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THE OPERA HOUSE
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 Tonight would be a good time to take in this week's vaudeville programme at the Opera House. If you like good pictures, the Billie Burke serial drama, "Gloria's Romance," will certainly please you, and the vaudeville bill of five high-class acts is real good entertainment. The theatre is cool, refreshing and well ventilated for warm evenings—just the place to go and enjoy a good show with plenty of comedy and laughs, a few thrills and plenty of novelty and surprise. Every evening at 7.30 and 9 every afternoon at 2.30.

GEM FEATURE TONIGHT
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 Two new and excellent vaudeville acts and Kitty Gordon in "Her Maternal Light," a 5-reel World film picture constitute the Gem's new bill tonight. Miss Gordon, a noted British actress, is in private life, the Hon. Mrs. H. H. Bedford. She wears some stunning gowns. The picture play is a powerful high life story.

LAST TIME MARGUERITE CLARK IN
"VALENTINE GIRL," LYRIC TONIGHT
 If you have not seen Marguerite Clark in her latest success, "The Valentine Girl," do so tonight. It's one of her best efforts, a charming story. Do not miss it.

"MAN AND BEAST"
 Tonight and Thursday the Butterfly features "Man and Beast," in five acts, will be shown at the Gaiety Theatre, together with a Nestor comedy.

FREDERICTON POLICEMAN
SUFFERS \$1,000 FIRE LOSS;
INCENDIARISM BELIEVED

Fredericton, Aug. 1.—A dwelling known as the Clayburn house on the Richibucto road in the outskirts of Barker's Point and owned by Policeman William Sturgeon of the Fredericton force, was burned to the ground early this morning. Incendiarism is suspected as the building, which had been unoccupied for some time, had been the resort at night of parties from Fredericton and elsewhere. Mr. Sturgeon estimates his loss at about \$1,000 with practically no insurance. The owner had been repairing the building lately intending to make use of it.

MERCURY NOT SO HIGH
BUT SEEMS JUST AS WARM
AS YESTERDAY WAS

Although the thermometer today registered 79 degrees, the heat seemed if anything more oppressive than yesterday. At noon it was intense, especially in sections of the city sheltered from the light wind which was blowing. Although a bit too warm for many, the fine weather is welcome by the hardiness of the summer season.

OFFICERS ELECTED
 The True Canadian Comforts Association of West St. John met at the home of Mrs. J. L. Day on July 30 and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. George F. Todd; first vice-president, Mrs. John McLeod; second vice-president, Mrs. H. Hatfield; recording secretary, Mrs. Day; treasurer, Miss E. McLeod; assistant, Miss F. Vaughn; financial secretary, Miss Carleton; corresponding secretary, Miss W. Steeves; convener, Mrs. Carleton; convener of towels, Mrs. Watkyn; convener of yarn, Mrs. Bonnell; convener of the district branch of the mother society.

POR NURSES FUND
 Several young ladies of Greenwick Hill, Kings county, assisted by Mrs. Pitt and Mrs. Arthur Brown of this city, gave a host tea on Thursday in Greenwick. The next run of \$100 Mrs. Brown for the nurses' fund of the Khaki Club.

BIRTHS
DUNLOP—On August 1, 1917, to the wife of Dr. F. T. Dunlop, a daughter.
RICHARDSON—To Mr. and Mrs. C. Richardson, 288 Rockland road, Tuesday, July 31—a daughter.

DEATHS
LEE—Suddenly, at Little River, on July 30, Joseph, fifth son of the late John and Mary Lee, leaving two brothers and two sisters to mourn.
 Funeral on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his late residence. Friends invited. Coaches leave Park Hotel, King square, at 1.45.
SCAMMELL—Died at Newcastle, N. B., on Monday the 30th inst., Isabel N. widow of the late J. H. Scammell, M.D. Funeral services at Trinity church on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.
GARLICK—At Lynn, Mass., on the 30th inst., after a lingering illness, Mary, beloved wife of J. B. Garlick, and daughter of the late William and Matilda Thomas, leaving her husband and three brothers—William J., Arthur McF. and Frederick J., all of this city.
 Notice of funeral hereafter.
LAWSON—In this city, on July 30, Sophie Taylor Lawson, at her mother's residence, 38 Horsfield street, leaving her mother, two brothers and one nephew to mourn.
 Funeral service at her late residence on Wednesday evening, at 8.45 o'clock. Interment at Resting, N. B.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.
The Store Today
Salutes Another
Season

ANOTHER half-year's business ended — another season of successful service closed. Today the store starts out with a new store policy, full of ambition and energy, inaugurating a new season's service. Summer goods will still hold the counters for present needs, and in these the stocks are splendid and the prices reasonable and easy. It's the new goods, however that have already started to come in, that will fill the store with novelty and charm.

The New Goods for Fall, and in addition to the interest of newness, the very special interest of values cannot fail in attracting the attention of intelligent shoppers. During the next week, day after day, there will be something happening at DYKEMAN'S—something you ought not to miss. With newness there will be variety, and with variety prices attractively moderate, especially so, as every-body knows that the worthiness of Dykeman's goods can be depended on to the very last dollar.

There's a personality about a store just as there is about an individual. This store has always enjoyed a good reputation among its many customers, and in the years we have been in business our store has made thousands of friends who have been attracted to it by our merchandise and our methods. Year after year it has held these old friends and added new ones. Our growth has been steady and sure; but just as an individual should bring himself (up short) and take stock of his own efficiency, so should a store such as ours give itself a thorough self-examination.

ARE WE AS A STORE MEETING OUR OPPORTUNITIES? Are we serving the community, which has made our present success possible, to the limit of our ability? These are the questions we asked our store. Having asked the questions, we look around for the answers. Since our foundation, some twenty-six years ago, we have pursued the same merchandising methods in practise today in ninety per cent of the different dry goods and department stores of this country. Ten years ago—yes, five years ago—they sufficed. Today they will not do.

Today calls for a larger volume and smaller profits. Today calls for a complete understanding of what real service means. Today calls for a shorter road between manufacturer and consumer. When we weighed every phrase of this question carefully, we came to a certain DEFINITE conclusion about our store. Today we endeavor to so understand the word "Service" that its application will start when a customer enters our store—in the attention she receives—in our willingness to please and to appreciate that the best advertising that any store can have is a satisfied customer—always.

THIS IS OUR POLICY TODAY. We invite your co-operation in making it effective in bringing to the successful realization of the ideals we have for our store.

(Signed) F. A. Dykeman
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MAY MEAN TROUBLE
FOR BRITISH CABINET
 Delegation Off to Paris re Stockholm Conference

Arthur Henderson, After Visit to Russia, Changes Views About British Keeping Aloof From Conference Attended by German Socialists.

London, Aug. 1.—The fact that a member of the cabinet, Arthur Henderson, minister without portfolio, in the war council, had gone on a mission to Paris with a pacifist, Ramsey MacDonald, chairman of the labor party in the House of Commons, and Russian delegates, aroused great irritation among the members of parliament and seems to threaten trouble in the government.

BATHERS IN CHICAGO
DEFY POLICE ORDERS
 Attempts to Drive Them From Fashionable Beach Result in Rioting

Chicago, July 31.—Attempts of the police to drive bathers from Oak street beach, which is situated along fashionable lake shore drive, caused a riot on Monday night in which several thousand people participated.

WOMAN'S EXCHANGE LIBRARY
 Some of our new books—"Cinema Murder" (Oppenheim); "Definite Object" (Farnold); "Bob" (Rinchart); "Foster's Wife" (Author of the "Casting Vases"); "Man Thou Gavest Me" (Constable); "Shan of Blue Bell" (Orczy); "Red Flame" (Locke); "Sam" (Rath); etc. Rent our books. You only read them once.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION
 LOST—TUESDAY, \$10 BILL. Reward. Finder return Time Office. 6572-8-3

PART OF QUEBEC SUFFERED
SEVERELY IN THE STORM
 Woman Killed as Tree Was Blown Down—More Than Million Loss in Chaudiere District

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 1.—With a partial resumption of the telephone service, it would appear that the storm which passed over this district and central Quebec on Monday night caused the loss of only one life. Mrs. House, of Beche, was killed by a tree that was blown down. In this section of the township the damage to crops and buildings will amount to many thousands of dollars.

