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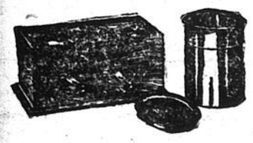
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REBEL ADVANCE ON PEKING ORDERED BY CHINESE REVOLUTION.

By Canadian Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. April 27. — A rebel advance on Peking, the capital of China, has been ordered by the Chinese revolutionists, according to a Shanghai despatch to the Chinese Republic Association here today.

An army of several hundred thousand troops under Luy Ung-Ting, formerly commander of Yuan Shi Kai's forces in Kwangsi province, and General Lung Chi Kwang, formerly with the government troops in Kwangtung, will begin the march upon Peking soon, it was stated.

MASQUERADER IN AT HAVRE DE GRAVE

HAVRE DE GRACE, April 27.—First race, for three-year-olds and up, selling, five and a half furlongs—The Masquerader, 126, Butwell, $4, $3.10 and $2.60, won; Humiliation, 110, Ball, $2.90 and $2.60, second; Lost Fortune, 108, Anderson, $3.20, third.

Time, 1:10 3-5.

King Tuscan, Bendel, In and Out, Scottish Knight and Fred Levy also ran.

Second race — Steeplechase, for three-year-olds and up, two miles—Lady Butterfly, 135, Stevenson, $6.50, $3.00 and $2.50, won; Jack Winston, 137, Allen, $2.90 and $2.80, second; Aviator, 145, Brown, $3.00, third.

Time, 4:27 2-5.

Pied Piper and Royal also ran.

Third race, for three-year-olds and up, selling, handicap, one mile and seventy yards—Brave Cunarder, 108, J. McTaggart, $13.20, $3.90 and out, first, won; Redland, 109, Parrington, $2.80, out, second; Harbard, 102, Anderson, out, third.

Time, 1:48 2-5.

Star Gaze also ran.

Fourth Race — For two-year-olds, four and a half furlongs—Manokin, 106, Keogh, $7.70, out and out, won. Chemung, 109, J. McTaggart, out and out, second; Rhymer, 102, Shuttinger, out, third. Time 0:57. Only three starters.

Fifth race, for three-year-olds and up, selling, one mile and seventy yards — Mr. Mack, 110; Creuse, $34.20, $10.40 and $4.80, won; Peacock, 115, Doyle, $4.50 and $5.30, second; Menlo Park, 105, Ball, $3.80, third.

Time, 1:51.

Valas, Kneclet, Task and Napier also ran.

FRIDAY ENTRIES FOR LEXINGTON

LEXINGTON, April 27.—Entries for tomorrow's races are:

First race, selling, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs—xBob's Olga, 92; xOld Charter, Edna Kenna, Mary Jay, 97; Uncle Will Ardent, 99; xWanda Pilcer, 116; Carrie Orme, 108; Celebrity, 100; Mex. Izzet Bey, 110; Droll, 111.

Second race, maiden fillies, two-year-olds, four furlongs—Scylla, Mabel R., Sunflash, Millbrey, Triolet, Believe Me Boys, Satin, Lynette, Queen Errant, Yermilla, Rosewood, Sweet Helen, 112.

Third race, selling, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs — Rose Marion, 100; xHigh Horse, 101; xBlarney, 106; xBrookfield, 108; Stout Heart, 110; xFather Riley, Hawthorn, Billy Joe, 112.

Fourth race, three-year-olds. The Beaumont Stake, mile and twenty yards—Poiroma, Big Fellow, Milestone, 106; Jack O'Dowd, 109, Dodge, 112.

Fifth race, three-year-olds and up, Coumbes Lumber Co., purse, six furlongs—Brooks, 97; Kinghorn, 97; Eulogy, 101; Port Light, 103; Ben Quince; Huffaker; xFleuro, xWhite Crown, 106; Sleeth, 112.

Sixth race, purse, two-year-olds, four and a half furlongs—F. C. Cole; Evelyn V., 104; Frigerio; Swift Fox; Midway, 107; Norumbega; Frank Coleman, 107.

Seventh race, selling, three-year-olds and up, mile and seventy yards — Industry, 109; Lachis; Chivator, 98; Lynn, 100; xChoctaw; xDundreary, 107; Gold Color; W. W. Clark; xSurpassing; Benedictine; Harold; Lupin; Tillotson, 112.

xApprentice allowance claimed.

Weather cloudy track muddy.

LEXINGTON FIRST TO WATERBLOSSOM

LEXINGTON, April 27—First race, Inaugural dash, the Raceland purse, five and a half furlongs—Water Blossom, 110, Martin, $2.30 and $2.90 and $2.20, won; Ed. Howard, 103, Kederis, $5.50 and $2.90, second; Mars Cassidy, 106, Cooper, $3.10, third.

Time, 1:00.

Bars and Stars, Amazon M., Burt Thurman, Sanward and Chalmers also ran.

Second race, six furlongs — Lady Always, 107, Teahman, $11.90, $7.90 and $6.00, won; Southern League, 105, Meehan, $34.10, $15.80, second; Mary H., 107; Garner, $4.20, third.

Time, 1:16 3-5.

Poppee, Deliver, Gypsy Blair, Beauty Shop and Countess Wilmot also ran

Third race, four furlongs—Berlin, 1112, Murphy, $23.60, $12.80 and $7, won; Guy Fortune, 1112, Teahan, $15.40 and $8.50, second; Sleeper, 112, Andress, $5.80, third.

Time, 50.4-5.

Jack Wiggins, Ed. Morrow, Judge Young, Johnny Mc, Bert Williams, My First and James also ran.

COL. CARNEGIE TAKES WHOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FUSE CONTRACTS

Admits British Consul-General Urged None Be Placed Until He Had Been Consulted—Apologizes for "Holding Out Hopes to Canadian Firms"—On Stand All Day

Special to The Montreal Star by Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA April 27. — Col. David Carnegie "took the whole responsibility" for recommending the placing of the fuse contracts for Canada in the United States, in the course of his testimony before the Meredith-Duff Commission today, even admitting that action was in some cases at least taken in violation of the explicit advice of the British Consul-General in New York.

Resuming his evidence this afternoon, he continued his explanation of the matter in which the contracts came to be awarded.

Col. Carnegie was on the stand all the morning and from present indications will be for the rest of the week. This morning he admitted having promised an order to the Canadian firms and said he apologized to them for holding out hopes, but "they took it very well". They were consoled with the prospect that further orders might be placed.

The examination by Mr. Hellmuth, K. C., is very thorough and suggests a wide field for cross-examination.

COL. CARNEGIE VOLUBLE WITNESS.

Col. Carnegie is a voluble witness. He rarely answers yes or no, but is wont to give lengthy explanations, some of it by way of comment. He speaks with the accent of an Old Countryman.

All the prominent people in interest are in attendance.

Gen. Hughes is there, following the proceedings closely, but making little comment. He sits with his counsel, Messrs. Nesbitt and Ewart.

John Wesley Allison sits up against the wall. Now and then this morning he went over to the lawyers' enclosure and spoke to Gen. Hughes. The Colonel is one of the most unperturbed gentlemen in the room.

Scores of members of Parliament are watching developments, while an array of fifteen lawyers indicates formidable examination and lengthy proceedings. A battery of stenographers are turning out the evidence, which is being printed daily at the Government Bureau, but the presiding Judges are themselves taking notes of the more outstanding points.

The fuse business is decidedly technical. The explanation of the technique of manufacture and the production and reading of voluminous correspondence tend to protract the examination.

At no time, however, has interest been lacking, and on numerous occasions this morning, when vital points were being brought out, profound silence prevailed.

So far Mr. Hellmuth, K. C., has had all the say from among the lawyers. Interesting as has been the examination, the cross-examination of Col. Carnegie will be more so, it is expected.

RUSSELLS EXPECTED MORE CONTRACTS

When the afternoon sitting opened Mr. Johnston raised the question of the summoning and payment of witnesses.

Sir William Meredith remarked that no doubt money would be available for reasonable expenses for witnesses.

Mr. Hellmuth read two letters from T. A. Russell, dated May 29, asking for further information as to the specifications for fuses.

Mr. Hellmuth—Reading these two letters, it occurs to one naturally that the Russell people were still looking forward to some contracts for No. 80 fuses. Can you give us any explanation as to this?—Yes, we were proposing to call upon the War Office for another order, if possible for fuses only.

Here a cable to the War Office, dated May 30, was read, wanting to know if the Shell Committee could give another order for 3,000,000 No. 80 fuses at $4.68. "Can we proceed:" the cable concluded. The War Office replied, "Not for the present."

MORE LETTERS OFFERED.

Another batch of letters was presented by Mr. Hellmuth, K.C., on May 31. There was one from Col. Carnegie to Gen. Drain, attorney, of Washington, promising to forward drawings and specifications for fuses.

The same day a letter dictated by Col. Carnegie and signed by Gen. Bertram was sent to the Russell Company in answer to one of the 29th. It stated that if the company could find a product of brass to give the physical qualities required, there was no reason why it should be refused.

On June 1 Mr. Russell was advised that the War Office was not considering at that time the manufacture of time fuses, but was considering making fuse No. 100.

On June 1, Mr. Russell wrote the Shell Committee urging an appointment with Messrs. Carnegie and Bertram for Thursday. Mr. Russell said he "was anxious to get something closed," and added that the "plans were advanced and the company was anxious to get started right away if at all possible."

WAS DISTINCT DISAPPOINTMENT.

This letter was answered on June 2, as follows: "We have definite information that War Office want no more time fuses. Are sending sample of fuse cover in case more fuses needed later."

On June 7, Mr. Russell wrote to Gen. Bertram: "It was a distinct disappointment in view of what had taken place." The company had made preparation to make fuses in Canada as result of conferences they had had before, especially as it had been "definitely arranged to hold an order of between 1,000,000 and 2,000,000 fuses for us."

The letter went on to say that Col. Carnegie had told them that the order could not be held open indefinitely. The company had telegraphed that the fuse matter had been well advanced, experts had been obtained and the work was to be done in Canada.

Then, when they were ready to submit plans, Col. Carnegie wired them to defer their visit, but Mr. Lloyd Harris and Mr. Russell left for Ottawa and arrived on May 26.

"To our utter amazement," said the letter, "we found the whole order had been placed with two United States firms and at higher prices."

Regarding the No. 100 fuses the company "didn't want to be stung again," and after making all plans for manufacturing these not to get an order.

"Can you give us any idea when we can get this to submit a proposition and also count on getting the order?" continued the writer.

It was explained that the Russell Motor Car Company got none of the 5,000,000 shell order because "the order had been already placed."

Contract Placed Before Russell Message Arrived

Mr. Hellmuth wanted to know just when the order had been placed.

In reply to Mr. Hellmuth, Col. Carsaid that on the 25th the Shell Committee had definitely decided to place an order with Mr. Harris for the remaining 2,500,000 fuses.

Mr. Hellmuth—In regard to Bassick, you had on the 21st, if my recollection is correct, given him an order, and on the 25th Gen. Bertram telephoned and amended that order to 2,500,000. Can you say whether when you were telephoned and when you sent that order; whether at that time you had received the telegram from Russell?—So far as I recollect we had not received the telegram from Russell.

Col. Carnegie was closely questioned as to the procedure in the office of the Shell Committee of dealing with letters sent and received. He could not say if there was what is known as a "mail book," a record of all letters sent and received.

"Where were the papers kept in the office?" Mr. Hellmuth asked.

"Now you tax me somewhat," Col. Carnegie replied, "because our office was like a snowball, growing all the time."

In regard to his letters, Col. Carnegie said they would be opened by the office unless addressed to Col. Carnegie personally.

Mr. Hellmuth—Who opened them?—There was a man in the office who opened all letters.

Gen. Bertram—His name was Matt.

Dealing with the coincident of the detailed Russell proposition arriving the same day that the order was placed in New York, Mr. Hellmuth asked if the Shell Committee had any stamp to show the time when the letters were received.

"No," said the witness.

The committee on June 9 wrote to the Russell-Harris combination, holding out the prospect of a small order. It read:

"Since writing you we had the opportunity of meeting the Minister of Militia, who is quite willing that an order for 200,000 fuses be placed in Canada. If you are able to undertake the work we are quite willing to place an order with you. The 80 fuse would be required."

Mr. Hellmuth—You say the Minister of Militia would be quite willing

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ALLIES WILL NEVER QUIT TILL EVIL IS CRUSHED--POINCARE

Special Star Cable by United Press.

PARIS, April 27. — The Allies will never lay down arms "until their sword has reduced evil to impotency and has broken iniquity," declared President Poincare at the opening of the International Economic Conference attended by representatives of the Allies today.

"The Central Empires can never hope to return to their former state," added M. Poincare. "Their hypocrisy makes it impossible for them to efface their barbarous deeds. They have done too much.

"It is their Zeppelin fleets which during the nights hurl burning bombs upon sleeping cities. It is their submarines which sink inoffensive passenger ships. It is their paid band of spies which seek to sow corruption throughout the entire world.

"It is their soldiers who have shot down noble nurses. You men gathered here are charged to demonstrate to the entire world against who and what we fight. We shall continue to the very end confident of the support of all thinking men.

"While you come here seeking together solutions of justice, it is armed justice that fights under our flags on the Yser and in the Carso, that bars the route to Salonika, that enters Trebizond, that defends Verdun and will not lay down its sword until it has reduced evil to impotency and has broken iniquity."

TODAY'S BASEBALL RESULTS

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

		R.	H.	E.
BUFFALO AT	0 0 0 2 * * * * * * * * *			
RICHMOND	* 1 0 0 * * * * * * * * *			

Batteries—Buffalo, Cooper and Haley; Richmond, Verbout and Reynolds. Umpires—Bransfield and Cleary.

ROCHESTER AT	0 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 * * * *			
PROVIDENCE	1 0 0 0 0 5 1 1 * * * *			

Batteries—Rochester, Hunecke and Casey; Providence, Schultze and Yelle. Umpires, Hart and Keenan.

MONTREAL AT BALTIMORE—No game; rain.

TORONTO AT NEWARK—No game; wet grounds.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

		R.	H.	E.
NEW YORK AT	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 * * *	2	5	2
BOSTON	2 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 * * * *	3	7	1

Batteries—New York, Tesreau and Rariden; Boston, Tyler and Gowdy. Umpires—Klem and Emslie.

ST. LOUIS AT	1 1 * * * * * * * * * *			
CHICAGO	0 0 * * * * * * * * * *			

Batteries—St. Louis, Jasper and Snyder; Chicago, Vaughn and Fisher. Umpires—Quigley and Byron.

CINCINNATI AT PITTSBURG—No game; wet grounds.

BROOKLYN AT PHILADELPHIA—No game; rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

		R.	H.	E.
DETROIT AT	1 0 0 4 * * * * * * * * *			
ST. LOUIS	2 0 0 0 * * * * * * * * *			

Batteries—Detroit, Cunningham and Stanage; St. Louis, Wellman and Severaid. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Hildebrand.

PHILADELPHIA AT	0 0 0 0 0 0 5 * * * * *			
WASHINGTON	1 1 0 0 0 0 0 * * * * *			

Batteries—Philadelphia, Bressler and Meyer; Washington, Harper and Williams. Umpires—Owens and Connolly.

CHICAGO AT	1 1 0 0 2 1 0 0 * * * *	5	11	1
CLEVELAND	0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 * * * *	3	7	1

Batteries—Chicago, Faber and Schalk; Cleveland, Mitchell and O'Neill. Umpires—Evans and Cahill.

BOSTON AT NEW YORK—No game; west grounds.

REPORT AMERICANS FORCED INTO ARMY DENIED IN HOUSE

Special to The Montreal Star by Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, April 27.—H. H. Stevens, M.P. for Vancouver, brought the attention of the Minister of the Interior in the House of Commons this afternoon a statement reported recently to have been made by Robt. E. Mansfield, United States Consul-General in Vancouver, and incorporated in a bulletin issued by the United States Department of Labor, to the effect that American laborers were being induced to come to Canada by promises of employment, and then placed under pressure to enlist for overseas service.

Mr. Stevens characterized this statement as absolutely false, as also a further remark of the Consul-General that Vancouver was full of unemployed.

The Minister, in reply, said he had heard of the matter only yesterday, and he had already had the United States Consul-General in Vancouver approached. The latter had refused to make any statement until he should see the text of the remarks attributed to him. Another interview would be had with Mr. Mansfield at once.

As regards unemployment in Vancouver, the Minister said that during January and February the applicants for relief had numbered 285, which was not abnormal.

The House gave second reading to Sir Thomas White's Bill to provide for the payment of bounties on zinc ores mined in Canada.

BRITISH MAIL

A British mail via the Canadian route, for parcel post and newspapers only, will close tomorrow. Mail via New York and the French line of steamers closes at the same time. Parcels are forwarded by the Canadian route only.

DUBLIN DISTURBANCES EFFECTUALLY QUELLED, SAYS DROGHEDA STORY

Disorder Only in Isolated Places—All Quiet Towards North—British Submarine Sunk in North Sea—Russian Aviators Drop Bombs on Constantinople—French Repulse Attacks

By Canadian Press.

DROGHEDA, Ireland, April 27, 5:55 p.m.—The disturbances in Dublin are being quelled effectively. Only in isolated places is there any disorder. All is quiet here and in the surrounding districts. No Dublin newspapers have arrived here since Monday.

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, April 27.—War risk insurance has been advanced one-half of one per cent on all vessels to and from the West coast of the United Kingdom. The rate between Liverpool and New York is now three per cent.

BRITISH SUBMARINE IS SUNK

Special Star Cable by United Press.

LONDON, April 27. — The British submarine E-22 has been sunk in the North Sea, the Admiralty announced this afternoon. Only two of her crew were saved.

The E-22 was a submarine built from an Admiralty design. She carried four torpedo tubes, had a surface speed of sixteen knots and a submerged speed of ten knots, and her full complement was sixteen men. Fourteen lives have been lost with her sinking.

A Havas despatch from Athens says it is reliably stated there that two Russian hydro-aeroplanes operated over Constantinople on Monday night.

A German aeroplane flew over the island of Imbros, in the Aegean Sea, yesterday, throwing bombs at the lighthouse on Point Kephalos. No serious damage was caused, however.

Special Star Cable by United Press.

PARIS, April 27.—Following an intense bombardment on a front extending from Avocourt to Pepper Heights, north of Verdun, a small force of Germans last night attempted to attack. The War Office announced today that the enemy was immediately stopped by French curtain fire.

Though there have been reports of increasing activity on the Vosges front and at the extreme south-eastern end of the battle line, no important engagements occurred in those sectors last night.

A German reconnaissance attempted to reach French positions east of Le Mesnil, in Lorraine, but was quickly dispersed.

North of the Aisne, German patrols were repulsed in grenade fighting. A French aeroplane shot down a German, who fell in Spincourt forest.

The text of the statement follows:

"North of the Aisne several German patrols were repulsed with hand grenades.

"In the region of Verdun there was an intense bombardment of the region of doubt of Avocourt and of our organizations on the Cote du Poivre.

"A small enemy attack directed upon an element of our trenches to the north of the Vaux fort was immediately stopped by our curtain of fire.

"In Lorraine we dispersed a German reconnoitering party which attempted to reach our position to the east of Le Mesnil.

"On the rest of the front there was no event of importance to report beyond the usual cannonading."

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EVERYTHING IS READY FOR BOUT; SO ARE FIGHTERS

"Billy" Moorhouse, the Referee for tonight's ten-round battle between Frankie Fleming and Eddie Wallace at 126 lbs. or thereabouts, stated this afternoon in the Drill Hall on Craig street, that everything was in shipshape for the best fight Montreal had ever seen.

He was standing on one of the galleries directing the disposition of about 5,000 chairs to the East, West and South of the ring which was being built by carpenter-soldiers, all the work of preparing the hall, in fact being done by soldiers, the "Poils-aux pattes" of the 163rd.

These seats are for civilian spectators and visiting men in khaki, for the members of the regiments will occupy benches placed for them north of the ring.

Reports late this afternoon from both the Windsor Hotel and Laprairie state that Fleming and Wallace are ready and eager for the fray.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

Allies hold their ground and repulse Germans at Ypres. British and French troops make good their footing on the Gallipoli Peninsula. The French armored cruiser Leon Gambetta torpedoed by an Austrian submarine in Strait of Otranto and nearly seven hundred lives lost.



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LIBERALS NOT AGITATED OVER REPORTED SPLIT

Feel Confident That Hon. J. L. Decarie Will Win Maisonneuve

ALD. W. J. HUSHION IS CHOSEN IN ST. ANN'S

Other Candidates to the Fore—List of Returning Officers

In the face of the declaration that the reported split among Liberals in Maisonneuve has been aggravated by one faction selecting Mayor Levis Tremblay to oppose the Hon. J. L. Decarie for the provincial seat, Liberal leaders have expressed the quiet conviction that in the end Mr. Decarie will triumph.

"We know very little of the supposed division," says one prominent Liberal, "but we understand that a number of meetings have been arranged, and we expect that at these Mr. Decarie's candidature will be endorsed. We think that in the end he will secure the greater support."

Clement Robillard, retiring Liberal deputy for St. James, has definitely decided to run for re-election, it is announced.

Conservative headquarters are highly jubilant at special reports from agents who declare that throughout the Eastern Townships the prospects of the party are exceedingly bright, good candidates being mentioned and backed with unanimity.

Dates of conventions are being completed. Today St. Hyacinthe chooses a candidate, the names of A. Amyot and Felix Desrochers being mentioned as aspirants. Berthier holds its meeting today. In Wolfe county, too, Conservative leaders gather, the name of A. Bienvenu being prominent. Maskinonge convention will be held Monday next.

Sherbrooke Conservatives are trying to have M. O'Bradie run as their candidate, while in Megantic, E. Carreau is being much talked of. Labelle county Conservatives yesterday decided that Dr. Beaudry, of Chenneville, should be their choice. His decision is awaited.

ALD. HUSHION CHOSEN.

Ald. W. J. Hushion, City Council representative for St. Joseph ward, is the Liberal candidate for St. Ann's division, decision to this effect having been reached at the Liberal convention held last night in St. Ann's Hall, under the presidency of J. Killoran.

The choice was unanimous. J. Wheeler had been put forward as a possible candidate, but his name was withdrawn and the meeting went solidly for Ald. Hushion, promises of strong support from the electorate being given by Dan Gallery and M. J. Walsh, whose candidature was also talked of, and by the Hon. J. C. Kaine on behalf of the Gouin forces.

Several speakers addressed the convention. Mr. Kaine took off his gloves to deal with Denis Tansey, declaring it ill-befitted the division to have him as its representative at Quebec. The Hon. Walter Mitchell gave a ten-minute review of the Gouin Government's work and policy and the candidate briefly thanked the convention for its choice. J. C. Walsh, K.C., M. J. Walsh, Dr. J. T. Finnie, Dan Gallery, and J. Dillon also spoke.

In Dorion, Ald. G. Mayrand, City Council Representative for Delorimier, has received the Liberal nomination for re-election, the convention being held last night in the Academie des Saints Anges, St. Joseph boulevard and De Lanaudiere street. After the meeting, Emile Depocas announced that he was dissatisfied with the conduct of the meeting and the manner of voting; he would not abide by the convention's decision and would continue in the campaign as an independent Liberal.

THREE-CORNERED.

This is one of the three instances in which three-cornered contests are said to be assured. In Laprairie, Dr. Lefebvre is determined to go to the people as a Liberal, although the Liberal convention a few days ago chose Wilfrid Cedillot as candidate. In Beauharnois, where E. A. Robert, retiring Liberal deputy, was nominated for re-election, Achille Bergevin, former member of the Legislative Council, is to contest the county as a Liberal against the official party candidate and Tancrede Fortin, Conservative choice.

St. Lawrence division remains an enigma. Reports that an English-speaking Protestant is to represent Conservatives have been followed by the proposal that John Boyd be a candidate. At the same time, another Hebrew candidate appears in the person of Harry A. Wolfe, who has been asked to run and will await the decision of the convention.

OTHER CANDIDATES.

Candidates are being selected daily. Chambly has nominated Dr. Desaulniers for re-election on the Liberal side; in Huntingdon, Andrew Phips, retiring Liberal, is to run again as the official choice. Rimbelois Conservatives are running G. Magnon, of Sorel is their candidate. Matane Conservatives will oppose the Liberal with F. Dionne. Champlain Liberals have chosen Dr. H. Bordeleau, of Ste. Thecle, to oppose the retiring Conservative. Liberals of Berthier are anxious that J. Lafontaine should represent them, while in Terrebonne, Liberals would like to see Athanase David, K.C., of Montreal, a candidate in Jacques Cartier. It is now said that J. A. Leclaire may run for the Liberals against Mr. Cannon, Opposition leader.

Conservative conventions are to be held at Louiseville, Maskinonge county, next Monday. Jacques Cartier Liberals will make their choice on May 4 at Lachine; the Verchères Liberal convention will take place in Verchères on May 2.

RETURNING OFFICERS.

Returning officers for divisions on the Island of Montreal are:

Jacques Cartier — Amedee Chauret, registrar.

Maisonneuve — G. A. Lacombe, registrar.

Dorion — J. Alonzo Savard, insurance agent.

Hochelaga — J. Hercule Bedard, collector.

Laurier—Rodrigue Valiquette, insurance agent.

St. Anns—John Taugher, merchant.

St. Mary's—Emery Lalonde, registrar.

St. George's—John P. Dixon, agent.

St. James—C. A. Morrison, advocate.

St. Lawrence—Edward Earl, sculptor.

St. Louis—Pierre Leduc, druggist.

Westmount—N. McNaughton, broker, Westmount.

Laval—P. Longpre, registrar, St. Rose.

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KENNETH MACPHERSON

Lawyer, Artist, Musician and Public Spirited Citizen

The funeral of the late Kenneth R. Macpherson, K.C., who died from pneumonia yesterday afternoon at his residence, 229 Stanley street, will take place from St. Paul's Church on Friday at 2.30 p.m., to Mount Royal Cemetery.

In the death of Mr. Macpherson, the Montreal Bar loses one of its most prominent members and the city at large one of its most respected and accomplished residents, well known as artist, musician, and public spirited citizen.

Mr. Macpherson had been ill for twelve days. The last case in which he appeared was the arbitration between the Lachine, Jacques Cartier and Maisonneuve Railway Company and the Molson Estate. The arbitrators sat in the Grand Trunk offices, and Mr. Macpherson conducted the case for the Molson Estate. He pleaded for a whole day on that occasion, though then suffering from a very bad cold.

His last appearance in court was made shortly before this, when the Hudson's Bay Company contested, before the Superior Court, the jurisdiction of the police magistrate concerning the seizure of beaver skins traded with the company by the Indians during the close season. Mr. Macpherson's argument was that the Indians had the inherent right to trade in furs at all seasons.

CAREER AT THE BAR.

Mr. Macpherson was the second son of the late Alexander Macpherson, in his lifetime a prominent citizen of Montreal, and was born in this city on February 19, 1861. He received his education at the Montreal High School and at McGill University, graduating with honors in Arts and later in Law. He was admitted to the Bar in 1885, and became a member of the firm of Dunlop, Lyman and Macpherson, the senior member of which is now Mr. Justice Dunlop, of the Superior and Admiralty Courts. In 1903 he became a member of the firm now practicing as Meredith, Macpherson, Hague, Holden, Shaughnessy and Heward.

Mr. Macpherson did not often appear in court, but when he did, the case was certain to be an important one. He took his profession seriously, and was known for absolute thoroughness in every case upon which he was engaged.

ARTIST AND MUSICIAN.

Apart from his profession, Mr. Macpherson was well known in art and musical circles, and was himself a painter and a musician of recognized ability. His paintings have been admired at the Spring Exhibitions of the Montreal Art Association, at which he was a regular exhibitor, and also at the Exhibitions of the Royal Canadian Academy. His work had also been seen at the Paris Salon. One fine oil painting of his, he donated to the Canadian Artists' Patriotic Fund Exhibition.

Mr. Macpherson was a prominent and popular figure in the social life of Montreal. He was a member of the Mount Royal Club, of the St. James's Club, the Montreal Club, and of the Royal Montreal Golf Club. He was president of the Arts Club of Montreal and a member of the Pen and Pencil Club.

In his earlier days he took an active part in football, and later in golf, and in both of these pastimes he made a name for himself.

Mr. Macpherson was a widower, his wife, who was Miss Elliott, a New York lady, having died about ten years ago. Two brothers and two sisters survive him, namely, A. Gordon Macpherson, of Montreal, and Graham B. Macpherson, of New York, and Mrs. Walter L. Jamieson, and Mrs. T. H. Prissick, both of this city. He had many warm friends by whom he will be greatly missed as a genial, warm hearted companion, while his death is a distinct loss to the city.

FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. PHILIP LYNCH

The funeral of the late Mrs. Philip Lynch was held from the Home for Incurables, Notre Dame de Grace.

Mrs. Lynch was born in Montreal seventy-nine years ago and spent her life in this city. Her husband, who was associated with Davis Bros. in the construction of the chain of canals along the St. Lawrence, died in 1898.

Mrs. Lynch is survived by two children, Henry M. Lynch of Woonsocket, R. I., and the Rev. Mary Philip for the past six years superior of Mount St. Michael's School.

MISS DIADEM BELL IS VISITING CITY

Miss Diadem Bell, of the Canadian Congregational Mission at Chirumbu, West Central Africa, is here for the meeting of the C.C.W.B.M. (Quebec Branch) at Emmanuel Church today and Friday. A reception will be given for Miss Bell at 4.30 this afternoon, in the ladies' parlor. After these meetings, Miss Bell will visit churches in the Eastern Townships. Miss Bell is the guest of Mrs. F. W. Read, 2049 Waverley street.

MRS. R. B. MURRAY BETTER.

Mrs. R. B. Murray, who was struck by a street car over a week ago, is now out of danger, and although still suffering from shock, is expected to be convalescent in a week or so.

EUCHRE PUT OFF.

The euchre and entertainment of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association which was to have been held tomorrow, has been postponed until further notice.

AIDS THE RED CROSS.

The peace Centennial School staff and pupils have sent in $50 to the Canadian Red Cross Society. This sum was realized at a concert.

THE SOCIAL WORLD

Luncheon for Mrs. Smart.

Mrs. C. A. Smart, who is sailing early in May for England, to join Lieut.-Col. Smart, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given yesterday in Victoria Hall, by the executive committee of the Westmount Soldiers' Wives League. Flags predominated in the decorations, with daffodils and narcissi arranged on the tables. Mrs. William Rutherford, president of the League, presided, and the others present beside Mrs. Smart were Mrs. Gardner Brown, Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. A. Thompson, Mrs. C. C. S. Wallace, Mrs. Sydney Phillips, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Alex Wright, Miss Jamieson, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Chaplin and Mrs. R. D. Martin, who succeeds Mrs. Smart as convenor of the Fifth Mounted Rifles committee of the League. Mrs. Rutherford and Mrs. C. C. S. Wallace, in short addresses, spoke of the splendid work Mrs. Smart has done, and expressed their regrets at her departure.

Benefit Performance.

An attractive event arranged to be given next week is the benefit for the Western Hospital at His Majesty's, on Monday and Tuesday evening, when the Trinity Players are putting on "The Thunderbolt." Most of the boxes have already been taken, some of the holders being Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon, Sir Thomas Tait, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Joseph, Mr. T. L. Lyall, Dr. and Mrs. Austin Irvine, Mrs. R. H. Wilson, Mr. C. W. Lindsay, Mr. C. E. Gudewill, Dr. Charles Gurd, Dr. Grant Stewart, Dr. and Mrs. George Fisk, Mr. J. Skelton, Mrs. T. J. Drummond. A few other subscribers are: Mrs. J. Alex. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hutchison, Mrs. and Miss Costigan, Mrs. David Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lewis, Dr. and Mrs. Fred Gilday, Dr. F. J. Hackett, Dr. and Mrs. Bramley Moore, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Craig and Dr. and Mrs. Fellde.

Sobey-Smith.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on Wednesday at St. Martin's Church, when Miss Nellie Smith, daughter of Mr. F. C. Smith, of Verdun, was married to Mr. Charles Sobey, of Montreal. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. W. Craig. The bride was attended by her sister Miss Dorothy Smith and Mr. Edward Schippel acted as best man. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Sobey left for Toronto and other western points. They will reside in St. Anne de Bellevue.

Afternoon Bridge.

A bridge of about seventy-five tables was held in Victoria Hall yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Montreal Boys' Club. Vocal solos were pleasingly rendered by Mrs. Herbert Hodgins whose accompaniments were played by Miss Irene Brophy; and piano solos by Miss Ellen Adair.

A reception with cards and dancing will be held at the Ritz-Carlton on May 13 in aid of the 178th Battalion, being organized by Lieut.-Col. Girouard.

Engagements Announced

Mr. Robert Mitchell, of "Maple Braes," Lennoxville, Que., announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Mabel Marion Mitchell, B.A., to the Rev. Rural Dean Ernest Raymond Roy, M.A., of Cookshire, Que. The marriage will take place in June.

The engagement is announced of Miss Elizabeth Una Kerr, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kerr, of Longueuil, to Lieut. Percy Morris Knowles, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Knowles, of Montreal.

Social and Personal.

Mrs. F. H. Waycott leaves on Monday for a few days' visit with Mrs. Reilly in Port Kent, afterwards going to New York. On Thursday next she is to give an address at the Jersey City Women's Club.

Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon has returned from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. Mrs. McGibbon will spend some time in New York before coming home.

Miss Carrie Murray, of Montreal, is the guest this week of her aunt, Mrs. W. F. Berwick, at "The Netherlands," Brompton road, Sherbrooke, Que.

Mrs. A. E. Adson, who arrived in town from Ottawa for the Hanson-Roxborough wedding, is the guest of Mrs. Alexander Falle.

Miss Dulce Dodwell has gone to New York to spend some time with her relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mayor.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris P. Bryant are in New York for a few days stopping at the Waldorf Astoria.

Mrs. Henry Ward, of Montreal, is visiting her son, Mr. Henry Ward, in Boston, Mass.

Mr. Charles H. Atkin, of Montreal, spent Easter week at the Fort Garry in Winnipeg.

Miss Annie Bryson, of Ottawa, is visiting friends in town for a few days.

SOCIETY AT THE CAPITAL

OTTAWA, April 27.—The Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair will hold an informal reception at the Chateau Laurier on May 3 following a luncheon which will be given by the Local Council of Women in their honor, and that of the members of general executive board which will then be in session here.

C. J. Noel Marshall, of Toronto, spent yesterday in town.

Miss J. O'Brien, of Renfrew, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose O'Brien.

Mrs. C. H. Beddoe is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Kelsey in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Askwith and Miss Ada Askwith are leaving shortly for England.

Mrs. Gordon Cumming is in Kingston, the guest of Prof. and Mrs. E. S. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fauquier have been spending a few days in New York.

Miss Ruth Hubbell and barrister, Mrs. George Pettit, of Montreal, are spending this week in New York, the guests if their uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Brouner.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blackburn are expected home today from California, where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCool arrived in town yesterday from Pembroke for the marriage of their daughter Frances, to Lt. W. R. McGee, which takes place on Saturday from the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. M. J. Gorman. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gorman.

Miss Frances McCool was the guest of honor yesterday at a bridge and tea given by Mrs. William Denny and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose O'Brien entertained at dinner for Lt. McGee and his bride elect.

Mrs. Kerwan Martin was the guest of honor yesterday at an informal tea at the Royal Ottawa Golf Club given by her sister, Miss Ethel Hamilton. Others present were Mrs. Lenox Smith, Miss Tudor Monticambert, Mrs. C. A. Eliot, Mrs. Alan Palmer, Miss Winifred Wicksteed and Miss Evans of Toronto.

Mrs. A. G. Parker entertained on Tuesday evening at an informal dance for her daughter, Miss Grace and Miss Julia Paarker.

Lady Borden, Lady Laurier, Lady Caron, Lady Taschereau, Lady Grant, Mrs. J. C. Doherty, Mrs. M. P. Davis, Mrs. J. L. Chabot and several other ladies were patronesses of a large reception given yesterday by the Society of the Friends of the Poor. Mme. S. Lelievre and Miss Frances Scott received the guests.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO

Dr. Louis de Lotbiniere Harwood, Montreal, 50 today.

'STATE BREAKFAST' GIVEN BY AMERICAN WOMEN'S CLUB

The social activities of the American Women's Club closed with a "State Breakfast" yesterday in the Rose Room of the Windsor Hotel. Each table was decorated to typify a particular state of the Union—pine cones being used for Maine, apple blossoms for Arkansas, buckeyes for Ohio, and so forth, and all present took their places according to the state from which they came. An orchestra played many of the patriotic airs, such as "Marching Through Georgia," "My Maryland," and "Old Kentucky Home" also various national selections, including "The Maple Leaf Forever." The menu also conformed to the general scheme of arrangements, and included California grape fruit, Louisiana gumbo, Saratoga chips, Florida pineapple and other "state" delicacies. The table for New York, which is the home state of the president, was one of the largest, and was centred by a lovely basket of American Beauty and small crimson roses. Seated on either side of Mrs. Waycott were Martin Gorman, the speaker of the day, and Mrs. Gorman. The American eagle, skilfully made in sugar was in evidence, on one side of the room, and some of the windows were draped with the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack.

