dawson, Miss Portia MacKenzie, Miss Edith Schofield, Mrs. Wm. Vassio, Mrs. Horace Porter, Miss Muriel Sandler, Mrs. Allen McAvity, Miss Mignon Kerr, Miss Frances Kerr, Mrs. Fred A. Foster, Miss Kimball, Miss Morion Mages, Mrs. Gordon McKeown, Miss Dorothy Bilzard, Mrs. Ronald McAvity, Mrs. Gordon Sanction, Mrs. J. L. McAvity, Miss Gladys Hegon, Mrs. Leddingham, Miss Ford, Miss Clara Schofield. The Rothesay members are

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Fivellings have come to make their permanent home in the house vacated by them.

Miss Moffat, who sent the winter home with Miss Trooper, left today (Thursday) for her home in Upper Canada.

Misses George and Bertha Ballantine after spending the winter in St. John, have returned to their cottage here.

Mr. George MacArthur and Miss Hazel MacArthur are visiting in Annapolis Royal, guests of Mrs. J. H. Edwards.

Miss Ethel Kirpatrick, who has given such satisfaction at the Rothesay Telephone Exchange, has been promoted to the St. John office. Telephone subscribers, while congratulating Miss Kirpatrick, will greatly regret her going.

The Senior Branch of the Women's

Auxiliary will meet at the Faculty on Monday afternoon next to hear reports from the annual association meeting held in St. John last week.

The reading club met at the residence of Mrs. W. J. Davidson on Monday. Miss Alice Davidson was the reader.

**St. Andrews**

St. Andrews, May 7.—Miss Phyllis Cockburn, with Miss Dorothy Hoestle and Miss Rita Nicholson of St. Stephen, has been spending a few days at her home here.

Miss Margery Rabbit has returned from a trip to Fredericton and St. John.

Mrs. Austin Buchanan entertained at cards on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Wren, Mrs. A. Cummings and Mrs. Arthur Gore were the prize winners.

Miss Freda Wren has returned from a visit to Fredericton.

Miss Phyllis Cockburn entertained Tuesday evening for her guests, the Misses Hoestle and Nicholson.

Judge Byron was in St. John this week.

Mr. Augustus Rishy has been spending a few days at his home here.

Mrs. Howard Grimmer is visiting in St. John.

Mrs. G. H. Elliot has gone to Boston.

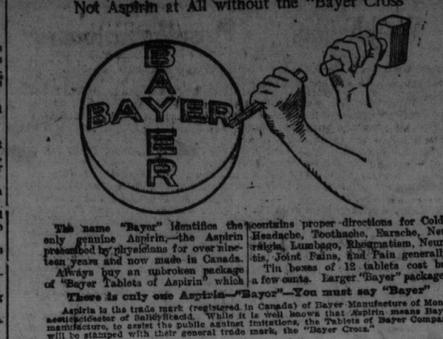
Miss Beattie Magee of Boston, has been spending a few days in town.

Sir Thomas Cook of Montreal is in town.

Miss Marie Douglas's friends are sorry to learn that she is a patient in the Chipman Hospital, having been operated on for appendicitis.

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**Weekly Chat**

My Dear Girls and Boys:—

Here we are to another week and hearing the close of another contest. Today as in last Saturday's page you will find two Brain Tests and these will be the last of our Contest Puzzles for the present, at least. We will continue to print Brain Tests among our regular puzzles but no answers will need to be sent in. The prizes are going to be a surprise and as so many are waiting just about the same number of points, it will be impossible to say how many prizes will be given. For instance, in totaling up the list at present there are three contestants running very close together in the second group there are three more very near each other, so you see if this state of affairs exist until the close of the contest, all must be awarded prizes. Consequently the details of prizes cannot be decided until all solutions are in and the final counts up. On your page of May 22nd, you will read the results. The contest, kiddies, has been a great success because of the great many who have become interested in it, because I believe it has been beneficial to all of you to try and think out these interesting little puzzles into correct solutions. They have been fun to all and while some may have appeared a little difficult, yet you must all agree that others were decidedly easy. So much for that. May you have good luck with the last two which will be found as a pleasing finish to a most interesting and successful contest. Well, how about a garden we chatted of last week. Are you thinking it over and making the necessary plans? You would not have it anything but a beautiful one I am sure, a worthy example for others to copy with the most artistic and well balanced lay out possible. You would not allow the weeds to flourish and rob the soil of all the fertilization, which the good plants require, would you? Well, you may as well should be with your character-garden, and the many virtue-seeds you may plant in it. There are the seeds of kindness, self-reliance, honesty, cheerfulness, unselfishness, cheerfulness, unselfishness, honesty and many others. Would you be so kind to sort these out and pick out the ones which go to build up a garden of character worth having. Of course you would and the children who had had weeds are just as you can't allow the weeds to become prominent and spoil your garden, so you cannot allow the weeds to grow up and smother the good seeds of your character. You all know that the younger the weeds are the easier they are to pull out, so let us with your garden, the little bad habits are very easily broken and destroyed before they get old and settled. Have a look over the little garden called "self" and see what good seeds are needed to make it a beautiful living example. There are always room for many good seeds, that is one way in which it differs from the earthy garden you may possess. It will only hold so many, but the character-garden has room for all that is good and helpful to others as well as to yourself. Make it the best and brightest and give it good care.

As ever yours,  
**UNCLE DIOR.**

**New Members**

It is always a pleasure to extend a welcome to the new friends joining our happy club and the "more the merrier" certainly applies to the Children's Corner. This time our list is rather unique because two in it are very young kiddies joining the ranks and they will have many years (if all goes well) to claim membership in the C. C.

As usual I wish to remind the old chums of the courtesy and consideration which is one way in which you may claim a personal friend of the new member.

We are delighted to enroll:

John J. Hallett, age 10 years, Orononia, Victoria Co.

Laura Stultz, age 10 years, Havelock, Kings Co.

Gertrude Isabel McGibbon, age 8 years, Moore's Mills.

Glenn Elizabeth Beasley, age 3 years, Andover.

Joan Lois Beasley, age 1 year, Andover.

Muriel Macaskill, age 10 years, Riley Brook.