GERMANY DEMANDS LOAN
FROM SWITZERLAND; THREATS
OF HOLD-UP OF FUEL SUPPLY

Berne, Aug. 1.—President Schulthess, speaking of the Bernese newspapers concerning the relations of Switzerland with the United States, said there was no reason to believe that the government of the United States intended to make difficulties for Switzerland by preventing the purchase of the necessary foodstuffs in America, as all American provisions were being handled in accordance with an arrangement with the Entente.

IS SENT UP FOR TRIAL
 (Amherst News)
 Mary Wilson or Mary Scobie, as the case may be, but more familiarly known as the "Boy-Girl" of Nappan, had a hearing before Magistrate Casey this morning on two counts. The principal witness against her was a returned soldier, whom she is said to have robbed. It appears that the young "lady" in the case obtained a team in Amherst, and took the soldier for a drive, in the course of which he got under the influence of liquor. Being dead to the world, she removed all his surplus cash, together with his tunic, boots, etc., and left the man, horse and team to wander where they might. On coming to his senses the soldier laid information against her, and yesterday she was placed under arrest.

WAR NOTES
 Major General Pershing left Paris on Tuesday afternoon for his first inspection of the American training camp in France. When the British cruiser Ariadne was torpedoed and sunk, thirty-eight of her crew were killed by torpedo explosion. All others were saved.
 The German submarine U. B-23 anchored in the harbor of Corunna, Spain, late on Monday evening. The submarine had been seriously damaged and the commander and crew were placed on the coast. The U. B-23 is of the coastal type. She was built in 1915-16, is 115 feet long and carries a crew of 20 men.
 A despatch from Berlin says Emperor William left Mitau, 25 miles southwest of Riga, Russia, mid-winter when he completed the troops.

HIS LEG BROKEN
 Halar Hanson of Maple street, North End, suffered a fracture of the left leg this morning while working at No. 3 shed, West St. John. He was removed to the General Public Hospital in an auto. It is said that a piece of timber fell on his leg.

BOYS ESCAPE
 Two boys, said to be French, are reported to have escaped from the Boys Industrial Home this morning. One hall from Westmorland county, and the other is a native of Bathurst.

LUMBERMEN RENEWING
LEASES OF CROWN LANDS
 (Special to Times).
 Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 1.—The deputy minister of lands and mines, Lt. Col. T. G. Loggie, reported this morning that about \$90,000 had been taken in at the crown land office yesterday for the renewals of leases of timber limits and that a like amount was expected to be about as rapidly as ordinarily. The renewals of the licenses must be made on or before August 1.

WINE DRUNKENNESS
 The wine merchant who believes there is no harm in what he calls the "pure juice of the grape," and points to the South of Europe, where he assures there is no drunkenness. Vance Thompson, who has lived there most of his life, says:
 He who makes that statement speaks of deep ignorance. He has never dwelt in the villages of Provence or wandered over the white roads of Italy. You do not, I admit, see so wide and manifest drunkenness as in the most famous spirit-drinking lands, but the southern drinker making up in quantities of his beverage, reaches the same stage of physical impairment, begets the same poisoned offspring and dies in the same kind of alcoholic dissolution. His moral corruption, as his physical degeneration, is slower in progress but statistics might be piled high, to show that it reaches the same end.
 "Spain was sober Spain when it was poverty-stricken Spain. Italy was sober when her peasants were too poor to drink of the wine they made. In France sobriety went with the necessity for frugality. What is the meaning of that? Simply this—wine-drinking has always made for drunkenness. The check on excess was merely want of opportunity. The vice grows by what it feeds on. (Note that sentence). Alcohol taken in wine breeds the same disease of mind and body that it breeds in more fiery disguises and the habit demands stronger doses. In forty years for which the statistics were kept, the consumption of alcohol in France was tripled. This was in the old wine-drinking days.
 "But your nation is like a man and the wine habit led to stronger ways of drink. It was in my experience to watch for twenty years the alcohol habit in France. I saw the nation weary of the too feeble intoxicant of wine and take to strong drink. During those years the drinking of absinthe alone rose from an annual consumption of one million gallons to five million gallons. The wine shops of Provence as I knew them in my green youth—the abeyance and in their place were dreary cafes, the shelves lined with gaudy bottles of spirit—high colored, swift acting decoctions of alcohol. The French race with dangerous deterioration turned from the slow poison of wine to the fiercer and more active alcoholic poisons, and finally to the wilder alcohol of America and Absinthe.
 "Let there be no doubt about it, the wine way to drunkenness is as sure as any other way. The drunkard of ancient Rome, in order to get into his system all the alcohol he craved, had to have his vomitorium."
 H. ARNOTT, M. B., M. G., P. S., Social Service Board

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LOCAL NEWS

ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, AUG 1, A.M. P.M. High Tide... 9.58 Low Tide... 4.02 Sun Rises... 5.13 Sun Sets... 7.47 Time used is Atlantic standard.

Members of No. 2 Salvage Corps drove to Loch Lomond last evening and had supper at the Barker House. Counsellor McLellan and Captain MacRae of No. 1 Salvage Corps were present at guests.

Word of the founding of the St. John schooner F. G. French was received here last night. She sailed from New York for Barbados on June 26 to load maces. The crew was saved. The F. G. French was built at Bath, Me., in 1897

and registered 140 tons. Her managing owners were Robinson, Wright & Co., of Shuie, N.S.

Last evening about 10.30 o'clock two street cars at the foot of King street collided. The damage done was very slight and no one was hurt. The accident was due to the brake slipping on the car coming down King street.

To Wed on Thursday Frederick Mall—Frank Miles, express messenger on the St. John & Quebec Railway, is to be married on Thursday to Mrs. Laura Pickard of Devon.

Engagement Moncton Times—Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bleakney of Pettitville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Emily, to be married on Thursday to H. Vinton Cogg of St. John, mar-

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13,503 Men Since November, 1915 Flavelle's Answer Read In House, But Out of Order

New Brunswick's Contribution—Only 343 in July—News of the Soldiers

The total recruits for July in New Brunswick were 343, making a total of 18,208 men from this province since November, 1915. London, July 31—According to official figures today the British casualties on all theatres of the war for July total 71,832. This is considered below the average since the British have lengthened their line as last year's total for the month of July was more than 100,000, while June's figures were around 100,000.

Ottawa, July 31—The action of G. W. Kite, Liberal member for Richmond (N. S.), in repeating a rumor "that ships carrying munitions to England were being used to give the William Davies Company facilities for shipping its bacon to the old country," brought an answer from Sir Joseph Flavelle today. Just before the orders of the day were called Sir George Foster rose, explaining that he had been asked by the chairman of the munitions board to read a letter in reference to Mr. Kite's statement. G. W. Kite, is reported in the morning papers stating that "facilities for the carrying of bacon from the William Davies Company to England, were afforded largely by ships carrying munitions across to Great Britain during the past year," the inference apparently being that he secured some preferred relation for the William Davies Company for the movement of bacon products to Great Britain.

H. N. DEMILLE 199 to 201 Union St., Opera House Block Ingenious man has not yet learned to fashion 'Underwear from Spider webs But there would be a strong demand for it about now. However, we've got MEN'S UNDERWEAR - AT - UNDER-PRICES that's in keeping with this kind of weather.

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REASONS FOR FITTING CORSETS The body is influenced by good or bad corset designs and a woman can have just what she wants, one or the other, a good figure with a properly fitted corset or a bad one by not caring what she wears. "Modern Corset De-

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partment" at Daniel's, head of King street. 8-6 Wanted at Royal Hotel—Kitchen girl, pastry pantry girl and silver man. T.P. Waldorf Cafe, No. 89 Germain street, "The home-cooking place." -T.L. COUNTY TAXES The tax collector of parish No. 1 and Simonds will be at the county treasurer's office on Wednesday to accommodate those who desire to pay their taxes and save the discount. The parish collector will be at the office in Fairville on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings for the same purpose. 8-2 A dollar is not any bigger here than elsewhere. It simply looks bigger because it buys more shoes.—Wiesel's Cash Store, 248-247 Union street.