Greetings from many states were read. Mrs. Waycott presenting those of Mrs. Percy Pennypacker, president of the Federation of Women's Clubs of the United States; and a telegram from the Governor of Maine tendered the greetings of that state. A group of songs, including "The Skylark," was pleasingly sung by Mrs. Griffith, whose accompaniments were played by Mrs. Hodgson.

The closing feature for the day was the address given by Mr. Gorman on the influence of women in moulding and keeping intact the spirit and ideals of the American confederacy. Never since the creation of the Universe had there been such days as are upon us in the present, the speaker claimed, in expressing his conviction that just as women's influence in the early days of the American nation, when even the states were given names with feminine endings, had been for the good of the nation, just so strong would it be should the day come when they might be forced to give up their nearest and dearest even as the women of their adopted country were doing, in defence of their ideals of right and justice.

GOOD PROGRAMS FOR CREATORE BAND

Program arrangements for the week's engagement of Creatore and his band at the Arena, commencing Monday, May 8, are now practically completed. The vocalist for the two first evenings, both of which are benefit performances for the Hervey Institute and the Irish Rangers respectively, is Miss Beatrice Fraser, the Montreal contralto, who will also be heard at the closing performance on Saturday. Merlin Davies, the Welsh tenor, now resident in this city, will be the singer on Wednesday. It is at present intended that Friday shall be the French night of the engagement, in which case the vocalist to be heard that evening will be Mlle. Grazielle Dumaine, the young Quebec soprano, who made her debut at the Barrere Woodwind Orchestra concert at His Majesty's a few months ago.

There will be no matinees, but six evening performances, with a large supply of cheap seats on all occasions. According to present arrangements Thursday is to be Italian night. On Saturday the band will give the 1812 Overture.

GIVE TWO PLAYS.

The dramatic section of St. Ann's Young Men's Society will present two one-act playlets at an entertainment to be given in St. Ann's Hall, May 6 and 8. These plays are "The Marble Arch," Edward Rose's comedy, and a farce, "The Manager."

ST. ANNE'S PILGRIMAGE.

St. Mary's parishioners will conduct a pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre June 17. They will leave on the ss. Montreal, returning on Monday, the 19th. The Rev. A. T. Walsh is making the arrangements.

IS PAST PRESIDENT.

In a story in yesterday's Star, E. McG. Quirk was called president of the St. Patrick's Society. The new president is Mr. Recorder G. H. Semple, elected to succeed Mr. Quirk a few weeks ago.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB.

The committee of the Women's Canadian Club announce to members who are unable to attend the tea at the Ritz-Carlton tomorrow, at 4:15, that seats will be reserved for them in the gallery.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS

Friday Morning.

Women's Art Society, Stevenson Hall, Art Causerie, 11.

Guy Drummond Chapter, I.O.D.E. Southam Building, 10.

Montreal Housewives' League, Y. W. C. A. Dorchester street, 10:30.

Afternoon

Board of Management of Montreal Presbyterial of the W.M.T., Lecture Hall, Crescent Church, 3.

Evening.

Y. W. C. A., 151 Fairmount avenue, west. All clubs, 8.

War Time Soldiers' Wives' Club, University Settlement Building, 8.

WOUNDED BUT ON DUTY



Major Eric McCuaig, reported in yesterday's casualty list.

MORE MONTREAL MEN MENTIONED IN CASUALTIES

Results of Recent Severe Fighting Seen in the Latest Lists

Many of the Montreal soldiers reported as either killed or wounded, are men who went over with the first contingent in September, 1914, and who escaped injuries, although in a great deal of the severe fighting. The others went out during the past twelve months, and letters recently received from them indicate that at the end of March and the beginning of this month they were in the thick of it.

Corp. S. Turmaine.

Corpl. Simeon Turmaine, son of N. Turmaine, of 286 Garnier street, enlisted the month after the war began. On April 15 his father received a letter in which he said he was lucky to escape being wounded up to the time of writing. The day following he was killed in action.

Pte. A. Mavor.

Pte. Alec. Mavor, of 271 Gertrude street, Verdun, had a premonition that something mishap happen for he wrote home on April 7 that they were in a hot corner and he didn't know how they were going to get out of it. He was apparently wounded then, for he died of wounds on April 11. He was 24 years of age and a member of the Grand Trunk Boating Club. He was a member of the Y. M. C. A. and the Verdun Methodist Church. His brother, Corpl. Herbert Mavor, is also on active service.

Pte. G. Gauthier.

No news had been received of Pte. Gilbert Gauthier for four months until yesterday, when his brother, Edgar Gauthier, of 810 Henri Julien street, received a telegram announcing that he had been killed in action. He had been in the trenches for seven months and was 31 years of age. He was a tailor.

Pte. A. Crossman.

Pte. Albert Crossman, who is the son of Mrs. L. Crossman, of 202 Mountain street, has been admitted to No. 1 Canadian General Hospital at Etaples. He is 21 years of age and enlisted in Toronto.

Pte. G. C. Norman.

Pte. George C. Norman, reported wounded, has written several letters to his mother at 11 Coursol street, but she is not known there, and the letters have been returned to the postal authorities. The telegram announcing his wounds has also arrived there, and probably Mrs. Norman does not yet know of her son's wounding by shrapnel. He was in Bramshott Hospital.

Pte. W. McCormack.

Pte. William McCormack, a brother of James McCormack, of 245 St. Martin street, and of Pte. Michael McCormack, of the Irish Canadian Rangers, has been admitted to the hospital at Camiers, seriously wounded in the shoulder and lung. He has been at the front over a year.

Pte. L. Delisle.

Losing the sight of an eye three months ago, Pte. Louis Delisle was evidently determined to get back into action, for he is now reported as being wounded by a gunshot in the knee and in No. 18 General Hospital at Camiers. His wife and two children live at 138a Delisle street, and he formerly worked in the Grand Trunk shops.

Pte. E. Cardinal.

Pte. Emile Cardinal, the son of Lucas Cardinal, of 690a Papineau avenue, is in No. 1 Canadian General Hospital at Etaples suffering from gunshot wounds in both feet. He is nineteen years of age and was born at Valleyfield.

Pte. R. Lafond.

Pte. Rodolphe Lafond, who is in No. 13 Stationary Hospital, Boulogne, has a gunshot wound in the back. He is 20 years old and is a brother of Pte. Henri Lafond, who has been invalided home with shrapnel in the hip. Pte. Lafond was at a listening post on April 8 when his next door neighbor in Montreal, Pte. Beaupre, was killed by his side.

Pte. H. Cochrane.

Pte. Harry Cochrane, son of Pte. H. Cochrane, of the Composite Regiment, and of 1404 Clarke street, has been admitted to No. 14 Stationary Hospital at Wimereux with gunshot wound in the face. He has three brothers on active service.

HERE and THERE

C. H. Luquin, editor of the Colonist, and a former New Brunswicker, has been elected president of the Victoria, B.C., Board of Trade.

There are twelve lady clerks attached to the headquarters of the 3rd District (Kingston, Ont.), and they will go to camp with the staff at Barriefield.

A campaign for recruiting for the navy is having wonderful success in the south and west of Ireland, naval service being apparently more popular there than military.

California has a Japanese population of 60,000, according to an estimate made by the Japanese Consul-General at San Francisco.

A Jacksonville, Fla., man, on a visit to New York, made a bet that if he tried to sell $10 bills for $1 he would not find purchasers. He won his bet, but was arrested for creating a blockade. He did not get a single bidder although the $10 bills were genuine.

REV. FR. McSHANE HOLDS FIGHTERS' IS HOLY CALLING

Montreal Cleric Makes Eloquent Appeal to All Young Canadians

Reverend Father Gerald McShane of St. Patrick's Church has a high conception of the duty of the young man to his country. His belief is summed up as follows:

"I will not undertake to say to any individual young man, singling him out specially "Go, my boy! It is your duty. There may be obligations and claims of a still higher order with which I am not acquainted. But I will say that Canada and the preservation of Canadian privileges has a positive claim upon the services of every fit and free young man; that there is a call and a Mission of a character and of a nature so sacred, that no man can stifle it in his heart can leave it unheeded.

"I regard the soldier's profession as a real vocation. I regard the entrance into that profession as a call as sacred and as God-inspired as the call to any particular career or avocation in life; and as there is no feeling of the human soul so pure and sublime as love of country, as there is no act of man so noble as that of dying for his country so there is no calling or profession so grand and so worthy of admiration as the mission of the soldier who fights for his country.

"Some day, young men who are listening to me, that call will resound in your ears, and it will be as clear and distinct and as unmistakable as your father or mother's voice. Once you hear it, there is no human influence that can hold you back. That voice, that call, has been heard by many a young man of your acquaintance, nay of your very close and intimate kinship, and the very best of our youth and the finest types of our Canadian manhood have already generously responded.

THE CALL MAY COME.

"That call may come to you, young men, tonight, as you gather around this platform and listen to the leaders of thought in this country, the most sincere and unimpassioned men of our people. It may come to you on the street, as our gallant Rangers march by, and the sound of their bugles awakens in the recesses of your hearts yearnings and generous desires that you never experienced before.

"It may come to you in the silence of the night when hour after hour passes by, and you wonder what it is that drives the needed refreshing sleep from your heavy, drooping eyelids.

"It may come to you in the midst of that pure, serene atmosphere of the sanctuary of your home, where the sweet family ties that bind you to your loved ones never seemed so strong or so soothing to your heart.

"No matter how or when that voice is heard, let me say, in the beautiful words of Holy Scripture, which we can afford to apply here without any profanation or straining of their meaning:

"If today you should hear that voice, do not harden your hearts.

"Do not turn away and try to drown that voice by the excitement of a pleasurable, sensual life, or by the arguments and reasonings of an unbalanced attachment for your home and for your kith and kin.

"If today you should hear that voice, do not harden your hearts. If today you should hear that voice, do not, in the name of God, in the name of your country, do not harden your hearts.

SACRED CONCERT

The choir of Sherbrooke Street Church gave a sacred concert last night, repeating the major portion of the Easter music. The classics was assisted by W. J. Gittus, tenor, John Legassick, bass; and Miss Mabel Mattice, elocutionist. Mrs. Otis, soprano soloist and Mrs. Saberton, contralto soloist, of the choir also contributed special numbers. The solo by the organist Mr. Markland, was much appreciated.

Afterwards Mrs. Otis was presented, on behalf of the choir, with a Canadian flag on the occasion of her departure for a time to the United States.

PLAY SHAKESPEARE

The J. Wilfrid Wilkinson Associate Players will give scenes from "The Merchant of Venice" and "Hamlet." Tomorrow Leslie Palmer, formerly with Sir Henry Irving, Cyril Maude and Martin Harvey will play Shylock. Others taking part are the Misses Pearl Stroud, Clare Wilkinson and Pauline Chambers, the Messrs: J. W. Wilkinson, Gerard Inwood, R. Kenyon, S. Kenyon and Basil Q. Austin. This performance will be given in Victoria Hall, Westmount, at 8:15.

CHATEAU DE RAMEZAY.

The monthly meeting of the Antiquarian and Numismatic Society will take place at the Chateau de Ramezay, tomorrow evening, at 8. John Boyd, will read a paper on "Thomas Storrow Brown and the Quebec Rising of 1837—Some new historical data."

TALK ON "JUSTICE."

The lecture-recital in the Baron de Hirsch Institute this evening under the auspices of the Baron de Hirsch Book Club, by David Dainow on "Justice," a tragedy by John Galsworthy, will be open to the public. S. W. Jacobs, K.C., will preside.

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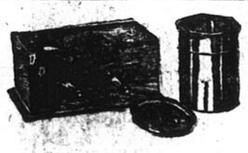
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WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

Allies hold their ground and repulse Germans at Ypres. British and French troops make good their footing on the Gallipoli Peninsula. The French armored cruiser Leon Gambetta torpedoed by an Austrian submarine in Strait of Otranto and nearly seven hundred lives lost.

BRITISH MAIL

A British mail via the Canadian route, for parcel post and newspapers only, will close tomorrow. Mail via New York and the French line of steamers close at the same time. Parcels are forwarded by the Canadian route only.

COL. CARNEGIE TAKES WHOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FUSE CONTRACTS

Admits British Consul-General Urged None Be Placed Until He Had Been Consulted—Apologizes for "Holding Out Hopes to Canadian Firms"—On Stand All Day

Special to The Montreal Star by Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA April 27. — Col. David Carnegie "took the whole responsibility" for recommending the placing of the fuse contracts for Canada in the United States, in the course of his testimony before the Meredith-Duff Commission today, even admitting that action was in some cases at least taken in violation of the explicit advice of the British Consul-General in New York.

Resuming his evidence this afternoon, he continued his explanation of the matter in which the contracts came to be awarded.

Col. Carnegie was on the stand all the morning and from present indications will be for the rest of the week. This morning he admitted having promised an order to the Canadian firms and said he apologized to them for holding out hopes, but "they took it very well". They were consoled with the prospect that further orders might be placed.

The examination by Mr. Hellmuth, K. C., is very thorough and suggests a wide field for cross-examination.

COL. CARNEGIE VOLUBLE WITNESS.

Col. Carnegie is a voluble witness. He rarely answers yes or no, but is wont to give lengthy explanations, some of it by way of comment. He speaks with the accent of an Old Countryman.

All the prominent people in interest are in attendance.

Gen. Hughes is there, following the proceedings closely, but making little comment. He sits with his counsel, Messrs. Nesbitt and Ewart.

John Wesley Allison sits up against the wall. Now and then this morning he went over to the lawyers' enclosure and spoke to Gen. Hughes. The Colonel is one of the most unperturbed gentlemen in the room.

Scores of members of Parliament are watching developments, while an array of fifteen lawyers indicates formidable examination and lengthy proceedings. A battery of stenographers are turning out the evidence, which is being printed daily at the Government Bureau, but the presiding Judges are themselves taking notes of the more outstanding points.

The fuse business is decidedly technical. The explanation of the technique of manufacture and the production and reading of voluminous correspondence tend to protract the examination.

At no time, however, has interest been lacking, and on numerous occasions this morning, when vital points were being brought out, profound silence prevailed.

So far Mr. Hellmuth, K. C., has had all the say from among the lawyers. Interesting as has been the examination, the cross-examination of Col. Carnegie will be more so, it is expected.

RUSSELLS EXPECTED MORE CONTRACTS

When the afternoon sitting opened Mr. Johnston raised the question of the summoning and payment of witnesses.

Sir William Meredith remarked that no doubt money would be available for reasonable expenses for witnesses.

Mr. Hellmuth read two letters from T. A. Russell, dated May 29, asking for further information as to the specifications for fuses.

Mr. Hellmuth—Reading these two letters, it occurs to one naturally that the Russell people were still looking forward to some contracts for No. 80 fuses. Can you give us any explanation as to this?—Yes, we were proposing to call upon the War Office for another order, if possible for fuses only.

Here a cable to the War Office, dated May 30, was read, wanting to know if the Shell Committee could give another order for 2,000,000 No. 80 fuses at $4.68. "Can we proceed:" the cable concluded. The War Office replied, "Not for the present."

MORE LETTERS OFFERED.

Another batch of letters was presented by Mr. Hellmuth, K.C., on May 31. There was one from Col. Carnegie to Gen. Drain, attorney, of Washington, promising to forward drawings and specifications for fuses.

The same day a letter dictated by Col. Carneige and signed by Gen. Bertram was sent to the Russell Company in answer to one of the 29th. It stated that if the company could find a product of brass to give the physical qualities required, there was no reason why it should be refused.

On June 1 Mr. Russell was advised that the War Office was not considering at that time the manufacture of time fuses, but was considering making fuse No. 100.

On June 1, Mr. Russell wrote the Shell Committee urging an appointment with Messrs. Carnegie and Bertram for Thursday. Mr. Russell said he "was anxious to get something closed," and added that the "plans were advanced and the company was anxious to get started right away if at all possible."

WAS DISTINCT DISAPPOINTMENT.

This letter was answered on June 2, as follows: "We have definite information that War Office want no more time fuses. Are sending sample of fuse cover in case more fuses needed later."

On June 7, Mr. Russell wrote to Gen. Bertram: "It was a distinct disappointment in view of what had taken place." The company had made preparation to make fuses in Canada as result of conferences they had had before, especially as it had been "definitely arranged to hold an order of between 1,000,000 and 2,000,000 fuses for us."

The letter went on to say that Col. Carnegie had told them that the order could not be held open indefinitely. The company had telegraphed that the fuse matter had been well advanced, experts had been obtained and the work was to be done in Canada.

Then, when they were ready to submit plans, Col. Carnegie wired them to defer their visit, but Mr. Lloyd Harris and Mr. Russell left for Ottawa and arrived on May 26.

"To our utter amazement," said the letter, "we found the whole order had been placed with two United States firms and at higher prices."

Regarding the No. 100 fuses the company "didn't want to be stung again," and after making all plans for manufacturing these not to get an order.

"Can you give us any idea when we can get this to submit a proposition and also count on getting the order?" continued the writer.

It was explained that the Russell Motor Car Company got none of the 5,000,000 shell order because "the order had been already placed."

Contract Placed Before Russell Message Arrived

Mr. Hellmuth wanted to know just when the order had been placed.

In reply to Mr. Hellmuth, Col. Carsaid that on the 25th the Shell Committee had definitely decided to place an order with Mr. Harris for the remaining 2,500,000 fuses.

Mr. Hellmuth—In regard to Bassick, you had on the 21st, if my recollection is correct, given him an order, and on the 25th Gen. Bertram telephoned and amended that order to 2,500,000. Can you say whether when you were telephoned and when you sent that order, whether at that time you had received the telegram from Russell?—So far as I recollect we had not received the telegram from Russell.

Col. Carnegie was closely questioned as to the procedure in the office of the Shell Committee of dealing with letters sent and received. He could not say if there was what is known as a "mail book," a record of all letters sent and received.

"Where were the papers kept in the office?" Mr. Hellmuth asked.

"Now you tax me somewhat," Col. Carnegie replied, "because our office was like a snowball, growing all the time."

In regard to his letters, Col. Carnegie said they would be opened by the office unless addressed to Col. Carnegie personally.

Mr. Hellmuth—Who opened them?—There was a man in the office who opened all letters.

Gen. Bertram—His name was Matt.

Dealing with the coincident of the detailed Russell proposition arriving the same day that the order was placed in New York, Mr. Hellmuth asked if the Shell Committee had any stamp to show the time when the letters were received.

"No," said the witness.

MILITIA MINISTER WILLING.

The committee on June 9 wrote to the Russell-Harris combination, holding out the prospect of a small order. It read:

"Since writing you we had the opportunity of meeting the Minister of Militia, who is quite willing that an order for 200,000 fuses be placed in Canada. If you are able to [illegible] the work we are quite willing to place an order with you. The [illegible] would be required."

Mr. Hellmuth—You say the Minister of Militia would be quite willing that an order for 200,000 fuses be placed in Canada?—Yes.

Placed for who?—The British Government.

Had you at that time any order from the British Government?—No, sir.

LETTER BASED ON SPECULATION.

May I say your letter was somewhat based on speculation?—Purely speculation. May I explain the disappointment of Messrs. Harris and Russell we felt very keenly. We told them we regretted we had gone back on our word, but that we were under pressure, owing to the urgency of the matter. We had a surplus on our contracts. We discussed the matter with the Minister of Militia. We said we would like to start something, to place some order in Canada and we asked, would be agree. With that he agreed and the letter was written. The letter, evidently, was not satisfactory.

Mr. Hellmuth produced then a telegram from Dr. J. A. Harris, of the International Arms Company, asking Col. Carnegie to arrange for passes for a Mr. Graham to visit Woolwich arsenal to get dies and drawings of machinery for the loading of fuse No. 80. This arrangement was made with "Troopers" by cable.

Then, on June 15, a letter was received from James A. Drain, complaining that no specifications or drawing of time fuses had been sent them, although they had been promised two weeks ago during an interview in Ottawa. He hoped to get the required things soon. The company had the ability to make these and time fuses and the writer hoped his clients would get the order soon.

The Russell-Hallis interests wrote back on June 11, stating that the letter of Gen. Bertram, which was referred to in the letter of June 9, had never been received. They added: "We regrtt that you are only considering an order for 200,000. The plant would involve an outlay of $150,000, which would not be justified by such an order." The writer went on to say that he "would be ready to submit a proposal on the 100 fuse."

HELD OU THOPE TO RUSSELL.

Col. Carnegie told of his visit to Toronto to discuss the No. 100 fuse contract with Russell.

Mr. Hellmuth—Did you come to any understanding with them at that time in regard to the No. 100 fuse?—No, there was no arrangement at that time.

Did you discuss it?—Yes.

Did you hold out any hope that they would get an order for the No. 100 fuse?—Oh, yes

Was anything said in regard to what quantity of No. 100 fuse you would be able to give?—I cannot say; I don't recollect the detail. It is something like nine months ago, and I should have to consult my notes.

Can you tell me if there was any discussion of time fuses and as to furi[illegible] you[illegible]

IRISH LEADERS IN COMMONS DENOUNCE REBELS IN DUBLIN

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, April 27.—In the course of a speech in the House of Commons today concerning the situation in Ireland, Sir Edward Carson said:

"I feel quite satisfied with the statement of the Prime Minister. I will gladly join with Mr. Redmond in everything that can be done to denounce and put down these rebels now and for evermore.

"I hope the newspapers will not try, during a war of such a character as we are engaged in, to bring about dissension of a political character in relation to the Irish question."

Sir Edward's remarks were greeted with cheers. He was followed by Mr. Redmond, who said:

"May I say a word—although I really think it is scarcely necessary. Perhaps I ought to give expression, on behalf of my colleagues of the Nationalist party here and, as I believe, of the overwhelming majority of the people of Ireland, to the feeling of detestation and horror with which we have regarded these proceedings.

"I join most cordially with Sir Edward Carson in hoping that no set of newspapers or public men in this country will attempt to use what has happened in Ireland as a political weapon against any party that may exist."

HOUSE OF COMMONS REJECTS ARMY BILL EXTENDING SERVICE

Government Plans to Enlist Every Unmarried Man Between 18 and 41—Compulsion for All Much Fairer, Declares Sir Edward Carson

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, April 27, 4:05 p.m.—A Bill providing for extension of military service was introduced in the House of Commons today, but it aroused such a degree of opposition that the Government announced it would not press the measure.

Walter Hume Long, President of the Local Government Board, placed the Bill before the House, saying that it was the intention of the Government to enlist every unmarried man between the ages of 18 and 41. He said that one month would be allowed before the Bill, if passed, went into effect.

The measure met with severe criticism from all sections of the House. Premier Asquith announced that in view of this feeling the Government would not press the Bill.

Sir Edward Carson denounced the Bill introduced by Mr. Long as unfair. He was particularly opposed to the clause extending the service of men on the expiration of the periods for which they enlisted. Compulsion for all, he declared, was much fairer.

Stephen Walsh, Labor member, caused the House to break out in cheers by demanding immediate introduction of a measure for general compulsion if the military situation demanded it.

Compulsory military service for single men was provided for in a Bill passed in January. The application of the measure has been limited, however, by the existence of many classes of exemptions.

FINAL SPORTING NEWS 6 O'CLOCK STAR EXTRA

During the summer sporting season The Star will issue a final sports extra at 6 p.m., giving the latest results in baseball, racing, etc., together with all the latest news.

SHARP UPTURN IN RAILWAY ISSUES MARKET FEATURE

Special to The Montreal Star by United Press.

NEW YORK, April 27.—The New York Evening Sun financial review today said:

The recovery in prices which was interrupted by Tuesday's heavy profit taking and yesterday's reaction was resumed in Wall street this morning and made satisfactory progress, the feature being a sharp upturn in the standard railway issues.

The advance in the rails, which extended from 1 1-2 to two points or more, was the most substantial that has taken place in many months and was naturally a feature of favorable comment. Whether it has anything more than a professional backing at this time, however, remains to be seen.

Railway earnings, of course, have made a remarkably favorable showing of late and the tangible evidence of improving conditions must have appealed to many investors who would not hazard a nickel upon munition shares and industrial specialties.

And in addition the group was especially favored today by the dividend action on Norfolk and Western yesterday and by an excellent March statement of the Union Pacific system, which reported increases of $[illegible],457,000 in gross and $1,582,000 in net earnings.

Business was upon a scale of well sustained activity, but so far as one could determine from an outward observation the dealings were largely professional, and they are likely to continue so until the uncertainties surrounding our relations with Germany and Mexico are definitely removed.

There was nothing official to base upon either of these important questions during the session, but speculative sentiment, was optimistically disposed.

Elsewhere than among the railroad issues prices recovered substantially, and U.S. Steel moved up a point and more.

the attitude that Russell had taken in regard to the order for 200,000 being entirely impossible, in view of the expense there would be in equipping a factory to deal with them?—I presume so; I should have to consult my notes.

(See also Pages 5 and 8.)

DUBLIN DISTURBANCES EFFECTUALLY QUELLED, SAYS DROGHEDA STORY

Disorder Only in Isolated Places—All Quiet Towards North—British Submarine Sunk in North Sea—Russian Aviators Drop Bombs on Constantinople—French Repulse Attacks

By Canadian Press.

DROGHEDA, Ireland, April 27, 5:55 p.m.—The disturbances in Dublin are being quelled effectively. Only in isolated places is there any disorder. All is quiet here and in the surrounding districts. No Dublin newspapers have arrived here since Monday.

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, April 27.—War risk insurance has been advanced one-half of one per cent on all vessels to and from the West coast of the United Kingdom. The rate between Liverpool and New York is now three per cent.

BRITISH SUBMARINE IS SUNK

Special Star Cable by United Press.

LONDON, April 27. — The British submarine E-22 has been sunk in the North Sea, the Admiralty announced this afternoon. Only two of her crew were saved.

The E-22 was a submarine built from an Admiralty design. She carried four torpedo tubes, had a surface speed of sixteen knots and a submerged speed of ten knots, and her full complement was sixteen men. Fourteen lives have been lost with her sinking.

A Havas despatch from Athens says it is reliably stated there that two Russian hydro-aeroplanes operated over Constantinople on Monday night.

A German aeroplane flew over the island of Imbros, in the Aegean Sea, yesterday, throwing bombs at the lighthouse on Point Kephalos. No serious damage was caused, however.

Special Star Cable by United Press.

PARIS, April 27.—Following an intense bombardment on a front extending from Avocourt to Pepper Heights, north of Verdun, a small force of Germans last night attempted to attack. The War Office announced today that the enemy was immediately stopped by French curtain fire.

Though there have been reports of increasing activity on the Vosges front and at the extreme south-eastern end of the battle line, no important engagements occurred in those sectors last night.

A German reconnaissance attempted to reach French positions east of Le Mesnil, in Lorraine, but was quickly dispersed.

North of the Aisne, German patrols were repulsed in grenade fighting. A French aeroplane shot down a German, who fell in Spincourt forest.

The text of the statement follows:

"North of the Aisne several German patrols were repulsed with hand grenades.

"In the region of Verdun there was an intense bombardment of the redoubt of Avocourt and of our organizations on the Cote du Poivre.

"A small enemy attack directed upon an element of our trenches to the north of the Vaux fort was immediately stopped by our curtains of fire.

"In Lorraine we dispersed a German reconnoitering party which attempted to reach our position to the east of Le Mesnil.

"On the rest of the front there was no event of importance to report beyond the usual cannonading."

(Continued on Page 4.)

MASQUERADER IN AT HAVRE DE GRAVE

HAVRE DE GRACE, April 27.—First race, for three-year-olds and up, selling, five and a half furlongs—The Masquerader, 126, Butwell, $4, $3.10 and $2.80, won; Humiliation, 130, Ball, $2.90 and $2.60, second; Lost Fortune, 108, Anderson, $3.20, third.

Time, 1:10 3-5.

King Tuscan, Bendel, In and Out, Scottish Knight and Fred Levy also ran.

Second race — Steeplechase, for three-year-olds and up, two miles—Lady Butterfly, 135, Stevenson, $6.50, $3.00 and $2.50, won; Jack Winston, 137, Allen, $2.90 and $2.80, second; Aviator, 145, Brown, $2.00, third.

Time, 4:27 2-5.

Pied Piper and Royal also ran.

Third race, for three-year-olds and up, selling, handicap, one mile and seventy yards—Brave Cunarder, 105, Gerson, out, third.

J. McTaggart, $13.20, $3.90 and [illegible] first, won; Redland, 109, Farrington, $2.80, out, second; Harbard, 102, Anderson, out, third.

Time, 1:48 2-5.

Star Gaze also ran.

LEXINGTON FIRST TO WATERBLOSSOM

LEXINGTON, April 27—First race, Inaugural dash, the Raceland purse, five and a half furlongs—Water Blossom, 110, Martin, $3.30 and $2.90 and $2.20, won; Ed. Howard, 103, Kederis, $5.50 and $2.90, second; Mars Cassidy, 106, Cooper, $3.10, third.

Time, 1:09.

Bars and Stars, Amazon M., Burt Thurman, Sanward and Chalmers also ran.

VOTE MILLION FOR LOANS TO FARMERS

VICTORIA, April 27.—A $1,000,000 appropriation for loans to farmers was voted by the Agricultural Credits Commission at its first meeting here yesterday afternoon.



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U. S. REPLIES TO BRITISH NOTE ON GERMANS SEIZED

Special to The Montreal Star by United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The State Department has despatched a reply to England's note defending her right to seize Germans from the American liner China. The answer is understood to take issue with the British contention that the seized men were German plotters, and potentially, at least, enemies of Great Britain. The note is believed to contain a request for release of the Germans.

Japan's demands are said to be completely met in an amendment to the Burnett Immigration Bill, which a majority of the members of the Senate Immigrations Committee agreed to today.

Only an informal meeting was held, with Democrats present. It is expected the full committee will meet early next week and confirm today's action.

HUSBAND DROWNED FROM LUSITANIA; SEEKS $750,000

Special to The Montreal Star by the United Press.

NEW YORK, Apl. 27—A judge and jury in the Federal Court here will be called upon to fix responsibility for the sinking of the Lusitania and the resulting loss of life and property, by virtue of a damage suit filed today.

In the suit Mrs. Mae Davies Hopkins, widow of Albert Lloyd Hopkins, who was drowned when the Lusitania sank, asks $750,000 damages of the Cunard Company, aliesing the company was solely responsible for the sinking of the ship.

Hopkins, at the time of his death was president of the Newport News Steamship Company. Mrs. Hopkins alleges that the Lusitania was deliberately sailed into the war zone proclaimed by the Germans, and that she was operated at a low rate of speed, making her a comparatively easy victim of torpedoes.

LEGISLATURE OF ONTARIO PROVINCE PROROGUED TODAY

By Canadian Press.

TORONTO, April 27.—The Ontario Legislature was formally prorogued this afternoon. The Lieutenant-Governor, Sir John S. Hendrie, was escorted to the Parliament Buildings by a mounted guard from the Royal Canadian Dragoons, and was received at the entrance by a picked guard from the 95th Battalion. A salute was fired by the 48th Depot Battery under command of Capt. W. J. S. Hendrie, Sir John's son.

The Lieutenant-Governor's prorogation speech referred in some detail to the legislation passed during the session, including the re-enactment of the war tax, the establishment of the Soldiers' Aid Commission, the Ontario Temperance Act, which prohibits the sale of intoxicating beverages, and measures regarding electric power development, the settlement of northern Ontario and the improvement of public highways.

LIBERALS NOT AGITATED OVER REPORTED SPLIT

Feel Confident That Hon. J. L. Decarie Will Win Maisonneuve

ALD. W. J. HUSHION IS CHOSEN IN ST. ANN'S

Other Candidates to the Fore—List of Returning Officers

In the face of the declaration that the reported split among Liberals in Maisonneuve has been aggravated by one faction selecting Mayor Levie Tremblay to oppose the Hon. J. L. Decarie for the provincial seat, Liberal leaders have expressed the quiet conviction that in the end Mr. Decarie will triumph.

"We know very little of the supposed division," says one prominent Liberal, "but we understand that a number of meetings have been arranged, and we expect that at these Mr. Decarie's candidature will be endorsed. We think that in the end he will secure the greater support."

Clement Robillard, retiring Liberal deputy for St. James, has definitely decided to run for re-election, it is announced.

Conservative headquarters are highly jubilant at special reports from agents who declare that throughout the Eastern Townships the prospects of the party are exceedingly bright, good candidates being mentioned and backed with unanimity.

Dates of conventions are being completed. Today St. Hyacinthe chooses a candidate, the names of A. Amyot and Felix Desrochers being mentioned as aspirants. Berthier holds its meeting today. In Wolfe county, too, Conservative leaders gather, the name of A. Benvenu being prominent. Maskinonge convention will be held Monday next.

Sherbrooke Conservatives are trying to have M. O'Bradie run as their candidate, while in Megantic, E. Carreau is being much talked of. Labelle county Conservatives yesterday decided that Dr. Beaunne, of Cheneville, should be their choice. His decision is awaited.

ALD. HUSHION CHOSEN.

Ald. W. J. Hushion, City Council representative for St. Joseph ward, is the Liberal candidate for St. Ann's division, decision to this effect having been reached at the Liberal convention held last night in St. Ann's Hall, under the presidency of J. Killoran.

The choice was unanimous. J. Wheeler had been put forward as a possible candidate, but his name was withdrawn and the meeting went solidly for Ald. Hushion, promises of strong support from the electorate being given by Dan Gallery and M. J. Walsh, whose candidature was also talked of, and by the Hon. J. C. Kaine on behalf of the Gouin forces.

Several speakers addressed the convention. Mr. Kaine took off his gloves to deal with Denis Tansey, declaring it ill-befitted the division to have him as its representative at Quebec. The Hon. Walter Mitchell gave a ten-minute review of the Gouin Government's work and policy and the candidate briefly thanked the convention for its choice. J. C. Walsh, K.C., M. J. Walsh, Dr. J. T. Finnie, Dan Gallery, and J. Dillon also spoke.

In Dorion, Ald. G. Mayrand, City Council Representative for Delorimier, has received the Liberal nomination for re-election, the convention being held last night in the Academie des Saints Anges, St. Joseph boulevard and De Lanaudiere street. After the meeting, Emile Depocas announced that he was dissatisfied with the conduct of the meeting and the manner of voting; he would not abide by the convention's decision and would continue in the campaign as an independent Liberal.

THREE-CORNERED.

This is one of the three instances in which three-cornered contests are said to be assured. In Laprairie, Dr. Lefebvre is determined to go to the people as a Liberal, although the Liberal convention a few days ago chose Wilfrid Cedilot as candidate. In Beauharnois, where E. A. Robert, retiring Liberal deputy, was nominated for re-election, Achille Bergevin, former member of the Legislative Council, is to contest the county as a Liberal against the official party candidate and Tancrede Fortin, Conservative choice.

St. Lawrence division remains an enigma. Reports that an English-speaking Protestant is to represent Conservatives have been followed by the proposal that John Boyd be a candidate. At the same time, another Hebrew candidate appears in the person of Harry A. Wolfe, who has been asked to run and will await the decision of the convention.

OTHER CANDIDATES.

Candidates are being selected daily. Chambly has nominated Dr. Desaulniers for re-election on the Liberal side; in Huntingdon, Andrew Philips, retiring Liberal, is to run again as the official choice; Richelieu Conservatives are running G. Magnon, of Sorel, as their candidate; Matane Conservatives will oppose the Liberal with E. Desrosiers; Champlain Liberals have chosen Dr. H. Bordeleau, of Ste. Thecle to oppose the retiring Conservative. Liberals of Berthier are anxious that J. Lafontaine should represent them, while in Terrebonne, Liberals would like to see Athanase David, K.C., of Montreal, a candidate. In Jacques Cartier it is now said that J. A. Leclaire may run for the Liberals against Mr. Cousineau, Opposition leader.

Conservative conventions are to be held at Lemieuville, Maskinonge county, next Monday; Jacques Cartier Liberals will make their choice on May 4 at Lachine, the Vercheres Liberal convention will take place at Vercheres on May 2.

RETURNING OFFICERS.

Returning officers for divisions on the Island of Montreal are:

Jacques Cartier — Amedee Chaquet, registrar.

Maisonneuve — G. A. Lacombe, registrar.

Dorion — J. Alonzo Savard, insurance agent.

Hochelaga — J. Hercule Belard, collector.

Laurier — Rodrigue Valiquette, insurance agent.

St. Ann's — John Taugher, merchant.

St. Mary's — Emery Lalonde, registrar.

St. George's — John P. Dixon, agent.

St. James — C. A. Morrison, advocate.