Gladys Gertrude Trenholm, age 11 years, West River, Albert Co.

Roy Brown, age 12 years, Corn Hill, Kings Co.

Murry R. Kham, age 10 years, Little Ridge.

Little Boy: "I want you to write me an excuse for being late at school yesterday."

Watchmaker: "But you are not my daughter."

Little Boy: "No, but mamma says I had plenty of time to get to school, so I expect the clock you sold her doesn't go properly."

Watchmaker: "That's true, but you are not my daughter."

**HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE C. C.**

Any boy or girl under sixteen years of age may become a member of the Children's Corner by sending in his or her name, address and a photograph. For convenience the coupon printed occasionally on our page and may be filled out and sent to Uncle Dior along with your letter to Uncle Dior.

I wish to become a member of the Children's Corner.

My Name is .....

Address .....

Birthday .....

I was born in the year 19....



# MAGAZINE FEATURES

## LIMERICK CONTESTS MADE EASY

By Ring W. Lardner.  
To the Editor:  
In the last few mos. I notice they have been a kind of epidemic of what they call limerick contests on the family page of the different newspapers around the country and a personal friend of mine says to me the other day why don't you run a limerick contest of your own as they seem to be making such a hit besides which you write such pretty verses, but why start a limerick contest that would soon find it out. So I said I didn't want to make a monkey out of the editor or limerick writers, but my friend began to cry and said it wasn't fair for me to hide my lanterns under a bush so I said all right I would start a limerick contest.

Well in the last place maybe I would better explain to some of my readers what these contests mean. Well here

A girl ten years old  
Remarked very bold:  
"I'm voting for General."  
Limerick No. 3.

A woman who seemed very proud  
The knowledge that he'd packed a  
crowd in  
Said, "Listen, old man,  
I don't know you, but  
I'm voting for Governor."  
Limerick No. 4.

A walrus named Abraham Ryan  
Said, "I like a bird who keeps trying,  
And therefore I ask a  
Lour cheer for Nebraska,  
And your vote for William J."  
Limerick No. 5.

A squirrel in a vegetable garden  
Remarked, "I most humbly beg pardon."  
Limerick No. 6.



is the ideal. The paper comes out and says it will furnish 4 lines of a limerick and the subscribers has got to furnish the last line and the subscriber that furnishes the best last line, why she or he gets a prize of \$100 cash money or what ever it is and the second best gets \$50 and no hundreds dollars and etc. and they run them every day and it costs the papers a whole lot of money paying out each money prize to say nothing about the wear and tear on the brains of the boys that gets up the limericks, but that do the papers care as long as it improves the subscribers' mind and educates them to like good stuff like for inst. well you know.

Limericks Made Easy.

Well I realize that most of my readers brains is not quite up to par you might say, so I am going to give you a limerick contest that won't be such a strain and instead of making the boys and girls dope out a whole line, I am going to just leave 1 word vacant at the end of each limerick and the subscribers has got to fill in the last word according to the following set of rules:

- All last words has got to be in the lost and found dept. the following morning.
- There's no restrictions in regards to entering the contest except that my 4 kids is barred because I have all ready told them the answer. each
- If 2 or more subscribers sends in the same lost word they will be no prizes for anybody. We can't have no collisions.
- Answers must be sent on a souvenir post card with the Carnegie Library of your home city.
- Results will be give out every Sun.

But I have an aunt in  
The city of Canton  
Who's pulling for Senator."  
Limerick No. 6.

A child who was built like a mover  
Asked the waiter to fetch hors d'oeuvres  
The waiter said, "What!  
It must be you've got  
A grudge against old Herbert."  
Limerick No. 7.

An endive who looked very foolish  
And seemed to have habits quite  
ghoulish  
Said, "I am from Mass.  
And I think that the class  
Of the outfit is Governor."  
Limerick No. 8.

There was a young waffle who stood  
In a spot where she never of should.  
"Say, listen," she quoth,  
"I can't vote for both."  
So I'm voting for General."  
Limerick No. 9.

A girl whom you'd want for your partner  
(But several escorts was guarding her.)  
Remarked to a fish:  
"You may vote as you wish,  
But I'm for —"  
Limerick No. 10.



day from the pulpit and NOWHERES ELSE.

6. All answers must be addressed to Sec. of State Balmbridge Colby or HIS SUCCESSOR.

7. The lost word in each limerick is the name of a male or female that has been mentioned as a candidate for the president's chair of the United States.

8. Filling in a list of prizes: For the best lost word, Nothing; for the second best word, 1 pair detached cuffs; for the third best lost word, 2 pair detached cuffs; for all other lost words, Nothing.

Limerick No. 1.  
A badger once lived in Wisconsin.  
And he was a Swede named Pat Swanson.  
I heard her one day  
Innocently say:  
"I'm going to vote for Hill."  
Limerick No. 2.  
One night while the show was rehearsing  
And our stage director was cursing,

## Just Folks by Edgar A. Guest

**THE HOUSE WHERE THE CHILDREN PLAY.**  
On every street there's a certain place  
Where the children gather to romp  
and frolic  
There's a certain house where they meet  
To play their games and to sing their songs  
And they trample the lawn with their tireless feet  
And they scatter their playthings about the street,  
But though some folks order them off,  
Let the house be mine where the children play.

Armed gather about the door  
And fill the air with their battle roar,  
Cowboys swing their larist loops,  
Dash round the house with the wildest whoops.

There are laws too lovely to bear the weight  
Of a group of boys when they roller skate,  
There are porches fine that must never know  
The stamping of footsteps that come and go,  
But on every street there's a favorite place  
Where the children gather to romp and race,  
And I'm glad in my heart that it's mine to say,  
Ours is the house where the children play.

## Rann-Dom Reels THE ELEPHANT.

taken hold of in childhood it can be taught the latest dance steps in a few weeks, which ought to bring the blush of shame to the cheeks of middle-aged husbands who refuse to learn.

In his wild state the elephant comes equipped with a pair of sharp, prying tusks. On being captured, however, these are sawed off and converted into billiard balls, celluloid piano keys and mental machinery for ball players.