The straw hat's reappearance led Barclay Warburton, of Philadelphia, to say: "Before the war I often golfed at Biarritz, at the Chambre d'Amour golf links looking out over the Bay of Biscay. "Sometimes I had for caddy an old Scotchman. I said to the old Scotchman one day: "Glorious view! Glorious view, eh!" "Yes, Mr. Warburton," said he, "if what you might call a very fine panorama." He knew the Lady. Little Ernest—"I know that lady over there, mamma. She often speaks to me." Mother—"Yes, darling, and what does she say to you?" Little Ernest—"She says, 'Don't you dare throw stones at my dog again, you little wretch!'"

DR. FREDERICK KING, a New York City Physician and Medical Author, says: "There can be no strong, vigorous, iron men, nor beautiful, healthy, rosy-checked women without iron—Nuzated Iron taken three times per day after meals will increase the strength and endurance of weak, nervous, run-down folks 100 per cent. in two weeks' time in many instances. Avoid the old forms of metallic iron which may injure the teeth, corrode the stomach, and thereby do more harm than good. Take only organic iron—Nuzated Iron." It is dispensed in this city by Wasson's Drug Store and all good druggists.

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Knox Church Call To Rev. H. C. Fraser Is Sustained At a special meeting of the Presbytery of St. John held in St. Andrew's church yesterday afternoon at 2.30, Rev. W. M. Townsend being moderator pro tem, a call was presented from the congregation of Knox church, St. John, addressed to Rev. H. C. Fraser, M. A., of Charlottetown (B. C.). It was supported before the presbytery by Messrs. W. S. Clawson and Douglas McArthur, each of whom testified as to the heartiness and unanimity of the call and to the earnest desire of the congregation that Mr. Fraser should accept the same. The call carries with it a guarantee of \$2,000 stipend and one month's vacation each year and a generous allowance towards moving expenses in the event of the call being accepted. On motion the call was sustained as a regular gospel call but the congregation was granted further time for a more complete circulation of the call among its members, many of whom are at present at their summer homes and could not be reached in the short time since the meeting at which the call was issued. Provisional arrangements were made for the induction of Mr. Fraser should he accept the call. In the absence of the moderator Rev. J. A. McKelgan was appointed to preside and induct; Rev. T. P. Drummond to address the minister and Rev. J. H. A. Anderson to address the congregation. The date of the induction is to be agreed upon by the clerk of the presbytery and the interim moderator of the Knox session. The call will be forwarded to the presbytery of Westminister (B. C.), of which Rev. Mr. Fraser is at present a member and some little time will elapse before his decision is given. Rev. Mr. McKelgan, who had expected to have been present at the meeting yesterday to present the call, was delayed from reaching St. John by the washout on the C. P. R. line to Montreal. Money in Fishing A traveler who is home from Cape Breton way, tells the "Morning Times" that two fishermen, father and son, have already banked \$2,000 this year, earnings from fishing. As high as from \$40 to \$50 a day has been made by fishermen of late in different parts of the province. A Pattern! Mrs. Simpson had taken her little daughter out to tea with her, and during the meal was horrified to see the child trying to force a thick piece of bread into a very small pocket. "Why, Marion," she said, in shocked surprise, "what on earth are you doing?" "That's all right, mother," her small daughter assured her. "I'm just taking this slice back to nurse for a pattern."

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A GOOD BEGINNING.

A brilliant initial success has attended the latest drive of the Allies in Flanders. From the River Lys to Dismude the British, with a French army on their left, swept forward and captured the first line German trenches, and in many cases reached and held the second and even the third line of defences.

The importance of this advance of some two miles along a considerable front depends upon what follows. Nothing along the whole western front could be more effective than a rolling up of the German right flank, forcing the enemy back from the Belgian coast.

NOT TALK, BUT MEN. Nearly two months and a half have passed since Sir Robert Borden announced conscription. The Toronto Star points out that two months before Sir Robert spoke a recruiting campaign in Toronto and Hamilton failed utterly, and that away back in November voluntary enlistment had come almost to a stop.

RECENT WEDDINGS. At Riverview, Albert county, on Wednesday, June 28, Rev. Father Donahue united in marriage Miss Margaret A. O'Connor, daughter of Mr. T. J. O'Connor of Harvey, to Howard Boyle of Granum, Alberta.

Up to Germany. "Germany, with her infernal military despotism, caused this awful world war, and hence Germany will have to bear the brunt of the indemnities and reparations."

Memory Lessons. "Do you believe in memory lessons?" "Yes, Bliggins forgot to register, and he is getting one of the best lessons he ever had in his life."

urguing upon the prime minister and the government "that the possibility of a general election be not allowed to further retard the reinforcing of our comrades at the front by the only practical method." Referring to the long delay at Ottawa the Star says further that parliament has only furnished the country with a debate when that which the country needed was an army, and it asks the question: "Is there an army somewhere at the far end of all this political disputation, or is there not?"

Senator Bostock was entirely right yesterday when he "noted that Sir Clifford Sifton now ascribed to Sir Wilfrid merely the Nationalist attitude—the attitude of the men with whom Sir Clifford himself and the Conservative party had been in alliance in 1911 when they sought to crucify Sir Wilfrid in Quebec on the naval issue for being too imperialistic."

The allied British and French armies wrote a glorious page of war history in Flanders yesterday. A little later we shall see the allied British, French and Americans striking together with the gallant little army of Belgium, for the great cause of world-democracy.

His fellow citizens mourn the death of Mr. Joseph Lee. For many years he took an active interest in municipal affairs, with good judgment and a fine public spirit. A fair-minded, honorable gentleman, he held throughout his life the esteem of the people, and the warm friendship of those who knew him best.

Another case of horrible German barbarity is reported from Belgium. Every such illustration of the fanatical character of the Germans steals the hearts of their adversaries and calls for a reckoning suited to the crimes committed.

The profiteers were handled without gloves in parliament yesterday. What does the government propose to do with these gentry and with the high cost of living?

The words now being uttered on the fuel question may have their uses, but they will not heat the stoves and furnaces next winter.

The conscription bill is expected to pass its second reading in the senate today. Then what?

Yesterday's events in Flanders should give new heart to the real leaders of Russia.

Williamson-Gross. At Moncton on Tuesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gross, their daughter, Miss Grace Lillian, was united in marriage with John Williamson of Medicine Hat, Alberta.

Up to Germany. "Germany, with her infernal military despotism, caused this awful world war, and hence Germany will have to bear the brunt of the indemnities and reparations."

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A ROYAL HEART

Ragged, uncomely, and old and gray, A woman walked in a crowded town; And through the throng as she wound her way One saw her loiter and then stop down, Putting something away in her old torn gown.

"You are hiding a jewel," the watcher said, Ah, that was her heart, had the truth been read! "What have you stored up?" he asked again, Then the dim eyes filled with a sudden pain.

Under the fluttering rags astray, 'Twas a royal heart that lovingly bent! Would that the world had more like her— Smoothing the road for its barmaids' feet.

—Author Unknown.

LIGHTER VEIN.

Two's A Crowd.

An old colored man charged with stealing chickens was arraigned in court and was incriminating himself, when the judge said: "You ought to have a lawyer. Where's your lawyer?"

"Very well, then," said his honor, "I'll assign a lawyer to defend you." "Oh, no, suh; no suh! Please don't do dat!" the dandy begged.

Another Kitchen Invention. "I am afraid this high cost of living is going to introduce another innovation in the average kitchen."

Matter of Sex. Ella Wheeler Wilcox said at a literary luncheon in New York: "The poet must be accurate. The loftiest flights of poetry become ridiculous if they contain mistakes. It's like the town girl in the country. 'A town girl in the country said to a farmer friend: 'Oh, look at the adorable little cowlets in the poppy field.' 'Them bull's,' cowlets," he said. "Then's bullets."

Unusual. "It's the sun of the proprietor." "That so? You'd never guess it." "No. He works just as hard as any of the rest of us."

A Bad Memory. "He has a bad memory." "In what way?" "He forgets when he borrows money from you, but he never forgets it when you owe him a few dollars."

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In the elections which are now practically certain, the Liberals must ever keep in mind the fact that the government does not want to go to the electorate on its record. The object is to keep that record out of sight as much as possible, and to beloud the issues by raising again the Loyalty cry in its most offensive form.