St. Lawrence — Edward Earl, sculptor.

St. Louis — Pierre Leduc, druggist.

Westmount — N. McNaughton, broker, Westmount.

Laval — P. Longpre, registrar, St. Rose.

PROMINENT LAWYER DIED YESTERDAY



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KENNETH MACPHERSON

Lawyer, Artist, Musician and Public Spirited Citizen

The funeral of the late Kenneth R. Macpherson, K.C., who died from pneumonia yesterday afternoon at his residence, 229 Stanley street, will take place from St. Paul's Church on Friday at 2.30 p.m., to Mount Royal Cemetery.

In the death of Mr. Macpherson, the Montreal Bar loses one of its most prominent members and the city at large one of its most respected and accomplished residents, well known as artist, musician, and public spirited citizen.

Mr. Macpherson had been ill for twelve days. The last case in which he appeared was the arbitration between the Lachine, Jacques Cartier and Maisonneuve Railway Company and the Molson Estate. The arbitrators sat in the Grand Trunk offices, and Mr. Macpherson conducted the case for the Molson Estate. He pleaded for a whole day on that occasion, though then suffering from a very bad cold.

His last appearance in court was made shortly before this, when the Hudson's Bay Company contested, before the Superior Court, the jurisdiction of the police magistrate concerning the seizure of beaver skins traded with the company by the Indians during the close season. Mr. Macpherson's argument was that the Indians had the inherent right to trade in furs at all seasons.

CAREER AT THE BAR.

Mr. Macpherson was the second son of the late Alexander Macpherson, in his lifetime a prominent citizen of Montreal, and was born in this city on February 19, 1861. He received his education at the Montreal High School and at McGill University, graduating with honors in Arts and later in Law. He was admitted to the Bar in 1885, and became a member of the firm of Dunlop, Lyman and Macpherson, the senior member of which is now Mr. Justice Dunlop, of the Superior and Admiralty Courts. In 1903 he became a member of the firm now practicing as Meredith, Macpherson, Hague, Holden, Shaughnessy and Heward.

Mr. Macpherson did not often appear in court, but when he did, the case was certain to be an important one. He took his profession seriously, and was known for absolute thoroughness in every case upon which he was engaged.

ARTIST AND MUSICIAN.

Apart from his profession, Mr. Macpherson was well known in art and musical circles, and was himself a painter and a musician of recognized ability. His paintings have been admired at the Spring Exhibitions of the Montreal Art Association, at which he was a regular exhibitor, and also at the Exhibitions of the Royal Canadian Academy. His work had also been seen at the Paris Salon. One fine oil painting of his, he donated to the Canadian Artists' Patriotic Fund Exhibition.

Mr. Macpherson was a prominent and popular figure in the social life of Montreal. He was a member of the Mount Royal Club, of the St. James's Club, the Montreal Club, and of the Royal Montreal Golf Club. He was president of the Arts Club of Montreal and a member of the Pen and Pencil Club.

In his earlier days he took an active part in football, and later in golf, and in both of these pastimes he made a name for himself.

Mr. Macpherson was a widower, his wife, who was Miss Elliott, a New York lady, having died about ten years ago. Two brothers and two sisters survive him, namely, A. Gordon Macpherson, of Montreal, and Graham B. Macpherson, of New York; and Mrs. Walter L. Jamieson, and Mrs. T. H. Prissick, both of this city. He had many warm friends by whom he will be greatly missed as a genial, warm hearted companion, while his death is a distinct loss to the city.

FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. PHILIP LYNCH

The funeral of the late Mrs. Philip Lynch was held from the Home for Incurables, Notre Dame de Grace.

Mrs. Lynch was born in Montreal seventy-nine years ago and spent her life in this city. Her husband, who was associated with Davis Bros. in the construction of the chain of canals along the St. Lawrence, died in 1898.

Mrs. Lynch is survived by two children, Henry M. Lynch of Woonsocket, R. I., and the Rev. Mary Philip for the past six years superior of Mount St. Michael's School.

MISS DIADEM BELL IS VISITING CITY

Miss Diadem Bell, of the Canadian Congregational Mission, at Chisamba, West Central Africa, is here for the meeting of the C.C.W.B.M. (Quebec Branch) at Emmanuel Church today and Friday. A reception will be given for Miss Bell at 4:30 this afternoon, in the ladies' parlor. After these meetings, Miss Bell will visit churches in the Eastern Townships. Miss Bell is the guest of Mrs. F. W. Reid, 2049 Waverley street.

MRS. R. B. MURRAY BETTER.

Mrs R. B. Murray, who was struck by a street car over a week ago, is now out of danger, and although still suffering from shock, is expected to be convalescent in a week or so.

EUCHRE PUT OFF.

The euchre and entertainment of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association which was to have been held tomorrow, has been postponed until further notice.

AIDS THE RED CROSS.

The peace Centennial School staff and pupils have sent in $50 to the Canadian Red Cross Society. This sum was realized at a concert.

THE SOCIAL WORLD

Luncheon for Mrs. Smart.

Mrs. C. A. Smart, who is sailing early in May for England, to join Lieut.-Col. Smart, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given yesterday in Victoria Hall, by the executive committee of the Westmount Soldiers' Wives League. Flags predominated in the decorations, with daffodils and narcissi arranged on the table. Mrs. William Rutherford, president of the League, presided, and the others present beside Mrs. Smart were Mrs. Gallow Brown, Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. A. Thomson, Mrs. G. C. S. Wallace, Mrs. Sydney Phillips, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Alex Wright, Miss Jamieson, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Chaplin and Mrs. R. D. Martin, who succeeds Mrs. Smart as convenor of the Fifth Mounted Rifles committee of the League. Mrs. Rutherford and Mrs. G. C. S. Wallace, in short addresses, spoke of the splendid work Mrs. Smart has done, and expressed their regrets at her departure.

Benefit Performance.

An attractive event arranged to be given next week is the benefit for the Western Hospital at His Majesty's, on Monday and Tuesday evening, when the Trinity Players are putting on "The Thunderbolt." Most of the boxes have already been taken, some of the holders being Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon, Sir Thomas Tait, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Joseph, Mr. T. L. Lyall, Dr. and Mrs. Austin Irvine, Mrs. R. H. Wilson, Mr. C. W. Lindsay, Mr. C. E. Gudewill, Dr. Charles Gurd, Dr. Grant Stewart, Dr. and Mrs. George Fisk, Mr. J. Skelton, Mrs. T. J. Drummond. A few other subscribers are: Mrs. J. Alex. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hutchison, Mrs. and Miss Costigan, Mrs. David Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lewis, Dr. and Mrs. Fred Gilday, Dr. F. J. Hackett, Dr. and Mrs. Bramley Moore, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Craig and Dr. and Mrs. Feilde.

Sobey-Smith.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on Wednesday at St. Martin's Church, when Miss Nellie Smith, daughter of Mr. F. C. Smith, of Verdun, was married to Mr. Charles Sobey, of Montreal. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. W. Craig. The bride was attended by her sister Miss Dorothy Smith and Mr. Edward Schippel acted as best man. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Sobey left for Toronto and other western points. They will reside in St. Anne de Bellevue.

Afternoon Bridge.

A bridge of about seventy-five tables was held in Victoria Hall yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Montreal Boys' Club. Vocal solos were pleasingly rendered by Mrs. Herbert Hodgins, whose accompaniments were played by Miss Irene Brophy, and piano solos by Miss Ellen Adair.

A reception with cards and dancing will be held at the Ritz-Carlton on May 13 in aid of the 178th Battalion, being organized by Lieut.-Col. Girouard.

Engagements Announced

Mr. Robert Mitchell, of "Maple Braes," Lennoxville, Que., announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Mabel Marion Mitchell, B.A., to the Rev. Rural Dean Ernest Raymond Roy, M.A., of Cookshire, Que. The marriage will take place in June.

The engagement is announced of Miss Elizabeth Una Kerr, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kerr, of Longueuil, to Lieut. Percy Morris Knowles, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Knowles, of Montreal.

Social and Personal.

Mrs. F. H. Waycott leaves on Monday for a few days' visit with Mrs. Reilly in Port Kent, afterwards going to New York. On Thursday next she is to give an address at the Jersey City Women's Club.

Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon has returned from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. Mrs. McGibbon will spend some time in New York before coming home.

Miss Carrie Murray, of Montreal, is the guest this week of her aunt, Mrs. W. P. Berwick, at "The Netherlands," Brompton road, Sherbrooke, Que.

Mrs. A. E. Adson, who arrived in town from Ottawa for the Hanson-Roxborough wedding, is the guest of Mrs. Alexander Falle.

Miss Dulce Dodwell has gone to New York to spend some time with her relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Magor.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris P. Bryant are in New York for a few days stopping at the Waldorf Astoria.

Mrs. Henry Ward, of Montreal, is visiting her son, Mr. Henry Ward, in Boston, Mass.

Mr. Charles H. Alkin, of Montreal, spent Easter week at the Fort Garry in Winnipeg.

Miss Annie Bryson, of Ottawa, is visiting friends in town for a few days.

SOCIETY AT THE CAPITAL

OTTAWA, April 27.—The Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair will hold an informal reception at the Chateau Laurier on May 3 following a luncheon which will be given by the Local Council of Women in their honor, and that of the members of general executive board which will then be in session here.

Cyl. Noel Marshall, of Toronto, spent yesterday in town.

Miss J. O'Brien, of Renfrew is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose O'Brien.

Mrs. C. H. Beddoe is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Kelsey in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Askwith and Miss Ada Askwith are leaving shortly for England.

Mrs. Gordon Cumming is in Kingston, the guest of Prof. and Mrs. E. S. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fauquier have been spending a few days in New York.

Miss Ruth Hubbell and her sister, Mrs. George Pettit, of Montreal, are spending this week in New York, the guests if their uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Brouner.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blackburn are expected home today from California, where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCool arrived in town yesterday from Pembroke for the marriage of their daughter Frances, to Lt. W. R. McGee, which takes place on Saturday from the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. M. J. Gorman. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gorman.

Miss Frances McCool was the guest of honor yesterday at a bridge and tea given by Mrs. William Denny and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose O'Brien entertained at dinner for Lt. McGee and his bride elect.

Mrs. Kerwan Martin was the guest of honor yesterday at an informal tea at the Royal Ottawa Golf Club given by her sister, Miss Ethel Hamilton. Others present were Mrs. Lenox Smith, Miss Tudor Monti-zambert, Mrs. C. A. Eliot, Mrs. Alan Palmer, Miss Winifred Wicksteed and Miss Evans, of Toronto.

Mrs. A. G. Parker entertained on Tuesday evening at an informal dance for her daughter, Miss Grace and Miss Julia Paarker.

Lady Borden, Lady Laurier, Lady Caron, Lady Taschereau, Lady Grant, Mrs. J. C. Doherty, Mrs. M. P. Davis, Mrs. J. L. Chabot and several other ladies were patronesses of a large reception given yesterday by the Society of the Friends of the Poor. Mme. S. Lelievre and Miss Frances Scott received the guests.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO

Dr. Louis de Lotbiniere Harwood, Montreal, 50 today.

'STATE BREAKFAST' GIVEN BY AMERICAN WOMEN'S CLUB

The social activities of the American Women's Club closed with a "State Breakfast" yesterday in the Rose Room of the Windsor Hotel. Each table was decorated to typify a particular state of the Union—pine cones being used for Maine, apple blossoms for Arkansas, buckeyes for Ohio, and so forth, and all present took their places according to the state from which they came. An orchestra played many of the patriotic airs, such as "Marching Through Georgia," "My Maryland," and "Old Kentucky Home"; also various national selections, including "The Maple Leaf Forever." The menu also conformed to the general scheme of arrangements, and included California grape fruit, Louisiana gumbo, Saratoga chips, Florida pineapple and other "state" delicacies. The table for New York, which is the home state of the president, was one of the largest, and was centred by a lovely basket of American Beauty and small crimson roses. Seated on either side of Mrs. Waycott were Martin Gorman, the speaker of the day, and Mrs. Gorman. The American eagle, skilfully made in sugar was in evidence, on one side of the room, and some of the windows were draped with the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack.

Greetings from many states were read. Mrs. Waycott presenting those of Mrs. Percy Pennypacker, president of the Federation of Women's Clubs of the United States; and a telegram from the Governor of Maine tendered the greetings of that state. A group of songs, including "The Skylark," was pleasingly sung by Mrs. Griffith, whose accompaniments were played by Mrs. Hodgson.

The closing feature for the day was the address given by Mr Gorman on the influence of women in moulding and keeping intact the spirit and ideals of the American confederacy. Never since the creation of the Universe had there been such days as are upon us in the present, the speaker claimed, in expressing his conviction that just as women's influence in the early days of the American nation, when even the states were given names with feminine endings, had been for the good of the nation, just so strong would it be should the day come when they might be forced to give up their nearest and dearest even as the women of their adopted country were doing, in defence of their ideals of right and justice.

GOOD PROGRAMS FOR CREATORE BAND

Program arrangements for the week's engagement of Creatore and his band at the Arena, commencing Monday, May 8, are now practically completed. The vocalist for the two first evenings, both of which are benefit performances for the Hervey Institute and the Irish Rangers respectively, is Miss Beatrice Fraser, the Montreal contralto, who will also be heard at the closing performance on Saturday. Merlin Davies, the Welsh tenor, now resident in this city, will be the singer on Wednesday. It is at present intended that Friday shall be the French night of the engagement, in which case the vocalist to be heard that evening will be Mlle. Grazielle Dumaine, the young Quebec soprano, who made her debut at the Barrere Woodwind Orchestra concert at His Majesty's a few months ago.

There will be no matinees, but six evening performances, with a large supply of cheap seats on all occasions. According to present arrangements Thursday is to be Italian night. On Saturday the band will give the 1812 Overture.

GIVE TWO PLAYS.

The dramatic section of St. Ann's Young Men's Society will present two one-act playlets at an entertainment to be given in St. Ann's Hall, May 6 and 8. These plays are "The Marble Arch," Edward Rose's comedy, and a farce, "The Manager."

ST. ANNE'S PILGRIMAGE.

St. Mary's parishioners will conduct a pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre June 17. They will leave on the ss. Montreal, returning on Monday, the 19th. The Rev. A. T. Walsh is making the arrangements.

IS PAST PRESIDENT.

In a story in yesterday's Star, E. McG. Quirk was called president of the St. Patrick's Society. The new president is Mr. Recorder G. H. Semple, elected to succeed Mr. Quirk a few weeks ago.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB.

The committee of the Women's Canadian Club announce to members who are unable to attend the tea at the Ritz-Carlton tomorrow, at 4:15, that seats will be reserved for them in the gallery.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS

Friday Morning.

Women's Art Society, Stevenson Hall, Art Causerie, 11.

Guy Drummond Chapter, I.O.D.E. Southam Building, 10.

Montreal Housewives' League, Y. W. C. A. Dorchester street, 10:30.

Afternoon

Board of Management of Montreal Presbyterial of the W.M.T., Lecture Hall, Crescent Church, 3.

Evening.

Y. W. C. A., 151 Fairmount avenue, west. All clubs, 8.

War Time Soldiers' Wives' Club, University Settlement Building, 8.

WOUNDED BUT ON DUTY



Major Eric McCuaig, reported in yesterday's casualty list.

MORE MONTREAL MEN MENTIONED IN CASUALTIES

Results of Recent Severe Fighting Seen in the Latest Lists

Many of the Montreal soldiers reported as either killed or wounded, are men who went over with the first contingent in September, 1914, and who escaped injuries, although in a great deal of the severe fighting. The others went out during the past twelve months, and letters recently received from them indicate that at the end of March and the beginning of this month they were in the thick of it.

Corp. S. Turmaine.

Corpl. Simeon Turmaine, son of N. Turmaine, of 286 Garnier street, enlisted the month after the war began. On April 15 his father received a letter in which he said he was lucky to escape being wounded up to the time of writing. The day following he was killed in action.

Pte. A. Mavor.

Pte. Alec. Mavor, of 271 Gertrude street, Verdun, had a premonition that something might happen for he wrote home on April 7 that they were in a hot corner and he didn't know how they were going to get out of it. He was apparently wounded then, for he died of wounds on April 11. He was 24 years of age and a member of the Grand Trunk Boating Club. He was a member of the Y. M. C. A. and the Verdun Methodist Church. His brother, Corpl. Herbert Mavor, is also on active service.

Pte. G. Gauthier.

No news had been received of Pte. Gilbert Gauthier for four months until yesterday, when his brother, Edgar Gauthier, of 810 Henri Julien street, received a telegram announcing that he had been killed in action. He had been in the trenches for seven months and was 31 years of age. He was a tailor.

Pte. A. Crossman.

Pte. Albert Crossman, who is the son of Mrs. L. Crossman, of 202 Mountain street, has been admitted to No. 1 Canadian General Hospital at Etaples. He is 21 years of age and enlisted in Toronto.

Pte. G. C. Norman.

Pte. George C. Norman, reported wounded, has written several letters to his mother at 11 Coursol street, but she is not known there, and the letters have been returned to the postal authorities. The telegram announcing his wounds has also arrived there, and probably Mrs. Norman does not yet know of her son's wounding by shrapnel. He was in Bramshott Hospital.

Pte. W. McCormack.

Pte. William McCormack, a brother of James McCormack, of 245 St. Martin street, and of Pte. Michael McCormack, of the Irish Canadian Rangers, has been admitted to the hospital at Camiers, seriously wounded in the shoulder and lung. He has been at the front over a year.

Pte. L. Delisle.

Losing the sight of an eye three months ago, Pte. Louis Delisle was evidently determined to get back into action, for he is now reported as being wounded by a gunshot in the knee and in No. 18 General Hospital at Camiers. His wife and two children live at 138a Delisle street, and he formerly worked in the Grand Trunk shops.

Pte. E. Cardinal.

Pte. Emile Cardinal, the son of Lucas Cardinal, of 690a Papineau avenue, is in No. 1 Canadian General Hospital at Etaples suffering from gunshot wounds in both feet. He is nineteen years of age and was born at Valleyfield.

Pte. R. Lafond.

Pte. Rodolphe Lafond, who is in No. 13 Stationary Hospital, Boulogne, has a gunshot wound in the back. He is 20 years old and is a brother of Pte. Henri Lafond, who has been invalided home with shrapnel in the hip. Pte. Lafond was at a listening post on April 8 when his next door neighbor in Montreal, Pte. Beaupre, was killed by his side.

Pte. H. Cochrane.

Pte. Harry Cochrane, son of Pte. H. Cochrane, of the Composite Regiment, and of 1404 Clarke street, has been admitted to No. 14 Stationary Hospital at Wimereux with gunshot wound in the face. He has three brothers on active service.

HERE and THERE

C. H. Luquin, editor of the Colonist, and a former New Brunswicker, has been elected president of the Victoria, B.C., Board of Trade.

There are twelve lady clerks attached to the headquarters of the 3rd District (Kingston, Ont.), and they will go to camp with the staff at Barriefield.

A campaign for recruiting for the navy is having wonderful success in the south and west of Ireland, naval service being apparently more popular there than military.

California has a Japanese population of 60,000, according to an estimate made by the Japanese Consul-General at San Francisco.

A Jacksonville, Fla., man, on a visit to New York, made a bet that if he tried to sell $10 bills for $1 he would not find purchasers. He won his bet, but was arrested for creating a blockade. He did not get a single bidder although the $10 bills were genuine.

REV. FR. McSHANE HOLDS FIGHTERS' IS HOLY CALLING

Montreal Cleric Makes Eloquent Appeal to All Young Canadians

Reverend Father Gerald McShane of St. Patrick's Church has a high conception of the duty of the young man to his country. His belief is summed up as follows:

"I will not undertake to say to any individual young man, singling him out specially "Go, my boy! It is your duty. There may be obligations and claims of a still higher order with which I am not acquainted. But I will say that Canada and the preservation of Canadian privileges has a positive claim upon the services of every fit and free young man; that there is a call and a Mission of a character and of a nature so sacred, that no man can stifle it in his heart can leave it unheeded.

"I regard the soldier's profession as a real vocation, I regard the entrance into that profession as a call as sacred and as God-inspired as the call to any particular career or avocation in life; and as there is no feeling of the human soul so pure and sublime as love of country, as there is no act of man so noble as that of dying for his country so there is no calling or profession so grand and so worthy of admiration as the mission of the soldier who fights for his country.

"Some day, young men who are listening to me, that call will resound in your ears, and it will be as clear and distinct and as unmistakable as your father or mother's voice. Once you hear it, there is no human influence that can hold you back. That voice, that call, has been heard by many a young man of your acquaintance, nay of your very close and intimate kinship, and the very best of our youth and the finest types of our Canadian manhood have already generously responded.

THE CALL MAY COME.

"That call may come to you, young men, tonight, as you gather around this platform and listen to the leaders of thought in this country, the most sincere and unimpassioned men of our people. It may come to you on the street, as our gallant Rangers march by, and the sound of their bugles awakens in the recesses of your hearts yearnings and generous desires that you never experienced before.

"It may come to you in the silence of the night when hour after hour passes by, and you wonder what it is that drives the needed refreshing sleep from your heavy, drooping eyelids.

"It may come to you in the midst of that pure, serene atmosphere of the sanctuary of your home, where the sweet family ties that bind you to your loved ones never seemed so strong or so soothing to your heart.

"No matter how or when that voice is heard, let me say, in the beautiful words of Holy Scripture, which we can afford to apply here without any profanation or straining of their meaning:

"If today you should hear that voice, do not harden your hearts.

"Do not turn away and try to drown that voice by the excitement of a pleasurable, sensual life, or by the arguments and reasonings of an unbalanced attachment for your home and for your kith and kin.

"If today you should hear that voice, do not harden your hearts. If today you should hear that voice, do not, in the name of God, in the name of your country, do not harden your hearts.

SACRED CONCERT

The choir of Sherbrooke Street Church gave a sacred concert last night repeating the major portion of the Easter music. The classics was assisted by W. J. Gittus, tenor, John Legassick, bass; and Miss Mabel Mattice, elocutionist. Mrs. Otis, soprano soloist and Mrs. Saberton, contralto soloist, of the choir also contributed special numbers. The solo by the organist Mr. Markland, was much appreciated.

Afterwards Mrs. Otis was presented, on behalf of the choir, with a Canadian flag on the occasion of her departure for a time to the United States.

PLAY SHAKESPEARE

The J. Wilfrid Wilkinson Associate Players will give scenes from "The Merchant of Venice" and "Hamlet." Tomorrow Leslie Palmer, formerly with Sir Henry Irving, Cyril Maude and Martin Harvey will play Shylock. Others taking part are the Misses Pearl Stroud, Clare Wilkinson and Pauline Chambers, the Messrs: J. W. Wilkinson, Gerard Inwood, R. Kenyon, S. Kenyon and Basil Q. Austin. This performance will be given in Victoria Hall, Westmount, at 8:15.

CHATEAU DE RAMEZAY.

The monthly meeting of the Antiquarian and Numismatic Society will take place at the Chateau de Ramezay, tomorrow evening, at 8. John Boyd, will read a paper on "Thomas Storrow Brown and the Quebec Rising of 1837—Some new historical data."

TALK ON "JUSTICE."

The lecture-recital in the Baron de Hirsch Institute this evening under the auspices of the Baron de Hirsch Book Club, by David Dainow on "Justice," a tragedy by John Galsworthy, will be open to the public. S. W. Jacobs, K.C., will preside.

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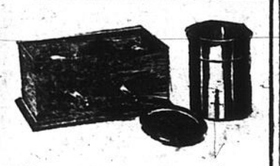
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REVOLT AND MURDER IN BOHEMIAN CITIES

New York, April 27—Fresh revolts have broken out in Prague, Pilsen, Tabor, and other Bohemian cities, and many members of prominent Bohemian families, including Miss Alice Mazaryk, well known in America for her social settlement work, have been executed by the Government, according to advices said to have been received here yesterday by the Bohemian National Alliance, from secret sources in Austria.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

Allies hold their ground and repulse Germans at Ypres. British and French troops make good their footing on the Gallipoli Peninsula. The French armored cruiser Leon Gambetta torpedoed by an Austrian submarine in Strait of Otranto and nearly seven hundred lives lost.

CONTRACT PLACED IN UNITED STATES THOUGH WAR OFFICE OBJECTED

Col. Carnegie Gives Details in Connection With Placing of Orders for Fuses With American Companies Despite Representations Made by British Authorities

Special to The Montreal Star From Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, April 27.—Points of vital interest and direct bearing upon the graveness of the Kyte charges were elucidated at this morning's sitting of the Royal Commission enquiring into the Shell Committee's fuse contracts.

There were two outstanding features. It was shown that at the very time that the contract was being negotiated in New York with the American Ammunition Company and the International Arms Company, a cable was received from the War Office, pointing out that the placing of these orders would interfere with those already being executed in the United States, and suggesting that they should be placed through J. P. Morgan & Company, the British Government agents. The receipt of the cable was admitted, but the contract was nevertheless placed in the United States by the Canadian Shell Committee.

Of equal importance was the production of letters and telegrams establishing that at the same time, again as the contracts were being placed in the United States, T. A. Russell and Lloyd Harris, respectively of the Russell Motor Car Company and the Massey-Harris Company, submitted an offer to take 1,250,000 fuses and deliver them by the 31st of March.

The large part of the work was to have been done in Canada, though certain parts were to be made by the Elgin Watch Co. A letter setting forth this proposal came the day after the Americans had been closed with, but it was preceded by a telegram some days previous, announcing that the proposition was coming, the plans being all advanced.

What was behind the letter of the British Consul-General to Col. Carnegie, referred to yesterday, was brought out today. Sir Courtney Bennett, Consul-General in New York, wanted Col. Carnegie and Gen. Bertram to meet manufacturerers likely to reduce the price.

DETAILS OF OFFER MADE.

At the opening a letter from John A. Harris, president of the Manufacturing and Contracting Company, Limited, was read. The letter was dated March 19, 1915, and was sent from the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, to the Shell Committee at Montreal. In the letter, an offer was made to manufacture American fuses in lots of two million at $4.90 each, and in lots of one million at $5.50. Deliveries were to commence three months after signing contracts; quantity per day when in full operation, 4,000; order to be given for full number required. If the first 20,000 proved satisfactory, the company might proceed to manufacture the bglance until completion of order; cost of the first 20,000 to be paid for in lots of 5,000, at the rate of $6.25 each.

Mr. Hellmuth—"That is the offer you spoke of yesterday in regard to which you said you had a verbal conversation."

The witness (Col. D. Carnegie)—"Yes." (Here Mr. Hellmuth said that while negotiations with the Russell Motor Car Company, of Toronto, were not technically a subject of the inquiry, yet as part of the negotiations took place prior to the contracts given to the International Arms and Fuse Company and the American Company, and as prices were mentionad, he thought it germane that correspondence with the Russell Company should be produced.)

Mr. Hellmuth (to the witness)—Now, in regard to your visit to New York on May 14, you have told us what had taken place on the morning of the 14th, and that you had made an appointment with the British Consul-General in New York. Did you keep that appointment?—Yes.

Did Gen. Bertram accompany you?—Yes

What conversation had you with the Consul-General, Sir Courtney Bennett?—Sir Courtney Bennett informed us when we called that he had heard we were negotiating contracts for fuses. He said that he believed he had somebody who would help us and perhaps give us a lower quotation. We said we would be very glad to meet anyone that could help us. Of course the matter was urgent, and he called in a Mr. Dowler.

SERIES OF INTRODUCTIONS.

I asked Mr. Dowler if he knew anything about fuses and he said he did not, but he would introduce us to a manufacturer who would deal with the fuses. He also said at the time he could get fuses for about $3.50. We were then talking in the range of $4.50. We were happy. As we had arranged to go to Bassick Works in the afternoon, we said if he could bring a manufacturer to our hotel in the morning—that would be the 15th, we would discuss the matter.

Continuing, Col. Carnegie said that in the afternoon of the 14th, he went to visit Burns and Bassick Works at Bridgeport. This firm was engaged in the manufacture of interchangeable parts of locks. Col. Carnegie was accompanied by Gen. Bertram. The works of the Remington Typewriter Company were also visited.

Mr. Hellmuth—Did you see again that afternoon or evening Bassick or Yoakum or Col. Allison?—Bassick, Caldwell, Yoakum and I think a Mr. Shorns accompanied Gen. Bertram and myself to Bridgeport.

Was Col. Allison there?—No.

On the morning of the 16th, did you see Dowler?—Yes, he brought J. Ryan to the hotel.

Who was Ryan?—He said he was a merchant.

What took place between you in regard to fuses?—I asked Mr. Ryan if he were a manufacturer. He said he would introduce me to a manufacturer.

Col. Carnegie added that the interview lasted about twenty minutes and Ryan stated that he had communication, directly or indirectly, with the Recording and Computing Manufacturing Company, Dayton, Ohio.

What was the outcome of your conference with Dowler and Ryan?—We waited over until Monday. Ryan had mentioned a man named Ohner, who he said was making fuses at Dayton for the Russian Government. I tried to get in touch with the Russian Attache to ascertain what the Dayton Company had done. I got no reply. On Monday morning Gen. Bertram and I met F. H. Clergue, with whom were two Russian officials who had come over with the object of testing the fuses of the Dayton Company.

I asked Clergue if that company had any additional facilities for making fuses other than those obligated to the Canada Car and Foundry Company. He said no. He did not believe that Senator Curry would give permission.

Where does Senator Curry come in? He is the head of the Canada Car. That afternoon Ryan brought Ohner to us. With the facts we had learned we could discuss it more intelligently. Ohner said his companies had made some tests. I asked if Senator Curry allowed the company to undertake making fuses, what would be the price. He said he was working on a percentage basis, and if he undertook work for us it would be on that basis. We asked if he could give us a flat price. He said the lowest price would be $4.60 for No. 80.

Did that end the conversation? Was the matter dropped? He was to enquire whether Senator Curry would give him an opportunity of taking on the contract with us.

Was there anything more in New York?— No, we returned to Montreal.

Sir William Meredith—Did you go back to see the British Consul-General?—Oh, no.

Outside of introducing Dowler, did the Consul-General have anything to say about the contracts he understood you were negotiating?—He said he believed he could get a lower price.

How did he know the price you were figuring on?—I do not know, but I believe Dowler had had some connection with the people with whom we were working, otherwise he would not have known the prices we were negotiating.

"Whom do you mean by the 'people with whom you were working?" asked Justice Duff.

He mentioned that the J. Ryan had some connection with Yoakum.

EXAMINATION CONTINUED.

Here is a letter from T. J. Ryan, of May 18, to you. Is there anything outside of the Russell Motor Car Company matter between the visit to New York, and the letter received on May 19, on the fuse matter?

(Continued on Page 8.)

DENIES EAST HAS FINANCED ENTIRE OPENING WEST

By Canadian Press.

CALGARY, Alta., April 27.—Premier Sifton, addressing the Board of Trade here, referred to a letter from the Quebec Board of Trade in which the assertion was made that the East had contributed all the money spent in opening up the West and vigorously contradicted that statement.

"The four Western Provinces are the only ones in Canada," he said, in which Dominion assistance was not given in the construction of branch railway lines. The Western Provinces had to do that work themselves. The Transcontinental railways were built for Eastern Canada and for the benefit of the East more than for the other part of Canada. The people of the West are paying their full share for those railways, which are for the benefit of all Canada.

"Western people have paid more taxes per head than the people of other parts of Canada and have contributed more freely of their natural resources. The west is under no obligation to the east for building railways in the west. Eastern Canada depends upon the West for its prosperity."

HEIR OF EARL ST. ALDWYN KILLED

LONDON, April 27.—Lieut. Viscount Quenington, eldest son of Earl St. Aldwyn (Michael Edward Hicks-Beach, former Chancellor of the Exchequer), has been killed in action.

Viscount Quenington was born in 1877 and was member of Parliament for Gloucestershire, Tewkesbury Division. He was assistant private secretary to his father during the latter's tenure of the post of Chancellor of the Exchequer.

QUEEN'S ALUMNAE GIVEN $10,000

KINGSTON, Ont., April 27.—The Women's Aumnae Association of Queen's University today received from Dr. James Douglas, New York, a cheque for $10,000, for the residence fund.

Dr. Douglas had previously contributed other amounts to the same fund. The fund now amounts to about $35,000.

LORD LIEUTENANT OF IRELAND



Baron Wimborne, the King's representative in Ireland, and his wife. Baron Wimborne is well known on this side of the Atlantic, and commanded the British polo team at the last international contest in New York.

WHOLE OF IRELAND UNDER MARTIAL LAW FIGHTING GOING ON

Situation Still Most Serious Premier Asquith Tells House of Commons—British Troops in Ireland Reinforced — Maj.-Gen. Sir John Maxwell Going to Take Supreme Charge of Situation

Special Star Cable by United Press.

LONDON, April 27.—The whole of Ireland has been placed under martial law, Premier Asquith stated in the House of Commons this afternoon.

The situation in Ireland is still serious," said the Prime Minister. "The rebels continue to hold some important public buildings in Dublin, and street fighting continues."

There are indications that the disorder is spreading to other parts of the country, Premier Asquith further announced. Western districts of Ireland are reported to be affected.

The Premier stated that Major-Gen. Sir John Maxwell, who formerly commanded the British forces in Egypt, was leaving this afternoon for Ireland. The General has been given plenary powers, under martial law, over the whole country.

There would be a searching investigation into the cause of and responsibility for the outbreak.

TROOPS IN IRELAND REINFORCED.

The troops in Ireland have been and are being strongly reinforced. Mr. Asquith added, and the Government was satisfied the force despatched was adequate to deal with the situation.

The Irish authorities will place themselves at the disposal of Major-Gen. Maxwell, to carry out his instructions.

It was obviously necessary, the Premier continued, to exercise military censorship while martial law prevailed in Ireland. This censorship, however, would be directed merely with regard to the essential military requirements of the situation. All possible latitude in the transmission of news would be allowed.

Sir Edward Carson and John Redmond, who were the leaders of the opposing factions in the Irish Home Rule controversy, expressed to the House their abhorrence of the uprising, and their desire to support the Government.

The Royal proclamation suspending in Ireland Section I of the Defence of the Realm Amendment Act of 1915, which gives to a British subject charged with an offence under the Act the right to be tried by civil court, was read upon the steps of the Royal Exchange this morning, according to historic custom.

IRISH LEADERS OFFER SUPPORT.

The Government has received assurances of support from scores of Irish leaders who deplore the outbreak at Dublin.

The London Unionist newspapers today launched a fierce attack upon the Chief Secretary for Ireland, Augustin Birrell, and Lord Wimborne, demanding their immediate resignations. The Express, Daily Telegraph and Post joined with the Northcliffe papers in declaring that Mr. Birrell's weakness and irresolution were responsible for the Sinn Fein uprising. The Express demands that Lord Kitchener be sent to Ireland as Lord Lieutenant.

"The Government," said the Express, "must jettison the Ministers whose inaction made possible the scene that disgraced Dublin."

Indicating that the crisis has passed, the censor today passed for publication several press despatches from Ireland, which brought circumstantial reports of the capture of Sir Roger Casement and his twenty-two German confederates.

AUXILIARY AS DUTCH TRADER.

It is learned that Casement, who is at present occupying the cell in which Carl Hans Lody was held as prisoner before his execution as a spy in the Tower of London in November, 1914, went on board the German submarine in Kiel harbor about April 14, which is near the date on which a report was circulated that he had been arrested in Germany.

The submarine was accompanied by a tramp steamer, manned by twenty picked men from the German navy carrying a cargo of twenty thousand rifles, machine guns and ammunition bound for Ireland.

The steamer flying the Dutch flag and with the submarine proceeding awash in close attendance, crept through the Cattegat, across Bohus Bay, up the coast of Norway and thence north and west, leaving the Orkneys, Shetland and Faroe Islands far to the south.

Just as the German Captain was congratulating himself upon eluding the British, a patrol boat, surprised at seeing a Dutch trader so far from the North Sea, intercepted the tramp but found her papers regular.

Even her crew spoke English, expressed sympathy for the Allies and the hope that the patrol boat would not encounter a submarine. All this time the German submarine accompanying the steamer remained submerged.

CASEMENT WAS ABANDONED.

After re-shaping the course of the expedition and while creeping along the North coast of Ireland, another British patrol boat was sighted. The patrol fired a shot across the bow of the tramp and signalled to the effect that they were about to board her. The tramp steamer was then ordered to accompany the patrol boat.

After steaming for some distance the tramp vessel hoisted the German flag and was sunk by her own crew, in accordance with instructions given before leaving Germany.

The patrol boat sent an armed crew to rescue the Germans, who then confessed their mission.

The patrol also found a collapsible boat in which were Sir Roger Casement and another man. It is said that the submarine commander, before leaving Kiel received orders that, whatever befell the expedition the presence of Casement was no longer desired in Germany and that when the plans miscarried Casement was placed in the boat and left to his fate.