The demand for this machinery is so much greater than the supply that many players go without any.

There are several men in this country who could learn a useful lesson by observing the patience, industry and good nature of the elephant. If they were not so busy trying to run fifteen balls from the break.

Working and Living.  
(St. Louis Globe Democrat.)  
Plainly the Allies must assume some responsibility for the "internal order and economic well-being" of Germany if the Treaty is to be enforced with any semblance of justice. To disarm Germany and to refuse to aid in her preservation is to destroy her and to make compliance with the Treaty impossible, as well as to make her resulting anarchy a menace to all Europe. Apart from any considerations of humanity, which ought not to be eliminated, the material interests of the Allied nations, as well as of all mankind, demand that Germany be given "the possibility of working and living."

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## RIGHT FOR A DARK DAY

The International Sunday School Lesson for May 9 is, "Eli and His Sons."—1 Samuel 31: 12-17; 4: 1-14.  
By William T. Ellis.

Were there ever before in the world so many depressed and discouraged persons? Gloom seems to have settled upon the brows of world who are thoughtful and watch the world. Whichever way one looks upon the horizon trouble appears: one sees "misfits in common" everywhere. The high idealism of the days of war is being dissipated; statelessness in the old world and politics in the new are under a blight. Selfishness is ascending the throne of earth. Churches report spiritual destitution and decrease of members.

Such is the state of society, in one seeming. It all recalls the dark days of our season, when the Ark of the Lord was captured by the Philistines, after the Israelites had been terribly defeated. To a short view it appeared that after rain had come upon the nation.

Yet at once we are struck by the fact that this ark of ancient history, appointed the study of millions by a far-extended committee of scholars, is treated only in its relation to one man and his family. The assigned Lesson topic is not "The Defeat of Israel by the Philistines," or "The Capture of the Ark of the Covenant," but simply the career of one man, Eli, an essential fact in the great story the personal history of one family? So it seems.

**Who is the Successful Man?**  
Since it is the present fashion to throw all the old standards in the rubbish, suppose we make this Eli study an occasion for discarding, for the moment, the popular measures of a man's achievement. Up until now the palm for success, the world around, has gone to the man who has achieved the most money, and consequently, the most power. Philosophers throughout the centuries have in one way or another shown the fallacy of this view. Reason, scorn and wit have been aimed at the error of making riches the gauge of success. De Witt Clinton said: "You may know what the Lord Almighty thinks of money by the kind of person he gives it to!"

Our own day is ready for the proposition, at least theoretically, that the ruthless pursuit of material wealth is chiefly what has made a mess of the world. We assent to the contention that a man must produce some better proof of success than the mere possession of money. Our common sense tells us that some of our ghostliest fellows are men who have "made" millions. Every reader of these lines can pause here and name over to himself wealthy men who must be written down as failures.

Without running the gamut of the various forms of achievement that are better than the acquisition of money, perhaps the greatest of these is the habit of asking about every man not, "How much is he worth?" but always, "How has he made his money?" Upon the man whose sons turn out badly the brand of failure would then rest. Such an arbitrary standard would like all other fixed measures, work individual hardship; but the principle would make for a better world.

**A Remedy For Today's Ills.**  
Assuredly neither Bolshevism nor reaction is going to remedy what is wrong with our times. Nor will prohibition or woman suffrage or single tax or new political parties or the curious spiritual cults that offer themselves by the dozen.

This new standard of success will do so.

When the training of sons—and impliedly, of daughters also—becomes the supreme business of society, its one accepted evidence of success in life, the nail that is wrong will be made right. Men will no longer tolerate conditions that are subversive of proper child-rearing. Likewise they will turn to all the forces of the state, as home religion, which make for character in children. If sons are to be the principal product of life, and the one test of a man's powers, then other interests will fall into their proper and proportionate places.

Whatever is wrong will be made right when men develop an ambition to be, above all else, successful fathers.

Eli personified what was amiss with Israel. He had position, the highest in his nation, and he had power, as well as personal piety. He was a "good" man. But a failure. He had neglected his sons. By so doing he had permitted and encouraged rottenness in the very fabric of the state. Eli was a monumental failure, like thousands of modern men who have seemed great.

**The Price We Pay.**  
A certain eminent lawyer gave a staid afternoon and evening, and all of Sunday, as well as summer holidays, to being with his sons. What availed fame and fees if his family failed? He knew that no substitute may be hired for a father: the greatest teachers cannot take the place of a parent, to be loved and admired and followed.

Right here is the pinch of the problem for many men. A high price must be paid for success in parenthood. It takes more brains and character to make a fine family than it does to make a million dollars. It may sound easy to serve as the head of a family but every good father knows otherwise. For one thing, a man cannot lead his son in a direction in which he is not going himself. There is no corrective for character like the fatherly job of being a pattern. The true parent must be able to say, like Jesus and Paul, "I have given you an example." If fewer parents lived for show and vanity and pleasure and pursuit of money, we should have less of a national perplexity in the frivolity and cerebral-mindedness of our youth.

Most child-problems are really parent-problems.

If there were fewer failures at the Eli job there would be fewer Philistines and Hophnims.

Also there is the other side of the case. Eli missed manhood's highest

## SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS.

To love abundantly is to live abundantly.—Deemond.

"There is nothing so kingly as kindness."  
And nothing so royal as truth."  
—Anon.

Not what we give, but what we share,  
For the gift without the giver is bare;  
Who gives himself with his aims feeds three,  
Himself, his hungry neighbor and me.  
—Lowell.

We have no liberty to choose whether we will serve or no; all the liberty we have is to choose our master.  
—Sanderson.

They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint.—Isa. 40: 31.

Why, therefore, should we do ourselves this wrong  
Or others, that we are not always strong;  
That we should ever weak or heartless be,  
Anxious or troubled, when with us is prayer,  
And joy and strength and courage are  
with Thee.  
—R. C. French, D. D.

A wise man has well reminded us that in any controversy the instant we feel angry we have already ceased striving for truth, and have begun striving for ourselves.—Caryle.

## FOR NICKY AND THE SET

Honest, the first time I got on this wild party with the steady gray eyes and the pecker face was that he must be dead from this neck up. Or else he'd come into a trance and couldn't get out.