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TO CONTRACTORS. Lump tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received at the office of the Works Branch, Military Hospitals Commission, Old Government House, Fredericton, until 5 p.m. August 7 for the various works required for additions to the St. John County Hospital, St. John, N. B., and for alterations to the building at the Jordan Sanatorium, River Glade, N. B.

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shot the soldier myself." "It looks rather soiled," said the lady. "What, madam, is where it struck the ground when it fell off the tree?"

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Unveil Memorial Tablet and Font

The firm of H. McGrattan & Sons has just completed a beautiful memorial tablet and baptismal font for St. George's church, west side. The memorial tablet is of pure white marble in the form of an open book measuring four feet by three. At the top of this tablet is an inscription followed in black enamel with the names of the men from St. George's church who have enlisted for foreign service. The tablet is to be unveiled in the church on August 4, the anniversary of the declaration of war.

The baptismal font is of white granite, three feet high and octagonal in shape bearing on its sides the following figures: Alpha, Omega, Trinity, Calvary, I. H. S., St. George's Cross, St. Andrew's Cross and St. Patrick's Cross.

The inscription on the tablet and the names follow:

To the Glory of God, this font and tablet are placed in honor of those who served in the great war.
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MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIVES

At Tackett Forks, near Yarmouth, N. S., on Thursday, Edmund Fitzpatrick, aged fourteen, was drowned while bathing. A brother is a soldier on the western front.

A good roads association was organized in Moncton last night.

"He borrows from Peter to pay Paul."

"Well, that's all right, if you happen to be Paul."

Hottest July Day In Thirty Years

Yesterday was the hottest day experienced in St. John during the month of July in thirty years, and in any month during the last seventeen years, the mercury registering 86.2. One man, Arthur Daigle, a member of the 3rd C. G. A., was prostrated. He collapsed in Main street. He regained consciousness last night, but the doctors said that he had a close call from death. The thermometer registered 88.9 in July, 1897.

MUCH DAMAGE DONE

The heavy storm of Monday did damage in the province of Quebec to the extent of hundreds of thousands of dollars. Three large bridges were washed away by the rising water. The spire of Notre Dame church, Montreal, was struck by lightning.

Itching Burning Watery Pimples

On chest and face. Formed a crust. Scratched and it spread. Could not rest. Used two boxes Cuticura Ointment and one cake Soap and was completely healed.

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PROMINENT BAPTISTS.

(Maritime Baptist.)

We enjoyed a call last week from Rev. W. H. Freda, of Dorchester, N. B. He was returning to his field after a month's vacation spent in Boston and vicinity. During his stay there he supplied the pulpit of the Union Square church, of Sonerville. We may be allured to express the hope that he will not be induced to leave the work in these provinces. He is a laborer whom we can ill afford to lose at this time of need.

Rev. H. P. Everett, who a few months ago resigned at Springhill, N. S., to accept a call from Dupplin, Man., is meeting with good success on his new field. During July he occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist church of Winnipeg, the pastor, Dr. F. W. Patterson, being absent on vacation. This is an honor for a young man, and may be regarded as a tribute to the quality of Mr. Everett's pulpit work.

Rev. A. J. Vincent, now pastor of the Immanuel church, Truro, has been called to the Main street church, Sackville. We understand that he has accepted and will take up his work there about the first of October. Nearly three years ago he became pastor of the Immanuel church at a critical time in the life of that church. Under his leadership the work has greatly prospered and his acceptance of the call to Sackville will be the cause of deep regret in Truro.

Rev. Clifford T. Clark, of Houlton, Me., is spending his vacation at Chance Harbor, N. B. He has been pastor of the Free Baptist church in Houlton for three years and the work there has greatly prospered under his leadership. There are many of our men in pastoral service across "the line" whom we covet for work in their native land. Brother Clark is one of them.

A cable from London a few days ago reported that Major Eric MacDonald, D. S. O., had been compelled to undergo an operation for appendicitis. The op-

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Thorough System Needed To Collect New Income Tax

Experience in Other Countries Which Have
Imposed Similar Tax Shows That With Per-
fected Machinery Only Small Percentage of
Taxable People Escape

(Toronto Star.)

Will it be easy or possible to dodge the new income tax? Not if the machinery created at Ottawa for its collection is efficient. In the United States the tax has proved somewhat hard to collect. It was recently stated by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue at Washington that the plan of "withholding at the source" is "valuable neither as a means of compelling payment nor as a method of disclosing adequate information to government officers." Only about ten per cent of the tax collected during the past three years was withheld at the source. On the other hand, the principle of self-assessment is proving unsatisfactory, partly due to misunderstanding or misinterpretation of the provisions of the law and partly due to evasion. The latter element as a cause of loss of revenue has been shown during the past year to have been very considerable, and the commissioner now says it is "axiomatic that the government cannot rely entirely upon a taxpayer's declaration as to his own tax liability."

Two Methods of Change.

Experience is admittedly showing more and more plainly the defects and unfairness of the present income tax. Two days are evident for changing the situation, the one the changing of the basis for the tax putting it on a more scientific footing as to levy and collection, while the other is the application of more inquisitorial and more measures of ascertaining income and the placing of the tax on the basis of gross income instead of net, no deductions to be made. The latter plan is the easier to pursue and at the same time much the harder and more unjust to the taxpayer, who would as a result suffer from an increased application of double taxation in many instances.

Card Snyder, an income tax authority of the United States, has said that 75 per cent of the people with taxable incomes under the law in 1915 paid no taxes, and that the amount of income which escaped taxation was about \$5,000,000,000. W. P. Melburn, assistant secretary of the United States Treasury, disagreed with these figures, stating that investigation into the lowest classes of returns is limited and consequently many of this class fail to make returns. This, he contends, is the necessary result of economical administration, not intentional injustice. "It is possible," said Mr. Melburn, "that some day a sufficiently large force of investigators will be provided to check all returns and to investigate cases where no return is made, but even then, when investi-

gation fails to uncover enough tax to pay the cost of the collection, it should and will be discontinued."

Get the Tax Dodge.

In the United Kingdom they have a very thorough system for collecting income tax. Sometimes the tax is evaded for a year or so, but the collecting machinery gets the tax dodger ultimately and makes him pay the current taxes, and the arrears, too.

The filing of correct returns by those liable for the tax is a matter of great interest. The statement is often made that an income tax "makes a nation of liars." According to K. K. Keenan, supervisor of income tax, Wisconsin, this statement is false. "Any person," he says, "who has had occasion to review and test the correctness of thousands of income tax returns will be impressed by the evident truthfulness and honesty with which the vast majority of the returns are prepared. Those who tried to defraud were under five per cent."

Income Tax in France.

The French had been immune from income tax for many years, although it had been discussed for fifty years. In 1915 an income tax law passed in 1914 had effect. Under this law there is a 2 per cent tax on the taxable portion of the income if it amounts to \$1,000 or over. The taxable portion is 20 per cent of income of \$1,000 to \$2,000 a year, 40 per cent of incomes ranging from \$2,000 to \$3,000, 60 per cent of incomes ranging from \$3,000 to \$4,000, and 80 per cent of anything over \$5,000. A man earning \$3,000 a year would therefore pay 2 per cent on \$4,000, or \$800. Though it is recognized in France that additional taxation to pay the war's cost was inevitable, all classes were bitterly opposed to an income tax. The French look upon it as invading the rights of the individual.

No Allowance Life Insurance.

The criticism is heard that the measure introduced by Sir Thomas White makes no allowance for life insurance premiums. It is thought that the man who provides for the future, sacrificing present income to a certain extent, and reducing the possibility of his relatives being entirely or partly state charges after his death, should have more consideration than the man who, say, spends his life insurance premiums on luxuries or pleasures. The English Act makes allowance for this. Persons assessed for the tax are entitled to deduct from their income figure before assessment the amounts of life insurance premiums paid during the year up to one-sixth of their income. A person is not entitled to deduct in respect of any premium more than 7 per cent of the actual capital sum assured.

LABOR DAY FAIR.