YOUTH MURDERS A BENEFACTOR AFTER SECURING REFUGE

Jacques Renaud of Montreal Shoots Albert Wing of St Luc—Prisoner Says He is Highway Robber—Fired at Victim's Wife and Children — Now in Custody

Special to the Montreal Star.

ST. JOHNS, P.Q., April 27.—A brutal murder was committed in the village of St. Luc early this morning, when Albert Wing, one of the best known residents of that place, was shot dead in bed by a youth whom he had taken in for the night.

Full details are lacking so far, but a report received this afternoon states that Mrs. Wing was shot, also and is dying and that a daughter was seriously wounded.

From infomation supplied by the police, it appears that the youth, who gave his name as Jacques Renaud, and said he belonged to Montreal, called at Mr. Wing's house late last night and asked for a night's lodging. Mr. Wing took him in and he was supplied with food and a bed.

About three o'clock this morning, Renaud went to Mr. Wing's bedroom, woke him up, and demanded money. Mr. Wing told him that he had none to give him, whereupon Renaud, so it is alleged, drew a revolver and shot Mr. Wing dead with two bullets.

Mrs. Wing [illegible] after her husband has been [illegible] Renaud turned his weapon [illegible] think it is [illegible] fired three times. [illegible] revolver on the [illegible] were soon aroused and they effected Renaud's capture.

The youth was brought to St. Johns, where he told the police that he had been "doing this sort of thing" since he was fourteen years old. He termed it "highway robbery."

Wing was a farmer and lived on the Chambly road, about midway between Chambly and St. Johns.

Renaud was arrested by Captain Menard of the Gatineau avenue police station, Montreal, who happened to be on a visit at his son's. Doctor Chevalier, the district coroner, opened an inquest this morning, holding Renaud charged with the crime.

Jacques Renaud is known to the police of Montreal, but the books of the identification and record department show no such name.

RUSSIAN AVIATORS AT CONSTANTINOPLE, IT IS REPORTED FROM ATHENS

French Repulse German Attacks at Verdun and in Lorraine — Germans Sink British Submarine in North Sea — Zeppelin Raid on Margate—Absence of Panic at Lowestoft

By Canadian Press.

PARIS, April 27.—A Havas despatch from Athens says it is reliably stated there that two Russian hydro-aeroplanes operated over Constantinople on Monday night.

A German aeroplane flew over the island of Imbros, in the Aegean Sea, yesterday, throwing bombs at the lighthouse on Point Kephalos. No serious damage was caused, however.

Special Star Cable by United Press.

LONDON, April 27.—The British submarine E-22 has been sunk in the North Sea, the Admiralty announced this afternoon. Only two of her crew were saved.

The E-22 was a submarine built from an Admiralty design. She carried four torpedo tubes, had a surface speed of sixteen knots and a submerged speed of ten knots, and her full complement was sixteen men. Fourteen lives have been lost with her sinking.

FRENCH REPULSE ATTACKS

Special Star Cable by United Press.

PARIS, April 27.—Following an intense bombardment on a front extending from Avocourt to Hepper Heights, north of Verdun, a small force of Germans last night attempted to attack. The War Office announced today that the enemy was immediately stopped by French curtain fire.

Though there have been reports of increasing activity on the Vosges front and at the extreme south-eastern end of the battle line, no important engagements occurred in those sectors last night.

A German reconnaissance attempted to reach French positions east of Le Mesnil, in Lorraine, but was quickly dispersed.

North of the Aisne, German patrols were repulsed in grenade fighting. A French aeroplane shot down a German, who fell in Spincourt forest.

The text of the statement follows:

"North of the Aisne several German patrols were repulsed with hand grenades.

"In the region of Verdun there was an intense bombardment of the redoubt of Avocourt and of our organizations on the Cote du Poivre.

"A small enemy attack directed upon an element of our trenches to the north of the Vaux fort was immediately stopped by our curtains of fire.

"In Lorraine we dispersed a German reconnoitering party which attempted to reach our position to the east of Le Mesnil.

"On the rest of the front there was no event of importance to report beyond the usual cannonading."

GERMANS CLAIM SUCCESS.

Special Star Cable by United Press.

BERLIN, April 27.—German troops have captured a portion of a British trench near Givenchy, the War Office reported this afternoon. British counter-attacks were repulsed, it was asserted.

South of St. Eloi a British grenade attack was repulsed. French attacks on the west bank of the Meuse, northwest of Verdun, were repulsed.

The following official announcement, was given out under date of April 26, by the German Admiralty:

"The German naval forces on April 25 sank the British submarine E-22. The Germans rescued and captured two men.

"A German submarine on the same day hit with a torpedo a British cruiser of the Arethusa class."

A German Zeppelin last night bombarded the English port of Margate, the Admiralty announced this afternoon.

Margate is a fishing town and seaside resort of about 30,000 inhabitants, 80 miles east, southeast of London, in the county of Kent.

An official statement issued at London early today reported another Zeppelin raid on England last night.

GERMAN OFFICIAL REPORT.

By Canadian Press.

BERLIN, April 27, via London, 3:27 p.m.—The German army headquarters today issued the following:

"Western theatre, Southwest of Ypres we subjected the English positions to a heavy fire, the good effect of which was noticed later by our patrols. South of St. Eloi a strong enemy hand grenade attack ended in failure because of our fire.

"In the Givenchy-Gohelle-Neuville-St. Vaast sector we successfully exploded numerous mines, and in a hand grenade attack near Givenchy we wrested from the enemy a portion of one of his trenches and repulsed the counter attacks.

"English attacks north of the Somme were fruitless.

"In the Meuse region only on the left bank of the river were there infantry attacks.

"These were accompanied by heavy artillery duels and were preceded by hand grenade attacks by French detachments. All were repulsed.

"At various places on the front German patrols made hostile incursions. Those in the region northeast of Armentieres and between Vailly and Craonne were successful.

"An enemy machine was brought down near Souchez and another south of Tahure. Both were shot down by anti-aircraft guns. A third machine was shot down south of Barroy.

"Numerous bombs were freely dropped by a German air squadron on the railway lines in Noblette Valley, south of Suippes.

"Last night an attack was made by an airship on the port and railway depots of Margate, on the east coast of England.

"Eastern theatre: "The situation is unchanged. One of our airships dropped bombs on the railway repots at Dunamunde, at the mouth of the Dvinsk River.

"Balkan theatre: "There is nothing to report."

DETAILS OF QUATIA FIGHT.

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, April 26, 9.06 p.m.—(delayed)—A further official account of the fighting in Egypt on Easter Sunday states that the Worcestershire Yeomanry, holding a position at Quatia village, was attacked by a greatly superior Turkish force largely, according to prisoners accounts, mounted on camels and including 1,000 Germans.

The Worcestershires retired, fighting a rearguard action, but owing to their horses being put out of action by shell-fire they were unable to time their retirement so as to cooperate with the other regiments.

As a result, the statement adds, a number of the Worcestershires were captured. The Quatia Oasis, however, is now clear of hostile forces, according to the official account, except for a force of 1,000 Turks still established at Birelabd.

BRITISH MAIL

A British mail via the Canadian route for parcel post and newspapers only, will close tomorrow. Mail via New York and the French line of steamers close at the same time. Parcels are forwarded by the Canadian route only.

DODD REPORTED CLOSING IN ON BEATEN BANDITS

Has Resumed Chase—Scott and Funston Delay Departure for Border

Special to The Star by E. T. Conkle, of the United Press.

EL PASO, Tex., April 27—Another battle with the Villistas defeated by Col. Dodd on Saturday is expected today. After a brief halt at Minaca to procure supplies and fresh horses the victorious American detachment is reported to have resumed the chase.

With Dodd closing in on the west, the bandits are believed to be hemmed in by other American forces at Providencia and San Antonio, across the mountains. The Villistas were making for the inaccessible mountain country east of Minaca at last reports.

While official reports made no mention of Villa's whereabouts, Aviator Willis, who passed through here to Fort Sam Houston to be treated for injuries, expressed the belief that Villa was in the section between Minaca and Satevo.

Most of the expeditionary forces are concentrated at the Namiquipa and Dublan base camps today, but a picked force of several hundred cavalrymen is far below Namiquipa, keeping up the search for the bandit leader.

Tax Protest Fails to Move Carranza

Special to The Star by Carl D. Groat, of the United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Representations of American mining men, made through the State Department, against new Carranzista tax levies have proved unavailing. The tax in gold, regarded by many American interests in Mexico as imposing too great a burden on them, will stand.

This was the answer the State Department received today after lengthy negotiations with the de facto authorities. Back of the fact is written the history of the Carranza regime. Hard pressed for funds, its fiat money almost worthless, the de facto Government is making a valiant effort to re-establish itself upon a sound monetary basis, and it hopes to make particular progress by sharing in the enormous profits of the mines Americans have developed.

As for military situation in Mexico, authorities here felt Col. Dodd's new dash and Col. Erwin's clash with small Villista bands last week were hopeful signs. These fights, however, indicate the work of the American expedition is still unfinished that Villista followers have not been entirely scattered.

OBREGON IN CHIHUAHUA.

MEXICO CITY, Mex., April 27.—The War Minister, Gen. Obregon, en route to the border for a conference with American military officials over the withdrawal of American troops, reached Chihuahua City today. Arrangements had been made for a brief reception for the Obregon party at the Governor's palace.

FLEEING PRISONERS KILLED.

Special to the Montreal Star by United Press.

COLUMBUS, N.M., April 27.—Four Mexican prisoners at Casas Grandes are reported today to have been killed by United States sentries on attempting to escape. Scores of Villistas captured are said to be held at the various points along the American communicating lines. Much valuable information has been obtained from them.

Two Mexicans wounded in an attack on a supply train near Satevo recently were captured, according to motor truck guards who arrived today. Twenty Mexicans ambushed the train at night. The guards sought cover behind the steel wheels of their trucks and beat off the snipers after a short hot exchange of shots.



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LIBERALS NOT AGITATED OVER REPORTED SPLIT

Feel Confident That Hon. J. L. Decarie Will Win Maisonneuve

ALD. W. J. HUSHION IS CHOSEN IN ST. ANN'S

Other Candidates to the Fore—List of Returning Officers

In the face of the declaration that the reported split among Liberals in Maisonneuve has been aggravated by one faction supporting Mayor Lavoie Trembley to oppose the Hon. J. L. Decarie for the provincial seat, Liberal leaders have expressed the quiet conviction that in the end Mr. Decarie will triumph.

"We know very little of the supposed division," says one prominent Liberal, "but we understand that a number of meetings have been arranged, and we expect that at these Mr. Decarie's candidature will be endorsed. We think that in the end he will secure the greater support."

Clement Robillard, retiring Liberal deputy for St. James, has definately decided to run for re-election, it is announced.

Conservative headquarters are highly jubilant at special reports from agents who declare that throughout the Eastern Townships the prospects of the party are exceedingly bright, good candidates being mentioned and backed with unanimity.

Dates of conventions are being completed. Today St. Hyacinthe chooses a candidate, the names of A. Amyot and Felix Desrochers being mentioned as aspirants. Berthier holds its meeting today. In Wolfe county, too, Conservative leaders gather, the name of A. Benvenu being prominent. Maskinonge convention will be held Monday next.

Sherbrooke Conservatives are trying to have M. O'Bradie run as their candidate, while in Megantic, E. Carreau is being much talked of. Labelle county Conservatives yesterday decided that Dr. Beaunne, of Chenneville, should be their choice. His decision is awaited.

ALD. HUSHION CHOSEN.

Ald. W. J. Hushion, City Council representative for St. Joseph ward, is the Liberal candidate for St. Ann's division, decision to this effect having been reached at the Liberal convention held last night in St. Ann's Hall, under the presidency of J. Killoran.

The choice was unanimous. J. Wheeler had been put forward as a possible candidate, but his name was withdrawn and the meeting went solidly for Ald. Hushion, promises of strong support from the electorate being given by Dan Gallery and M. J. Walsh, whose candidature was also talked of, and by the Hon. J. C. Kaine on behalf of the Gouin forces.

Several speakers addressed the convention. Mr. Kaine took off his gloves to deal with Denis Tansey, declaring it ill-befitted the division to have him as its representative at Quebec. The Hon. Walter Mitchell gave a ten-minute review of the Gouin Government's work and policy and the candidate briefly thanked the convention for its choice. J. C. Walsh, K.C., M. J. Walsh, Dr. J. T. Finnie, Dan Gallery, and J. Dillon also spoke.

In Dorion, Ald. G. Mayrand, City Council Representative for Delorimier, has received the Liberal nomination for re-election, the convention being held last night in the Academie des Saints Anges, St. Joseph boulevard and De Lanaudiere street. After the meeting, Emile Depocas announced that he was dissatisfied with the conduct of the meeting and the manner of voting, he would not abide by the convention's decision and would continue in the campaign as an independent Liberal.

THREE-CORNERED.

This is one of the three instances in which three-cornered contests are said to be assured. In Lapraire, Dr. Lefebvre is determined to go to the people as a Liberal, although the Liberal convention a few days ago chose Wilfrid Coallot as candidate. In Beauharnois, where E. A. Robert, retiring Liberal deputy, was nominated for re-election, Achille Bergevin, former member of the Legislative Council, is to contest the county as a Liberal against the official party candidate and Tancrede Fortin, Conservative choice.

St. Lawrence division remains an enigma. Reports that an English-speaking Protestant is to represent Conservatives have been followed by the proposal that John Boyd be a candidate. At the same time, another Hebrew candidate appears in the person of Harry A. Wolfe, who has been asked to run and will await the decision of the convention.

OTHER CANDIDATES.

Candidates are being selected daily. Chambly has nominated Dr. Desaulniers for re-election on the Liberal side; in Huntingdon, Andrew Philips, retiring Liberal, is to run again as the official choice; Richelieu Conservatives are rallying to E. Magnon, of Sorel, as their candidate. Matane Conservatives will oppose the Liberal with L. Desrosiers. Champlain Liberals have chosen Dr. H. Bordeleau, of Ste. Therese, to oppose the retiring Conservative. Liberals of Berthier are anxious that J. Lafontaine should represent them, while in Terrebonne, Liberals would like to see Athanase David, K.C., of Montreal, a candidate. In Jacques Cartier it is now said that J. A. Leclaire may run for the Liberals against Mr. Cousineau, Opposition leader.

Conservative conventions are to be held at Louiseville, Maskinonge county, next Monday. Jacques Cartier Liberals will make their choice on May 4 at Lachine; the Vercheres Liberal convention will take place at Vercheres on May 2.

RETURNING OFFICERS.

Returning officers for divisions on the Island of Montreal are:

Jacques Cartier — Amedee Charet, registrar.

Maisonneuve — G. A. Lacombe, registrar.

Dorion — J. Alonzo Savard, insurance agent.

Hochelaga — J. Hermile Isabelle, collector.

Laurier—Rodrigue Valiquette, insurance agent.

St. Ann's—John Taugher, merchant.

St. Mary's—Emery Lalonde, registrar.

St. George's—John P. Dixon, agent.

St. James—C. A. Morrison, advocate.

St. Lawrence—Edward Earl, sculptor.

St. Louis—Pierre Leduc, druggist.

Westmount—N. McNaughton, broker, Westmount.

Laval—P. Longpre, registrar, St. Rose.

PROMINENT LAWYER DIED YESTERDAY



KENNETH R. MACPHERSON, K.C.

KENNETH MACPHERSON

Lawyer, Artist, Musician and Public Spirited Citizen

The funeral of the late Kenneth R. Macpherson, K.C., who died from pneumonia yesterday afternoon at his residence 229 Stanley street, will take place from St. Paul's Church on Friday at 2.30 p.m., to Mount Royal Cemetery.

In the death of Mr. Macpherson, the Montreal Bar loses one of its most prominent members and the city at large one of its most respected and accomplished residents, well known as artist, musician, and public spirited citizen.

Mr. Macpherson had been ill for twelve days. The last case in which he appeared was the arbitration between the Lachine, Jacques Cartier and Maisonneuve Railway Company and the Molson Estate. The arbitrators sat in the Grand Trunk offices, and Mr. Macpherson conducted the case for the Molson Estate. He pleaded for a whole day on that occasion, though then suffering from a very bad cold.

His last appearance in court was made shortly before this, when the Hudson's Bay Company contested, before the Superior Court, the jurisdiction of the police magistrate concerning the seizure of beaver skins traded with the company by the Indians during the close season. Mr. Macpherson's argument was that the Indians had the inherent right to trade in furs at all seasons.

CAREER AT THE BAR.

Mr. Macpherson was the second son of the late Alexander Macpherson, in his lifetime a prominent citizen of Montreal, and was born in this city on February 19, 1861. He received his education at the Montreal High School and at McGill University, graduating with honors in Arts and later in Law. He was admitted to the Bar in 1885, and became a member of the firm of Dunlop, Lyman and Macpherson, the senior member of which is now Mr. Justice Dunlop, of the Superior and Admiralty Courts. In 1903 he became a member of the firm now practicing as Meredith, Macpherson, Hague, Holden, Shaughnessy and Heward.

Mr. Macpherson did not often appear in court, but when he did, the case was certain to be an important one. He took his profession seriously, and was known for absolute thoroughness in every case upon which he was engaged.

ARTIST AND MUSICIAN.

Apart from his profession, Mr. Macpherson was well known in art and musical circles, and was himself a painter and a musician of recognized ability. His paintings have been admired at the Spring Exhibitions of the Montreal Art Association, at which he was a regular exhibitor, and also at the Exhibitions of the Royal Canadian Academy. His work had also been seen at the Paris Salon. One fine oil painting of his, he donated to the Canadian Artists' Patriotic Fund Exhibition.

Mr. Macpherson was a prominent and popular figure in the social life of Montreal. He was a member of the Mount Royal Club, of the St. James's Club, the Montreal Club, and of the Royal Montreal Golf Club. He was president of the Arts Club of Montreal and a member of the Pen and Pencil Club.

In his earlier days he took an active part in football, and later in golf, and in both of these pastimes he made a name for himself.

Mr. Macpherson was a widower, his wife, who was Miss Elliott, a New York lady, having died about ten years ago. Two brothers and two sisters survive him, namely, A. Gordon Macpherson, of Montreal, and Graham R. Macpherson, of New York; and Mrs. Walter L. Jamieson, and Mrs. T. H. Prissick, both of this city. He had many warm friends by whom he will be greatly missed as a genial, warm hearted companion, while his death is a distinct loss to the city.

FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. PHILIP LYNCH

The funeral of the late Mrs. Philip Lynch was held from the Home for Incurables, Notre Dame de Grace.

Mrs. Lynch was born in Montreal seventy-nine years ago and spent her life in this city. Her husband, who was associated with Davis Bros. in the construction of the chain of canals along the St. Lawrence, died in 1898.

Mrs. Lynch is survived by two children, Henry M. Lynch of Woonsocket, R. I., and the Rev. Mary Philip for the past six years superior of Mount St. Michaels School.

MISS DIADEM BELL IS VISITING CITY

Miss Diadem Bell of the Canadian Congregational Mission at Chesambi, West Central Africa, is here for the meeting of the C.C.W.F.M. (quebec Branch) at Emmanuel Church today and Friday. A reception will be given for Miss Bell at 4.30 this afternoon, in the ladies' parlor. After these meetings, Miss Bell will visit churches in the Eastern Townships. Miss Bell is the guest of Mrs. F. W. Read, 2049 Waverley street.

MRS. R. B. MURRAY BETTER.

Mrs. R. B. Murray, who was struck by a street car over a week ago, is now out of danger, and although still suffering from shock, is expected to be convalescent in a week or so.

EUCHRE PUT OFF.

The euchre and entertainment of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association which was to have been held tomorrow, has been postponed until further notice.

AIDS THE RED CROSS

The peace Centennial School staff and pupils have sent in $50 to the Canadian Red Cross Society. This sum was realized at a concert.

THE SOCIAL WORLD

Luncheon for Mrs. Smart.

Mrs. C. A. Smart, who is sailing early in May for England, to join Lieut.-Col. Smart, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given yesterday in Victoria Hall, by the executive committee of the Westmount Soldiers' Wives League. Flags prominently displayed in the decorations, with daffodils and narcissi arranged on the table. Mrs. William Rutherford, president of the League, presided, and the others present beside Mrs. Smart were Mrs. Godbee Brown, Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. A. Thompson, Mrs. C. C. S. Wallace, Mrs. Sydney Phillips, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Alex. Wright, Miss Jamieson, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Chaplin and Mrs. R. D. Martin, who succeeds Mrs. Smart as convenor of the Fifth Mounted Rifles committee of the League. Mrs. Rutherford and Mrs. C. C. S. Wallace, in short addresses, spoke of the splendid work Mrs. Smart has done, and expressed their regrets at her departure.

Benefit Performance.

An attractive event arranged to be given next week is the benefit for the Western Hospital at His Majesty's, on Monday and Tuesday evening, when the Trinity Players are putting on "The Thunderbolt." Most of the boxes have already been taken, some of the holders being Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon, Sir Thomas Tait, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Joseph, Mr. T. L. Lyall, Dr. and Mrs. Austin Irvine, Mrs. R. H. Wilson, Mr. C. W. Lindsay, Mr. C. E. Gadsewill, Dr. Charles Gurd, Dr. Grant Stewart, Dr. and Mrs. George Fisk, Mr. J. Skelton, Mrs. T. J. Drummond. A few other subscribers are: Mrs. J. Alex. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hutchison, Mrs. and Miss Costigan, Mrs. David Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lewis, Dr. and Mrs. Fred Gilday, Dr. F. J. Hackett, Dr. and Mrs. Bramley Moore, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Craig and Dr. and Mrs. Fellde.

Sobey-Smith.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on Wednesday at St. Martin's Church, when Miss Nellie Smith, daughter of Mr. F. C. Smith, of Verdun, was married to Mr. Charles Sobey, of Montreal. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. W. Craig. The bride was attended by her sister Miss Dorothy Smith and Mr. Edward Schippel acted as best man. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Sobey left for Toronto and other western points. They will reside in St. Anne de Bellevue.

Afternoon Bridge.

A bridge of about seventy-five tables was held in Victoria Hall yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Montreal Boys' Club. Vocal solos were pleasingly rendered by Mrs. Herbert Hodgins, whose accompaniments were played by Miss Irene Brophy, and piano solos by Miss Ellen Adair.

A reception with cards and dancing will be held at the Ritz-Carlton on May 13 in aid of the 178th Battalion, being organized by Lieut.-Col. Girouard.

Engagements Announced

Mr. Robert Mitchell, of "Maple Braes," Lennoxville, Que., announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Mabel Marion Mitchell, B.A., to the Rev. Rural Dean Ernest Raymond Roy, M.A., of Cookshire, Que. The marriage will take place in June.

The engagement is announced of Miss Elizabeth Una Kerr, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kerr, of Longueuil, to Lieut. Percy Morris Knowles, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Knowles, of Montreal.

Social and Personal.

Mrs. F. H. Waycott leaves on Monday for a few days' visit with Mrs. Reilly in Port Kent, afterwards going to New York. On Thursday next she is to give an address at the Jersey City Women's Club.

Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon has returned from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. Mrs. McGibbon will spend some time in New York before coming home.

Miss Carrie Murray, of Montreal, is the guest this week of her aunt, Mrs. W. P. Berwick, at "The Netherlands," Brompton road, Sherbrooke, Que.

Mrs. A. E. Adson, who arrived in town from Ottawa for the Hanson-Roxborough wedding, is the guest of Mrs. Alexander Falle.

Miss Dulce Dadwell has gone to New York to spend some time with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Magor.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris P. Bryant are in New York for a few days stopping at the Waldorf Astoria.

Mrs. Henry Ward, of Montreal, is visiting her son, Mr. Henry Ward, in Boston, Mass.

Mr. Charles H. Aikin, of Montreal, spent Easter week at the Fort Garry in Winnipeg.

Miss Annie Bryson, of Ottawa, is visiting friends in town for a few days.

SOCIETY AT THE CAPITAL

OTTAWA, April 27.—The Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair will hold an informal reception at the Chateau Laurier on May 3 following a luncheon which will be given by the Local Council of Women in their honor, and that of the members of general executive board which will then be in session here.

Col. Noel Marshall, of Toronto, spent yesterday in town.

Miss J. O'Brien, of Renfrew, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose O'Brien.

Mrs. C. H. Beddoe is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Kelsey in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Askwith and Miss Ada Askwith are leaving shortly for England.

Mrs. Gordon Cumming is in Kingston, the guest of Prof. and Mrs. E. S. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fauquier have been spending a few days in New York.

Miss Ruth Hubbell and her sister, Mrs. George Pettit, of Montreal, are spending this week in New York, the guests of their uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Brouner.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blackburn are expected home today from California where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCool arrived in town yesterday from Pembroke for the marriage of their daughter Frances, to Lt. W. R. McGee, which takes place on Saturday from the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. M. J. Gorman. They are the guests of Mrs. Gorman.

Miss Frances McCool was the guest of honor yesterday at a bridge and tea given by Mrs. Willis Denny and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose O'Brien entertained at dinner for Lt. McGee and his bride-elect.

Miss Kerwan Martin was the guest of honor yesterday at a Golf Club tea at the Royal Ottawa. Miss Ethel Tudor Mollitt-Lewis, Miss Smith, Miss Hamilton, Miss Elliot, Mrs. Allan Zambert, Mrs. C. A. Palmer, Miss Winifred Wicksteed and Miss Evans, of Toronto, were also present.

Mrs. A. G. Parker entertained on Tuesday evening at an informal dance for her daughter, Miss Grace and Miss Julia Parker.

Lady Borden, Lady Laurier, Lady Caron, Lady Thacheray, Lady Grant, Mrs. J. C. Doherty, Mrs. M. P. Davis, Mrs. J. L. Ch[illegible] and several other ladies were present at a large reception given yesterday by the Society of Patronesses of a Poor, Mme. [illegible]re and Miss France[illegible] friends of the the guests.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO

Dr. Louis de Lotbiniere Harwood, Montreal, 50 today.

'STATE BREAKFAST' GIVEN BY AMERICAN WOMEN'S CLUB

The social activities of the American Women's Club closed with a "State Breakfast" yesterday in the Rose Room of the Windsor Hotel. Each table was decorated to typify a particular state of the Union—pine cones being used for Maine, apple blossoms for Arkansas, buckeyes for Ohio, and so forth, and all present took their places according to the state from which they came. An orchestra played many of the patriotic airs, such as "Marching Through Georgia," "My Maryland," and "Old Kentucky Home"; also various national selections, including "The Maple Leaf Forever." The menu also conformed to the general scheme of arrangements, and included California grape fruit, Louisana gumbo, Saratoga chips, Florida pineapple and other "state" delicacies. The table for New York, which is the home state of the president, was one of the largest, and was centred by a lovely basket of American Beauty and small crimson roses. Seated on either side of Mrs. Waycott were Martin Gorman, the speaker of the day, and Mrs. Gorman. The American eagle, skilfully made in sugar was in evidence, on one side of the room, and some of the windows were draped with the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack.

Greetings from many states were read. Mrs. Waycott presenting those of Mrs. Percy Pennypacker, president of the Federation of Women's Clubs of the United States; and a telegram from the Governor of Maine tendered the greetings of that state. A group of songs, including "The Skylark," was pleasingly sung by Mrs. Griffith, whose accompaniments were played by Mrs. Hodgson.

The closing feature for the day was the address given by Mr. Gorman on the influence of women in moulding and keeping intact the spirit and ideals of the American confederacy. Never since the creation of the Universe had there been such days as are upon us in the present, the speaker claimed, in expressing his conviction that just as women's influence in the early days of the American nation, when even the states were given names with feminine endings, had been for the good of the nation, just so strong would it be should the day come when they might be forced to give up their nearest and dearest even as the women of their adopted country were doing, in defence of their ideals of right and justice.

GOOD PROGRAMS FOR CREATORE BAND

Program arrangements for the week's engagement of Creatore and his band at the Arena, commencing Monday, May 8, are now practically completed. The vocalist for the two first evenings, both of which are benefit performances for the Hervey Institute and the Irish Rangers respectively, is Miss Beatrice Fraser, the Montreal contralto, who will also be heard at the closing performance on Saturday. Merlin Davies, the Welsh tenor, now resident in this city, will be the singer on Wednesday. It is at present intended that Friday shall be the French night of the engagement, in which case the vocalist to be heard that evening will be Mlle. Graziella Dumaine, the young Quebec soprano, who made her debut at the Barrere Woodwind Orchestra concert at His Majesty's a few months ago.

There will be no matinees, but six evening performances, with a large supply of cheap seats on all occasions. According to present arrangements Thursday is to be Italian night. On Saturday the band will give the 1812 Overture.

GIVE TWO PLAYS.

The dramatic section of St. Ann's Young Men's Society will present two one-act playlets at an entertainment to be given in St. Ann's Hall, May 6 and 8. These plays are "The Marble Arch," Edward Rose's comedy, and a farce, "The Manager."

ST. ANNE'S PILGRIMAGE.

St. Mary's parishioners will conduct a pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre June 17. They will leave on the ss. Montreal, returning on Monday, the 19th. The Rev. A. T. Walsh is making the arrangements.

IS PAST PRESIDENT.

In a story in yesterday's Star E. McG. Quirk was called president of the St. Patrick's Society. The new president is Mr. Recorder C. H. Semple, elected to succeed Mr. Quirk a few weeks ago.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB.

The committee of the Women's Canadian Club announce to members who are unable to attend the tea at the Ritz-Carlton tomorrow, at 4.15, that seats will be reserved for them in the gallery.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS

Friday Morning.

Women's Art Society, Stevenson Hall, Art Causerie, 11.

Guy Drummond Chapter, I.O.D.E. Southam Building, 10.

Montreal Housewives' League, Y. W. C. A. Dorchester street, 10.30.

Afternoon

Board of Management of Montreal Presbyterial of the W.M.T., Lecture Hall, Crescent Church, 3.

Evening.

Y. W. C. A., 151 Fairmount avenue, west. All clubs, 8.

War Time Soldiers' Wives' Club, University Settlement Building, 8.

WOUNDED BUT ON DUTY



Major Eric McCuaig, reported in yesterday's casualty list.

MORE MONTREAL MEN MENTIONED IN CASUALTIES

Results of Recent Severe Fighting Seen in the Latest Lists

Many of the Montreal soldiers reported as either killed or wounded, are men who went over with the first contingent in September, 1914, and who escaped injuries, although in a great deal of the severe fighting. The others went out during the past twelve months, and letters recently received from them indicate that at the end of March and the beginning of this month, they were in the thick of it.

Corp. S. Turmaine.

Corpl. Simeon Turmaine, son of N. Turmaine, of 286 Garnier street, enlisted the month after the war began. On April 15 his father received a letter in which he said he was lucky to escape being wounded up to the time of writing. The day following he was killed in action.

Pte. A. Mavor.

Pte. Alec. Mavor, of 271 Gertrude street, Verdun, had a premonition that something might happen for he wrote home on April 7 that they were in a hot corner and he didn't know how they were going to get out of it. He was apparently wounded then, for he died of wounds on April 11. He was 24 years of age and a member of the Grand Trunk Boating Club. He was a member of the Y. M. C. A. and the Verdun Methodist Church. His brother, Corpl. Herbert Mavor, is also on active service.

Pte. G. Gauthier.

No news had been received of Pte. Gilbert Gauthier for four months until yesterday, when his brother, Edgar Gauthier, of 810 Henri Julien street, received a telegram announcing that he had been killed in action. He had been in the trenches for seven months and was 31 years of age. He was a tailor.

Pte. A. Crossman.

Pte. Albert Crossman, who is the son of Mrs. L. Crossman, of 202 Mountain street, has been admitted to No. 1 Canadian General Hospital at Etaples. He is 21 years of age and enlisted in Toronto.

Pte. G. C. Norman.

Pte. George C. Norman, reported wounded, has written several letters to his mother at 11 Coursol street, but she is not known there, and the letters have been returned to the postal authorities. The telegram announcing his wounds has also arrived there, and probably Mrs. Norman does not yet know of her son's wounding by shrapnel. He was in Brandhott Hospital.

Pte. W. McCormack.

Pte. William McCormack, a brother of James McCormack, of 245 St. Martin street, and of Pte. Michael McCormack, of the Irish Canadian Rangers, has been admitted to the hospital at Camiers, seriously wounded in the shoulder and lung. He has been at the front over a year.

Pte. L. Delisle.

Losing the sight of an eye three months ago, Pte. Louis Delisle was evidently determined to get back into action, for he is now reported as being wounded by a gunshot in the knee and in No. 18 General Hospital at Camiers. His wife and two children live at 138a Delisle street, and he formerly worked in the Grand Trunk shops.

Pte. E. Cardinal.

Pte. Emile Cardinal, the son of Lucas Cardinal, of 690a Papineau avenue, is in No. 1 Canadian General Hospital at Etaples suffering from gunshot wounds in both feet. He is nineteen years of age and was born at Valleyfield.

Pte. R. Lafond.

Pte. Rodolphe Lafond, who is in No. 13 Stationary Hospital, Boulogne, has a gunshot wound in the back. He is 20 years old and is a brother of Pte. Henri Lafond, who has been invalided home with shrapnel in the hip. Pte. Lafond was at a listening post on April 8 when his next door neighbor in Montreal, Pte. Beaupre, was killed by his side.

Pte. H. Cochrane.

Pte. Harry Cochrane, son of Pte. H. Cochrane, of the Composite Regiment, and of 1404 Clarke street, has been admitted to No. 14 Stationary Hospital at Wimereux with gunshot wound in the face. He has three brothers on active service.

HERE and THERE

C. H. Luquin, editor of the Colonist, and a former New Brunswicker, has been elected president of the Victoria, B.C., Board of Trade.

There are twelve lady clerks attached to the headquarters of the 3rd District (Kingston, Ont.), and they will go to camp with the staff at Barriefield.

A campaign for recruiting for the navy is having wonderful success in the south and west of Ireland, naval service being apparently more popular there than military.

California has a Japanese population of 60,000, according to an estimate made by the Japanese Consul-General at San Francisco.

A Jacksonville, Fla., man, on a visit to New York, made a bet that if he tried to sell $10 bills for $1 he would not find purchasers. He won his bet, but was arrested for creating a blockade. He did not get a single bidder although the $10 bills were genuine.

REV. FR. McSHANE HOLDS FIGHTERS' IS HOLY CALLING

Montreal Cleric Makes Eloquent Appeal to All Young Canadians

Reverend Father Gerald McShane of St. Patrick's Church has a high conception of the duty of the young man to his country. His belief is summed up as follows:

"I will not undertake to say to any individual young man, singling him out specially "Go, my boy! It is your duty. There may be obligations and claims of a still higher order with which I am not acquainted. But I will say that Canada and the preservation of Canadian privileges has a positive claim upon the services of every fit and free young man; that there is a call and a Mission of a character and of a nature so sacred, that no man can stifle it in his heart can leave it unheeded.

"I regard the soldier's profession as a real vocation, I regard the entrance into that profession as a call as sacred and as God-inspired as the call to any particular career or avocation in life; and as there is no feeling of the human soul so pure and sublime as love of country, as there is no act of man so noble as that of dying for his country so there is no calling or profession so grand and so worthy of admiration as the mission of the soldier who fights for his country.

"Some day, young men who are listening to me, that call will resound in your ears, and it will be as clear and distinct and as unmistakable as your father or mother's voice. Once you hear it, there is no human influence that can hold you back. That voice, that call, has been heard by many a young man of your acquaintance, nay of your very close and intimate kinship, and the very best of our youth and the finest types of our Canadian manhood have already generously responded.

THE CALL MAY COME.

"That call may come to you, young men, tonight, as you gather around this platform and listen to the leaders of thought in this country, the most sincere and unimpassioned men of our people. It may come to you on the street, as our gallant Rangers march by, and the sound of their bugles awakens in the recesses of your hearts yearnings and generous desires that you never experienced before.

"It may come to you in the silence of the night when hour after hour passes by, and you wonder what it is that drives the needed refreshing sleep from your heavy, drooping eyelids.

"It may come to you in the midst of that pure, serene atmosphere of the sanctuary of your home, where the sweet family ties that bind you to your loved ones never seemed so strong or so soothing to your heart.

"No matter how or when that voice is heard, let me say, in the beautiful words of Holy Scripture, which we can afford to apply here without any profanation or straining of their meaning:

"If today you should hear that voice, do not harden your hearts.

"Do not turn away and try to drown that voice by the excitement of a pleasurable, sensual life, or by the arguments and reasonings of an unbalanced attachment for your home and for your kith and kin.

"If today you should hear that voice, do not harden your hearts. If today you should hear that voice, do not, in the name of God, in the name of your country, do not harden your hearts.

SACRED CONCERT

The choir of Sherbrooke Street Church gave a sacred concert last night repeating the major portion of the Easter music. The classics was assisted by W. J. Gittus, tenor, John Legassick, bass; and Miss Mabel Mattice, elocutionist. Mrs. Otis, soprano soloist and Mrs. Saberton, contralto soloist, of the choir also contributed special numbers. The solo by the organist Mr. Markland, was much appreciated.