"Nice lookin' young chap, too. Oh, say thirty or better. I don't know as you qualify as a perfect male, but he has good lines and the kind of profile that has most of the lady typist struttin' their necks. But there's no more expression on that snag of his than there would be to a bar of soap. Just a blank. And you after a second glance you wonder.

You see, I'd happened to drift out into the general office in time to have seen Nicky when the fair-haired guardian of the brass gate, at Mr. Robert's is in. And when Vincent tells him he ain't he makes no move to get in. He stands there startin' through the wall out into Broadway. Looks like he might be one of Mr. Robert's club friends, so I step up and asks if there's anything a perfectly good private sec. can do for him. He makes up enough to shake his head.

"Any message?" says I.  
"Another shake. There maybe you'll leave your card?" says I.  
"Yes, he's wantin' to do that, and thanks it over."  
"Oh!" says I. "Why didn't you say so?" Mr. Nickerson Wells, eh? Why, you're one who's going to handle that car transportation deal for the Corporation, ain't you?"  
"I was, but I'm not," says the chap.  
"Not?" says I, gawpin'."  
"Don't take it on," says he. "Tell them I'll will you."  
"Not much!" says I. "Guess you'll have to hand that to him yourself, Mr. Wells. He'll be here any minute. Right this way."

And a swell time I had tonight! I'm entertained in the private office for half an hour. Not that he's restless or fidgety, but when you can get a man who only stares bored at a spot about ten feet behind the back of your head and answers most of your questions by blinkin' his eyes, and that of gets on your nerves. Still I couldn't let him get away. Why Mr. Robert had been prospectin' for months to find the right man for that transportation rumble and when he finally got hold of this Nicky Wells he goes around grinnin' for three days.

Seems like I've been up quite a rap, by some work he did over in France on an engineerin' job. I'm some sappy, trucks where nobody would look at. He was out on a party in a night under fire, and pulled a lot of stuff like that. I don't know what he was doin' there, but he made a colonel, and when it was all over he had him home as casual as you please. He was sent of gets on your nerves. Still I couldn't let him get away. Why Mr. Robert had been prospectin' for months to find the right man for that transportation rumble and when he finally got hold of this Nicky Wells he goes around grinnin' for three days.

"Wasn't he a swell?" says I.  
"I may have helped," says he.  
"I know all about it, you see. Quite thrillin' if you had a high speed imagination. And you can bet was some relieved when Mr. Robert was and took him off my hands. Must have been an hour later before he comes out and goes into the private office to find Mr. Robert with his chin in his whiskers and his brow furrowed up."  
"Well, make it the one-syllable champion broke the old news to you!" says I.  
"Yes he wants to quit," says Mr. Robert.  
"Means to devote all his time to breakin' the long distance no-speech record, does he?" I asks.  
"I'm sure I don't know what he means to do," says Mr. Robert sighin'.

"Anyway he seems determined not to go to work for the corporation. I did discover one thing, though, Torchy; there's a girl mixed up in the affair. She's throwin' him over."  
"I don't wonder," says I. Probably he tried to get through a whole evening with her on that yea-and-no-standin'.

No Mr. Robert, says it wasn't that. Not altogether. Nicky has done something that he's ashamed of, or something he'd better not get out. He's been makin' her to a dinner dance up in Boston a month or so back. He'd been on hand all right, was right on the spot while she was waitin' for him; but instead of callin' around with the taxi and the orchids he'd slipped off to another town without sayin' a word. The worst of it was that in this other place was the other woman, someone he'd had an affair with before. A heck widow, too.

"Think of that!" says I. "Nicky the sinner! Say, you can't always tell on you? What's his alibi?"  
"That's the puzzling part of it," says Mr. Robert. He hasn't the ghost of an excuse, although he claims he didn't see the other woman, had almost forgotten she lived there. But why he deserted his dinner partner and went to this place he doesn't explain, except to say that he doesn't know why he did it."  
"Who fishy," says I. "Unless he can show he was walkin' in his sleep."  
"Just what I tell him," says Mr. Robert. "Anyway, he's a tang of hand. Says if he no more responsible than that he couldn't undertake an important piece of work. Besides I believe he is very fond of the girl. She's Betty Burke, by the way."  
"Z-z-zing!" says I. "Some combination, Miss Betty Burke and Nickerson Wells."  
"I seen her a few times at the Billions, and take it from me she's some

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By SEWELL FORD

## NICKY AND THE SETTING HEN

Honest, the first time I got on this party with the steady gray eyes and the poker face was that he must be dead from the neck up. Or else he'd gone into a trance and couldn't get out.

"Nice looking young chap, too. Oh, say thirty or better. I don't know as he'd qualify as a perfect male, but he has good lines and the kind of profile that had more of a steady type stretchin' their necks. That there's no more expression on that map of his than there would be to a bar of soap. Just a blank. And yet after a second glance you wondered.

You see, I'd happened to drift out into the general office. It was to hear him ask Vincent, the fat-headed guardian of the brass gate, if Mr. Robert is in. And when Vincent tells him he isn't he makes no move to go, but stands there startin' straight through the wall out into Broadway. Looks like he might be one of Mr. Robert's club friends, so I steps up and asks if there's anything a perfectly good private sec. can do for him. He wakes up enough to shake his head.

"Any message?" says I.  
 "Another shake. 'Then maybe you'll leave your card?'" says I.  
 "Yes, he's willing to do that, and hands it over."  
 "Oh!" says I. "Why didn't you say so? Mr. Nickerson, would she, why, you're the one who's willing to handle that one transportation deal for the Corporation, ain't you?"  
 "It was, but I'm not," says the chap.  
 "Oh!" says I, gawpin.  
 "Can't take it on," says he. "Tell Ellis he'll pay!"  
 "Not much," says I. "Guess you'll have to hand that to him yourself, Mr. Wells. He'll be here any minute. Night this way!"  
 And a swell time I had keepin' him entertained in the private office for half an hour. Not that he's restless or fidgety, but you get a party who only stares bored at a spot about ten feet behind the back of your head and answers most of your questions by blinkin' his eyes and a kind of get on your nerves. Still I couldn't let him go away. Why Mr. Robert had been prospectin' for months to find the right man for that transportation middle and when he finally got hold of this Nicky Wells he goes around grinnin' for three days.