A meeting was held in the rooms of the War Veterans' Association last evening by the committee appointed to arrange for the fair which is to be held on Labor Day. St. Andrew's curling rink has been secured for holding the fair. Two new members were added to the committee, Captain Gordon Johnson and Gordon Nuttall. It was decided to give a door prize of \$25 to one lady and one gentleman each day during the fair. A special lottery of \$250 was also decided on. Arrangements were made for advertising and the City Comet and the Temple Bands will be in attendance. Letters will be sent to the business men in order to secure their co-operation and a committee was formed to obtain the

TRIBUTE TO PERCY R. ALLABY, WHO DIED DEATH OF HERO

(Maritime Baptist)

When Percy R. Allaby, son of Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Allaby, was lying mortally wounded during the fight at Vimy Ridge, he said to the bearers who found him: "Never mind me; do what you can for the rest of the family. The following verses were sent to the family, who are anxious to learn the name of the author:

"Do what you can for the rest," he said. When the rescue party found him. Helpless upon the ground he lay, With the wounded and dead around him. Ten of them went over Vimy Ridge. Sent on an urgent mission. Only the one who had brought them aid Was unharmed on that expedition.

Swiftly the rescuers were led. On their errand of hope and mercy; Swiftly were friendly hands at work To care for the dying Percy. His parting message they bent to hear, And the words that he faintly muttered. Were simply "Do what you can for the rest."

The last that on earth he uttered.

Thus at his death was the spirit seen That had ruled all his conduct, living; An earnest care for his comrades there. For himself no fear nor misgiving. The self-same spirit that brought him help.

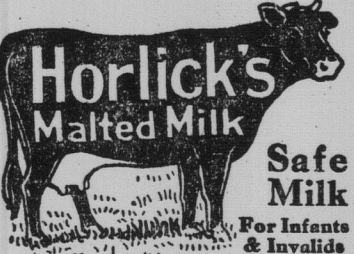
Not blithely love of fighting. But that there were others who needed help. And wrongs that required righting. That spirit throughout the world today Has gathered, and joined as brothers, White men and yellow, black and red, United in aiding others.

Such a spirit deep in the people's hearts Means the real strength of a nation. And opposing injustice and tyranny May accomplish the world's salvation.

A good story of the battle of Jutland is told by a chaplain of the grand fleet in a ship which was in the thick of the action and was well hammered by the enemy many a poor fellow lost the number of his mess and many more were sadly wounded. Among these latter was a sailor whose leg was so much shattered and lacerated by a splinter of shell that there was nothing else to do but amputate it above the knee. The poor wounded man was practically unconscious from loss of blood, so the surgeons were not able to tell him of his intention of operating. Some hours later he recovered consciousness and found himself comfortably tucked up, with the stump dressed and bandaged. When he learned what had happened he broke into an agonized cry—no, not for the crippling he had undergone; his cry was: "Where's my leg? For 'even's sake, find my leg, somebody! It's got all my money in the stocking!"

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Experienced millwright... EXPERIENCED MILLWRIGHT, steady work...

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FOUR WEEKS IN HOSPITAL

No Relief—Mrs. Brown Finally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Cleveland, Ohio.—"For years I suffered so sometimes it seemed as though I could not stand any longer. It was all in my lower organs. At times I could hardly walk, for I'd stepped on a little stone I would almost faint. One day I did faint and my husband was sent for and the doctor came. I was taken to the hospital and stayed four weeks but when I came home I would faint just the same and had the same pain."

A friend who is a nurse asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I began taking it that very day for I was suffering a great deal. It has already done me more good than the hospital. To anyone who is suffering as I was my advice is to stop in the first drug-store and get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before you go home."

NOTICE

The collector for the Parish of Lancaster, No. 1, and Simonds, will be at the County Treasurer's office, 42 Princess street, on Wednesday, August 1st, for the purpose of collecting the tax on the property of the parish. He will be at the office in the Court Room, over the Engine House, Fairville, on Thursday and Friday evenings for the same purpose.

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White and fancy colors at Greatly Reduced Prices, Only 80c.

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Allies Succeed In Brilliant and Successful Advance on Western Front

BRITISH AND FRENCH ROUT GERMANS CAPTURING 20 MILES OF TRENCHES

Penetrate to Depth of Two Miles on Three-Quarters of Advance; Many Important Centres Wrested From the Enemy; Beginning of Movement For Which Preparations Have Been in Progress; 3,500 Prisoners

LONDON, July 31.—THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT FROM BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE TONIGHT REPORTS THE CAPTURE BY THE ALLIES OF THE FOLLOWING VILLAGES:

LA BASSEE VILLE, STEENSTRAETE, BLACHOOTE, VELLORENHOEK, FREZENBERG, SAINT JULIEN, PILKAM, HOOGE, WEST HOEK AND HOLLEBEKE AND MORE THAN 3,500 PRISONERS.

THE OPERATIONS OF THE ALLIED TROOPS BEGAN THIS MORNING IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF YPRES HAVE BEEN CONTINUED WITH SUCCESS DURING THE DAY DESPITE UNFAVORABLE WEATHER. THE ENEMY'S POSITIONS DURING THE DAY HAVE BEEN ENTERED AND OUR LINE HAS BEEN ADVANCED ON A FRONT OF OVER FIFTEEN MILES, FROM LA BASSEE VILLE, ON THE RIVER LYS, TO STEENSTRAETE, ON THE RIVER YSER. BOTH OF THESE VILLAGES ARE NOW IN THE HANDS OF THE ALLIES.

ON THE EXTREME LEFT THE FRENCH TROOPS, ACTING IN CLOSE CO-OPERATION WITH AND PROTECTING THE LEFT FLANK OF THE BRITISH FORCES, CAPTURED STEENSTRAETE, AND PENETRATED THE GERMAN DEFENCES TO A DEPTH OF NEARLY TWO MILES. HAVING GAINED THEIR OBJECTIVES FOR THE DAY AT AN EARLY HOUR THEY CONTINUED THEIR ATTACK WITH THE GREATEST GALLANTRY BEYOND THEIR ORIGINAL OBJECTIVES AND CAPTURED BIXSCHUTTE AND THE ENEMY'S POSITIONS TO THE SOUTH AND WEST OF THE VILLAGE, ON A FRONT OF NEARLY 2 1/2 MILES, INCLUDING THE KORTEKERK INN.

DURING THE AFTERNOON A HOSTILE COUNTER-ATTACK WAS SUCCESSFULLY REPULSED.

IN THE CENTRE AND ON THE LEFT CENTRE THE BRITISH DIVISIONS PENETRATED THE ENEMY'S POSITIONS TO A DEPTH OF TWO MILES AND SECURED CROSSINGS ON THE RIVER STEENBEKE, WHICH CONSTITUTED THEIR FINAL OBJECTIVES.

IN THE COURSE OF THEIR ATTACK OUR TROOPS STORMED TWO POWERFUL DEFENSIVE SYSTEMS AND CARRIED BY ASSAULT THE VILLAGES OF VELLORENHOEK, FREZENBERG, SAINT JULIEN AND PILKAM AND MANY STRONGLY DEFENDED FARMS, WOODS AND ORGANIZED LOCALITIES.

FURTHER SOUTH IN THE RIGHT CENTRE OF OUR ATTACK, AFTER GAINING THE WHOLE OF THEIR FIRST OBJECTIVES, WHICH INCLUDED THE VILLAGE OF HOOGE AND SANCTUARY WOOD, OUR TROOPS FOUGHT THEIR WAY FORWARD AGAINST VERY OBSTINATE RESISTANCE, FROM THE ENEMY IN A DIFFICULT COUNTRY NEAR THE YPRES OPEN ROAD AND CARRIED THE VILLAGE OF WESTHOEK. IN THIS NEIGHBORHOOD, WHERE HEAVY FIGHTING HAS TAKEN PLACE THROUGHOUT THE DAY AND STILL CONTINUES, WE HAVE PENETRATED THE ENEMY'S DEFENCES TO A DEPTH OF ABOUT A MILE. A NUMBER OF POWERFUL COUNTER-ATTACKS HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY REPULSED.

ON THE EXTREME RIGHT, SOUTH OF THE ZILBEKE-LANDVOORD ROAD, OUR TROOPS GAINED THE WHOLE OF THEIR OBJECTIVES EARLY IN THE DAY, CAPTURING THE VILLAGES OF LA BASSEE VILLE, AND HOLLEBEKE.