Afterwards Mrs. Otis was presented, on behalf of the choir, with a Canadian flag on the occasion of her departure for a time to the United States.

PLAY SHAKESPEARE

The J. Wilfrid Wilkinson Associate Players will give scenes from "The Merchant of Venice" and "Hamlet." Tomorrow Leslie Palmer, formerly with Sir Henry Irving, Cyril Maude and Martin Harvey will play Shylock. Others taking part are the Misses Pearl Stroud, Clare Wilkinson and Pauline Chambers, the Messrs: J. W. Wilkinson, Gerard Inwood, R. Kenyon, S. Kenyon and Basil Q. Austin. This performance will be given in Victoria Hall, Westmount, at 8.15.

CHATEAU DE RAMEZAY.

The monthly meeting of the Antiquarian and Numismatic Society will take place at the Chateau de Ramezay, tomorrow evening, at 8. John Boyd, will read a paper on "Thomas Storrow Brown and the Quebec Rising of 1837—Some new historical data."

TALK ON "JUSTICE."

The lecture-recital in the Baron de Hirsch Institute this evening under the auspices of the Baron de Hirsch Book Club, by David Dainow on "Justice," a tragedy by John Galsworthy, will be open to the public. S. W. Jacobs, K.C., will preside.

HIS MAJESTY'S THIS WEEK
MATINEE SATURDAY
KLAW AND ERLANGER present
HENRY MILLER AND RUTH CHATTERTON
In Jean Webster's fascinating comedy
DADDY LONG LEGS
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IMPERIAL
LAST DAY—TODAY
FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN BEVERLY BAYNE
HELEN DUNBAR, ROBERT CUMMINGS, EDWARD BRENNAN
All of whom have appeared here in person, are presented in "THE WALL BETWEEN."
Tomorrow
PAULINE FREDERICK
In "AUDREY."

ST. DENIS
LAST DAY—TODAY
ALBERT CHEVALIER
In a Sympathetic Drama
"THE MIDDLEMAN"
Tomorrow
FRANK DANIELS
In "CROOKY."

THE REGENT
Today and Friday
Norma Talmadge and Thomas Jefferson in "THE MISSING LINKS."
Sam Bernard in a Keystone Comedy
"BECAUSE HE LOVED HER."
Coming "Peg O' The Ring."
CORNER OF PARK & LAURIER AVES.

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PHOTO PLAYS DE LUXE
Today and Tomorrow
ELLA HALL and ROBERT LEONARD
in the latest Bluebird Drama
"The Crippled Hand"
Coming Pearl White in person

TODAY
"THE SCARLET ROAD."
Tomorrow Dorothy Bernard in
"THE LITTLE GYPSY."
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The Regiment will parade at the Armoury, Cathcart street on Thursday, April 27th at 8.15 p.m. sharp for March Out and Battalion Drill; Uniform Drill Order, Bugle Band and Stretcher Section to attend.

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BERLIN CALLS OFF UNDERSEA DOGS FOR U. S.

Crisis Has Passed — Realizing America Means What She Says, Germans Will Perpetrate No More Outrages Pending Negotiations

Special to The Montreal Star by Carl W. Ackerman, of the United Press.

BERLIN, via Amsterdam, April 27.—The crisis in the German-American situation growing out of the submarine controversy has virtually passed.

There will be no rupture of diplomatic relations predicated on any developments to date.

The United Press is able to make this statement today on most excellent authority.

Pending negotiations for a more complete understanding, German submarine commanders will be under certain explicit instructions from the Admiralty. What these instructions will be is not known. They will be of such a nature, however, as to furnish assurance that there will be no repetition while negotiations are in progress of the acts complained of by the United States.

The high point of danger is said to have been reached and passed two days ago when the Foreign Office received certain information respecting the attitude of President Wilson.

Opinions differ as to whether chief credit rests with Ambassador Gerard or Ambassador Bernstorff. The latter unquestionably has displayed and important part, since it is generally understood he was given a rather free hand in handling the negotiations.

Although matters have not reached a complete settlement, there is a feeling of confidence here that Bernstorff will be equal to the present situation, since he has handled successfully earlier negotiations.

External evidences of the changed situation are manifest on all sides.

The tense atmosphere of a few days ago has given place to an atmosphere of eager expectancy as to just what form the settlement will take. Delay due to awaiting a reply from Ambassador Bernstorff will postpone the sending of a formal reply to Washington for several days.

See Hope in Note on Armed Merchantmen for an Adjustment

Special to The Montreal Star by United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Hope of a peaceful settlement of the submarine issue was increased in Congress today when members read Mr. Lansing's memorandum defining proper activities by armed merchantmen, and warning Americans to keep off those which do not live up to the terms named.

This State paper, upholding several German contentions, would tend toward peace, members thought, for these two reasons:

First, its publication might suggest to German officials a way to accede to United States demands, a course otherwise difficult because of the reported attitude of the German public.

Second, it recognizes the submarine as a legitimate weapon, and lays down the principle that armed merchantmen must "be fair" to submarines if they expect to be protected as merchantmen.

In the belief that this memorandum may be a factor in maintaining peace between Germany and the United States, some senators and representatives show marked relief.

To members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee today, Senator Stone confided the result of a conference with President Wilson last evening, in which all diplomatic situations were discussed. What the President's future program is Senator Stone refused to say, but he appeared satisfied and hopeful that the submarine question was clearing.

The Japanese protest was up for consideration at a meeting today of the Senate Immigration Committee.

BERNSTORFF WORK FOR PEACE.

Special to The Montreal Star by Robert J. Bender of the United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—German officials in Washington, and American officials in Berlin, are doing their utmost to avoid a rupture between the United States and Germany on the U-boat question. Ambassador Gerard has informed this Government of the progress being made, and some official word from the German Foreign Office is expected to be on its way to Washington by Saturday.

President Wilson has been informed Ambassador Bernstorff is striving to bring about a satisfactory adjustment of the difficulties involving the two nations.

So long as German officials seem to be working vigorously to meet the President's views, it is believed unlikely that the President will demand greater haste or take any other action for the present at least that might embarrass the German Foreign Office in its work.

Official reports of editorial comment in the German press shows that newspaper opinion is so divided that a clear understanding of the German position cannot be gained at this time.

NO CHANGE IN LONDON EMBASSY.

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, April 27.—The American Embassy here has received no instructions from Washington concerning any preliminary steps for the turning over of Austrian, German and Turkish interests to other hands in case of the severance of diplomatic relations with Germany.

A despatch from Washington last Saturday said the United States Government had made tentative plans to cope with every conceivable situation which would rise from the severance of diplomatic relations with Germany.

While officials deemed it unwise to discuss the details, the despatch added, there was reason for the belief that some of the plans had to do with the safety of Americans in the German Empire and others with American supervision of the interests of the Teutonic Allies in countries at war with them.

$35,000 PAID FOR HOUSES AND LOTS ON MANUFIELD ST.

The following real estate transfers were recorded in the city this morning:

Herbert A. Matley sold to Miss Frances Murray lot 1424-6 St. George ward, with buildings, fronting on Mansfield street, No. 142, for $35,000.

Elizabeth and Flavie Sanders sold to Georges Laplante lot pt. 1195-15, 16, Lafontaine ward with buildings fronting on St. Hubert street, Nos. 668 to 672, for $13,000.

Antoine Laurence sold to City of Montreal, lot 1291 St. Mary ward, area 6.175, vacant, fronting on Sherbrooke street east, for $12,350.

Ed. Painchaud and others sold to Joseph Sanche, lots 15-927, 928 1-2, S. E. 15-929, St. Jean Baptiste ward, measuring 50 x 72, with buildings fronting on Henri Julien avenue, Nos. 668 to 674, for $6,500.

Sheriff of Montreal sold to J. Stanislas Picard lot 172-1034, 1-2 S. E. 172-1035, Rosemount ward, measuring 37.6 x 78, with buildings fronting on 8th avenue, Nos. 455 to 455e, for $6,050.

Sheriff of Montreal sold to Isidore Valiquette, lot pt. S. E. 34a-262, Outremont city, measuring 20 x 92, with buildings fronting on de l'Epee avenue, Nos. 730 to 730b, for $5,800.

Zepherin Daoust sold to Miss Elodie Daoust, lot 166-301, St. Mary ward, with buildings fronting on Garnier street, Nos. 691 to 695, for $3,700.

LONDON, Ont., April 27.—Relatives have been advised that Alex. Wilson, formerly of Kemptville, is dead at Moose Jaw from injuries received by falling on a slippery sidewalk. He was a Fenian raid veteran.

Mrs. James Crawford, of Kingston, and Mrs. James Weir, of London, are daughters.

The Western Hospital

AN APPEAL

The Western Hospital, Montreal, now regarded as one of our leading philanthropic institutions is in need of help and has decided to organize a Relief Campaign beginning in May.

The Western Hospital has made no organized appeal to the public for many years.

The deficits from year to year has now reached a total of over $50,000.00

To avoid curtailing the work of the Hospital this sum together with enough to meet current expenses must be raised.

The Hospital covers all that large area West of Windsor Street and the Emergency Work alone is only exceeded probably by one other Hospital.

The campaign will commence on May 1st, returnable May 15th.

The Manufacturers, Governors and General Public will be canvassed.

On May 1st and 2nd, the Trinity Players will give a two-night's performance at His Majesty's Theatre of Sir A. W. Pinero's "Thunderbolt."

On Saturday, May 6th, a Hospital Saturday on the lines of those held in London, England, will be held, the permission of both the Cities of Montreal and Westmount having been obtained.

On Sunday, May 14th, a special collection will be made in the West End Churches.

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CHILDREN WILL HAVE CHANCE TO SEE WAR FILMS

Special Performance of "Britain Prepared" Arranged for Youngsters

MARVELLOUS VIEWS OF EMPIRE'S MIGHT

Official Army and Navy Pictures Depict Every Detail

"Britain Prepared," The Montreal Star's wonderful film which attracted thousands to the Princess Theatre two weeks ago, and which is this week playing a special return engagement there, received another ovation last night, when nearly every seat in the theatre was taken.

The performance deserves the unusual success which it has met since its first appearance here. The record crowds which saw the picture during its first visit here have been duplicated again this week.

The marvellous pictures of the silent fleet, that "somewhere in the North Sea," guards the destinies of the Empire, prove awe-inspiring in the impression of majesty and power which they convey. Great Britain's sea-power is visualized to the people as never before.

Dreadnoughts loom up in the mist, with their frowning guns ready to belch forth death and destruction; trim cruisers, graceful and swift, patrol the line, while destroyers and submarines, screen the movements of the floating arsenals such as the Iron Duke, and the Queen Elizabeth. Every picture was greeted with applause last night, but the navy have struck a particularly responsive chord.

The work of the army was the first part of the program. This series includes views of munition factories, with their myriad workers, reviews of troops, and extraordinarily vivid scenes of life in the trenches. Machine guns, cycle corps and bomb and grenade parties are shown at work. The construction of wire entanglements and the devastation wrought by big guns bring home the task being accomplished by The Empire.

The Montreal Star proposes that every child in Montreal shall have a chance of seeing these great war pictures, and has made arrangements for a school children's performance at a special reduced price. This school children's performance will be given Saturday morning at 10:30, and the admission will be 15c to any part of the house.

The prices for the regular performances are: Evenings, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00; matinees, 25c and 50c.

DOMESTICS FROM OLD COUNTRY ARE HIRED QUICKLY

The first contingent of overseas domestic servants, brought out by the Protestant Directorate of Female Immigration, arrived yesterday. They came out on the Allan liner Pretorian, and were escorted by Mrs. Bowden, from Glasgow. The party consisted of some fifty young women, part of whom remained in St. John N.B. About forty arrived at the headquarters in Montreal, 622 Dorchester st. west. Eighteen remained in Montreal, and the rest went on to Toronto. As an instance of the dearth of domestics in the city, forty written applications, and many verbal ones had been received by these eighteen newly arrived girls.

The Rev. Canon Renaud, president of the organization, received the group from the Old Country. A pleasant evening was spent at the headquarters, where the Rev. John Chisholm welcomed them. Miss Katherine Louttit is lady superintendent at "Dorchester House." The prospect of this new association is so great that adjacent quarters will be secured. The City Council is setting apart a flag day, proceeds from which will go to the association for the purpose of receiving and distributing soldiers' widows.

The association is a new venture, formed under Dominion Government auspices, and is composed of representatives of the various religious body constituting the Evangelical churches of Canada. It differs from other bureaus by its maintenance of a domestic training school, by the elimination of all personal gain and by its placing the domestic in a position without personal cost to her. A social centre is also to be maintained, to which the girls can resort for rest, recreation and intellectual and moral elevation.

Those composing the association are:

The Rev. Canon Renaud, L. H. Davidson, LL.D., the Rev. F. Elliott Baker, members of the Church of England; the Rev. John Chisholm, B.A., the Rev. W. D. Reid, B.D., J. R. Bowden, members of the Presbyterian Church; the Rev. I. E. Hart, D.D., Lorne C. Webster, and another to be chosen, members of the Methodist Church; the Rev. T. W. Davidson and John Anderson, members of the Congregational Church; the Rev. L. M. Denton, D.D., and W. H. Chapman, members of the Baptist Church; the Rev. John Keehley and Mrs. P. C. Casselman, members of the Lutheran Church.

LIBRARY CLOSED FOR TAKING STOCK

Annual stock-taking is taking place at the Westmount Library. Every book now in circulation is stamped due to be returned on or before April 27. There are almost 20,000 volumes to be checked with a shelf-list, and many of them are ready for repairs and renewals, for a library of that size which circulates its books 8,000 times in one month—and 68,000 times in a year is bound to wear out. Very splendid work is being done in the reference library also, and it is hoped to keep the reading room open for the magazine readers as usual, but the circulation department will be closed the first three weeks of May.

A FAMILY OF SOLDIER BROTHERS AND BROTHERS-IN-LAW



Reading from left to right, top row:—Driver Alfred Lloyd, Ammunition Column, First Contingent; Pte. A. F. Harvison, 24th Battalion; Pte. Albert Lloyd, 60th Battalion, formerly proof reader on the staff of The Montreal Star; Pte. Austen Lloyd, 2nd Field Ambulance. Bottom row—Corp. R. A. Harvison, 24th Battalion; Pte. George Lloyd, 60th Battalion; David Lloyd, R.N.R.; Pte. Edwin Lloyd, 2nd Field Ambulance.

SIGNALLING IS ATTRACTIVE WITH 5TH HIGHLANDERS

The 5th Royal Highlanders of Canada are now well over the 700 mark and are rapidly increasing in strength. Already some of the companies are almost fully recruited, and it is expected by Lieut.-Col. Montserrat and officers of the regiment, that both battalions of this unit will soon be up to full strength.

Open air work for the season has commenced and much useful training will be received shortly in active service conditions by both officers and men, in the brigade field days and evening parades. The work of the signalling section is just starting for the year and it is proposed to recruit it up to a strength of over thirty. The departure of the 42nd Battalion left the ranks of the "Mother" regiment very much depleted; but in no company was it as noticeable as the signal section, which practically enlisted in a body in the C. E. F. battalion signal section, leaving only a few signallers.

RECRUITING NOW.

It is proposed to start immediately to accept men at 8 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays, at the Highlanders Bleury street armory, so that beginners may soon get under way.

Rapid recruiting of this section should not prove difficult as there is already a substantial basis of six qualified signallers, who hold "A" certificates, the highest grade obtainable. Another reason is that the work to be undertaken is most attractive and interesting.

The class for the new men will begin in a few days and except for the first few evenings will consist of open air work as much as possible. Beginning with "semaphore" with flags, the men will then have "Morse" with both flags and lamp, attention being paid to both sending and receiving. Later on they will join those more advanced, in further work with flag and lamp, in addition to practice with the buzzer, telegraph, telephone, and heliograph at short and long ranges. Dispatch work will also be given attention and lectures will be given from time to time in conjunction with the practical work.

The beginners will have the special advantage of being able to work with trained signallers in the outdoor work, so that it is expected the training will progress rapidly and ensure a well trained section in a short space of time.

Signalling is rapidly growing more and more important and in the brigade manoeuvres which are to take place in the near future, great responsibility will rest upon the signallers, whose duty it will be to keep the various units in touch with headquarters by all means in their power such as flag, heliograph, wire, motor-cycle or cycle despatch riders.

TENEMENT HOUSES DEVASTATED BY FIRE

Fire, commencing in the rear shed of a row of tenement houses at 556 to 570a Aylwin street, yesterday, spread with such rapidity that, in less than an hour practically the whole block was devastated. The origin of the fire is unknown, but the flames soon grasped the old and wooden balconies in the rear and foot by foot, despite the efforts of the firemen, crept from end to end.

Most of the women were preparing the evening meal and were forced to leave hurriedly, having barely time to gather up a few of their most precious belongings. The fire, however, was chiefly kept to the upper houses, the roofs of which caved in after the first half hour. The three upper flats were practically gutted, while the lower ones were badly damaged by smoke and water. The damage will amount to several thousand dollars.

Prisoners' Aid Finds Fewer Need Help from Society

The Prisoners' Aid Society assisted over 500 ex-prisoners during the year just closed, this number being a decrease of 1,524, as compared with the total of the previous year. Those to whom a helping hand was extended on completion of their sentences, were given food, clothing, medical assistance and in numerous instances were secured positions.

The falling off in the number is attributed, in large measure, to the recruiting work, which has kept many out of the magistrate's court. The treasurer's report showed that the receipts were $1,031, and disbursements $602.08, leaving a balance on hand if $429.81. The association solicits the assistance of the public and gifts of clothing, reading matter or money.

BOY SCOUTS HOLD COMPETITION



This is the Hugh Paton Ambulance Trophy, which was competed for by teams of Boy Scouts for proficiency in First Aid Work. The competition took place yesterday at the Y.M.C.A. Hall, 127 Drummond street, between six teams of five boy scouts each. S. A. Gidlow, superintendent of the C.P.R. branch of the St. John Ambulance Association, acted as chief examiner.

FRENCH COCK IS BEATING GERMAN EAGLE IN POSTER

The new poster just out for the 150th Battalion, French-Canadians is one of the most effective and striking "silent appeals" issued in the city, which has seen so many splendid posters. This one is effective not only because of the vivid coloring, but because of the design, which is the work of A. G. Racey, The Star cartoonist, who has made the battalion a gift of his work.

The poster is novel in many respects. The background represents the tri-color of France, while in the foreground is the figure of a soldier in khaki, pointing to a battle royal going on between the Prussian eagle and the Gaulois cock. The fight is taking place on a globe on which is a map of the world, and the French cock is making the feathers fly and is driving the Prussian eagle off the European section of the map. The French-Canadian soldier is represented as appealing, in French, to the French-Canadians to go with him in the 150th Battalion to help the French cock gain the victory. In the lower left hand corner there is the announcement that the commanding officer of the 150th Battalion, in Lieut.-Col. H. Earle, Clerk of the Legion of Honor, and that the headquarters of the battalion for recruiting are at the 65th Armory, Pine avenue, and also at the Craig Street Drill Hall.

The poster should help the recruiting officers in their efforts to get the 400 men that are needed to complete the battalion which is training at Amherst, N. S.

MEET TONIGHT TO NAME CANDIDATE IN MAISONNEUVE

Differences over the selection of a Liberal candidate in Maisonneuve will come to a head tonight when a meeting will be held at 527 Notre Dame street to choose an independent candidate to oppose the Hon. J. L. Decarie, who is confidently expected to run as the official Liberal candidate.

Conservatives too, have an important meeting at Ville Emard Town Hall, where Philomen Cousineau, leader of the party will speak, supported by R. Monty, K.C., Ald. L. H. Boyd, K.C., and C. E. Guerin.

Liberal headquarters denied today the report that the Liberal candidate in Vaudreuil would be other than J. Pilon, retiring deputy. It had been said that Mr. Pilon would take a Government post to allow Dr. de Lotbiniere Harwood to run. Reports, too, of a Liberal split in Laprairie seem premature, for Wilfred Cedillot, chosen by the Liberal convention last Monday, has not yet said whether or not he will run. He will reply Sunday.

Liberal conventions are to be held at Ayer's Cliff, for Stanstead county, tomorrow, at Waterloo for the County of Shefford, on May 1, and in Compton on May 2.

THE WEATHER:

PROBABILITIES.

Today and tomorrow: Fair, not much change in temperature.

Pressure remains comparatively low along the Atlantic coast, and the high area which was over Manitoba is moving slowly eastward with diminishing intensity. Local showers have fallen in Ontario and the Maritime Provinces. The weather has been fair with moderate temperature in Quebec and quite warm in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Temperatures.

	Highest yester. day	Lowest during night
	8 a.m.	
MONTREAL	48	34
Toronto	53	42

Does Newspaper Advertising Pay?

A large paint manufacturer asked this question of retailers throughout the country:

NO 9 SAID:

"I think newspaper publicity a necessity to get the best possible results from an advertising campaign.

"It not only brings customers to the store, but when we solicit business it is much easier to sell a paint that has been advertised locally than one people have never heard of. I think it is money well spent."

GRAFT CHARGES MADE IN REPORT MAY BE A PROBE

Ste. Jean de la Croix School Board Matters Laid Bare—Money Made on School Site and in Other Illegal Ways

An enquiry, which may result in the institution of either civil or criminal proceedings in connection with the administration of the funds of the St. Jean de la Croix School Board, will open forthwith. One connected with educational matters in the district, but who does not to be quoted saying that the matter had not as yet opened before competent authority, declared today that it was certain that steps would be taken to thresh the matter thoroughly. He pointed out that a few weeks ago, a case was heard in court wherein disqualification of a member of the Board was asked on the alleged grounds that he had accepted a rake-off on the purchase of a school site. Since then, an accountant had been looking into the affairs of the Board, and he has discovered information of a character sufficiently interesting to be laid before the next meeting of the Board.

St. Jean de la Croix commissioner covers the territory situated in the neighborhood of St. Lawrence street, above the subway, and it derives its population from the parish of the same name. When the wholesale annexations were going on a few months ago, it was destined to be annexed to the Montreal Catholic Board, but it was later dropped from the list of adjacent municipalities so annexed.

Mr. Justice Lafontaine, when seen this morning, was under the impression that it had been annexed, and declared himself as strongly in favor of conducting a thorough probe into the alleged charges made.

The investigation has thus far been carried on by J. B. A. Gervais, accountant and Mr. Gougeon's report was read last night to a special meeting of taxpayers held in St. Jean de la Croix hall. Dr. E. Poulin, who made charges that precipitated the inquiry, was thanked for his aid, and urged to continue the candidature for the Liberal representation of Laurier ward in the provincial Legislature.

The accountant declared that a former official had realized 25 cents a foot on land he bought and re-sold as a school site, that a commission of $750 had been paid on a $15,000 loan floated by the commission, that a reported surplus of $23,292 in the commission's finances was really a deficit of $7,626, and that a former school commissioner had benefitted by securing the contract for repairs to commission buildings and by getting payment through cheques made out to one of his relations.

HIPPODROME FOR MAISONNEUVE IS NOT SMILED UPON

Maisonneuve's ambitious plan for a hippodrome in connection with its park scheme was given a blow by Montreal today, when the Board of Control passed a resolution telling the neighboring municipality to go slow.

The resolution was moved by Controller Villeneuve and seconded by Controller Amos. It recalls that the Maisonneuve City Council has advanced $5,000 to the Park Commission, that the proposed hippodrome will cost a lot, and that the city has experienced trouble in floating debentures. Consequently, as Maisonneuve has expressed a desire to be annexed to Montreal, Montreal tells Maisonneuve to spend the $35,000 — a part of it on levelling work only, and that other "improvements" like the hippodrome be left in abeyance.

"AQUARELLE" IS PUZZLE PICTURE

A French-Canadian, who did not know that "aquarelle" was the French for "water color," lost his case before Mr. Justice LeBeuf yesterday.

The Canada Manufacturing, Importing and Distribution Co. sued J. Jolicoeur, notary, for $39 balance on the purchase price of photogravures and other pictures. Jolicoeur refused to pay because, he said, he had been informed after the sale that four of the pictures were not aquarelles—though he did not know exactly what an aquarelle was. He considered that misrepresentation had been made. Mr. Justice LeBeuf said Jolicoeur must have known that he could not buy aquarelles at $1.00 or $1.50 this being the price per picture purchased. The court condemned Jolicoeur to pay the $39 demanded.

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Contributions to the fund for the Scotch Hospitals for Foreign Relief may be sent in to Mr. A. E. Holt, Royal Trust Company, Montreal. This fund was inaugurated by Miss Kathleen Burke, organizing secretary of the Scottish Hospitals, who spoke in Montreal, recently, before the Canadian Club and the Red Cross Society. Splendid work has been done by these hospitals in France, Serbia and Salonika. Miss Burke is touring Canada and the United States to gather funds to extend the scope and usefulness of these hospitals.

Canadian Casualties

TWO CASUALTY LISTS CONTAIN NAMES OF 168

Eleven Montrealers Among the Dead and Twelve are Wounded

MAJ. G. L. McCUAIG SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

Four Officers are Mentioned Among Wounded in Afternoon List

OTTAWA, April 27. — Monday's battalions suffer heavily in the midnight list of casualties, containing 122 names. Seven Montrealers are reported killed in action, four dead of wounds, and eight wounded.

Included in the list of wounded is a well-known Montreal man, Maj. Geo. Eric McCuaig, son of Mr. C. J. McCuaig, of 562 Mountain street. The Major is reported to be slightly wounded, but still on duty.

In the list of 122 names are thirty-seven of those killed in action, twelve are dead of wounds, sixty-seven wounded, three missing, one of whom is believed to have been killed, and three ill.

Montrealers reported killed in action are:

Duncan Shepherd McFadyen, kin at 265 Mance street.

Stanley Morris, kin at 174a Versailles street.

Robert Anderson, kin at 79 Knox street.

Robert Easson, kin at 537 Ninth avenue, Rosemount.

Harold Sunderland, kin at 312 Phillipe street, St. Henri.

Albert Edward Wiggins, kin at 505 Greene avenue.

Corp. Christopher Robert Brown, kin at 84 Grand Trunk street.

Montrealers who are reported dead of wounds are:

Joseph Daly kin at 39 Fort street.

Alphonse Dusseault, kin at 608 St. Valier street.

James E. Gillard, kin at 1028 St. Andre street.

Ernest Hemond, kin at 206 Carrier street.

MONTREALERS WOUNDED.

Montrealers in the list of wounded are:

Samuel Sagan, kin at 1613 St. Denis street.

Dudley Harcourt Sutherland, kin at 1528 Mance street.

Paul Turpin, kin at 60 de Gaspe street.

Frank Desgroseilliers, kin at 2591 Notre Dame street.

Arthur F. Mott, kin 2618 Drolet street.

Lance-Sergt. Eugene Lepine, kin at 121 Davidson street.

Trooper Wm. F. Walker, kin at 1943 Papineau avenue.

The 6 p.m. casualty list contains the names of forty-six Canadian soldiers, of whome one is reported killed in action, and forty-five wounded.

Four officers are mentioned in this list of wounded. They are Capt. Wilfrid Ferrier Peterman, of Cobalt; Lieut. Geo. E. Kingsford, 18 St. Joseph street, Toronto, a son of Deputy Police Magistrate Kingsford, of Toronto; Lieut. Aneas Douglas Armour, of Vancouver, a son of Mr. Douglas Armour, formerly a well-known Montreal lawyer, but now in Vancouver, and a grandson of the late Chief Justice Armour, and fourth Lieut. James Lovett, of Ayr, Ont.

Montrealers mentioned in the 6 p.m. list are **Albert Crossman, of 202 Mountain street; Robert Edgar Grenough, 441 Richelieu street; Geo. Jones, 119 Leber street; and Sapper Herbert Parkes, 26 35th avenue, Lachine.** All four are wounded.

Many Montrealers in Midnight List

INFANTRY.

Killed in Action.—135272, Frederick Ellsworth, kin at 66 Hamilton st., Toronto; 488159, Pioneer Alexander Gibson, kin at Newport Station, Hants County, N.S.; 56196, Edward Hooey, kin at 253 Ashdale avenue, Toronto; 56196, Edmund Raymond Jarvis, kin at 253 Jarvis st., Toronto; 62497, Ernest Edward Johnson, kin at 72 N. Waterloo st., Stratford, Ont.; 54074, Edward Miller Kennedy, kin at Owen Sound, Ont.; 29231, Robert Hugh Kerr-Wilson, kin at St. Laurent, Man.; 166822, Pioneer Arthur Edw. Lusty, kin at 118 Shaftesbury ave., Toronto; 457307, **Duncan Shepherd McFadyen, kin at 265 Mance st., Montreal;** 55731, Leslie Walter Mahon, kin at 72 Concord st., Toronto; 454312, Harry Markus, kin at 1264 Bloor st., West Toronto; 10672, Thomas Mole, kin at 54 Scollard st., Toronto; 66810, John Herbert Molloy, kin at Exeter, Ont.; 65641, **Stanley Morris, kin at 174a Versailles st., Montreal;** 41065, Orrin Pettigrew, kin at North Green Village, N.S.; 66280, William Dyer Holmes, kin at 30 Dingwall ave., Toronto; 14174, Frank Romeo, kin at 61 Park st., N. Sydney, Cape Breton; 416848, **Robert Anderson, kin at 79 Knox st., Montreal;** 55431, Harry Arscott, kin at 64 Jarvis st., Toronto; 438020, Leonard Armitage, kin at — Pine st., Port Arthur, Ont.; 54, Samuel Lloyd Boyer, kin at — Main st., Vancouver, B.C.; 65113, Corp. Christopher Robert Brewer, kin at 84 Grand Trunk st., Montreal; 55, John Alfred Bruton, kin at 242 Ossington ave., Toronto; 10067, Wm. Brown, kin at 58 Wood st., Toronto; Lieut. Leo Buchanan, kin at Regina, Sask.; 10771, Reginald Howard Bullock, kin at 1 Spadina road, Toronto; 442011, Frederick Ernest Carter, kin at Box 475, Kamloops, B.C.; 56854, Sergt. Albert Edward Clarke, kin at 6 Argyle st., Halifax, N.S.; 52134, Harry A. Cooper, kin at 68 Yonge st., Toronto; 256, Colin Sterling Cowie, kin at 9 Albert E. Cordery, kin at 259 Earlscourt ave., Toronto; 63862, James Cowan, kin at 873 Broadview, Toronto; 65301, **Robert Easson, kin at 537 Ninth ave., Rosemount, Montreal;** 132872, Ernest Lloyd Sanders, kin at 69 Montrose ave., Toronto; 66274, James Raphael Sullivan, kin at 266 Dundas st., Carbondale, Penbro; 63850, **Harold Sunderland, kin at 312 Phillipe st., St. Henry, Montreal;** 476062, **Albert Edward Wiggins, kin at 505 Green ave., Montreal.**

Died of Wounds—56104, Ernest Belch, kin at 28 Foucher street, Toronto; A10751, Thomas Burke, kin at 175 York street, Toronto; 55188, **Joseph Daly, kin at 39 Fort street, Montreal;** 45785, **Alphonse Dussault, kin at 608 St. Valier street, Montreal;** 426310, Charles Lionell Dutton, kin at Summerberry, Sask.; 65370, **James E. Gillard, kin at 1028 St. Andre street, Montreal;** 62202, **Ernest Hemond, kin at 206 Garnier st., Montreal;** 74209, Sergt. Patrick Jeffries, kin at Mulvihill P.O., Man.; 1261, George Mitchell, kin at 10 Milton ave., Hamilton, Ont.; 424361, Percy Sheffield, kin at 1499 Tenth Street, Brandon, Man.; 13411, Sergt. Edmund Thornhill, kin at St. Godard de Lajemmerais, Que.

Died—56056, John Cyril Thornton, kin at 561 West 139th street, New York.

Missing—55637, Geo. Gass, kin at Niagara Falls South, Ont.; 166433, Pioneer William Stokes, kin at Midnight, Cobalt, Ont.

Missing, Believed Killed—56067, Harry Wesley, kin at RR No. 1, Lamb Ste Marie, Ont.

Seriously Ill—448103, Oliva Germain, kin at St Jude, Que.; 440720, Ernest Arthur Hiniff, kin at Prince Albert, Sask.

Wounded—56949, Leon Aylen, kin at Arcola, Sask.; 13490, James Baillingdine, kin at Battleford, Sask.; 6455, Jacob Bell, kin at Box 25, Sydney Mines, C.B., N.S.; 61199, Eugene Boissvert, kin at Hessisville, Que.; 434421, Fred Bonning, kin at 50 Maitland street, Halifax, N.S.; 67745, sergt. John R. Brice, kin at 69 Albemarle street, Halifax, N.S.; 442027, James Ernest Brown, kin at Kamloops, B.C.; 420336, Frank Pearson, kin at Oakbank, Man.; 10811, Earl Ralston, kin at Midland, Ont.; 166635, Pioneer Vincent Jos. Rivard, kin at 159 Water street, Ottawa; 141759, John Robertson, kin at 27 Randolph street, Welland, Ont.; **65866, Samuel Sagan, kin at 1613 St. Denis street, Montreal;** 454231, Geo. Saunders, kin at Jellyco, Ont.; 497103, Robert John Sawbridge, kin at Box 133, St. Davids, Niagara, Ont.; 55706, Arthur Bertram Smith, kin at 22 1-2 Edward street, Brantford, Ont.; **65951, Dudley Harcourt Sutherland, kin at 1528 Mance street, Montreal;** 477903, James Francis Tanner, kin at No. 4, B Block, Wellington Barracks, Halifax, N.S.; 454808, Wm. Turnbull, kin at 1183 Dovercourt road, Toronto; **61532, Paul Turpin, kin at 60 De Gaspe st., Montreal;** 70008, Thomas Vicaire, kin at Restigouche, Bonaventure Co., Que.; 68023, Robert Waeyein, kin at Cape Canso, Guysboro Co., N.S.; A11070, John Cameron, kin at Nutana, Sask.; 8426, Chas. Henry Cassidy, kin at Ottawa; 55172, Geo. Moss Clarke, kin at 603 Clinton street, Toronto; 61510, Joseph Clermont, kin at St. Jacques de Mineur, Que.; 67272, Corp. Edgar Collins, kin at Florence, C.B., N.S.; 66102, Gordon Cross, kin at Dolson Junction, Que.; 406500, James Cunningham, kin at 109 Harney street, Chatham, Ont.; **61327, Frank Desgroseilliers, kin at 2591 Notre Dame street, Montreal;** 65263, Lee Sterman Dickson, kin at 189 Grand ave., Kansas City, Mo.; 20607, L. D. Doucherty, kin at Parma, Idaho; 477275, Richard Edmundson, kin at 19 Dean street, Woonsocket, R.I.; 67755, Calvin Emery, kin at Port Hawkesbury, N.S.; 51153, Jos. Flynn, kin in England; 65362, Albert Gibson, kin in Ottawa, Ont.; 408984, Pioneer Gordon Yycett, kin at Steelton, Ont.; **Major George Eric McCuaig (slight, on duty) kin at 682 Mountain street, Montreal;** 67934, Peter McDaniel, kin at Margaree Forks, Inverness Co., N.S.; 65686, Geo. G. McDonald, kin at 12 Queen street east, Toronto; 67402, John McKenzie, kin at Whitney Pier, C.B., N.S.; 76014, Lance Sergt. Andrew D. McKenzie, kin at Athabasca Landing, Alta.; A29109, Charles MacKinnon, kin at Charlottetown, P.E.I.; 65700, D. I. McLean, kin at 540 Canal street, Holyoke, Mass.; 406769, William McLean, kin at Caledonia, Ont.; 457,656, Henry McMichael, kin at Grantevlie, South Carolina; 154620, Corp. Alfred Mathieson, kin at 109 Ninth street, Calgary; **65645. Arthur F. Mott, kin at 2618 Drolet street, Montreal;** 55248, Corp. Earl de Loss McNeely, kin at Brooklyn, Ont.; 446713, Pat O'Brien, kin at Dominion Hotel, Calgary, Alta.; A4095, Arthur R. Green, kin at 251 Lansdowne ave., Toronto; 458051, John R. Hamilton, kin at Shebeshekong, Ont.; 11138, Andrew Hart, kin at 72 Brock ave., Toronto; 414369, Robert Norman Heffer, kin at 193 Campbell road, Halifax, N.S.; 430203, William Hewson, kin at Cranbrook, B.C.; 430653, Pioneer Archie Irwin, kin at Virden, Man.; 414835, Geo. Johnston, kin at Truro, N.S.; 405626, Edgar Edward Ketcheson, kin at Frankfort, Ont.; 65529, R. Kingston, kin at 508 Main street, St. John, N.B.; 61217, Henri Lacoste, kin at 28 St. Paul street, St. Johns, Que.; 477518, Frank Lavin, kin at 215 Lisgar street, Toronto; 163619, Herbert Leat, kin at 55 Gillespie ave., Toronto; **61396, Lance-Sergt. Eugene Lepine, kin at 121 Davidson street, Montreal;** 56188, Corp. Wm. Waldrum, kin at 6 Derby street, Dundas, Ont.; 412167, John Earl Walker, kin at Napanee, Ont.; 400891, Robert White, kin at 42 Church street, Windsor, Ont.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Wounded—111257, Lance-Corp. Roland Golmer Johnston, kin at 191 Charlotte street, St. John, N.B.; 405393, James G. Raines, kin at 347 Rhodes avenue, Toronto.