Somebody up there has a hen on, judge, or one just coming off."  
 "Oh, I see!" says Mr. Robert. "An' had any of the young men succeeded that is, in producing something with—or a kick to it?"  
 According to their tale, they had. "Seems they tried it out in Boston after the Harvard-Yale game. A bunch got together in some hotel room and opened a jug one of 'em had brought along in case Harvard should win, and after that 10-3 score—well, I expect they'd have celebrated on something 'even if it was no more than lemon extract or Jannic grape." "How about that, Nicky?" asks Mr. Robert, who's a Yale man.  
 "Quite possible," says Nicky, who for the first time seems to have his

ard guy who wasn't much used to sitting anything of the sort, but he was so much chered up over seeing a team win that he got 'em lead him to it. They say he shut his eyes and let four fingers in a water glass trickle down without stopping to taste it. From then on he was a different man. He forgot all about being a Delta Kappa, whatever that is; forgot that he had an aunt who still lived on Beacon Street; forgot most every thing except that the birds were singin' Johnny Harvard and that Casey was a great man. He climbed on a table and insisted on makin' a speech about it. You know how that comes about? Well, he says sometimes I've been told that it has a certain potency," says Mr. Robert, wakin' in Nicky.

"Anyway," I goes on, seem' that Nicky was well interested, "it seems to be his tongue loose. He gets eloquent about the poor old Ellis who had to stand around and watch the snake dance without lettin' out a yip. Then he has a bright idea, which he proceeds to state. Maybe they don't know anything about the glorious product of the setting hen down in New Haven. And who needs it more at such a time as this? Ought to have some of 'em up there and lighten their load of gloom. Act of charity. Gotta be done. If nobody else'll do it, he'll go out into highways and byways.

"And he does. Half an hour later he shows up at the home hour headquarters with an Ell that he's captured on the way to the South station. He's a solemn-faced, drifted party who don't seem to catch what it's all about and balks when he sees the bunch. But he's dragged in and introduced to Chester Beak the Hittite. "I beg pardon?" asks Nicky.  
 "I'm only giving you what I heard," says I. "Chester Beak might have been his right name, or it might not, and the Hittite part was some of his josh. I take it. Anyway, Chester was dealt a generous shot from the jug, folks, which he was one of them. Him and the Harvard guy got real chummy, and the officer they sampled the home brew the more they thought of each other. They discovered they'd both served in the same division on the other side and had spent last Thanksgiving only a few miles from each other. It was real touchin'! When last seen they were drittin' up Tremont Street arm in arm singin' 'Madelon', 'Boola-Boola', 'Harvardians' and other appropriate melodies."  
 "Just like the good old days, eh, Nicky?" suggests Mr. Robert.  
 But Nicky only shakes his head. "You say they were not seen again?"

And she puts it up to him straight when he got him cornered. "Was that the real reason why you were in Worcester?" she demands.  
 "I'm sorry," says he, hangin' his head, "but it must have been."  
 "Then why didn't you say so, you silly boy?" she asks.  
 "How could I, Betty?" says he. "You see, I hadn't heard the rest of the story until just now."  
 "Oh, Nicky!" says she.  
 And the next thing I knew they'd gone to a clinic, which I take as my cue to slide back to the house. Half an hour later they shows up smilin' and tells all about it.  
 As we're leavin' for home Mr. Robert gets me on one side and gets me on the back. "I say Torchy," says he, "as a raconteur you're a great success. It worked. Nicky will sign up tomorrow."  
 "Good!" says I. "Only send him where they ain't got the settin' hen habit and the taxi drivers ain't so willin' to take a chance."



"Then take me out to him will you?" she asks.

Nicky. Only we couldn't imagine what was the matter. She's not used to being forgotten and I suppose she just no time in telling Nicky where he got off. She must have cared a lot for him. Perhaps she still does. The silly thing! If they could only make it up perhaps Nicky would sign that contract and go to work.  
 "Looks like a case of Cupid throwin' a monkey wrench into the gears of commerce, eh?" says I. "How do you size up Nicky's plea of not guilty?"  
 "Oh, if he says he didn't see the other woman he didn't, that's all," says Mr. Robert. But still he explains why he went where she was when—  
 "Maybe he would if he had a show," says I. "If you could plot out a get-together session for 'em somehow."  
 "Natchy!" says Mr. Robert, slappin' his knee. "Thank you Torchy. It shall be done. Get Mrs. Ellis on the long distance, will you."  
 He's a quick performer, Mr. Robert, when he's got his program mapped out. He don't hesitate to step on the pedal. Before quittin' time that afternoon he's got it all fixed up.  
 "Tomorrow night," says he, Nicky understands that we're having a dinner party out at the house. Betty'll be there. You and Ves are to be the party."  
 "A lot of help I'll be," says I. "But I expect I can fill a chair."  
 When you get a private sec. that can double as open face clothes, though, you've picked a winner. That's why I figure so heavy on the Corrugated pay roll. But say, when I find myself planted next to Bubbling Betty at the table I begin to suspect that I've been mis-cast for the part.  
 She's some smart dresser, on and off, Betty is. Her idea of a perfectly good dinner gown is to make it as simple as possible. All she needs is a skirt or so of glass beads and a little pink tulle and there she is. There's more or less of her too. And she thinks that Freda Bara stood for the last word in bars. I hadn't seen Betty costumed for the dinner room then. And I expect the blush roses in the flower bowl had nothing to do with it. It's "Mr. Wells" and "Mrs. Barla" with them, Nicky with