IN ADDITION TO HEAVY CASUALTIES INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY, OVER 3,500 PRISONERS HAVE ALREADY BEEN BROUGHT IN, BUT NO ACCURATE ESTIMATE OF OUR CAPTURES CAN YET BE MADE.

British Front in France, July 31.—An offensive launched by the British and French against the German lines between the River Lys and Boesinghe at daybreak has, with few exceptions, accomplished all that had been planned for the first day of the battle, which, in its early stages, gives promise of being the greatest conflict of the war.

Roughly speaking the British penetrated positions held by Crown Prince Rupprecht, of Bavaria, between Boesinghe and Warneton, and at the time of filing of this despatch were in possession of the first three lines of the German trenches at most points throughout this front.

Reports received from the French troops, which are attacking on the difficult territory between Dixmude and a point near Boesinghe, say they have forced their way across this marsh-studded and partly inundated region and captured the first two lines of German trenches.

The masses of the Entente Allies have been surprisingly light and the morale of the men continues at the highest pitch. The contact between the British and French armies has been constant and excellent. Late today it was said the Germans began a heavy counter attack at the point where the allied forces join.

The German front line trenches, which had been torn to pieces by the preliminary bombardment, offered little resistance, but once the allied forces had penetrated beyond them they met with fierce resistance at many points. Directly east of Sillebeke, and again a little to the north, the British were temporarily held up by a heavy machine gun fire, but only temporarily, for the troops charged through the rain of lead and forced the Germans from their positions in hand-to-hand fighting.

Again at a redoubt which was strongly held in the German line and defended by concrete fortifications, the British were brought to a stand by machine gun fire. But they charged with bayonets and dislodged the Germans.

One of the most striking and spectacular events of the day's fighting occurred at the so-called Menin Tunnel, a great underground fortification con-

structed by the Germans on the Menin road, opposite Hooze. The British preliminary bombardment had forced the Germans to hold the trench line thinly here, and the British division which was to attack at dawn lay out all night in shell holes, within twenty-five yards of the German works, waiting for the signal to advance. When the time arrived for the charge and the British guns had dropped a fire on the Germans, it was seen that the Germans had taken to their heels and were fleeing.

The British, seeing their prey escaping, went mad, and charged directly through their own barrage, fortunately without heavy casualties. Menin Tunnel, which was expected to be occupied by several hundred Germans, was found to be held by only forty-one, the rest having retreated.

London, July 31.—A Reuter despatch from British headquarters in France after describing the victorious advance of the British, says that the Yser was crossed at many places. The bridging work was prodigious. One division alone, in the course of a single day, succeeded in throwing seventeen bridges across the river on its front.

"The accomplishment of the French troops," continues the correspondent, "evoked the greatest admiration. They threw twenty-nine bridges across the Yser, pushed on and repeatedly made deep advances."

Paris, July 31.—The French attack today, in conjunction with the British, was highly successful, according to the official statement issued by the war office tonight. At small loss, the French troops carried important German positions and inflicted heavy losses on the enemy. The text of the statement reads:

"Having crossed the Yser Canal during the night our troops attacked at 4 o'clock this morning in conjunction with the British armies on their right. The formidable artillery preparation had completely leveled the German organizations, and inflicted heavy losses on the defenders."

"At the end of the morning our troops had carried two enemy positions, and in their dash had spontaneously gone be-

Proclamation

BY HIS HONOR, GILBERT W. GANONG, LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF THE PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

G. W. Ganong. WHEREAS, the Fourth day of August, 1917, is the third anniversary of the declaration of war by Great Britain.

AND WHEREAS it has been proposed by the Central Committee for National Patriotic Organizations that public meetings be held throughout the Empire on that date at which the following resolution should be passed: "That on this, the third anniversary of the declaration of a righteous war, this meeting of the citizens of..."

WE THEREFORE hereby request and enjoin that all loyal citizens throughout the province do meet on said 4th day of August and pass the said resolution and in view of the gravity of the situation and the solemnity of the occasion the day be also observed by holding meetings of a religious and intercessory, as well as patriotic character.

GIVEN under my hand and seal at Fredericton the thirteenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the eighth year of His Majesty's reign.

By command of the Lieutenant-Governor.

ROBERT MURRAY.

Proclamation

Mayor's Office, Saint John, N.B. PROCLAMATION having been made by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick requesting the assembling on August the fourth instant, the third anniversary of the declaration of war by Great Britain, of the loyal citizens of the province for the purpose of passing the following resolution approved by the Central Committee for National Patriotic Organizations, namely:

"That on this the third anniversary of the declaration of a righteous war, this meeting of the citizens of Saint John records its inflexible determination to continue to a victorious end the struggle in maintenance of those ideals of liberty and justice which are the common and sacred cause of the allies; and also enjoining that in view of the gravity of the situation and the solemnity of the occasion, the day be also observed by holding meetings of a religious and intercessory, as well as patriotic character."

I would therefore request that all loyal citizens attend the religious services which will be held in the various churches at the hour of two o'clock; and afterwards repair to the King Square where the occasion will be observed by patriotic addresses and where the aforesaid resolution should be passed.

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No Trifling With Food Problems Is Parliament's Attitude

Ottawa, July 31.—The war and its successful prosecution comes first. But after it and close upon its heels comes the cost of living problem.

Despite the almost unbearable and stifling heat, members of parliament flocked back into the broiling chamber yesterday as soon as the news reached them that the house was considering the report of the government commission on the operations of cold storage corporations.

George W. Kyte attacked the subject on the government resolution to go into committee of supply. Mr. Kyte declared that the Canadian public were sick of investigations of investigators. They demanded quick and effective action.

They wanted to know what the government was going to do—and do it once—to bring down the cost of living. Mr. Kyte severely scored the appointment of the man who appeared in defence of J. Wesley Allison and the old shell committee, and in defence of the food profiteers in Ottawa city, as the chairman of a general election at this time, yet he had this year refused to enter a coalition government, and was forcing a general election by refusing the extension of the term of parliament.

Senator Bostock, the Liberal leader, has moved an amendment that consideration be not enforced until after the coming general election.

When Senator Bostock was referring to the fact that Sir James Loughheed had gone much further than the prime minister in declaring for immediate enforcement of the bill, Sir Mackenzie Bowell broke in with this somewhat significant remark: "He did not make that statement on the part of the government."

What he said was that if he had his individual way it would be put in force. He maintained that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had not declared against conscription itself but had confined his objections to the measure to the ill considered and abrupt manner in which it had been introduced and to the administrative failures of the government in connection with the application of the voluntary system.

A vote on the second reading will probably be taken tomorrow. Two of the government members in the senate, Hon. Messrs. Landry and Montplaisir are expected to vote the Liberal amendment. Two Liberal senators are absent through illness, namely, Hon. Messrs. Durnville and Stebyn. With the six new

Conservative senators introduced today and with all the Liberals voting for the Bostock amendment, the government has a majority of four.

THE PILGRIMS AT ST. ANNE. (Moncton Transcript.) Regarding the reported cures at St. Anne last week, which appeared in a St. John newspaper, which have been published, a Moncton lady says to The Transcript: "I was there and saw the little girl restored to her right. She had been blind from infancy, but her sight was restored and the first thing she saw was the statue of St. Anne."

Regarding the Moncton cure, the St. John report is not quite correct when it states that a little boy named Purinton, a son of Mrs. O'Connell, had been using crutches all his life. He has been an invalid for the last ten months and has been using his crutches about six months. He is not completely cured, but left his crutches at the shrine and is very much improved. He says he can get along just as well without a cane but his physician advises him to use it for a while.

"Yes, plants have their ailments." "The cure," said the sweet summer boarder. "I have heard of hay fever, but I am not surprised the hay gets feverish out in that hot field."

Say, Old Man, here is the only real cure for PILES DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

THE REPUTATION of Dr. Chase's Ointment as a cure for piles, or hemorrhoids, has been built up by one person telling another about the results obtained. In the club-room, at the business office, in factory, store on the field the good word is passed along, until nearly everybody knows about Dr. Chase's Ointment as the standard treatment for itching, bleeding and protruding piles.