ARTILLERY.

Killed in Action:—Lieut. Cyril Keith Aylen, kin at Fort Saskatchewan, Alta.

CAVALRY.

Seriously Ill—49190, Trooper Wm. F. Walker, kin at 1943 Papineau avenue, Montreal.

Four Officers Named in Afternoon List

INFANTRY.

Wounded:—Lieut. Angus Douglas Armour, kin at 1118 Cardero Street, Vancouver, B.C.; 171015, Corp. Frederick Ernest Arnott, kin at No. 68 Beek Ave., Eglinton Ave. East, North Toronto; 68388, Charles Clarence Bennett, kin at 61 Bloomfield Street, Halifax, N.S.; 432355, Amos Geo. Bentley, kin at Bronson P.O., Hastings, Ont.; 451068, William Henry Chambers, kin at 272 Bartlett avenue, Toronto; 68256, William Arthur Davis, kin at 38 Dufferin Row, St. John, N.B.; **57831, Albert Crossman, kin at 202 Mountain Street, Montreal;** A11108, Reginald Gordon Hamilton, kin at 1857 McIntyre street, Regina, Sask.; 414369, Robert Norman Hefler, kin at 193 Campbell Road, Halifax, N.S.; 166799, Pioneer Edward Hodges, kin at 29 York ave., Mount Dennis, Ont.; 147484, Charles Lavallee, kin at England; Lieut. James Henry Lovett, kin at Ayr, Ont.; 67496, Kenneth Archie McAulay, kin at Glace Bay, C.B., N.S.; 74187, Lance-Corp. Benjamin Dilworth, kin at 102 Fourth ave. east, Dauphin, Man.; 415846, Bowman A. Durkee, kin at Bear River, N.S.; A11050, Grant Fowler, kin at 212 Esplanade East N. Vancouver, B.C.; 67159, Albert Gordon, kin at Yarmouth, N.S.; **66104, Robert Edgar Grenough, kin at 441 Richelieu St., Montreal;** 100750, Arthur P. Grimes, kin at Clarenville, Penn.; 442092, Robert Haldane, kin at Olds, Alta.; 414782, Arthur Hall, kin at Elgin St., Spring Hill, N.S.; 455251, Russel Victor Hartwick, kin at corner Mary and James Sts., Lindsay, Ont.; 67429, Frederick W. Hennesy, kin at Port Hawkesbury, N.S.; 67163, William Hersey, kin at Yarmouth, N.S.; 75685, William Herbert Hume, kin at Ladner, B.C.; **66154, Geo. Jones, kin at 119 Leber St., Montreal;** Lt. Geo. E. Kingsford, kin at 18 St. Joseph St., Toronto; 67140, John C. McInnes, kin at 24 1-2 St. Norzane St., Quebec, Que.; 154255, Pioneer Henry William Mallett, kin at 1314 Albert St., Vancouver; A11068, Avard Yuill Mathews, kin at Craik, Sask.; Lt. Edgar Willard Mingo, kin at Denmark, N.S.; 444104, Douglas Murray, kin at St. Stephen, N.B.; 154661, Pioneer David Myles, kin at 1309 Garnet St., Regina, Sask.; Capt. Wilfrid Ferrier Petermann, kin at Cobalt, Ont.; 68380, Reginald Purcell, kin at 9 Slater St., Halifax, N.S.; 75431, Corp. Robert A. Scott, kin at General Delivery, Vancouver, B.C.; 453699, Norman Gilchrist Stroud, kin at Orillia, Ont.; 67297, Dana Thompson, kin at Welmouth Falls, Yarmouth Co., N.S.; 404951, Frederick William Watts, kin at 110 Peter St., Toronto; 453178, William Wilkes, kin at 443 Gerrard St., East Toronto.

ENGINEERS.

Killed in Action. — 107, Sapper Henry Thomas Edwards, kin in England.

Wounded—28, Robert Byers, kin at 723 Cannot St. East, Hamilton, Ont.; 501165, Peter McNeill, kin at Florence, N.S.; 65763, Sapper Herbert William Parkes, kin at 26 36th ave., Lachine, Que.; 68439, John Strang, kin at 16 Crescent St., Sydney Mines, C.B., N.S.

In times of peace London contains sixteen embassies and legations representative of foreign countries.

VISCOUNT FRENCH REMEMBERS YPRES.

Special to The Montreal Star from Our own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, April 27—The anniversary of the battle of Ypres brought a felicitous message from Field Marshal Viscount French. He cabled the Premier:

"I cannot allow the anniversary of the second battle of Ypres to pass without once again expressing my profound admiration of the gallantry of the Canadian troops, and my high appreciation of the invaluable assistance they rendered."

Sir Robert Borden replied:

"The people of Canada appreciate most deeply your message of yesterday. On their behalf I send warmest thanks. We are assured that the Canadian Expeditionary forces will always maintain the splendid traditions so firmly established a year ago."

CAN'T BE DOWNED



Up bobs Billy Bounce Asquith again, still serenely smiling.

FRENCH REPORT GERMAN LOSSES ARE VERY HEAVY

Attempts of Huns to Advance Stopped by Curtain of Fire

PARIS, April 27.—The following official communication was issued by the War Office last night:

"North of the Aisne there was a bombardment on both sides in the region of the Bois des Buttes. The total number of prisoners taken by us in last night's attack has reached 158, of whom four are officers. We captured two machine-guns and a bomb-thrower.

"In Champagne our artillery carried out concentrated fires on the enemy parks in the Dormoise Valley.

"In the Argonne our batteries were very active against the German organization at Hill 235, Vauquois and in the Cheppy Wood.

"West of the Meuse a violent bombardment occurred in the region of Avocourt, Hill 308, Esnes and Montzeville. There were some artillery gusts at Le Mort Homme.

"East of the Meuse and in the Woevre the two artilleries were less active. A long-range German gun fired this morning in the direction of Varangeville and Luneville.

"In Lorraine a German attack, which attempted to debouch on our positions north of Senones, was stopped short by our curtain of fire. Several prisoners, one of them an officer, remain in our hands.

"According to the latest report, the losses to the Germans in the course of the attack yesterday on our salient at La Chapelotte amounted to 1,000 men.

AVIATORS VERY ACTIVE.

"Aviation—An avitik which had lost its way, made a landing in our lines in the neighborhood of Rosieres (Oise). Two officers were made prisoners. An enemy aeroplane, taken under the fire of our guns, fell in flames in the direction of Bagatelle, north of Four-de-Paris.

"The German aeroplane which fell yesterday inside the enemy lines near Vauquois and was destroyed by our guns was brought down by Sub-Lieut. Navarre. This is the ninth enemy machine brought to earth by him.

"Last night our bombing aeroplanes were particularly active in the region of Verdun. Fourteen shells were dropped on the parks and biouvacs in the outskirts of Etain; four on bivouacs near Damvilliers, six on the Brieulles station; fifteen on the Conflans station; six on the Joeuf-Homecourt Steel Works; ten on the Mezieres station, and two on Rethel.

"The same night our aviation corps similarly carried out numerous bombarding operations in the region of Roye. Eighteen shells were dropped on a munitions depot south of Villers-Carbonnel, where powerful explosions were heard. Twelve bombs were dropped on the Blaches bridge, and 38 to the north of Roye.

"On the night of April 25-26 a German dirigible dropped about a dozen bombs in the region of Estrées Reutin, and Paris-Plage. Two British soldiers were slightly wounded. The material damage was insignificant.

"The Belgian official communication reads:

"There was great artillery activity during the morning, especially in the region of Dixmude and Steenstraete. A reciprocal bombardment occurred today at other points on the front."

CARSO TRAGIC BATTLEFRONT.

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, April 27.—The Morning Post's on the Italian front writes: "The hills of Carso might well be called hills of death. In no theatre of the war has there been so macabre and tragic battlefront as the Carso. The main characteristic of this army, whose achievement is sometimes wrongly considered slow or too careful, is that it has never given up an inch of ground conquered on a front of more than 600 kilometres.

"Each shell as it bursts scatters the rocks in a thousand splinters deadly as bullets. This is one reason why the Italian losses are so heavy. Many corps have been living for months under these terrible conditions."

"It made me shudder to see many soldiers, exhausted by fatigue, asleep leaning against a trench parapet, with mangled arms unspeakably horrible sticking out in many places.

"The Carso is the centre of a furious struggle between the two armies, each endeavoring to wear the other down. The Austrians have concentrated about a million men in front of the sector of Gorizia and on the Carso. The next offensive will be one of the greatest of the war. The Italians are waiting impatiently, sure of victory."

DIED OF WOUNDS



Pte. A. Mavor (Died of Wounds) 271 Gertrude avenue, Verdun.

FIRE IN MILITIA STORES CAUSED LITTLE DAMAGE

OTTAWA, April 27. — Damage to the extent of about $5.000 was done by fire, which broke late last night in the central militia stores. The blaze was confined to the section of the building in which it was discovered, which contained hospital auxiliaries, agateware, brushes, blankets, wooden trays, etc.

The staff had stopped work for the night only a short time before the automatic fire detector sent in the alarm and the building was vacant at the time. It is thought one of the staff may have been lighting a cigarette after quitting work and may have thrown down the lighted match.

A peculiar part of the affair is that while there is a strong military guard outside the building there is no watchman inside, and the firemen arrived just as the guard was being turned out after having noticed the blaze in the interior of the building.

It was first reported there was an explosion, but this was later found to have been the report from an engine on one of the big military trucks. The guard refused the public access to the building.

There are a considerable number of machine guns and a quantity of small arms ammunition stored in the building.

Beauty Doctor Tells Secret

Detroit Beauty Doctor Gives Simple Recipe to Darken Gray Hair and Promote Its Growth.

Miss Alice Whitney, a well-known beauty doctor of Detroit, Mich., recently gave out the following statement: "Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray hair, promote growth and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 oz. bay rum, a small box of Orlex Compound, and ½ oz. of glycerine. The ingredients can be bought at any drug-store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray-haired person look twenty years younger. It is also fine to promote the growth of the hair, relieve itching and scalp disease, and is excellent for dandruff and falling hair."—Advertisement.

Life and Character Reading
APRIL 27.

This horoscope shows that you are under the sign of Taurus, which covers all birthdates between April 19 to May 20.

A most auspicious horoscope for Jupiter, the "God of Fortune," is in the ascendant today. A child born today will achieve great honors in the legal or business world, where system is dominant.

Your birthstone is the emerald.

You have a tendency to be very extravagant. You like fine clothes and are proud of external appearances.

You will handle large sums of money and lose large sums of money through speculation.

Only a regular, daily round of work will bring you to lasting success, but routine is very difficult for a Taurus person to follow.

On this day you should search the Montreal Daily Star Want Ads for a position as a salesman. Mercantile pursuits will be favored through the Montreal Daily Star Want Ads.

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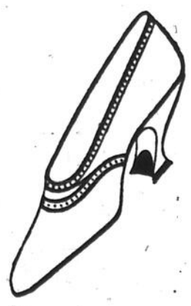
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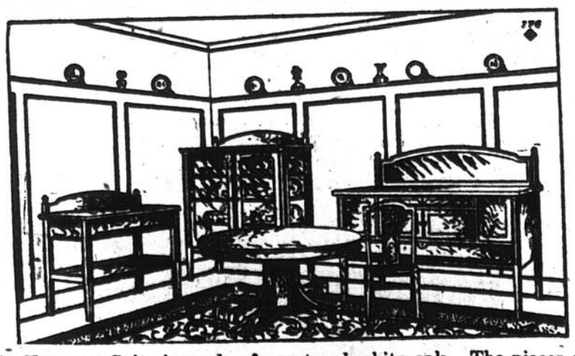


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COL. CARNEGIE TELLS HOW WAY WAS PAVED FOR FUSE CONTRACTS

Describes Interviews in New York—Admits Receiving Letter From British Consul-General Counselling Against Signing Contracts Before Seeing Him—Saw Colonel Allison at General Hughes' Suggestion

Special to The Montreal Star From Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, April 27.—The meeting in New York, where the way was paved for the fuse contracts, which form the basis of the judicial inquiry by the Meredith-Duff Commission, was related by Col. David Carnegie in his evidence yesterday afternoon.

The colonel told of meeting Co. Allison and Messrs. Yoakum, Caldwell, Bassick and Baker in New York, and discussing with them the contract for fuses, but when the commission rose he had not gone far into the circumstances of the interview. He admitted having received from Sir Courtney Bennett, British Consul-General in New York, a letter counselling against signing any contract for time fuses until he had been seen.

Before he saw the Consul, he saw Col. Allison. Col. Carnegie testified he had been asked by Gen. Hughes to interview Col. Allison, who, he said, would put him in touch with manufacturers who might reduce the price.

In the earlier part of his afternoon evidence, Col. Carnegie again referred to the difficulties of negotiating a fuse contract in Canada, and told of the falling through of a proposed contract with a Dr. Harris, of the Standard Asbestos and Fuse Company, a concern said to have been located in Toronto.

Afterwards, the negotiations with Yoakum and his associates were entered upon, Col. Allison acting as an intermediary.

When the Commission rose the witness was just entering upon his account of the New York meeting, preliminary to the contract.

ASKED UNDERSTANDING.

At the opening of the afternoon session, further correspondence which had passed between Col. D. Carnegie and Col. Nicholls, was submitted. In a letter written by Col. Nicholls to Col. Carnegie on February of last year, the following occurred:

"I note that both you and the Minister of Militia are anxious to establish a factory at Peterboro. It is of course true that we have excellent facilities there, but I am absolutely of the opinion that it would be unfair to my company to commence the manufacture of munitions unless we have the definite understanding as to how we are to absorb our costs.

"You will readily understand that it would be an expensive matter to develop the manufacture of fuses, and if by any good chance the war were to end in the near future, there would no longer be any extraordinary demand for fuses, and we would probably be left with the equipment on our hands."

The letter declared that it would be necessary to send two or three engineers over to Great Britain to inspect premises of manufacturers there and secure the services of experts. The letter continued:

WANTED GUARANTEE.

"It would be necessary to have some definite guarantee before we undertake this work, although I believe we would perhaps ultimately develop manufacture better than any other concerns in Canada. There are so many conditions that a manufacturer has to contend with.

"For instance, I am and I think you are aware that the inspection of shrapnel being manufactured in Canada was altogether different in the Montreal district from what it is in our own factory, and we have been subjected, in my judgment, to great loss unnecessarily and therefore I am not disposed to engage in any fresh emergency work when we have to deal with unknown conditions.

"If the Department are anxious for us to manufacture fuses, I would repeat my previous proposition, namely, that we would provide the facilities and engage in the manufacture, they paying the cost of the actual development of the first 20,000.

"By the time these are turned out, the manufacture will have been established and we will be in a position, with full knowledge of the facts, to negotiate a contract for further orders."

Mr. Hellmuth: I notice that Col. Nicholls says that "If the Department are anxious for us to manufacture fuses. . . . I would report my previous proposition, namely, that we will provide the facilities and engage in the manufacture, they paying the cost of the actual development of the first 20,000.

WAR OFFICE WAS TO PAY.

I understood you to say before lunch that the Imperial Government were willing to pay the cost of the first 20,000. Did Col. Nicholls tell you in conversation that he would go to the expense of creating a plant if the first 20,000 were paid for?

Col. Carnegie—In conversation with Col. Nicholls I laid out just what I understood to be the terms as expressed to me by the Imperial Officials—the terms on which they would provide an order for 20,000 fuses, the cost of which would be met, that is, the manufacturing cost.

Sir Wm. Meredith—Is there anything in the word "development?" I should have thought it meant capital expenditure.

Mr. Hellmuth—Was Col. Nicholls' proposition that the War Office should pay for the cost of the development of the plant necessary for the production of fuses?

The witness—I understood so.

Mr. Hellmuth—And you understood that the War Office was merely going to pay for the cost of manufacture?"

That is so.

You answered the letter of Mr. Nicholls of February 27, that "I quite understand your position on fuse manufacture and unless some definite course is decided, I should advise you to keep out of this, but ultimately you might take it up?" read Mr. Hellmuth.

After that had you any further correspondence or interview with Mr. Nicholls about fuse matters, I mean about this time.—Not as far as I know.

OFFER FOR No. 80 FUSES.

On March 16 a cable was sent to "Troopers" that No. 80 filled fuses could be manufactured in Canada at the rate of 5,000 a day. A reply was received on March 20 from the War Office that it was prepared to consider the offer, and asking what opportunity the company had of getting the right kind of powder for time fuses, and the possibility of delivery in four months. What was the matter you had in mind when the cable of March 16 was sent? What enabled you to say you were prepared to consider this?

The cables were the outcome of a meeting in Montreal I had with Edmund Bristol, of Toronto, and H. W. Finn. It was explained verbally certain proposals to be put before the Commission, the company having heard we considered manufacturing fuses.

Witness then mentioned the name of a man who was said to be an officer in the army of a certain country.

Wallace Nesbitt, K.C. — "In the evidence the names of high ordnance officials of different countries should not be mentioned. They have nothing to do with this. There are one or two officers who have already got into trouble, and it would be well to leave out their names.

F. H. Markey — This man is not with the U. S. army now. He is employed by the Remington Arms people.

Witness went on to say that he told Mr. Penn that any proposal could be only regarded as a tentative one and that an investigation would follow.

STANDARD ASBESTOS OFFER.

Then Mr. Hellmuth read another cable sent to the War Office saying: "We are investigating supplies of correct range No. 80 time fuse. Have other proposal in Canada of U. S. fuse, the same as supplied by U. S. A. Satisfied with the ability of firm to carry out contract of 4,000 a day with delivery within three months, provided the contract is for 1,000,000 fuses, provided first 20,000 are satisfactory at $5.60, packed in cases, F. O.B. Montreal."

"This proposal," said the witness, "was from Dr. Harris, who represented the Standard Asbestos Co. of Toronto. Mr. Cushing and a certain officer came to Montreal, having heard we were anxious to get fuses, and he put the proposal before us."

"Then another cable came from 'Trooper,' on March 25, which read: 'We should prefer No. 80 fuse for use of high explosive shell, the price is high indeed, wire what can be done.' You sent this answer on March 29: 'Will quote amended price on receipt of drawing and specifications of fuse, delivery not before six months; can supply same as U. S. shells, adjusted to the same weight as No. 80, at $5 each, 4,000 a day, with delivery three months from date of contract of 1,000,000.' Were you a party to that cable?"—Yes, I sent it.

Mr. Hellmuth—I find a cable from the Premier to the High Commissioner, dated 7th April, 1915. Did you know of this?—Yes, but it was sent when I was away.

WOULD REDUCE PRICE.

Mr. Hellmuth read the cable, wherein the Premier stated that he had that day had a conference with Gen. Bertram, who informed him that Canadian factories were turning out 50,000 eighteen-pound shells per day. The experience gained in the past six months would enable the factories to reduce the cost. Gen. Bertram was sure that if four or five million additional shells were ordered, the price would be reduced. Sir Robert referred to the employment resulting from the orders and hoped more of them would be secured.

On April 14 another cable was sent to the War Office wherein the Shell Committee said it was prepared to take an order for four or five millions more shells, complete with fuses. Shrapnel would be $18 and high explosives $17.50, deliveries to run concurrently with those already promised.

The War Office answered on April 17, authorizing the committee to divide the five million shells as follows:

One-third shrapnel, 18-pounders, one-third 4.5 Lyddite, and one-third high explosives. The cable added: "Fuses for shrapnel must be 22 cents. Where will the fuses be obtained. We are apprehensive of interfering with existing orders in the United States?"

Col. Carnegie, on April 23, cabled—"The shell committee is prepared to divide five million rounds as suggested. Will supply 4.5 lyddite at $16.50, including the shell complete, with case and primers, but not including propellant."

MEETING WITH AMERICANS.

What concerns in the United States who would later move to Canada were you to get these fuses from?—I understand that it refers to the proposal made by Dr. Harris regarding the supply of fuses. The result was that when I returned to Ottawa on April 26, these men were there—Harris, R. A. Patterson, and a lawyer named Hoy—acting for a company known as the American Machinery and Foundry Company. Then set forth that they had been in touch with certain companies in the States who would undertake to do the mechanical parts of the fuse. They said they had been in negotiation with the Dupont Company to do the loading. We took the particulars they gave us, but I was not satisfied as to their loading, and I decided to go to the United States to investigate.

Was Harris then living in Toronto or New York?"—In New York.

"On the 27th you sent a cable to the War Office." May we proceed," —urgent."—Yes.

REFERRED TO ORDER AS WHOLE.

What is the explanation of it? — I regard it as referring to the order for the complete shell as a whole. The War Office instructions did not seem sufficiently definite so we sent the cable.

And on the 28th the War Office cabled "please proceed? — Yes.

Mr. Hellmuth. — I see that on April 30 you got a cable from the War Office addressed to the Minister of Militia, "Can you now quote for No. 80 H. E. Shell?" Perhaps you can explain that. It seems you had not quoted for anything but complete shells. Now you are asked —"Can you quote for No. 80 fuses."

"You gathered from that," Mr. Hellmuth went on, "that the War Office were rather changing their mind as to the type of fuses. Instead of the graze fuse, they would use the mark 80 time fuse?"—"That is so," the witness replied.

In reply to a question by Mr. Justice Duff, Col. Carnegie said that the No. 80 fuse would require a slightly greater impact to explode than the graze fuse.

A letter was produced, dated May 1, 1915, from Stewart and Stewart, of Montreal, inclosing paragraphs of a draft contract for fuses as between the Shell Committee and the Standard Asbestos and Fuse Company of Toronto.

Mr. Hellmuth—Is that the company of which you said Mr. Harris spoke?—Yes.

CLAUSES IN DRAFT CONTRACT.

Among the paragraphs suggested for insertion in the draft contract with the Standard Asbestos and Fuse Company were the following:

"The contractor undertakes to deliver 5,000,000 fuses of at least two different designs in accordance with drawings No. — and specifications No. — to be supplied by the shell committee. Delivery to commence in 4 months from date of receipt of drawings, specifications and gauges. The rate to be 5,000 per day, increasing to 30,000 per day in six months, and a total of five millions to be supplied in one year from date of contract.

"The price of $4.50 to include the fuses complete with tin packing cases as per specifications." Advance payment equal to two-thirds of the cost of the finished fuses to be made to the contractor."

Col. Carnegie said that the proposed paragraphs were drafted from notes of an interview he had had with Dr. Harris.

Then came another cable to the War Office in which Col. Carnegie said (May 1st.): "Regret that company which undertook to load fuses now decline to work to specifications. Recommend now that accept instead 85 fuse same as American Locomotive Company has undertaken to supply you. Cannot find any company now willing to load 80 fuse without English expert assistance."

Relating how the company had come to decline to go on with the work, Col. Carnegie said he went to Wilmington and saw the Duponts, Mr. Dupont then said that the negotiations they had had with Dr. Harris and his associates had fallen through. The Duponts were prepared to go so far and no farther. They would supply powder as supplied to the manufacturers of the 85 fuse, but would not undertake to supply powder to comply with the conditions required in the specifications for the British 80 fuse.

UP AGAINST A STONE WALL.

On Col. Carnegie's return to Canada, he met Dr. Harris, and the latter and his associates said that if, the Duponts were willing to supply powder for the No. 85 fuse they would be prepared to go on, but the question of erecting a local factory if the War Office would allow the No. 85 fuse came up.

"I spoke to Gen. Bertram," Col. Carnegie went on, "and told him we were against a stone wall, that we had taken a contract and could not deliver the fuses. I sent the wire from New York to the War Office."

W. H. Finn, of the Manufacturers' Contractors Co., wrote a letter to Col. Carnegie on May 2, that they had a plant as good and as capable as any in the United States to make fuses. They could test any fuses sent them, reload, reassemble and retry it to know its possible limit of production with their powder, and what blending would be necessary to produce proper results.

"We have the only factory able to do this and to teach new hands," the letter read. "We have just what you need if you wish to supply your Government. We are able to furnish fuses quicker than any other factory. If you can divide the 5,000,000 so that 1,500,000 come to us, 1,500,000 to any other company, and the balance of 2,500,000 to whichever can do the best, we could then see what we could do."

Mr. Hellmuth—"That's a carefully written letter from the company as to making fuses for you. Why was not the offer taken up?"

Col. Carnegie explained to Mr. Hellmuth that the price from the company was $2.50, loading, and $4.60 for a complete fuse, No. 85.

Witness said he had been referred to this company by Mr. Dupont. "I saw they had one loading press installed, and he had one expert, a foreman. I was not satisfied with what I saw from the point of view of comparison. I saw Harris perts and Mr. Finn's proposal was not equal to this."

WANTED BEST EXPERTS.

E. F. B. Johnston, K. C.: What was your special objections to the Finn factory. As far as I was concerned, it was comparison. I wanted the best experts to carry out the work. They had one expert against four or five experts.

Mr. Hellmuth: What experts are there in Canada in regard to making No. 80 fuse?—None that I know of; except the Mr. Kirby of the Canadian General Electric Company, who had been employed at Vickers and who also had experience in testing and loading.

What about the United States? How many there?.—None whatever.

When you were speaking of experts you meant experts on No. 85 fuse? — "Yes, none of No. 85 were made in the United States.

None under the British contracts of the Morgan people?—None.

"On May 10 the War Office asked for a quotation for a new style of fuse known as number 100. What did that mean?" asked Mr. Hellmuth.—We took it to be a query for a fuse order apart from a shell contract with fuses.

Col. Carnegie went on to say that on receiving this cable he wired to Major Laurie, an inspecting officer for the British Government, at Waterbury, and also to J. P. Morgan, asking for drawings of the 100 fuse. He got them.

"When did you go to New York in May?—I went on the first and again on the 13th.

When you arrived in New York did you get a letter from British Consul Bennett?—Yes, on the 14th, as I left the train, a man was shouting my name. He had two letters—one for me and one for Gen. Bertram.

Mr. Hellmuth read the letter. It read:

"Dear Col. Carnegie:

"May I ask you not to sign any contract for time fuses till you communicate with me? This is most important in the interests of Canada."

Did you see the British Consul?—Yes, I arranged with him to meet him at noon.

At this juncture the name of Col. John Wesley Allison was introduced in the proceedings.

"What did you do in the morning after you had arranged for the interview at noon?" asked Mr. Hellmuth.

"I had previously arranged to meet the manufacturers introduced to me by Col. Allison."

Where did you meet Allison first?

It was in London, the first of the year. I had arranged to go to Lord Moulton, a manufacturer of explosives. Sir Charles Ross had asked me to introduce him to Lord Moulton, when I was in the room with Sir Charles a Capt. Sifton came in to speak to him and I went out. I passed the time of day with a man in the outer room and when Sifton came out he said: "Oh, don't you know Col. Allison?" We were then introduced.

Did you have any business with him?—No.

When did you first meet him afterwards?

It was on May 1st, in New York. What took place then?—I was asked by Gen Hughes to call on Col Allison, who he suggested might put me in touch with manufacturers who would bring down the price of fuses. I saw Col Allison, who asked me to call on him that evening.

Was Gen Bertram with you?—No, I was alone.

Did you see anyone else than Allison that morning?—No.

Col. Carnegie continuing, said it was understood that Col Allison would introduce him to the men at the Manhattan hotel.

Mr. Hellmuth Were you alone?—Yes.

MR. YOAKUM IS MENTIONED.

"I called," Col Carnegie went on, "and was introduced by Allison to a Mr. Yoakum and a Mr. Craven."

That would be on the second of May?—Yes.

Was General Bertram in New York?—No.

When you saw Yoakum and Craven what took place? Was the conversation in regard to them? I asked Mr Yoakum and Mr. Craven if they knew anything about fuses. They said no. I said "Can you introduce me to the men that do?" They said yes, they would. I said: "Meet me at the hotel on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, and bring your manufacturers."

What day of the week was May 2?—Sunday.

Mr. Carnegie then related how on Monday, May 3, he visited the Scovill Manufacturing Company at Waterbury to see what the difficulties were in the way of making the No. 85 fuse and if assistance could be obtained from the Scovill Company.

Mr. Loss, the managing director of the Scovill Company, said they were obligated to the Bethlehem Steel Company for whom they were acting as sub-contractors. Loss promised to go to New York and see the heads of the Bethlehem Steel Company and see if the Scovill Company would be allowed to undertake part of the contract. Afterwards Loss wired that it was impossible.

Col. Carnegie told also how he met Col. Birnie, of the International Arms and Fuse Company.

ENTER MANUFACTURER BASSICK.

Mr. Hellmuth: On Tuesday, May 4, you were to meet Yoakum, Craven and a manufacturer? Yes, I met at 10 o'clock Mr Yoakum, Craven and Bassick.

What was the result of that interview? Mr. Bassick asked me for time to look into the matter. I gave him drawing and specifications.

Was Col Allison present? No.

The interview ended about 11, the witness proceeded, and he went to see a Mr Allen, who had undertaken to supply the aluminum parts of fuses. Col Carnegie had made an appointment for an interview with the British Consul General in New York on May 14. Col Carnegie did not report again to him for he and the Shell Committee had found it New York.

Mr. Hellmuth: What manufacturers did you meet in New York on the 14th?

Col Carnegie replied that Gen. Bertram and he, on the request of the Shell Committee, went to New York to investigate the Bethlehem proposition as it would not be on the 14th.

INTRODUCED TO CADWELL.

We were introduced by Allison to Mr Caldwell, of the Bethlehem Steel Co. Yoakum, Col. Allison and myself. It was at the Manhattan hotel. Present were Bassick, Caldwell, Baker, Loss, Yoakum, Craven and other manufacturers, whose names I have not got, and the object of the meeting was to learn from Bassick what his proposition was. He introduced us to Mr. Caldwell as the one who would be the main manufacturer undertaking the contract if it was placed with them, and he would be responsible for the loading.

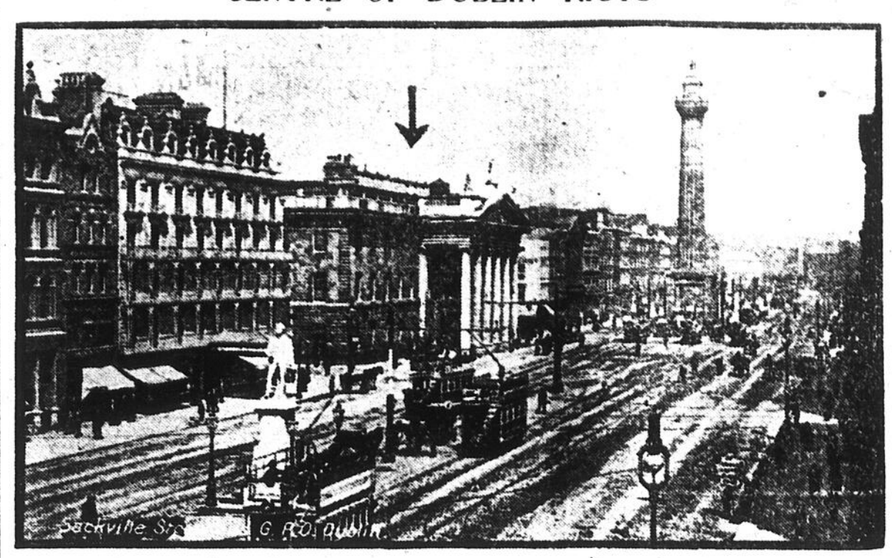
"Mr. Caldwell brought with him Mr. Gladeck to assure us that whatever contract he took up for the loading would be carried on successfully, because Gladeck had been employed by the Bethlehem Steel Company, and also by Scovill, in connection with the loading of time fuses. Then Bassick brought manufacturers representing companies prepared to do the mechanical parts of fuses."

Mr. Hellmuth: Was any contract entered into or agreement? None whatever.

The inquiry was adjourned till this morning with a tiff between Mr. Johnston and Mr. Nesbitt.

Mr. Johnston wanted Mr. Nesbitt to produce some papers, but this Mr. Nesbitt declined to do until he knew, as he put it, whether Mr. Johnston was Jekyll or Hyde in the inquiry.

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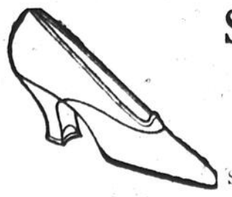
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Everything looks right and promises for the big fight at the Drill Hall tonight. Frankie Fleming, who has charge of the unfortunate mix-up caused by the attempt of the authorities to stop the contest, has left nothing undone to see that the Colonel's orders were carried out. He had but a short time to prepare for the fight, as over the long distance 'phone he is in south Hope, and Eddie Wallace has the same thing.

Of the two boys, the friends of Wallace show an air of considerable confidence.

Considering the crowd of fighting men and civilians that the boxers will have to face, the fact that the Chief-of-Police has the stakes, and the upset that has been caused by the attempts to stop the fight and the very slippery eel, Gilchrist, the New York prize-fighter broke it, who has played such a game part in the trouble "that he hopes the boys will be thrown out of the ring without pay if they do not fight," ought to guarantee a "bout that is a bout."

HISSED OUT OF HALL.

Both men seem to be anxious to do their best, both also apparently realize that if they stall they are liable to be hissed out of the hall.

The sale of seats has been big and not since George Kennedy put on his now historical wrestling match between Zbysco and LeMarin, at the Westmount Arena, has there been a professional event of such magnitude.

The entire 163rd Regiment will be present.

REGIMENTAL BAND.

The Regimental Band will furnish the music.

The Mayor and City dignitaries and high military officers will be in attendance.

The program will be opened at about half past eight.

The Fisher Midgets will start it with exhibitions of boxing and bag-punching.

Then there will be two preliminaries of which a set-to between Kid Hubert and Kid Burns will be the last.

The main bout will be started about a quarter to ten.

Wallace did his last training this morning in the shape of a short walk.

This afternoon he went to a show, after that he had an early dinner consisting of a rare steak, and then he laid down till it was time to go to the hall.

Frankie Fleming will not leave Laprairie, till just in time to reach the hall.

FLY IN THE OINTMENT.

There is only one fly in the ointment. Should Fleming lose, it is barely possible that his friends may advise him not to hand over the Championship belt, as it is likely on

BACK TO DUTY



Sergt. Edgar T. Lane, of the 24th Battalion, who has returned to duty after recovering from wounds and been promoted from private to sergeant. He is a well-known member of the Duck Pin Bowling League.

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108-pound class—Thomas D'Arcy, Boston A.A.
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158-pound class—Patrick McCarthy, Boston A.C.
175-pound class—Joseph Burke, Riverside A.C.
Heavyweight class—Joseph Burke, Riverside A.C.

NEW BOXING RULES ARE FOUND WANTING AS FRAMED BY A.A.U.C.

Too Much Hitting in Clinches to Suit Lovers of Clean Boxing—Rough and Tumble of Milling is Not Liked

TORONTO, April 27.— The News says:

The new boxing rules of the Amateur Union, defining a clinch and the lengths to which boxers may go at close quarters, has been tried and found wanting. There appears to be no doubt that the governing body made a mistake when it decided that "a contestant whose both hands are free, but who is being held by his opponent, may continue hitting with both hands until the end of the round." How is any referee "with only two eyes," and who can only see one side of the boxers at one time, to see which man is holding. Boxers these days have brought down to a fine art the practice of holding a boxer in such a way as to make it appear that the other man is holding. When hitting in clinches is forbidden it is easy for the referee to see that the men are in holds and order them to break, but when one boxer is allowed to hit while the other is holding the referee is called upon to perform a miracle to distinguish which boxer is to blame.

HARD ON REFEREE.

The referee is on one side of the men. How is he to know what is being done on the other? A boxer whose right side is to the referee can grab hold of a man quickly with his left hand, smash home the right several times, and then loosen his left hand should the referee signal round to the other side. He should be able to then do the same with the other hand. This occurred several times on Friday and Saturday night. Often the boxers were in a mix-up, and all one could see was flying gloves. To distinguish whether one of the lads was holding with one hand was a matter of impossibility. It was noticeable that there was more roughing at these contests than at any other previous ones owing to the new rules. The new definition of hitting in clinches is too great a temptation to boxers to slip over blows to be allowed to pass. Besides one boxer reasons that if he will not stick one over the other lad will. And all's fair, etc.

RULES WILL NOT DO.