ears prickin' up. "What them?"  
 "Well," says I, "there was one Har-  
 "What do you think of this now near-beer?" she demands.  
 "Why," says I, "it strikes me the bird who named it was a poor judge of distance. Which almost causes Betty to swallow an olive pit."  
 "You're empty delightful!" says she. "Why haven't we met before?"  
 "Maybe he didn't think it was safe," says I. "They might be right, at that."  
 "Naughty, naughty!" says she. "But go on. Tell me a funny story while the fish is being served."  
 "I'd do better servin' the fish," says I.  
 "Pooh!" says she. "I don't believe it. Come!"  
 "How do you know I'm primed?" says I.  
 "I can tell by your eyes," says she. "There's a twinkle in them."  
 "Se-e-h!" says I. "Balladonna. Besides, I always forget the good ones I read in the comic sections."  
 "Please!" insists Betty. "Everyone else is being so stupid. And you're supposed to entertain me, you know."  
 "Well," says I, "I did hear kind of a rich one while I was waitin' at the club for Mr. Robert today, only I don't know as you'd care."  
 "Listen, everybody!" announces Betty vivacious. "Torchy is going to tell a story."  
 "Course, that gets me plinked up like the candle shades and I shake my head vigorous.  
 "Hear, hear!" says Mr. Robert.  
 "Oh, do," adds Mrs. Ellis.  
 As for Ves, she looks across at me doubtful. "I hope it isn't that one about a Mr. Cohen who played poker all night," says she.  
 "Wrong guess," says I. "The one I overheard at Mr. Robert's club while a bunch of young sports were comparin' notes on settin' hens."  
 "How do you mean, settin' hens?" asks Mr. Robert.  
 "It's the favorite indoor sport up in New England now, I understand," says I. "It's the pie-belt way of talkin' the sting out of the prohibition amendment. You know, buildin' something with a kick to it. I didn't get the details, but they used cornmeal, sugar, water, molasses and the good old yeast cake and let it set in a cask for twenty-one days. Neesly

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 We have no liberty to choose whether we will serve or no; all the liberty we have is to choose our master.—Sunderland.  
 They that walk upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint.—Isa. 40: 31.  
 Why, therefore, should we do ourselves this wrong? Or others, that we are not always strong? That we should ever weak or heartless be. Anxious or troubled, when with us is prayer. And joy and strengthened courage are with us.—R. C. French, D. D.  
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Forecast: Maritime—Moderate winds with much the same temperatures. Northern New England—Partly cloudy; Saturday probably showers in central and East Maine; Sunday fair, warmer in Maine.

AROUND THE CITY

WATER SHUT OFF. The water will be shut off the north side of King street and both sides of Charlotte street from King to Princess streets today, on account of work being done in King street.

STARTING NEXT WEEK. A start will be made next week on the foundation for the Dulon Square fountain which is to be erected by the Women's Council.

THE PROBATE COURT. In the matter of the estate of Mary J. Olla, letters testamentary have been granted to Evaline Cameron and Charles E. Cameron; personalty \$2,000, J. B. Dever, proctor.

THE HEALTH MEETING. The three district medical health officers, Dr. G. G. Melvin, chief medical officer of the province, Dr. Abrahamson and Hon. Dr. Stotters will meet in conference at the Board of Health office this morning in one of their regular conferences which are held every two months.

SAND PIT ACCIDENT. William McCallum, of 135 Water street, a longshoreman, working on the S. S. Mortmain, fell into the hold of the steamer at 11.50 yesterday morning, injuring his hip and bruising his face. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital and given first aid, and then sent to the General Public Hospital for X-ray examination.

PROPOSED SUPPLEMENT. The Board of Trade has received an advance copy of a proposed supplement to Canadian Freight Classification 18 which has been filed with the Board of Railway Commissioners for approval. This supplement covers changes in L. C. L. and C. L. rates on liquors and liquors. Objections to increases in transportation charges may be filed within 30 days.

TRADES AND LABOR. The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council was held in their rooms, Union street, last night, on a considerable routine business was transacted. A committee was appointed to look into the matter of purchasing a building for a Labor Temple. Fred Campbell was chosen a delegate to attend the sessions of the American Federation of Labor which meets in Montreal on June 7.

IN CHAMBERS. Before His Honor Judge McKewen in Chambers yesterday morning argument was heard upon an application for a summons for directions for an accounting in the case of James P. Byrne vs. James H. McFarlane. The question was as to whether or not a summons for direction an application could be made for an order if at the time of taking out the summons was not supported by an affidavit. It was said in behalf of the defence that if there were a preliminary question to be tried it should be heard before an order to take account should be made. His Honor found that there was a preliminary question, and under this ruling would not grant the order. Mr. W. Robertson appeared for the plaintiff, and W. M. Ryan for the defendant.

NEW N. S. BONDS. Now that the Government of New Brunswick has to pay over 6 1/2 per cent interest on bonds, even Mr. Venice might be expected to pause in a course of conduct that makes borrowing necessary. But will he? Or will Premier Foster see that he does? We are confidently looking to the Mail, Telegraph, Transcript and St. John Times for editorial congratulations to the Government on the placing of its new bond issue at 6.52. The Transcript will probably show out its big rooster in exuberant jubilation over this evidence of New Brunswick's high credit under the present administration! And the Mail editor's flock of prize poultry will cackle and crow in one grand tune!

THE GREAT WEST HELD CONVENTION

Insurance Company Representatives in New Brunswick Assembled Yesterday — Dinner at Union Club Following Addresses.

The Great West Life Insurance Co. held a convention yesterday in the office of the local manager, E. P. O'Toole, Fernes William street, which was attended by all the representatives of the company in New Brunswick and the adjoining counties of Quebec. The agents were addressed by C. H. Carpenter, the superintendent, of Toronto, and by C. A. Buller, of

Freight Between Boston And St. John

Shipments by Way of Yarmouth Has Been Discontinued — Eastern Company Expected on Monday to Announce Resumption of Regular Service.

Shipment of freight from Boston to St. John by way of Yarmouth has been discontinued. The steamer South Coast is making two trips a week between Yarmouth and St. John, and she has about twenty tons of Boston freight to move, but no more will be accepted. The Board of Trade took the matter up yesterday with A. C. Currie, agent of the steamship company who advised that the Eastern Steamship Company expected to make an announcement on Monday as to the resumption of the service between Boston and St. John, which he hoped would be before May 17. Meantime all freight from Boston will have to come by rail.