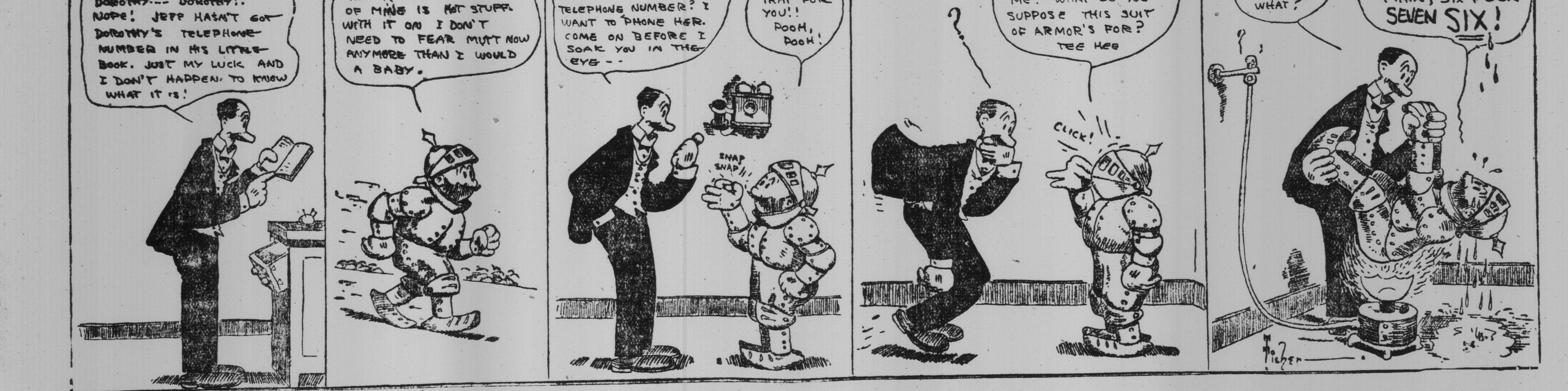
We are so certain that Dr. Chase's Ointment will prove effective in every case of piles that we shall gladly send you a sample box, free of charge, if you will enclose a two-cent stamp to pay postage and mention this paper. It will afford relief promptly, and just as certainly effect complete cure if used persistently.

Dr. Chase's Ointment 60c a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto. Dr. Chase's Ointment contains some very expensive ingredients. Substitutes are offered because the profits are larger. Beware of them.

By "Bud" Fisher

Mutt and Jeff—This is a Hot One on Jeff, Very Hot

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"Her Maternal Right"
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TODAY'S FEATURE A GINGERLY COWBOY STORY
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Wednesday and Thursday
GEORGE WALSH
"THE MEDIATOR"
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THE HIT OF THE SEASON
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"THE CIRCUS OF LIFE"
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The Eleventh Episode of

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AT THE IMPERIAL TODAY
"BAWBS O'BLUE RIDGE"
PROVISIONAL ARRANGEMENT
"THE WEAKNESS OF STRENGTH"
"PINCHED IN THE FINISH"
"SATINS AND CALICO"

Sport News of A Day; Home and Abroad

BASEBALL
American League
Chicago 2000000000-2 6 1
Boston 30010010-5 11 1
Batteries-Cleaver, Williams and Schalk; Leonard and Thomas.
At Washington-R.H.E.
Detroit 020001131-8 11 4
Washington 202000000-4 8 1
Batteries-Daugh, C. Jones, Boland and Stange (Ayers, Gallia and Ainsmith).

featherweight. This match, if satisfactory arrangements can be made with both boxes, will be contested in New Haven, Conn.
Greb Bests Jack Dillon.
Pittsburg, July 30-Jack Dillon, of Indianapolis, was given the worst beating of his ring career in a ten-round bout with Harry Greb before a crowd of 15,000 at Forbes Field ball park tonight.

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5 HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE ACTS
TONIGHT AT 7.30 and 9
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UNIQUE LYRIC
Hear You Become Acquainted With
"THE AMERICAN GIRL"
"THE PHANTOM MINE"
"LONESOME LUKE'S HONEYMOON"
"THE PERILS OF THE SECRET SERVICE"

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Guaranteed-PURE
CRAVEN "A" is a Pure Tobacco cigarette.
Kilbane Still in Ring
Jack Farrell, well known in New York boxing circles, returned the other day to New York from Atlantic City, where he had visited Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, and announced that in a conversation with him Kilbane had denied that he was going to retire from the ring.

Feared War Would End Too Quickly

Impressions of Canadians of First Contingent Changes in Three Years
London, July 14.—(Third anniversary.)—In anticipating the third anniversary of the war, it is of some interest to take a retrospective view of the Canadian contingent. Here came the first taste of censorship. "No" was the peremptory reply over the phone from Whitehall, "nothing is to be said until permission is given."

Wrestlers Rely On a Favorite Grip

Each Champion Depends on Certain Holds to Overcome Opponents
Is wrestling being made a one-hold game, a specialty, by the different succeeding champions of the decade? Joe Rogers, a Buffalo Giant, who met Earl Caddock, in Waterloo, Ia., last week, advanced the idea that he can "beat anybody, but believes that champion wrestlers would make them even better than they happen to be by developing a greater variety of holds or at least getting away from the one-hold idea.

TONIGHT AND THURSDAY
"MAN AND BEAST"
"ACROSS THE HALL"
"THE PERILS OF THE SECRET SERVICE"

Branshott Camp, which is in a healthy spot on the Surrey moorlands.
C.E.F. Advertised
In the summer of 1916 Sir Sam Hughes came over and decided to let England know that Ypres and Festubert had not exhausted the Canadian expeditionary force.

Contest Over James B. Brady's Will is Ended

Sum Less Than \$1,000,000 Will Be Divided Among Three Contestants; Compromise Made as War Measure
Rather than engage in a long legal controversy which probably would last six years, the executors and legatees of the \$4,000,000 estate left by James Buchanan Brady of New York, arrived at a settlement last week with the contestants of the will, Daniel M. Brady, a brother of the decedent, Mrs. Harriet Mathieu, a sister, and Mrs. Mary E. McCoy, a half-niece, whereby a substantial sum, but said to be less than \$1,000,000, will be divided among them in lieu of their claims.

THE ONLY FAIR WAY.

Hamilton Times.—Canada can easily spare the men. She could spare many more if she had to. Conscription is the only fair and square way of raising them. Our men at the front now are daily being reduced in number. They are overworked. They long for rest, for reinforcements. We sent them there. They are fighting for us. Can we desert or neglect them? We talk about money. How can we expect men to be buoyant and brave in spirit if they believe that the people at home are hesitating to send them help?

Not His Idea of Wealth

"Mamma," said small Henry, "I don't believe Solomon was half as rich as they say he was." "Why not?" queried his mother. "Because," replied the youthful student, "it says here 'and slept with his fathers.' If he had been very rich I guess he would have had a bed of his own."

Orangeade!

The next time you are down near our fountain and feel thirsty, step inside and say "Orangeade" to the Soda Dispenser, then watch him. First he selects a fresh, ripe orange, cuts it in two and squeezes the golden juice into a polished glass, then some cracked ice and sugar (just enough to suit your taste), a dash of lime-juice and some pure, bubbling carbonated water. Then you have a drink and we have a satisfied customer.

It has become one of the most popular drinks at our fountain, so popular that at times we are pressed to supply the demand. Its popularity is due entirely to its own merits.

Try It! You'll Like It! It's a Real Treat!

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LADIES' LINEN OUTING HATS AT HALF PRICE

CHILDREN'S STRAW AND LINEN HATS AT HALF PRICE

\$1.25 and \$1.00 Hats. Now 50c. 75c. Hats. Now 38c. 50c. Hats. Now 25c.

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The Man In The Street

And they did persist in asking "Is it warm enough for you?" If yesterday wasn't, perhaps today will be. Pity we can't put some of this weather in cold storage and save it for use next January.

Another day or two of this and the fuel controller will be advising us to cook our meals on the sidewalk to save fuel. With the aid of their light overcoats and summer furs some of the ladies managed to keep fairly comfortable yesterday in spite of the weather.