It is to be hoped that the Amateur Union will re-revise, as it were, their new rules. What we want in Toronto is clean, fair boxing, not the one hand-free-stuff, which is what this new rule really amounts to. If this rule continues our boys will have to learn the game, for very few are acquainted with the one-hand free stuff, and those who are will take every opportunity of making bouts as rough as possible, something which we do not want here. Who is to award the decision when an extra round is ordered? At the last tourney the judges did this. Why do not the rules cover this point? If the judges advise upon a winner, can the referee upset their decision? The rule does not mention this. Gallagher nearly sustained serious injury when he struck his head against one of the extra posts of the ring. Why eight posts? To give the boxer a better chance of getting injured? An excellent ring can be made with four posts. The police have voiced their disapproval of an eight post ring. It is up to the Amateur Union to see that these changes in the rules are made.

MANY VALUABLE HORSES CAME TO THE CITY TODAY

With the opening of the Canadian racing season not far distant, Montreal is now the cynosure of all eyes in the turf world and if the applications for accommodations are any criterion there will be a plethora of racing material on deck for the initial meeting in the province. Probably the most pretentious consignment to reach the city were unloaded from the cars at the Bonaventure Station this morning, having spent the night at the Grand Trunk sheds. In the lot were the equine performers of R. D. Carter, W. C. Westmoreland and Dr. R. Hanley, of Kingston, that were campaigned at the recent Havana, Bowie and Havre de Grace meetings.

A recapitulation of the thoroughbreds in the shipment, their owner, breeding, etc., follows:

R. D. Carter (8).

Arcene, ch. c., Blues-Ruby Ray.

Blue Rock, b.c., 3, Trap Rock-Sty Pun.

Bunice, b.m., 6, Rubicon-Senna.

Cuttyhunk, b.g., 8, Ogden-Mattil.

Idler, ch.c., 3, Jubilee-Footstool.

Lady Ina, b.f., 3, Dalhousie-Lady Fitz Herbert.

Pass On, b.g., 6, Otis-Poe Pass.

Yellow Eye, ch.c., 5, Golden Garter-Lady Amelia.

WERE BRACKETED.

The majority of the Carter horses were bracketed during the winter meeting of the Cuba American Jockey Club at Havana, and is unquestionably the best stable Owner Carter has had in his charge since the investigation in connection with W. C. Eastman, Palm Beach, who, when racing was in the zenith in New York State, had a mighty fine stable on the metropolitan track. Owner Carter evinced a penchant for Yellow Eyes during the Havana meetings, scoring four times. Pompey, the Maryland product, the son of Golden Garter, formerly in the string of Richard T. Wilson, Jr., of the Saratoga Race Association, and who is in his fifth season, has many stakes and events to his credit, while mentioning Blue Rock, a three-year-old was the medium of a \$10,000 bet at the Mount Royal A. C. H. Morton, [illegible] the Carter consignment, has been shipped in [illegible] go to [illegible] were likewise among

THEY "WENT WRONG."

Trainer Ed. Wheeler [illegible] much in the [illegible] meeting at H[illegible] Five, the property of [illegible] Alex. Cuthbert, [illegible] Lucky Tod, [illegible] Medea, ch.f., a Medea-[illegible] ble.

Montreal, b.f., by Alb[illegible] Quebec.

Trainer Wheeler [illegible] rival that Medea [illegible] of the Derby winner, Ne[illegible] Fairnie Kemble, had [illegible] and would be turned out for the [illegible] meeting. Retrospectively speaking, this same trick was the medium of a coup of gigantic proportions during the meeting at Havana. Wheeler [illegible] connections lavishing the heroics of Montreal thoroughbreds on [illegible] she landed home a winner [illegible] of the establishment is represented in the Settle and will be raced [illegible] coming Dedalmier meeting.

W. C. Westmoreland returned from the meeting performers that [illegible] long south in fall. Skeets, the [illegible] of the California sire, Marta Santa and Pirate Polly, still remains the main dependence of the stable.

The Westmoreland horses follow:

Skeets, ch.g., 6, Marta Santa-Pirate Polly.

Uffizzi, b.f., Burgomaster-Fiesola.

Stubbord, b.f., 4, Burgomaster-Perverse.

All three of the aforementioned were bracketed during the winter months, Skeets showing prominently in the sprint affairs at Oriental Park.

Preparations for the spring meeting of the Montreal Driving Club at Delorimier Park are fast nearing completion. Supt. O'Donnell has been hard

NEW BOXING RULES ARE FOUND WANTING AS FRAMED BY A.A.U.C.

BALTIMORE, April 27.— Inability to hit at opportune moments was responsible for the defeat of the Royals in the opening game of the season here yesterday, the final count being 4 to 1.

The opening was hardly as favorable as might be expected, as the Baltimore fans are still sore over their treatment at the hands of organized ball, in the Federal settlement, and there is talk of a boycott of the International. About 3,500 attended the opening game. Then again the Royals do not present much of a front, and while it was a fair game to watch the visitors do not look good enough to get very far up in the standing.

Greatest weakness is shown in the Royals infield, and while Rossman and Bill Purtell were both in the city, they failed to come to terms with the president of the Royals, who was here for the opener.

Cadore was on the mound for the Royals opposed to Sherman. The former, although hit hard in spots, pitched good ball until the sixth inning, when he weakened and it was in this frame that the game was lost. Goodbred, an Indian, worked the eighth and showed up well.

The Royals started out as though they were to win. After Smythe had been chucked out, Moran was safe on Fewster's wide throw to first. Cathers popped to Twombly. On the hit and run, Smith passed a single through short, Moran moving to third. Moran and Smith worked a double steal, Moran scoring the first run of the battle.

The Birds evened up the score in their half. Bates opened with a single over second. Kopf hit a hard bounder to Howley, both runners were safe when the Montreal manager made a bad peg to second. Twombly sacrificed, Damrau to Smythe, who covered first. Miller walked, filling the bases. Lamar forced Miller, Wagner to Smythe, Bates scoring with the tying run.

In the fifth Kopf doubled to the left field fence. Twombly was robbed of a hit by a great stop and throw by Wagner to Howley, Kopf going to third on the play. Miller doubled to the score board, scoring Kopf.

Baltimore's last two runs came in the sixth. Fewster singled to left. Ritter bunted and both runners were safe when Cadore tried to get Fewster at the midway sack. McAvoy sacrificed, Cadore to Howley, both runners moving up. Sherman singled to right, scoring Fewster and Ritter.

The score:

BALTIMORE.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Bates, l.f.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Kopf, 2b.	4	1	1	3	4	0
Twombly, 1b.	3	0	2	10	1	0
Miller, c.f.	3	0	1	4	0	0
Lamar, r.f.	4	0	2	1	1	0
Fewster, s.s.	2	1	1	2	1	1
Ritter, 3b.	2	1	0	0	2	0
McAvoy, c.	3	0	0	8	0	0
Sherman, p.	4	0	2	0	3	0
Totals	29	4	10	27	11	1

SECOND DIVISION HELD STORMY SESSION ALL LAST EVENING

Letter of Protest Sent to P.Q.F.A. on Promotion of Verdun City to Senior League — This Leaves Two Clubs Idle During Season

A very stormy session of the Second Division League, P.Q.F.A., was held at the Central Y.M.C.A., Drummond street, last evening. The P. Q. F. A. Board were severely criticized for their ruling on the promotion of Verdun City to the First Division, and the secretary was forwarded the following letter of protest to the board.

The P. Q. F. A. Board,
Montreal, Que.

Gentlemen,

I have been requested to advise the board that the Second Division League of the Province of Quebec Football Association have received with astonishment and disgust the decision of your board to promote Verdun City to the First Division and that we consider the action you have taken in this matter unconstitutional and illegal. We exceedingly regret [illegible] owing the course for the last fortnight, [illegible] was in transcendent [illegible] [illegible] by the Second [illegible] [illegible] operations from [illegible] [illegible] to the noon [illegible] [illegible] are not being filled, [illegible] the opinion of the manage[illegible] will be an abundance [illegible] the city against last [illegible] reports that the [illegible] from France [illegible] entered well and [illegible] remember the talk at the spring meeting at Mount Royal Park [illegible] W. Walker, who served as paddock [illegible] the recent Havana [illegible] ing visit to the [illegible] to Baltimore, but [illegible] week to take up his [illegible] Park.

[illegible] and Meripole were [illegible] ing for the arrivals from [illegible] will ride five lots of [illegible] meeting on the Canadian [illegible] circuit.

WESTERN LADIES TO TAKE UP CYCLING

The Western Ladies Swimming Club is getting very popular with the young ladies and a large number turned out to swim last night. This will make the third time for the Westerns and they have decided to continue throughout the summer months. The Westerns are going to have a ladies' Bicycle Club and a meeting will be held some time next week.

UNIQUE STAKEHOLDER FOR UNIQUE BOXING EVENT



OLIVER CAMPEAU,
Chief of the Montreal Police Force.
Honorary President of the Montreal Police Athletic Association and Great Patron of All Branches of Athletics.

Ten days ago (Tuesday, April 18) Mr. Powers, Frankie Fleming's brother-in-law, who is Fleming's Canadian manager, came to The Montreal Star office, carrying with him a certified cheque for a hundred dollars as Fleming's forfeit and the contract for the fight between the Canadian boy and Wallace, and asked, on behalf of Fleming and the civilians and officers in charge of the bout, if the Sporting Department of The Star would act as repository of the forfeits and stakes for the assault-at-arms which takes place this evening in the Drill Hall for the benefit of the 163rd Regiment.

There has, however, been a rule in The Star office for more than twenty years that no one connected with the Sporting Department shall act as stakeholder in any professional contest and, therefore, flattering as was the request, it had to be declined.

REASON FOR THE RULE

This rule was put into force about the time that John A. Grose, a former celebrated Dominion Secret Service agent, and then head of the Canadian Secret Service Agency, where he was later joined by Silas H. Carpenter as criminal superintendent, donated a big challenge trophy for tug-of-war, which was then all the rage.

A dispute arose as to the ownership of this trophy, which was brought into the courts and dragged through several terms, creating no end of trouble for the trustees and stakeholders.

When after The Star's declination in the Fleming-Wallace affair, it became known to those in charge of the bout that strong efforts were being made to break it up and prevent it from taking place, the date of Powers' visit to The Star office disposing effectually of the claims of the conspirators that the bout had not been definitely settled upon, it was decided that no better man could be found to whom the moneys involved could be entrusted than the Chief of Police, who is an enthusiastic patron of sport.

PROTECTS EVERYONE

Such a course would not only safeguard the interests of the fighters, but also those of the public as far as they can be safeguarded in a sport where everyone seems to try to cut everyone's else's throat and where at least as far as Montreal is concerned, failure to deliver the goods is the rule rather than the exception.

ROYALS LOST OPENER WITH MAKESHIFT TEAM

Baseball at a Glance

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Chicago— R.H.E.
Pittsburg . . . . 00010010 1—3 4 1
Chicago . . . . 00010005 x—6 10 2
Adams and Schmidt; Lavender, Prendergast and Fischer

At Philadelphia— R.H.E.
Brooklyn . . . . 00100050 0—6 10 1
Philadelphia . . . . 00010020 0—3 5 3
Cheney, Marquard and Miller; Alexander, Oeschger and Burns.

STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	6	2	.750
Chicago	6	4	.600
Boston	4	3	.571
St. Louis	6	5	.545
Brooklyn	3	3	.500
Cincinnati	6	6	.500
Pittsburg	4	7	.364
New York	1	6	.143

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At New York— R.H.E.
Boston . . . . 00000000 0—0 4 3
New York . . . . 50002020 x—9 12 0
McHale, Gregg and Agnew; Markle and Nunamaker.

At Cleveland— R.H.E.
Cleveland . . . . 00000005 x—5 7 1
Chicago . . . . 00020001—3 11 0
Covelskie, Bagby and O'Neil; Scott, Wolfgang and Lapp.

At Washington— R.H.E.
Philadelphia . . . . 10000110—3 8 0
Washington . . . . 00000200—2 6 1
Bush and Meyer; Gallia, Bentley, Boehling and Henry.

STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	8	5	.615
New York	6	4	.600
Cleveland	6	5	.545
Detroit	6	5	.545
St. Louis	5	5	.500
Washington	5	6	.455
Chicago	6	8	.429
Philadelphia	3	7	.300

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

At Richmond— R.H.E.
Buffalo . . . . 10020020—5 8 1
Richmond . . . . 00020 7x—9 6 0
Bader, Tyson and Onslow; Humphreys and Reynolds

NEAL BALL AS MANAGER.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 27.—The Bridgeport Club, of the Eastern League, it was announced today, has secured Neal Ball, of the Toronto International League Club, as manager and second baseman. Ball was formerly with the Cleveland Americans, and Boston Americans. He was a member of the Boston Americans' world championship team of 1912.

MONTREAL.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Smythe, 2b.	4	0	0	4	1	0
Moran, c.f.	2	1	0	2	0	0
Cathers, l.f.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Smith, r.f.	4	0	2	2	0	0
Howley, 1b.	4	0	1	7	1	1
Wagner, ss.	3	0	1	1	3	0
Damrau, 3b.	2	0	0	2	3	1
Madden, c.	3	0	0	4	1	0
Cadore, p.	2	0	0	0	4	0
*Wells	0	0	0	0	0	0
Goodbred, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	1	4	24	14	2

*Batted for Cadore in eighth.

Score by innings—
Montreal . . . . 00000000 0—1
Baltimore . . . . 10001200 x—4

Summary — Two-base hits, Koepf. Miller; sacrifice hits, Ritter 2, Twombly, McAvoy; stolen bases, Moran, Smith 2, Howley; double plays, Cadore to Howley to Damrau, Damrau to Howley; bases on balls, off Sherman 2, Cadore 2, Goodbred 1; hit by pitcher, by Sherman (Moran); struck out, by Sherman 6, by Cadore 2, by Goodbred 1. Umpires, carpenter and Chestnut.

PRIVATE A. HENDRY



42nd Highlanders, Montreal, killed in action March 24, 1916. Private Hendry was president of Maisonneuve Juniors' Football Club before he left for the front, and he was well known in Maisonneuve, and also was well liked by all who knew him. This is the second member of the team to be killed in action.

"NEWSY" SEEMS TO BE DICKERING WITH SEVERAL

First Cornwall Claimed Him and Now Ottawa —Nationals Will Have to Be Liberal in Their Terms for Him Apparently

Special to The Montreal Star.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 27.—Rumors in Lacrosse circles here are to the effect that "Newsy" Lalonde will be placed in charge of the Ottawa Lacrosse team. Although the officers of the Ottawa Club would not confirm the report, the feeling is very strong that the National Club star would be seen in an Ottawa uniform this summer. Lalonde has been unable to come to terms with the nationals and reports had it that he was going to play at Cornwall. However, a good deal of credence is placed in the rumors that he would come to the capital. With Lalonde at the helm the Ottawa team would have a splendid outlook. The Ottawa Club will meet this evening when the team committee will be appointed and general business discussed. It is likely that several motions will be framed up to be presented at the meeting of the N.L.U. in Montreal on Saturday. The first practice of the Ottawa team is called for Monday at Lansdowne park and it is likely that several surprises will be sprung when the squad line up.

What's in a Baseball Name?

The Giants aren't giants. Many of them are almost pigmies. Doyle, Kauff, Burns, Rariden and three or four others are far under six feet in height. The regular team, as a whole, probably doesn't average beyond 5-10 or 5-11.

The Cubs are full grown. There's Joe Tinker, who is well along in the 30's, the ancient Miner Brown and Frank Schulte, Mike Doolan, Heinie Zimmerman and Steve Yerkes are a bit elderly, too.

The Indians aren't what their name implies. They're not savage; they don't emit war whoops or conduct scalping parties.

The Browns are not brown.

The Dodgers still dodge trolley cars over in the wilds of Brooklyn, but they don't dodge the other ball clubs as they used to in the bygone days.

The Cardinals belie their name. Cardinals are not supposed to use profane language, chew tobacco or drink beer. Yet some of the Cardinals do those very things.

The Yankees aren't Yankees. Some are Irish, some German, some English and the others are something other than pure Yankee descent.

The Pirates are not thieves. You'll agree with us if you consult the base stealing records. Nor are they bold. They do not sail the seas except when they make occasional trips to Boston. Some of them have buried gold, of course, but they've earned it.

As to the Reds—well, mebbe they are a bit different. Anarchists are commonly referred to as "reds." If you don't believe that anarchy sometimes prevails in Cincinnati, ask a National League umpire.

NOW WILL YOU BE GOOD MR. QUERRIE AND NOT BOTHER THE LADIES

Intrepid Len Porteous Takes Up the Cudgels in Behalf of Hockey While Another Discusses the Ladies' Hockey Situation

Charlie Querrie has apparently put the fat in the fire.

The wonderful, youthful veteran of Lacrosse, both as player and manager, has dared to criticise Lacrosse and Hockey for ladies, and the intrepid Len Porteous who originated Ladies Hockey last winter, is prepared to break a bundle of lances with him over the subject, while a lacrosse fan is also pouring the vials of his wrath over his head.

Without taking any position in the matter for or against, it might be recalled to Mr. Querrie's memory, Joe Lally will vouch for it for he has seen them ,that up to the beginning of the war, nearly every Ladies College in Great Britain had its lacrosse team.

The letters follow:

LEN PORTEOUS TO THE RESCUE.

Montreal, April 26, 1916.

Sporting Editor, Montreal Daily Star.

Sir,—I like to answer Charles Querrie opinion about Ladies Hockey which I saw in last Friday's paper, and in which he states he does not approve of the ladies playing the men's game, and says they should be at home knitting socks.

If he objects to lady athletes, I suppose he does not object to the young ladies witnessing a rough lacrosse game, and in regards to knitting socks, the ladies are doing their bit, in knitting socks and making bandages for the soldiers at the front, as most of their gentlemen friends are there.

That is one of the reasons why the Ladies took so much to the game of hockey. It helps to pass the time away.

In regards to lawn tennis, this game can't be played at night as well as hockey can or in winter. My opinion about lady athletes is that there are not enough lady athletic clubs here in the city like there are in other large cities, and I think the time has come when something should be done to encourage the young lady athletes to take part in athletic sports, already the Western Ladies hockey club have branched out in other sports, having organized a Swimming and Canoe Club, which will provide healthy sport, and other clubs are doing the same. I don't really see why a sportsman, should object to lady athletes when he encourages them to see his games as Charlie Querrie has always done.

Len Porteous,
Manager Western Ladies Hockey Club.

ONE LACROSSE FAN WRITES.

April 26, 1916.

Sporting Editor, Montreal Daily Star.

Sir:—Would you be kind enough to publish the following reply to Charlie Querrie of Toronto, re lacrosse and hockey for ladies.

As Mr. Querrie informs us, Ladies Hockey made quite a bit the past winter in Montreal, and surrounding cities, he tells the public of Montreal that he does not think Hockey or Lacrosse, are proper games for young ladies. Before I proceed further, I would like to ask Mr. Querrie, "Why." Hockey and Lacrosse are Canada's national games, and should be encouraged as much as possible, even if they are played by young ladies.

As far as Hockey (ladies) is concerned, I guess our friend Mr. Querrie, never saw any of the ladies games this winter past, or he would possibly have changed his mind, regarding "Croquet," for the ladies.

There was Hockey for the Ladies, now what is the matter with Lacrosse for Ladies.

Thousands attend America's National Game here in Montreal, so give us Ladies Lacrosse this summer, and the grand old game will get a good boost.

A Lacrosse Fan.

MAYOR, CONTROLLERS, ALDERMEN AT CITY LEAGUE'S OPENING

Games This Week-End at Delorimier Park—Mayor Martin Been Asked to Throw First Ball for Start of the Season

If the executive of the City Baseball League can manage it, there will be a large number of city officials at the opening of the local baseball season Sunday afternoon, at Delorimier Park.

Invitations have been sent in the shape of a season's pass to the mayor, four controllers and twenty aldermen.

Mayor Martin has been asked to throw the first ball, and as he honored the local league last season in this respect they again expect his Worship to be present.

With much fresh paint added to Delorimier Park, the City League's home will furnish a nice appearance.

The work on the diamond itself has been completed, and the players will have one of the fastest infields in the city to play on.

Indications point to a record attendance at these opening games Sunday, when the following double header is down:

1:30, Athletics vs. Nationays.
3:30, Indians vs. Crescents.

CHANGE IN NATIONALS.

There is a change in the ownership of the Nationals of the City Baseball League. Last season the team was owned by Messrs. Cardinal, Dandurand and Desrochers, the team is now owned by Mr. Cardinal only, he having taken over the interest of Messrs. Dandurand and desrochers.

The new board of officers shows Mr. Cardinal as president, while Bert Trempe, the team's short-stop has been elected team manager, and Larry Carmel, first baseman, and the City League's leading hitter last season will act as captain.

Nationals will have practically the same team as last year, which means one of the strongest aggregations in the city.

The club will hold their final practice Friday evening at five o'clock on the National grounds in preparation of Sunday's opening games.

PARKS AND TOMKINS.

President Chamberland of the City League has appointed Geo. Parks and Harry Tomkins to handle the opening City League games Sunday at Delorimier Park, when the local ball season will be ushered in.

The appointment of Bert Trempe and Larry Carmel as manager and captain of the Nationals looks like a splendid move on the part of President Cardinal of the French club.

Pat Heffernan, the La Casquette outfielder, has taken off much weight and looks forward to an excellent season.

Jack McIntyre has been showing up exceptionally well in practice with the Indians, both in the outfield and at bat.

FLANAGAN SEES DIRTY WORK IN FIGHT PICTURES

TORONTO, April 27.—"Maybe there's a good reason for the discrimination," said Tom Flanagan of the 180th Battalion last night, but the public will want to know, and we are going to find out, why the Sportsmen's Association had to abandon the showing of the Willard-Johnson pictures, after going to considerable expense in the matter, and the Willard-Moran fight pictures are now advertized to be produced in this city. If they are for a patriotic purpose, so were ours, and there is not the slightest difference in the exhibitions. There has been no change in the authorities, either, and we want to know why there has been a change in policy—to our detriment and embarrassment. Today I am going to place the affair before the Government, and ask for an explanation of the difference in the treatment of our proposition and that of others."

EASTERN BASEBALL LEAGUE MEETING

The second meeting of this organization was held last evening. The six clubs who have a franchise in this league are all strongly organized and will give the public a good brand of ball this season. Another meeting will be held on Monday evening, May 1, when the schedule will be drawn. The opening date will be May 7. Mr. Abbott, manager of the Canada Cement will have what looks to be a good follower to their hockey team of the past season. Manager Comtois, of Tetreaultville, and who was so successful with his L'Aigion Hockey Club, has well-known city ball players already under contract.

A list of the players will be published later.





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M.A.A.A. HANDICAPS WERE FINISHED LAST EVENING

The final's of the M. A. A. A. bath committee's spring series of handicaps took place last night when the Winged Wheelers won half of the card, which was just about in proportion to their entries, which doubled that of the outside clubs.

40 yards junior—First heat—1, W. Quirk, M.A.A.A.; 2, F. Grief, O'Connell. Time 31 seconds. Second heat—1, G. Vernot, M. S. C.; 2, N. Litner, O'Connell. Time, 31 4-5 seconds. Third heat —1, L. Norkett, M.A.A.A.; 2, F. Carlin, M.A.A.A. Time 27 seconds. Fourth heat—1, P. Earl M.A.A.A.; 2. H. Litner, O'Connell. Time, 34 seconds. First semi-final—1, W. Quirk, M.A.A.A.; 2. F. Grief, O'Connell. Time, 29 3-5 seconds. Second semi-final — 1, L. Norkett, M. A.A.A.; 2, P. Earl, M.A.A.A.; Time 34 seconds. Final — 1, L. Norkett, M. A.A.A.; 2, W. Quirk, M.A.A.A. Time 27 seconds.

40 yards senior—First heat — 1, E. Ryan, O'Connell; 2, . Minty, M. A. A.A. Time, 25 2-5 seconds. Second heat—1, H. Brafstein, M.S.C.; 2, A. N. Silver, M.A.A.A Time, 28 seconds. Third heat — 1, H. Schnieder M.S.C.; 2, D. Kirschberg, M.A.A.A. Time, 27 3-5 seconds. Fourth heat—1, P. Neeson, O'Connell; 2, Morrison, Knights of Columbus. Time 27 2-5 seconds. First semi-final — 1, H. Schneider, M.S.C.; 2, E. Ryan O'Connell. Time, 26 4-5 seconds Second semi-final — 1, P. Neeson, O'Connell; 2, N. Morrison, Knights of Columbus. Time, 27 4-5 seconds. Final— 1, E. Schneider, M.S.C.; 2, E. Ryan O'Connell. Time, 28 4-5 seconds.

60 Yards breast — 1, F. Grief, O'Connell; 2, A Grief, O'Connell. Time 52 seconds.

100 yard—First heat —1, B. Minty, M.A.A.A.; 2, G. Vernot, M. S. C.; Time, 1:06 minutes. Second heat—1, L. Parsons, M.A.A.A.; 2, A. McNamee, M.S.C. Time, 1:16 minutes. Third heat—1, T. Overton, M.A.A.A.; 2, P. Earl, M.A.A.A. Time, 1:10 minutes. Final — 1, B. Minty, M.A. A.A.; 2, L. Parsons, M.A.A.A. Time, 1:25 1-5 seconds.

Diving — 1, P. Scott, M.A.A.A.; 2, W. Quirk, M.A.A.A.; 3, A. Grief O'Connell.

Relay race — 1, O'Connell; 2, M.A.A.A.

Officials.

Referee — James A. Taylor.
Starter — W. W. Caven.
Judges and timers—C. H. Goulden, A. W. Ross, H. E. Herschorn, G. Simard, R. T. Logan and W. E. Findlay.
Scorer — Mark Milloy.

They Deal Severely in Massachusetts with Soccer Men

Special to The Montreal Star.

BOSTON, Mass., April 27.—"Sandy" Williams, secretary of the General Electrics' Soccer Club, and one of the most noted soccer men in Massachusetts, has been found guilty by the National Challenge Cup Committee of the United States Football Association of making an untrue statement that appeared some time ago in newspapers to the effect that he had been offered $100 by John A. Fernley, president of the U.S.F.A., to switch his club's game with the New Bedford in the National Cup Series, and Williams is suspended indefinitely from further participation in soccer football until such time as he makes a public apology through the press or in person to the president.

It was decided to play the final game for the National Cup and championship at Pawtucket, on Saturday, May 6, on Coatsfield. The contesting teams will be Fall River Rovers and the Bethlehem F. C. of Philadelphia, winners in the semi-finals.

AMATEUR BALL CLUBS

A very good turnout was made by the Nomads of the Spalding League in their first practice of the season.

About a dozen players participated in fielding and batting practice, and there were quite a few sore arms, believe us.

Another practice is called for April 30 at 10 a.m. Bachel street diamond.

Nomad Notes.

Charlie McGinnis is the same old reliable.

Bowe is right there as a backstop, steady and true.

Maloney seems to have regained his batting eye.

But where, oh where were Messrs. Green, Clements and Co.?

Kells is some dandy shortstop, believe us.

MORE ACTIVE TENNIS SEASON LOOKED FOR NOW

The annual meeting of the Quebec Lawn Tennis Association will be held during the coming week, when the question of reviving the intermediate series of the Association will be discussed.

While many of the old players have gone to the front, making the formation of a senior league practically impossible, a large number of new players have been developed by the different clubs, and it is thought enough teams could be found to form a good intermediate league.

The Mount Royal Tennis Club report an increase in interest on the part of their members this season, while the report of the M.A.A.A club, at their recent meeting, showed that 230 members had participated in the two-club tourneys held last summer. Besides these clubs, the Westmount and Central Branches of the Y. M. C. A. are also looking forward to a good season, while several other local clubs have been making enquiries as to the probability of forming a league again this season.

FORMAL OPENING SATURDAY.

The courts of the Central Y.M.C.A. Tennis Club will be formally opened Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, although the members have been practicing on them for the past week and they are in good condition. The reports for the past season which were read at the annual meeting, showed that the club had enjoyed a good year, in fact one of the best in the club's history. The following officers were elected:

Hon Patrons — J. W. Knox, Dr. F. J. Lees, Dr. D. F. Gurd.
Hon. President — Dr. F. H. A. Baxter.
Hon. Vice-President — H. G. Wynn.
President—J. G Birnie.
Vice-President—T. K. Walton.
2nd Vice-President—Louis Robert.
Secretary-Treasurer — P. C. Hart.

DORVAL RACETRACK HAS WITHDRAWN OBJECTIONS TO SPRING RACING DATES

It was announced this afternoon that the Dorval Race Track has withdrawn its objections to the Spring racing dates awarded it by the Canadian Racing Association. The meeting will be held from May 29th to June 5th, inclusive.

Barrow Advisory Man for Amateur Baseball Assn.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 27.—Tom O. Jones, secretary of the National Amateur Baseball Association of America, tonight announced the appointment of an advisory council to the president of the organization, Ralston Goss if this city.

The council is composed of fifteen men, and includes, in addition to Chairman E. C. Patterson, a millionaire sportsman of Chicago, and founder of the association, B. B. Johnson, president of the American League; Ed. Barrow, president of the International League; Ty Cobb, of the Detroit club; Joe Jackson, president of the Baseball Writers' Asspciation, and George Huff, director of athletics at the University of Illinois. Others on the council are I. W. St. John, Ohio State University; Ewald O. Stiehm, Indiana University; Jesse C. Harper, Notre Dame University, all directors of athletics at their respective institutions; George Buechel, former vice-president of the National Amateur Association; John McGovern, of Minneapolis; E. J. Kaufman, a Pittsburgh merchant; Tom McDermott, lawyer, St. Paul, Minn., and E. De Groot, Director of Public Playgrounds, San Francisco, Cal.

WESTMOUNT LAWN BOWLERS.

Members of the Westmount Lawn Bowling Club will meet at the club house Saturday evening to complete plans for the season's bowling.

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Bringing Up Father

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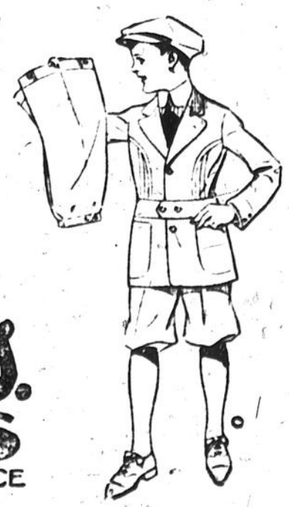
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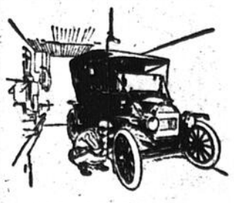
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COL. CARNEGIE IS STILL ON STAND BEFORE INQUIRY

Evidence Continued by Technical Officer of Shell Committee

(Continued from page 1)

WHAT T. J. RYAN WANTED.

Since yesterday I have discovered some correspondence from Gen. Drayne, to whom Gen Hughes introduced me.

Mr Hellmuth: Then read the letter from T. J. Ryan, which stated that the main thing was to supply fuses within the time limit. He also said all they wanted to do was to supply the fuses at cost price, plus a small percentage of profit.

The letter cited: "The thing is to get the order completed and not let it be known that the contract is let owing to competition. Contractors on machinery and material are boosting prices. Ohner and I have said nothing about the order. The order should go through me (Ryan), as Ohner is frequently away on his other usiness, and the conference originated with me any way, as far as Ohner is concerned."

Mr. Hellmuth: What was your first interview or connection with the Russell Motor Car Co.? At the beginning of May.

Then Mr. Hellmuth produced a letter from T. A. Russell to the Shell Committee, saying that they were anxious to have fuses for shells made in Canada. His firm was in a position to lay plans for the work in a short time. He wanted to know the chances of the business whether completed fuses were to be made here and what the price would be.

The answer to that letter was not written till May 10. Why was not the letter answered before? I may have been in New York.

"Had you any conversation with Mr. Russell before that?"—I believe Mr. Lloyd Harris and Mr. Russell called at our office between May 1 and May 10.

Can't you fix the dates either before or after?—It was before the 10th.

What took place then? They asked for particulars of the fuses, and I explained what the manufacture of fuses meant and the difficulties of it. I pointed out particularly the one principal concern was the loading end.

Were they aware the shell committee had undertaken a contract for 5,000,000 complete shells?—Yes.

Dictated Letters Gen. Bertram Signed

Then Mr. Hellmuth read a letter in reply which Gen. Bertram had signed. Regarding the fuses the committee would be pleased to have the proposition sent to them and would go further into the matter with them.

Col. Carnegie stated that this had reference to No. 80 time fuse.

Mr. Hellmuth "It is suggested that this letter signed 'Bertram' was dictated really by you?" "Yes" Witness also said several other letters similarly signed were from his dictation.

Mr. Hellmuth wanted to know of witness whether he had an interview with T. A. Russell between the date of the last letter, May 10th and May 14th.

Yes, about May 12 or 13, Mr. Russell and Mr. Lloyd Harris met General Bertram and myself at Montreal.

What took place? They asked for fuller particulars and told how far they had gone with their preparations.

How far had they gone? They indicated they were looking in the United States for firms to assist them. This is from my memory.

Was anything definite done regarding the verbal promise? I don't know if there was at that meeting, but there was at a subsequent one.

On May 14, Mr. Russell wrote to Col. Carnegie and asked for introductions to the principal people of the Scovill Company. "You might intimate that we are working in accord with the Shell Committee," the letter read. The letter then referred to the plan suggested previously, and thought it would be a better one if they co-operated with this company.

At the interview they discussed with us the bringing into play of the efforts of the manufacturing centres of the United States. They evidently had in mind the Scovill Company. They had been the only firm who had been successful in No. 80 fuse outside of the United States Government shops," said Col. Carnegie.

"We were anxious to know how far they could go on the fuse contracts. We had promised 5,000,000 complete shells at an extraordinarily quick time by July 1." The company were anxious to get quotations and they got it later.

Then a cable sent to "Troopers" from "Militia" regarding contracts for 18-pounder high explosive shells and 4.5 shells was read.

Col. Carnegie explained the difference in various types of fuses.

Mr. Hellmuth then submitted a letter signed "Alexander Bertram, chairman of Shell Committee." The letter was dated May 10, 1915, and was addressed to T. J. Ryan. "Regret unable consider your proposition fuses, price being too high." The letter also stated in part: "Since receiving your letter Mr. Dowler has spoken to Mr. Carnegie on the phone. He thinks the situation is quite clear and from the conversation we had with Mr. Ohner and yourself on Monday he was not prepared to undertake the manufacture of fuses without first discussing the matter with Senator Currie. It was found that the fuses could be made the price would be in the region of $4.60."

The suggestion about manufacturing the fuses on a cost basis plus five per cent was not acceptable, continued the letter, and as we must close this matter owing to the urgency of the requirements, we regret we cannot accept your offer. We would add that Gen. Bertram and Mr. Carnegie were inclined by you to stay over Saturday to Monday to interview Ohner, on the understanding that prices of the fuses would be in the region of $5.50 to $3.75. We are inclined to think you did not sufficiently investigate the matter when you informed us that the fuses could not be obtained at the above prices."

Mr Hellmuth: You dictated that letter, did you not?—Yes.

What was your conversation with Dowler referred to in the letter? The purport of it was that he was backing up on the offer that he had made for the fuses, and trying to show us that Ohner was a manufacturer who would do the work in the time he stated.

A cable from "Troopers" (War Office) dated May 20, was read by Mr. Hellmuth.

"Are Shell Committee in possession of all necessary drawings of No. 85 fuses and guages to enable manufacturers to proceed? Please reply as soon as possible."

Mr Hellmuth also put in the following letter from General Bertram to E. W. Bassick, Bridgeport, Conn.:

"On behalf of the Shell Committee I beg to grant you an order for common fuses at maximum price of $4.60 each, to be supplied in accordance with the specifications and drawings which will be forwarded to you later. These drawings and specifications will be either for No. 80 modified or 80-80 fuse, and the choice between these two designs may be required. Terms of payment and other terms of contract will be on the lines we have discussed with you."

Examination continued—Was that your letter?—I dictated it.

Did you understand that this letter was in the nature of an option to them for three million shells at a minimum of $4.25?—Yes, that was the intention.

So that you were practically assuring Bassick that he could rely on receiving an order for three million fuses at not less than $4.25 each?—Yes.

MET IN MONTREAL.

Prior to the letter to Bassick was there any interviews or correspondence?—After our return from New York Bassick and Yonkam came to Montreal and Ottawa and saw Gen Bertram and myself.

When was that?—Between the 18th and 21st. They followed us to Ottawa.

What do you recollect of your conversation?—In New York they brought Cadwell to us and he brought an explosive expert named Black.

At that time did you have any knowledge of the companies?—Oh, yes, I had met the manufacturers, visited the plants and seen Gladdeck about the loading. I thought I could recommend the contract to the Shell Committee.

Were Bassick and Yonkam when they came to Ottawa accompanied by any one?—No, sir.