Poor Fishing In The Harbor

Gaspereaux Fishing Has Been Rather Poor Since a Few Big Catches During First Run—Some Activity Down the Bay.

Since a few big catches were made during the first run of Gaspereaux, the fishing has proved rather poor at St. John. The few fishermen have done sporadically nothing, and the catches in the water have been small. Whether cold weather, has delayed the season remains to be seen. Usually the bulk of the run of Gaspereaux have passed up the river by this date.

At Lorneville and points in Charlotte County the shore fishing is active, and yesterday especially the catches of cod brought here were good.

Quite a delegation of fishermen and people interested in the fisheries of Charlotte county are in Ottawa this week to interview the government on matters relating to these fisheries. The party includes M. N. Cockburn, K. C. G. H. I. Cockburn, S. D. Gupill, M. L. A. Harold Lord, Wm. Welsh and others. Mrs. Welsh accompanied her husband and before their return they propose visiting Toronto, Boston and New York.

Sir Arthur Currie Expected in May

Word Received by Woman's Canadian Club That the Distinguished General Will Address Two Canadian Clubs in St. John.

A telegram was received by the Woman's Canadian Club yesterday from General Sir Arthur Currie announcing that he will be in St. John May 21st, and will address both the Canadian Club here. It is hoped that both the Province and City will join the Canadian Clubs in giving a fitting welcome to so distinguished a guest. This announcement was made at an executive meeting held yesterday morning at the residence of the president, Mrs. L. P. D. Thibet, Wellington Row. A vote of thanks was passed to W. H. Golding for his consideration and kindness to the Woman's Canadian Club. A business meeting which will be the last of the season, was arranged for May 16th, Loyalty Day. Plans for luncheon for the National Council of Women's delegates were made and a committee appointed.

General McLean's Oracular Utterance

The General McLean incident has aroused more amusement than wrath among the veterans of St. John, who are better acquainted with the general than some of the veterans in other parts. "Whatever our representative McNeil thinks the General may have said, the corrected version of the General's utterance is such a colossal Irish bull that we can afford to forgive him," said a St. John veteran yesterday. "According to this corrected version the General said: 'Most of the private soldiers who married servant girls were in that class who were earning their living before.' That is an observation of a probability that would puzzle a Philadelphia lawyer. Does it mean that private soldiers who married servant girls were earning their living before marriage or merely living on the old man? Or if it means that the servant girls were earning their living before marriage, does it involve the implication that some mistresses don't pay their servant girls enough to live?"

Montreal, manager for the province of Quebec.

Following the afternoon meeting a dinner was held at the Union Club in the evening where addresses were made by S. Wetmore Merritt, provincial manager for N. B., by C. H. Carpenter and C. A. Buller. Those attending the convention included Col. G. J. Hesseman and G. H. Coy, of Fredericton; G. Mor, Campbellton; E. A. Burgoyne, St. Leonard; H. H. White, New Richmond, P. Q.; D. B. Johnson, Pecosquis; E. Kestead, Hampton; G. E. Moore, Fort Elgin; D. W. Allen, Cape Tormentine; E. H. Price, Canterbury and E. P. O'Toole, of St. John.

Louis Goldberg Was Badly Injured

Stepped off the Sidewalk on Main Street Yesterday Afternoon and Was Run Over by An Automobile—Taken to the Hospital for Treatment.

Louis Goldberg, a tailor employed in one of the up-town establishments, was knocked down and run over by an auto while attempting to cross Main street, near Assa's grocery store about 12.30 yesterday afternoon. The auto featuring in the accident was owned and driven by Jack Hanna, a milk-deliverer of Millidgeville. According to the eye-witness Goldberg stepped off the sidewalk, made a move as if to cross the street, saw the car coming towards him, hesitated, as if undecided to cross or not then continued on. The driver of the car which was coming down Main street at a fairly fast rate, slowed down somewhat when he saw the man start to cross. He presumably intended to stop until the auto passed. When the driver realized his mistake he jammed on his brakes but it was too late. Goldberg was knocked down, the auto passing over his body and stopped about ten feet beyond. The unfortunate victim picked himself up bleeding profusely from the face and slumped on to his side. He was taken to the General Public Hospital. There it was found that the unfortunate victim's injuries were all external. However the nervous shock he sustained was a very severe one and will be confined to the hospital for several days. Goldberg gave his address as 11 Ann street.

It is a dangerous practice for persons to step off the sidewalk to cross streets other than going over the regular crossing. Several accidents have happened in this manner and a few years ago a man who stepped off the curb in front of an automobile on Germain street was killed.

Arrangements For West Indian Party

Sir George E. Foster Hopes to Have Delegation Spend Day or Two in Halifax and St. John Before Proceeding to Ottawa for Conference — Reach Here May 25.

The Board of Trade, which has been in communication with the Trade and Commerce Department, Ottawa, relative to the approaching West Indian conference at Ottawa, held a meeting yesterday from Sir George E. Foster in which he stated that he did not know exactly when the West Indian delegation, composed of representatives from the various West Indian administrations, would arrive in Canada, nor the exact route by which they would arrive. It was his impression that they would come by the R.M.S. P. steamers some days previous to the opening of the conference on May 21st. He was trying to arrange that they would have a day or two at Halifax, St. John and possibly Montreal, before reaching Ottawa. He thought it would be a good plan for the Board of Trade and commercial people to welcome these visitors, secure an interchange of views and make their acquaintance. He suggested that the Board of Trade should submit memoranda to him covering such subjects as cable communications, transport facilities, trade relations, associated tariffs, methods of testing sugar and such other topics as they might desire the conference to consider.

The council of the Board of Trade, with Mayor Schofield in attendance, met yesterday morning to consider the request of Sir George E. Foster, in the general expression of their appreciation of the way of a welcome and in the furnishing of information should be given the West Indian visitors.

The secretary was also instructed to secure information from business people interested in the subjects to be taken up before the conference and it was decided to ask the co-operation of the city authorities and that of the various city organizations in providing a fitting welcome for the visitors.

D. W. Ledington, local representative of the R. M. S. P. service learned that the delegation will not arrive on the R. M. S. P. Orangethree which reaches St. John on Tuesday next but will arrive on the steamship Chaudiere which is due in St. John about the 25th. This will give the Board of Trade ample time to make the necessary arrangements in connection with their visit here.