Gratifying to find that the Allies, as well as the cost of food, can advance. This would be a poor time for the Kaiser to make any more predictions about the date when he will dine in Paris.

Perhaps the British and French just want to show what they can do before the U. S. army arrives. If the picture in a morning paper yesterday is a correct representation of the Ariadne type of cruises the admiral must have seen a couple of funnels off them since the Ariadne visited St. John; she used to wear four funnels.

In their campaign against the present government the opposition seems to have adopted the food conservation slogan: "Don't let it spoil—can it." Great weather for "grilling" witnesses. No wonder the common council took a holiday yesterday; there are others who would if they could.

The path to the swimming holes is being worn smooth this week. And you don't need a towel. Such hot weather—and no trains arriving from Montreal! How the thirsty must suffer. Just think how the potato bug rejoices in a temperature of 80 or thereabouts.

Well—here's to the haymakers—but drink the toast in buttermilk or it may cost you two hundred.

LOCAL NEWS

BACK TO DUTY Court-Serjt. J. H. Huggins and Traffic Policeman McLennan returned to duty this morning following an enjoyable two weeks' holiday.

SAVINGS BANK The Savings Bank returns here for the month are—Withdrawals, \$82,124.83; deposits, \$68,189.18. These figures are both in advance of last month. They are practically the same for the corresponding month of last year.

FREDERICTON MAN WINS IT The drawing for a \$100 war bond, donated by J. M. Robinson & Sons to the Red Cross fund, took place this morning. The winning ticket, No. 807, is held by T. W. Rainford of Fredericton.

TO PREACH IN BANGOR Rev. J. Edward Hand, of Calais, formerly of St. John, will conduct services in St. John's Episcopal church in Bangor on next Sunday. He has been granted a month's vacation by the parish of St. Anne's, Calais, during August.

MILFORD WON The Milford Stars defeated the Fairville Giants last evening in a ball game at Fairville. It was marked by heavy hitting on both sides. The score was 18 to 12. The batteries were: Boyce, Shodgrass and McGowan for the Stars, and McLeod, O'Toole and Gillis for the Giants.

BREER HAWKE IS AMUSED Moncton Transcript—Magistrate Ritchie went to Fredericton to preach on the success of prohibition in St. John in reducing drunkenness and to use this as an argument for repealing the Scott Act. When he returned home to St. John he found that nine drunkards were facing him the next morning, the greatest number since the act came in force. The enemies of the wage done to Mr. Hawke put up a job on the magistrate.

COLLISION WITH GATES Last night while R. B. Emerson was driving his automobile up Mill street about 11:30 o'clock, he ran into the train gates, which were lowered, as the Boston train was about to pass the crossing. It was only through Mr. Emerson's skill in the handling of his car that his automobile did not crash into the train. Mr. Emerson said this morning that he did not notice the lights on the gates as there seemed to be a blur over them and furthermore he had no idea that the gates were down. One gate was broken. The damage done to Mr. Emerson's car was very slight.

SURPRISE PARTY Mrs. J. R. McElhinney was given a pleasant surprise on Monday evening when about forty relatives and friends invaded her home at 200 Paradise road the occasion being her birthday. Games and dancing were enjoyed and refreshments were served. During the evening, on behalf of those present John McElhinney presented to his sister-in-law a beautiful parlor lamp. Mrs. McElhinney thanked the donors and at the same time presented to Mr. McElhinney, on behalf of the company, a wrist watch, it being his birthday also. As Mr. McElhinney is to return to France soon the gift was very acceptable.

ARRESTS FOR DRUNKENNESS ARE 42 SINCE MAY 1

There had been thirty-two arrests for drunkenness since Prohibition was introduced in St. John up to the end of last week. This week alone, however, there have been ten persons before the police court for this offence, thus making a total of forty-two since May 1. This is regarded as a very creditable showing for a city the size of St. John. Previous to May 1 there have been times when this number were rounded up for drunkenness in three days. The time has been when there have been as many as twenty-seven prisoners before the police magistrate for drunkenness on a Monday morning.

AUDIT OF BOOKS OF W. B. TENNANT

Statement Re \$120,000 Not Regarded as Clear Enough

Mr. Blanchet to Be Asked to Officiate—No Witnesses on Hand for Valley Railway Inquiry This Morning and Commission Adjourns Till Afternoon

Owing to the lack of witnesses, the inquiry into the affairs of the Valley Railway, which was to have resumed this morning, was postponed until the afternoon. Thomas Cosolino, president of the Nova Scotia Construction Company, the chief contractor, and Donald of Kennedy & McDonald, sub-contractors, had been notified, but did not arrive.

Mr. Carvell, K.C., counsel for the provincial government, announced that he had received a statement, submitted by W. B. Tennant, of the disposal of the sums of \$100,000 and \$20,000 paid by Tennant's books and trace the disposal of these amounts. It was agreed that Paul F. Blanchet be asked to undertake the work.

Mr. Carvell intimated that it might be possible to complete the inquiry by Friday. When the hour for opening the inquiry arrived, the doors of the council chamber were found to be locked. Inquiry revealed the fact that the sheriff had received no instructions and it was necessary to get in touch with Commissioner McLellan by telephone before the matter could be arranged.

The court convened at 10:30 o'clock with J. M. Stevens of Edmundston presiding. F. B. Carvell, K.C., and M. G. Teed, K.C., as counsel for the government and construction company, and E. S. Carter representing the directors of the Valley Railway.

After a statement of the adjournments from July 10 to 24 and then to August 1, the court proceeded. Mr. Carvell announced that, instead of the counsel examining the books of W. B. Tennant, the latter had submitted a statement showing the disposal of the \$100,000 and the \$20,000 paid to him by the Nova Scotia Construction Company. The matter proved so complicated that he felt it was useless to pursue the investigation along that line. He suggested instead, that an auditor be appointed by the commissioner to trace the payments of the funds after payment. If it could be shown that the money was used entirely for personal purposes the court would have no further interest in the payments; the only public interest would be in payments which had been used for other than personal purposes.

After consultation with his client, Mr. Teed announced that they would not object to this proceeding, especially if the auditor was one of whom they approved.

Mr. Carvell suggested that the commissioner should co-operate with the auditor, and he suggested Paul F. Blanchet and the auditor, the commissioner agreed, provided he could act.

The auditor said he had been disappointed in his witness. He had come to St. John at considerable personal inconvenience, but he was prepared to stay to see the inquiry through. Mr. Cosolino had been notified but had not arrived. Mr. Fenwick was due this afternoon. Mr. McDonald of Kennedy & McDonald had not arrived, and he had been informed that Mr. McDonald could not get here until Thursday morning. In the meantime, he had no witnesses.

Under the circumstances, the court adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Recent improvements to the facilities at the mouth of the Salmon River, an improvement which had added greatly to the Bay of Fundy, had the little harbor for shipping lumber. The big saw mill of the Pejescot Lumber Company at that point, which was burned down nearly two years ago, has been rebuilt and the company at the same time has added greatly to its shipping facilities.

The harbor formed at the mouth of the river has been dredged, more than 5,000 yards of material having been removed, and wharves have been built to give added accommodation for the vessels which carry away the product of the mill. During the spring employment was given to about 150 men in this work and other operations around the plant.

The new mill is one of the most modern in the province, both in its planning and construction, and also in its equipment. One of the novel features is a barkling machine for roasting slabs, thus converting into pulp wood a large quantity of material which formerly was waste. This is an important economy in connection with operations on the scale on which they have been carried on by the company, the cut last winter for this mill having been 9,000,000 feet.

While making the mill and harbor as convenient and complete as possible, the company has not overlooked the comfort of its men and the dwelling erected for the employees are considerably in advance of the usual type of workmen's houses. For the work in connection with this mill is directed by M. H. Tufts, general manager and superintendent, assisted by his general foreman, Mr. Seely.

PRESENTATION TO PASTOR Rev. Hammond Johnson, pastor of the Queen Square Methodist church, and Mrs. Johnson are to leave today for a month's vacation. As a mark of appreciation for their services in the church, representatives of the congregation called at their home this morning and presented to them a well-filled purse. The presentation was made, on behalf of the delegation, by LeRoy King.

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