INDIANTOWN NOTES

All the river steamers are enjoying good business these days. Large cargoes of freight are being carried on their trips up and down the river while the passenger traffic is good too. The steamer Champlain is yet awaiting a new boiler. It is expected within a few days and the owners hope to have the steamer running by the latter part of next week.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS. Debates due pupils who attended Vocational Classes will be held on Wednesday, May 12th, at the office of the Board of School Trustees.

CAMP WESKAWENNAK. Ideal vacation for girls at Pett Bay, N. S. Athletics, boating, bathing, dancing. Under careful supervision of teachers of physical training and assistants. 5th session, July 2nd-August 28 (4125). Send for illustrated booklet to (Miss) J. Edith Taylor, 425 Broadway, Cambridge, Mass.

ST. LUK'S CHURCH. At the 11 o'clock service a memorial tablet to the late Lieut. R. L. Johnson, R. A. F., will be unveiled.

County Council Finance Committee

Position of Unfortunates Who Need Treatment in County Hospital, But Who Are Not Entitled to It Was Discussed Yesterday—Other Matters.

At the meeting of the Finance Committee of the County Council, yesterday, the position of unfortunates who need treatment at the St. John County Hospital, but who are not entitled to it, was discussed. No provision has been made for the free treatment of patients, except those domiciled ordinarily in the City or County of St. John, and there are some people afflicted with consumption who have no assistance in New Brunswick, and whose treatment could not be charged to any other county. Ex-Mayor Hayes will say the matter before the Red Cross Society to see if that body can do anything for the unfortunates who need treatment at the hospital.

The committee will recommend that the County Secretary be directed to pay the full amounts of the warrants issued in favor of the several county institutions, and that if shortages occur in his collections, the same be added to next year's assessment. The matter of paying for the ferry-boat between Lancaster and Indian-town, and providing an athletic ground in Fairville, was referred to the Council without recommendation.

August 21 was fixed as the date for the expiration of the discount on consumption of the county.

A petition was received from Turnkeys S. Clifford, W. J. Cunningham and Frank A. Bowers, asking that their pay be raised to \$120 a month, the same as police constables. They claimed they were on duty eleven hours in the daytime and thirteen hours at night, and that they did not get free uniforms like the police. Referred to Council.

Present: Mayor Schofield, who was elected chairman, and Councilors Golding, O'Brien, Beutley, Campbell, Donovan, Anderson, Jones, Warde, Bullock, and ex-Mayor Hayes.

A CLEAN MUSICAL COMEDY OF EXCEPTIONAL MERIT

Theatre goers who are looking for somewhere to go and who can appreciate clean, musical comedy—a hearty laugh—and singing that is gold, if ever, equalled by even the high priced musical shows, would do well to attend Monday night's performance of Time-Girls Time, as given by the Rivoli Musical Comedy and Comic Opera Co., at the Queen's Theatre. This will be the opening performance of the company's engagement, and Manager Murray promises the public a great big surprise in the company of this company. The lady members who will play the principal roles are Elizabeth Foster, soprano prima donna, Charlotte Smith, contralto, Gladys Edgson, mezzo soprano, and Belle Perris, mezzo soprano. These ladies are going to create a sensation among music lovers. Among the men are the following: Musical quartette, are considered by competent critics in New York to be one of three really first-class male quartette at present in the States. They will be Monday night's special attraction. The chorus has been chosen for their ability as singers. Each one has been with musical shows at the big Broadway theatres not once but many times, and every one is capable of solo work. Those who attend Monday evening's performance can look for a big musical enterprise. Ladies and children especially welcome.

BIG ATTRACTIONS TODAY AT OAK HALL'S BACK HOME SALE

The Oak Hall Back Home Sale which has been running this week at their old home stand, corner King and Germain streets has many and attractive to offer in men's and boys' clothing and furnishings for Saturday shoppers. Oak Hall months to get ready for this event, and they have succeeded in getting together the greatest line of quality merchandise at low prices that it has ever been their good fortune to offer. They lay particular stress on the qualities they are offering. For instance men's suits offered at \$23.98 are quality worth \$35.00. They have the quality and the workmanship behind them. There are hundreds of such examples that could be easily pointed out. The point is that low prices are not the only ruling factors of this great Back Home event, but real quality has received special consideration so that every article sold has the Oak Hall guarantee to back it up.

The savings that can be made here on weekend shopping are well worth any man's consideration and should not be lightly passed by. Oak Hall will be opened till ten o'clock tonight giving everybody an opportunity to profit by this Back Home event.

PRETTY VOILE BLOUSES AT \$2.98 A SATURDAY BARGAIN AT F. A. DYKEMAN'S. Many pretty styles in Voile Blouses are being offered by this store today at \$2.98. This is a very low price for blouses of ordinary plain Voile waists. Those on sale, however, are exceptionally attractive, all well made, finished, either high or low necks, tucked or laced trimmed fronts and long sleeves. Altogether a collection of real old time bargains the kind that is worth the extra effort to get to the store early.

See these \$2.98 Waists on view in their Show Window.

WHAT IT MEANS TO THE WOMEN. The hardest part of the house work is the washing when it is done in the old way with the tub and washboard. Do it the modern way by Electricity. See the demonstration this afternoon at the EASTERN ELECTRIC COMPANY Showroom, Corner Dock and Union streets.

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10th Anniversary on Charlotte St. Sale Closes Tonight. For this, the last day of the most successful Anniversary Sale we have ever held, all Hats will be on sale at a most liberal discount. Untrimmed Hats, black and colors, for today only one lot at \$1.50. Trimmed Hats, hundreds of most attractive styles, today \$3, \$4, \$5. Imported Model Hats, received from New York this week, \$15 up for \$10 today. Tailored Sailors, here you have such a large variety, specials, \$3 and \$4.50. Children's Trimmed Hats \$1.25 up. No Hats Exchanged. No Hats on Approval. No Money Refunded. Marr Millinery Co., Limited. St. John Moncton Amherst Sydney

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