On the 21, you wrote a letter to T. A. Russell?—Yes.

Mr. Hellmuth quoted the letter, which said: "Yours of the 14th reached me on my return from New York. I do not think the Scovill Company will enter into negotiations with you to make fuses. We have been trying to get them to assist us and they have certainly refused."

You have been advised the Scovill people would not be permitted to go outside.—That is right.

GOT TELEGRAM SAME DAY.

On the same day, May 21, you got a telegram from Russell as follows: "Have the fuse matter well advanced. Have arranged for experienced help with large experience in British fuses. Expect to submit proposal early next week. Please provide for important part of the work being done in Canada."

F. H. Markey, K.C.—That is very important, it is the same day that the letter was written to Bassick's crowd.

Col. Carnegie—So far as I know that telegram was never received by the Shell Committee. We were moving our offices. That may have accounted for it.

Mr. Hellmuth next introduced a long letter from T. J. Ryan, of New York. Ryan said his whole object was to help out the British Government, and compensation was a secondly consideration. Ryan went on to say that he was prepared to furnish 1,000,000 fuses at $4.60 and would give any bonds that might be required. He added: "Since sending the telegram I find that the full 5,000,000 can be got. It is simply a question of price. Last night I wired you that we can furnish the whole 5,000,000 in seven months."

WAR OFFICE OPPOSED ORDER.

At this stage Mr. Hellmuth produced a very important cable from the War Office, having, he said, a vital bearing on the case and showing that the contract was placed in the United States in the face of discouragement, if not opposition, from the War Office.

The cable was dated May 25, and read: "We are informed that the Shell Committee is placing an order for 2,000,000 number 80 fuses in the United States and that agents are trying to induce manufacturers to take a part of the order, thus interfering with other orders already placed. This may be incorrect, but we believe any orders in the United States should be placed through J. P. Morgan and Co."

Mr. Hellmuth: Did you get that cable?—Yes.

And on the same day a letter was sent to Bassick?—Yes.

Mr. Hellmuth quoted the letter, which said that copies of contracts were being enclosed and full particulars and designs would follow.

"You will observe that we do not call for the establishment of a factory in Canada," added the letter, "as we contemplate further orders."

The letter said the order had been "amended" by reducing the order from 3,000,000 to 2,500,000, but there would be "further orders to be placed with the companies" in accordance with deliveries.

AGREEMENT WAS VERBAL.

Mr. Hellmuth then produced another letter written on May 25 by Gen. Bertram to Dr. John A. Harris, of the International Arms and Fuse Company, New York, practically on the terms of the letter to Bassick.

There was also a letter from the Russell Motor Company, of Toronto, to the Shell Committee, dated May 25 and delivered by T. A. Russell, in company with Lloyd Harris, on the 26.

Mr. Hellmuth: You had arranged a tentative agreement as to a portion of the order being given to the Russell Company. How was it made, verbally?—Yes, verbally.

Will you tell me how that verbal promise was made? I believe it was at the time of our interview on the 13th prior to our going to New York.

What was the promise, and who were present?—Gen Bertram and I were present with Lloyd Harris.

As far as I remember the promise was that we would hold a portion of the work until they submitted their quotations.

RUSSELL CO. NOT NOTIFIED.

I pointed out to you that on the 25th when you sent to change the order to Bassick, from 3,000,000 to 2,500,000 and granted an order for 25,000,000 to the International Dr. Harris Company you had extended apparently the 5,000,000 order without giving the Russell Motor Company any notification, if I may so put it.—That is right.

Perhaps you will tell me what explanation you have to offer as to that?—During the interval, I think it was about May 20, I met Mr. Russell in Ottawa and told him that we would have to close this contract unless they brought particulars quickly. They must hurry up with the quotations. We could not hold the matter up indefinitely.

What did Mr. Russel say?—He said that he would rush the matter forward as quickly as he could.

Apparently they had rushed it as far as I can find. You see the letter written on the 25th was presented to you on the 26th and that is not a very long time from the conversation.

DEALINGS WITH RUSSELL CO.

I am going to ask presently what explanation, if any you can give why the Russell offer was not considered at the same time as the others.

Mr. Hellmuth put in letters dated May 25, written in Toronto and another May 26, written in Ottawa, and enclosed with the letter of the 25th. These were from the Russell Motor Car Company.

The letter of the 26th I am going to read first. This letter states that the Russell Motor Car Company were willing to supply 1,500,000 shells. The seller reads: "We feel sure we could get enough for us to justify us holding that order open for us in compliance with your promise." I omit the proposals which were not furnished before.

The letter of May 25 referred to the portion of the 5,000,000 fuse order which the Russell Company expected to get. The agreement offered was that the 1,000,000 shells would be supplied before March 31, 1916. The company could undertake the loading and assembling in Canada. Already the company had a fireproof factory and were preparing to erect a loading and storing plant for powder.

The caps were prepared to supply the shells, starting in September with 50,000, and gradually increasing in number every month till the following March, when the full 1,000,000 would be completed.

The had arranged with the Keystone Watch Case Company of Philadelphia, to supply some of the fuses, and the Elgin Watch Company others but the loading was to be done here in the Russell Motor Car Company.

EXPERT HAD VISITED KRUPP'S.

The company pointed out the experts they had, including Mr. Kirby, who had been employed in Vickers, Maxim Company in England, and had visited Krupps in Germany, "to investigate fuse manufacture."

All the company required was complete details and specifications, samples of fuses wanted and a complete set of gauges. The price was to be $4.20 each shell, but "as we are taking only one-quarter of the total order, we would accept price of the other three-quarters, provided it was at a reasonable figure either way."

Part of the price was to be paid when the fuses were loaded and the balance when shipped. As the company were investing some $500,000 in the works, they suggested an advance of $100,000 to get the necessary machinery and this could be deducted against each fuse order as delivered.

The company wanted to get the information of the contract was to be awarded as soon as possible.

This letter was handed in by Lord Harris and Mr. Russell on May 25.

Examination continued—What did you say when the offer was handed in?—I explained we had to close with others as their options on machinery were running out, and I was satisfied the experts they had were such as could be depended on. I was not satisfied we could recommend anyone in to Canada to make these fuses. I accept the entire responsibility to asking the committee to place orders with the companies they did. It was a matter of getting the shells made as we had large contracts on our hands. The difference of 5 cents in the price did not bother us. It was my duty to get them done as soon as possible.

I told both Mr. Harris and Mr. Russell this in giving them the tentative promise. I apologized to them and said I had advised the closing of the contracts. From the time they came into the proposition I couldn't see where they could get experts in Canada to load fuses.

In answer to Mr. Hellmuth, witness stated he was satisfied with the experts he had interviewed in the United States. Some of them were men who had been army officers, and now were connected with companies. The most important part of the contract, in his opinion, was the loading of the fuse, rather than the mechanical end of making them.

RUSSELL COMPANY DISAPPOINTED.

The Russell Company, Col. Carnegie said, had a "disappointed attitude," when they found they did not get part of the order.

"I should have thought," Mr. Hellmuth said, "there might have been some considerable annoyance at seeing they did not get a portion of the order."

"I think they took it very well indeed, from this point of view. We indicated to them the possibility of obtaining more time fuses, as we were in negotiation with the War Office for fuses quite apart from the 5,000,000 order."

Would it be fair to say that you had held out hopes for them, that you would have orders in substitution to the portion of the 5,000,000 order? That is right.

Was there any violence? There were no bones broken. (laughter.)

I do not mean physical violence. I mean were any words broken over it?—No.

Mr Hellmuth asked if the letter already produced, dictated by Col. Carnegie, and signed "Alexander Bertram," had been first submitted to Gen. Bertram.

The witness replied that they were submitted to Gen Bertram.

Was the purport of the letter submitted to Gen. Hughes?—Not by you, but do you know if they were submitted by Gen. Bertram?—I have no knowledge of it.

Did you advise Gen. Hughes of these letters?—I did not. I believe that Gen. Hughes knew of the letters.

Did you discuss the matter with Gen. Hughes?—I have no recollection that I did. I don't think I did.

Here was read to the Commission a cable from "Militia" to the War Office, stating that the Shell Committee has now completed negotiations for the manufacture of fuses in the United States and Canada. These negotiations were only completed after a most careful and extended investigation by David Carnegie.

Only One Firm Out of Eleven Was Canadian

Then followed a list of firms taking part in the work, including the Michigan Stamping Co., Dominion Stamping Co., Burns and Bassick, Remington Typewriter Co., American Machine and Foundry Co., Yale and Towne Manufacturing Co., Keystone Watch Case Co., The Mott Co., Ansonia Manufacturing Co., Oliver Typewriter Co., and the American Steel Guage Manufacturing Co.

The Dominion Stamping Co., the witness said, was the only Canadian concern.

The cable concluded: "I am satisfied with the negotiations of my Shell Committee, which have been marked with extreme caution and minute examination. There will be no interference with present manufacturers now engaged in fuses. The report is unfounded and appears to emanate from disappointed promoters."

"That," said the witness, "is a cable I prepared, with Gen. Bertram and Gen. Hughes."

In was prepared by you in conjunction with Gen Bertram and Gen. Hughes?—Yes, that is right.

Is the language yours or Gen Hughes' or Gen Bertram's or do you take the responsibility for the various parts of it?—It was, I believe, drafted by myself and perhaps, strengthened with ebullition by the General, the Minister of Militia. I refer to the last paragraph. (Laughter).

The words "my Shell Committee" to the end are the General's?—Yes (Laughter)

A reply from Gen. Bertram to Ryan was cited regretting that the Ohner price was too high, also a cable to the War Office, stating that the manufacturers with whom orders had been placed for fuses "inform us that they cannot hold an option on these materials longer."

ON THE DOORSTEP ALL THE TIME

The firm referred to in this cable, Col. Carnegie said, were the International Arms and Fuse, and the American Ammunition.

Col. Carnegie told how the men looking for orders would be "on the doorstep all the time."

"I hope they got further than the doorstep," jocularly commented Sir Wm. Meredith.

"I think they did," was the reply. There was also a letter from an American concern, which promoted Col. Carnegie to be a general, and began: "My dear General."

"Oh, that is nothing," commented Col. Carnegie.

The time fuse has no gauge, it was a new introduction of a time fuse in an explosive shell, Col. Carnegie explained.

On May 25 Mr. Ryan sent a letter to Gen. Bertram regarding prices and disclaimed he had ever told Ohner or anyone else the price. He informed him that he knew of another company to make fuses and the price would be low as possible with the high price of raw material.

On May 29 a letter from Paul F. Sise, of the Northern Electric Company, was produced.

This letter said the company could make a tentative price of $4 each for percussion fuses, but "this price is only an estimate." The company wanted specifications.

This was the first letter from the company, but Col. Carnegie had an interview with Mr. Hathaway, of that company, regarding the making of 1,000,000 No. 100 fuses.

Hathaway showed the photo of a fuse and some specifications which had been obtained from Morgans. "Personally," said Col. Carnegie, "I know nothing of the No. 100 fuses."

The Commission then adjourned for lunch.

SHOPLIFTING?

Mrs. Virginie Legault and Mrs. Louisa Lambert, accused of shoplifting to the extent of $200, were committed to stand trial before Judge Bazin in the Court of Sessions, by Judge Lanctot in Police Court this morning.



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Special to The Star by United Press.

NEW YORK, April 27. In order that Joseph Castelli might be free of his wife, who would not divorce him, Frank Veteri lured Mrs. Castelli to New Haven and pounded her to death with an iron bar while Castelli, who had followed secretly, looked on.

All involved in the unusual crime are deaf mutes. Veteri killed Mrs. Castelli because of his friendship for her husband and for a slight financial gain, the police say. The men are in jail here and both confessed today.

Mrs. Castelli was struck many times. Unable to cry out, she could only struggle silently and was slowly pounded to the floor, where she was found after the men had fled. She was removed to a hospital.

The crime occurred on Sunday. She died on Monday. That her death was due to several skull fractures was determined on Tuesday. She was indentified on Wednesday and the arrests followed.

COAXED HER TO ELOPE.

Early today, after Veteri and Castelli had been bribed by a hearty meal, they confessed, each racing with the other to get his admissions on paper. Veteri coaxed Mrs. Castelli to elope with him on Sunday, he wrote. They went to New Haven and engaged a room. Castelli followed. He crept quietly into the room and secreted himself in a clothes closet.

Veteri had a light iron bar, not much heavier than a pencil. He crept upon Mrs. Castelli and struck her. His weapon descended again and again until Mrs. Castelli was unconscious on the floor. Meanwhile the husband peered from the closet, watching his friend free him of a wife who would not be divorced.

The mother and sister of the slain woman reported the disappearance of Mrs. Castelli after her husband, who returned here, refused to. Veteri was best man at the wedding of Castelli and the slain woman, then Mrs. Antonio Massaro, divorced and the mother of three children.

Castelli recently offered his wife $400 to permit him to get a divorce. She refused.

After arrest the men in writing their answers to police questions denied guilt for several hours. Then they wrote that if fed they would tell all.

WEST VIRGINIA FIGHTS BIDDINGER RENDITION TO ILL.

Declare Chicago Charges Trumped Up to Keep Him from South

Special to The Montreal Star by United Press.

ALBANY, N.Y., April 27.—Governor Whitman today heard argument on the application for revocation of the Governor's order of Saturday last, extraditing Guy Biddinger, a detective, to Illinois, where he is wanted to answer fifty-one charges. The revocation is requested by Governor Hatfield of West Virginia.

It was charged at the hearing today that A. Leo Weil, attorney for the Manufacturers Heat and Light Company, of Pittsburgh, which furnishes heat and light in West Virginia, was responsible for the plan to have Biddinger taken to Chicago on extradition papers.

Weil is under indictment in West Virginia, charged with offering a bribe of $60,000 each to two Public Service Commissioners if they would vote against granting an order to lower the price of electricity.

It was asserted that Biddinger, as a Burns detective, worked up the case against Weil and, therefore, West Virginia wanted him as its most important witness. Moses H. Grossman, of counsel for Biddinger, asserted that the plan to extradite him to Chicago was inspired by the desire to keep Biddinger out of West Virginia during the Weil trial. The Illinois charges, counsel said, were flimsy and ridiculous and had been trumped up in the last fortnight.

Representing the State of Illinois at the hearing today were Louis Marshall, Isador Kresle and Samuel S. Koenig. Mr. Grossman charged that they really were the counsel of Weil. Mr. Marshall said that he and his associates represented nobody but the State of Illinois.

Grossman continuing his argument, considered in detail the charges against Biddinger, asserting that in three cases the charges were based on the affidavits of confessed "crooks" and had no corroboration.

Biddinger than was sworn on his own behalf. He said that he had maintained his residence in Chicago while working in all parts of the country for the Burn's Detective Agency, that he frequently reported to headquarters there, and could have been found by the Chicago Chief of Police at any time. Two months ago, he told the Governor, two "crooks" approached him in New York and informed him that they had received offers of $500 each to make affidavits against him.

Governor Witman will not give his decision until he has communicated with Governor Dunne. This course was followed at the request of Governor Dunne, who is giving a hearing in the case on the application of Governor Hatfield of West Virginia.

Special to The Montreal Star by the United Press.

CHICAGO, April 27.—Gov. Dunne, after a hearing today in the case of Guy Biddinger, the detective, said: "If I find that the indictment of Biddinger here was brought about for the purpose of removing him as a witness in the West Virginia bribery case, I shall revoke the extradition."

Robert E. Cantwell, attorney for Biddinger, at the hearing today charged that a Chicago man had offered the former Chicago detective a huge bribe and a "pension" of $1,000 to flee to Australia and thereby thwart prosecution of the bribery case, in West Virginia, in which Biddinger is the chief witness.

"Are you sure of this?" asked Gov. Dunne, when the charge was made.

"That is Biddinger's story," replied Mr. Cantwell.

MERCIER REPORT ON SEWER AFFAIR READY TOMORROW

Said That Controllers Will Tell Him to Go Ahead with Actions

Lending weight to the report that court actions will result from the Bordeaux sewer scandal, it was announced today that until an inquiry of some kind is instituted, no details will be published of the eighteen affidavits now in the possession of Paul E. Mercier, chief city engineer.

Finishing touches were being put to the report today, all evidence having been gathered. After a final consultation between Mr. Mercier and C. Laurendeau, it was announced that the report will be ready tomorrow, when Mr. Mercier himself will appear before the controllers and explain the matter. But the report will merely relate information that has come to the notice of the public works department. Details of evidence, said completely to bear out charges that city material was used for private purposes and that city-paid men worked for private individuals, will not accompany the report. Until the Board has decided what inquiry it will institute, the affidavits will remain with the chief engineer. The report will recommend the fullest inquiry, as well as some dismissals in the public works department staff. It is said that the Board is ready to grant all asked of it in this affair, and it is presumed that the city attorney, when asked what mode of inquiry he would suggest, will favor suits before the courts as the sole means of uncovering everything.

ESTATE TO SON

The last will of Catherine Otes, widow of Peter M. Peterson, was filed for probate this morning. The testatrix bequeathes all her property, consisting of real estate, moveable effects, stocks, bonds, and personal belongings to her son Peter Theodore Peterson, fruit merchant, 169 McGill street, who is also named executor.

Monster Preparedness Parade for New York

NEW YORK, April 27.—To show their interest in preparedness, 105,000 business and professional men will march in a twelve-mile parade here on May 13, it was announced today.

It will be "Preparedness Day" in New York. The National Guard has been ordered out and Mayor Mitchell has asked for a display of flags. More than 25,000 women will be in the line of march.

NORWEGIAN BARQUE SUNK BY U-BOAT

LONDON April 27.—The sinking of a neutral vessel by gunfire from a German submarine was announced officially today. The Norwegian barque Carmanian was destroyed and a boat containing part of her crew capsized.

The official announcement is as follows:

"The Norwegian barque Carmanian was sunk by gunfire from a German submarine on Tuesday, fifty-five miles off the west coast of Ireland. The crew took to boats. The submarine immediately left them.

"One boat capsized. The other, containing the captain and nine of the crew, reached the coast. The men were rescued by cliff ladders."

The Carmanian, 1,840 tons gross, was built in 1897 and owned in Stavanger. She was last reported on sailing from Buenos Ayres on February 18 for Falmouth.



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Roast Pork with dressing	10c
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Pressed Ham	25c
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Cooked Roast Spring Chickens. BEEF! BEEF!!

We sell nothing but the finest Western Steer Beef.

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK

Rib Roast, from	10c
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Roll Roast	15c

Try our Corned Beef with a New Cabbage.

Brisket Corn Beef	12½c
Roll Corned Beef	15c
Rump Corned Beef	18c

MILK-FED VEAL

FRONTS LOINS LEGS

FISH! FISH!! FISH!'

Haddock	6½c
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Fronts	16c
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Have You Received Your Free Dust Cloth?

A great number of housewives have taken advantage of the opportunity to get a fine, large 25c L-V Dust Cloth, Entirely Free on Friday. You can also get one on any Friday if you will present the coupon below to your dealer, and buy at the same time a 50c bottle of

LIQUID VENEER

(MADE IN CANADA.)

If you want to make your dusting easier, if you want to make your piano furniture and woodwork shine as it never shone before, if you want to save the expense of refinishing, if you want to be sure to remove every speck of dust and dirt, then

DON'T DELAY

Get an L-V Dust Cloth, made of our new crinkly dust-absorbing fabric, "Crepette," treated with Liquid Veneer. This combination of 25c L-V Dust Cloth and 50c bottle of Liquid Veneer cannot be beat. Try it and see.

Any reliable grocer, drug, hardware, paint or furniture dealer will honor the coupon tomorrow, (or any Friday).

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This coupon when signed by you and presented to a Liquid Veneer dealer, on any Friday, is redeemable for an L-V Dust Cloth with the purchase of a 50c bottle of Liquid Veneer.

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Street.....

Town.....

Mr. Dealer—If you have no Dust Cloths, sell the bearer a 50c bottle of Liquid Veneer. Send us the coupon and you will receive a Dust Cloth, free, for your customers.

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Ogilvy's Month-End Economy Sale

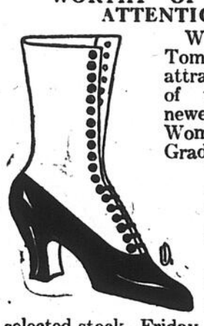
Store Opens 8.30 a.m. Closes 6 p.m.

Planned for YOUR Economy---Offers You the Season's Choicest Merchandise at Lowest Possible Prices

St. Catherine Street West and Mountain Street

See Mountain Street Windows for Bargains.

Women's High Cut Boots
WORTHY OF YOUR ATTENTION



We will display Tomorrow a most attractive range of the season's newest styles in Women's High-Grade Boots. Of patent colt with black cravenette tops, high cut button style, Spanish leather heels, made of best selected stock. Friday Special..... **$5.95**

—Main Floor.

Important Hosiery Specials
For Women and Children.

250 Pairs Women's Radium Silk Hose, lisle tops, soles and high spliced heels. Colors grey, suede, white and black; sizes 8½ to 10. Friday Economy Sale, pair.. **59c**

Children's White Lisle Socks with striped turnover tops, Radium quality; sizes 5 to 8½. Friday, pair..... **20c**

Children's White Lisle Socks, Radium quality, fine make, sizes 4 to 8½. Friday, pair.... **22c**

—Main Floor.

Economy Sale of Embroideries

27-inch Embroidery Skirting suitable for women's and children's dresses. Pretty open and lacey designs with hemstitched and scalloped edge. Regularly $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50. On Sale Friday at..... **49c**

Edgings, Bandings and Insertions in fine Swiss lacey patterns, 5 to 9 inches wide. Suitable for women's and children's dresses, and for dainty lingerie trimmings. Regularly $1 to $2.50 a yard. On sale Friday at..... **49c**

18-inch Corset Cover Embroidery of fine cambric and muslin. Regularly 30c and 35c. On Sale Friday, at..... **15c**

—Main Floor.



MONTH-END ECONOMY SALE OF

Trimmed Millinery at $1.50

On Saturday we clear a number of this season's most popular shapes at $1.50. These are trimmed with flowers, fruits, wings, mounts, ribbons, etc. All good style. Regular prices $2.95 to $5.00. To clear Friday..... **$1.50**

No C.O.D.'s, Phone Orders or Exchanges in Millinery Department.

GIRLS' TRIMMED HATS AT 79c

80 only Ready-to-Wear Hats for girls 3 to 8 years. All imported shapes made of straw with small flower and berry trimmings. Some have silk crowns finished with narrow ribbons. All the most called for colors are here, for..... **79c**

—First Floor.

50 Middy Waists Clearing at 66c

Women's and Misses' Middy Blouses made of strong Jean with colored collars and cuffs. Some are samples that are slightly soiled. Odd sizes only, Reg. $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00. Friday..... **66c**

No Phone Orders Filled.



ECONOMY SALE OF UNDERSKIRTS AT..... 88c

Reg. $1.50, $1.95 and $2.95.

200 Splendid quality English Underskirts priced for quick clearance Tomorrow. Smart new styles made extra wide of Moirette and Sateen and finished with tailored or ruffle trimmed flounces. Black and a good range of colors. Regular $1.50, $1.95 and $2.95. Friday..... **88c**

500 WOMEN'S NIGHTGOWNS TO SELL AT..... 98c

Fine Nainsook and Cotton Nightgowns. Well made in slipover styles and trimmed with neat embroidery. Friday your choice at each..... **98c**

A CLEARANCE OF WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR AT..... 19c

Worth up to 75c

Women's Knitted Vests and Drawers, comprising odd lines from stock. Vests have low neck and short sleeves. Drawers are knee length and lace trimmed. Values up to 75c. Friday your choice, each..... **19c**

—First Floor.

Women's Imported Chip Hats---35c

100 imported Chip Hats in three good fitting turban shapes, colors only. Reg. $1.98. Clearing Friday Morning at..... **35c**

8.30 SPECIAL

—First Floor.

Clearance of Boys' Underwear at 49c

Worth to $1.20 regularly

This is an early morning clearance of Boys' English make Underwear, guaranteed unshrinkable, small sizes only. Shirts have short sleeves. Drawers are knee length, natural wool. A limited quantity only regularly priced to $1.20. Friday from 8:30 to 10:30 A.M., garment..... **49c**

—Main Floor.

Men's Snappy Spring Suits at $12.98

Worth $18 to $20

Well cut and well finished suits that are really astounding value at this price. Colors are browns, greys, worsteds and tweeds. Twenty only worth $18 to $20. Friday at 8:30 a.m., for one hour only..... **$12.98**

8.30 Clearance of Corsets at 50c

72 pairs of strong Coutil Corsets, well boned, embroidery trimmed and finished with four elastic garters; sizes 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 only. Friday for an 8:30 clearance, pair..... **50c**

No phone orders or exchanges for these.

—First Floor.

One Thousand Yards Wash Fabrics at 15c

Value 29c

36-inch Spring and Summer Wash Materials comprising Striped and Figured Voiles, French Crepe, etc. Value 29c. Month-End Economy Sale, Friday..... **15c**

—Main Floor.

Great Variety and Exceptional Values in Women's $28.75 to $37.50 Suits at $22.50



An assemblage of the season's smartest styles brought together for this Economy Sale in one great assortment at $22.50. In this collection are many Suits taken from our higher priced assortments as an added attraction.

In numbers, in latest-hour correctness of style, and in actual intrinsic value, this is easily the foremost suit presentation we have ever made. Regular $28.75 to $37.50 values. Friday's price..... **$22.50**

$12.50 White Top Coats for Women---$8.75

White Top Coats, made of all Wool Blanket cloth, suitable for street or touring. Deep pockets, cuffs and convertible collars, belted style. Seventy-five only, worth $12.50. Economy Sale Price, Friday **$8.75**

First Floor.

Month-End Economy Sales of Men's Underwear

Men's Combinations in white only, Springneedle and Athletic makes, mostly one-quarter length sleeves and knee length drawers. All sizes 34 to 44, except size 38. Regular value to $1.50. Friday, suit..... **69c**

Men's Underwear, English manufacture. Shirts with short sleeves, all sizes. Drawers mostly knee length, in sizes 32, 34 and 40 only. Reg. values to $1.50. Friday, garment. **59c**

Men's Shirts in natural shade, size 36 only. Regular $1.00. Friday to clear, each..... **49c**

—Main Floor.

Economy Sale Values In Rich New Silks

750 yards Pure Silk Paillette in shades, Alice, sky, brown, grey, Nile, reseda, pink and black, 36 inches wide. Reg. $1.25. Friday **89c**

36-inch Chiffon Taffeta in pink, grey, ivory, mauve, myrtle, reseda, sky, blue. Friday Special **$1.25**

Pure Silk Pussy Willow Habutai, washable. Colors: pink, mauve, sky, navy, fawn, green, white, brown and Alice, 36 inches wide. Suitable for cool summer dresses and blouses. Regularly $1.00. Friday **69c**

36-inch White Washing Habutai Silk for dresses, blouses and underwear. Reg. 50c. Friday **39c**

Oddments in Fancy Silks, single and double fold. Values up to 75c. Marked to clear at **25c**

New Dress Goods and Suitings at Very Special Prices

Navy and Black Material with white hairline stripe, medium weight for suits and dresses, 36 inches wide. Friday, Special **69c**

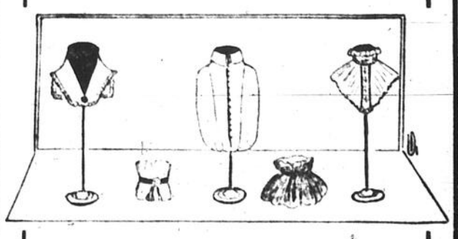
Plain and Stripe Panama Weave Dress Material in colorings navy, grey, black and Alice, 36 inches wide. Friday, Special **39c**

Black and White Shepherd's Check, in assorted size checks, suitable for dresses, shirtwaist suits, separate skirts and children's dresses, 36 inches wide. Regularly 45c. Friday, a yard **19c**

Main Floor.

Month-End Sale of Sample Neckwear

Values 50c to $1.00. FRIDAY..... 21c



This lot is made up of sample pieces of Novelty Neckwear and comprises a large assortment of Collar and Cuff Sets, plain or embroidered, Vestees of lawn and net, Stocks of every description in flare, military or lotus effects, and Puritan Neckwear in white, or white and black combinations. A splendid variety of high-grade Neckwear worth regularly 50c to $1.00. For the Second Day of our Month-End Economy Sale, each..... **21c**

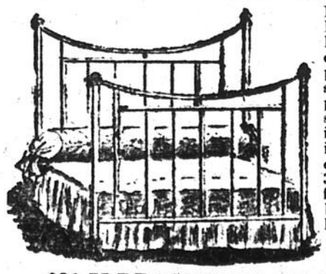
—Main Floor.

MEN'S $18.50 RAINCOATS, $9.28

Made good and roomy of a strong rubberized material that gives most satisfactory wear. On sale at 2 p.m. Friday, for..... **$9.28**

—First Floor.

$55 Brass Beds $29.75



Nine only English Brass Beds, extra heavy, plain straight line patterns, square tubing, finished in bright only. Sizes 3 ft. and 3 ft. 6 ins. Reg. $55.00 Friday — **$29.75**

$21.75 BRASS BEDS, $16.75

12 only two-inch Continuous Post Brass Beds, bright finish, large fillers. Sizes 3 ft., 3 ft. 6 inches and 4 ft. 6 inches. Regular $21.75. Sale Price, Friday..... **$16.75**

FOLDING GO-CARTS, $6.98



One motion all Steel Folder, leather cloth hood, reclining back, rubber tire wheels, foot brake. Special — **$6.98**

CHAIR GO-CARTS, $2.75

Chair Go-Carts with perforated seat and back, rubber tire wheels, folds into small space. Special Friday..... **$2.75**

—Basement.

Stamped Linen "Economy"

For Tomorrow only we offer 18-inch Centres stamped on fine quality linen in several attractive designs of solid and eyelet embroidery. Reg. 35c. Friday..... **22c**

—Main Floor.

THOUSANDS OF ALL PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS

Offer Important Economies in This Sale.

Boys' Real Irish Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, all pure linen, ½-inch hems. Regularly $1.75 dozen. Friday, each..... **10c**

Men's Plain linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, all pure Irish linen, assorted widths of hem. Regular $4.00, $4.50 and $5 per dozen. Friday, dozen..... **$3.50**

Men's Hemstitched Initialed Handkerchiefs, of pure Irish linen, hand embroidered initials, ½-inch hems. Regularly $2.75 dozen, Friday..... **$1.79**

Women's Plain and crossbar Handkerchiefs, ½-inch hems. Regular 90c dozen, Month-End Sale, Friday..... **55c**

Men's Real Irish Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, pure linen, assorted widths of hem. Regularly $2.75 dozen, Friday..... **$1.79**

Women's Plain Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, all pure Irish linen, ½-inch hems. Regular 80c a dozen. Tomorrow..... **47c**

—Main Floor.

BEST 85c, $1.00 AND $1.25 PARASOLS 68c

Parasols with straight or crooked handles and fine quality cotton coverings. Border or striped designs in colors pink, green, grey, blue and red. Regular 85c, $1.00 and $1.25. Extra value, Friday..... **68c**

—Main Floor.

$3.75 SATIN CUSHIONS $1.98

These are made of satin, pleated and shirred with centre motifs of cretonnes. All the wanted shades are here, such as maize, rose, green, gold, blue, Nile, etc. These are finished ready for use with forms sewn in. Regularly $3.75. Extra Special for Tomorrow only..... **$1.98**

—Main Floor.

All Framed and Unframed Pictures Tomorrow Less 50%

The biggest bargain ever offered in our Art Gallery will be this offering. Every requirement in Pictures can be filled tomorrow at just half the usual prices, and this is a splendid opportunity for those refurnishing their homes.

Our Art Gallery is in the hands of experts who will gladly give you any suggestions as to what might be suitable for any particular room you wish. Artistic taste and good quality is the absolute guarantee on all our Pictures and Frames. There's an immense range of both Framed and Unframed Pictures here to meet every whim.

For Tomorrow only, select any Picture in our entire stock at 50 per cent reduction.

—Art Gallery and Picture Framing Dept. Basement.

ONE THOUSAND YARDS OF FACTORY COTTON, worth 10c a yard.

Friday 5c

This is a fine soft, even weave, free of all finish and dressing and warranted to bleach perfectly. Very suitable for women's and children's Underwear, as well as pillow cases, etc. Value 10c yard. Tomorrow at 8:30 A.M. yd **5c**

No phone orders filled and only 10 yards sold to any one customer.

$3.50 Pure Linen Table Cloths, $1.98

Thirty-five only Pure Linen Damask Table Cloths, made in Ireland by a famous maker. And guaranteed most satisfactory. There's a choice assortment of the newest designs, size 2 x 2 yards. Value $3.50. Friday Economy Sale Price..... **$1.98**

Main Floor.

Spring Cleaning Necessities
In the Basement.

WINDOW SCREENS

Hardwood frame, oil finish, easy working, will not sag.

Size 14 x 20 in., extends to 33 ins	25c
Size 18 x 22 in., extends to 36½ ins	30c
Size 18 x 24 in., extends to 40½ ins	35c
Size 22 x 26 in., extends to 44½ ins	40c
Size 22 x 34 in., extends to 60 ins	45c
Size 14 x 34 in., extends to 60 ins	50c

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Well made and finished, four sizes. Priced at **98c** and **$1.50.**

GARDEN RAKES

Good strong rake with long handles.

10 tooth. Special	25c
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Good quality three-ply Garden Hose, warranted to stand lawn or garden use; ½ inch size, **8c** foot; ¾ inch size, **10c** foot.

Hardwood Hose Reels, well made and finished. Special **98c**

Lawn Mowers, good size, drive wheel 12, 14 or 16 inch cutting blades. Special.. **$4.98**

Black Fly Screen Wire, best made.

24 inch. Yard	18c
26 inch. Yard	20c
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30 inch. Yard	24c
32 inch. Yard	25c
34 inch. Yard	26c

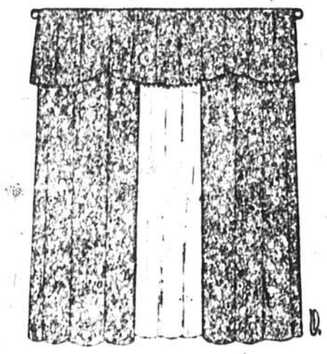
Our Full Course Luncheon Is 40c

Generous Reductions of Seamless Axminster Rugs

Twenty-two only Seamless Axminster Rugs, rich Persian designs in the popular wood shades, clearing Tomorrow as follows:

Size 3 x 4 yards. Today's price $8.50, clearing Friday at **$38.00**

Size 2 x 3 yards. Today's price $15, clearing Friday **$22.00**



$12.00 TO $18.00 CURTAINS, $6.95

Three pairs Cream Irish Point Curtains, 3 and 3½ yards long. Values from $12 to $18. Friday, while they last **$6.95**

$3.25 MARQUISETTE CURTAINS, $1.95

25 Pairs of Cream Marquisette Curtains, 2½ yds. long and trimmed with neat lace edging, two designs only. Regularly $3.25. Friday, per pair **$1.95**

Second Floor.

Half-Price Sale of Hand-Made Laces

For Tomorrow only we offer Real Irish Laces and Insertions, 1½ to 2½ inches wide. Foreign Lace and Insertion, 1 to 2½ inches wide. Regularly 25c to $2.50 yard. Economy Sale Price, Friday, Half Price

—Main Floor.

Economies on Toilet Needs

Perfumed Toilet Soap in odors of Rose, Lilac, Violet, Blue Bird, Mayflower and Oatmeal. Reg. 25c Friday a box of 3 cakes for..... **19c**

—Main Floor.

BRITISH PRESS LAUD NOTE TO U. S.

LONDON, April 27.—The British note in reply to the representations of the United States against interference with neutral maritime trade by the Entente Allis is published fully in most of the morning papers, which give high praise to the views expressed by the British Government.

The Post says editorially: "The reply is especially notable in that the doctrine of ultimate destination is plainly affirmed on behalf of the Allies. Sir Edward Grey's attitude toward the American Government is perfectly correct."

The Daily News remarks: "The value of the reply lies in the extreme adroitness wherewith it restores the true perspective to the issues between Great Britain and the United States."

ONTARIO SOLDIER HEIR TO EARLDOM

BRANTFORD, Ont., April 27.—Pte. S. P. Harris, 125th Battalion, has been notified by British lawyers that owing to deaths in the war he is the next heir to an English earldom. According to the story he tells, the earldom, with 900 acres, is now held by his maternal uncle, seventy-six years of age. Harris was a Barnardo boy, with slight prospects.

BEAUDRY WINS A POINT.

Mr. Justice Bruneau yesterday dismissed a motion for particulars made by Tancred Marsil in connection with the $10,000 libel action taken against him by J. A. Beaudry, who was a rival candidate for the Board of Control at the recent elections.

DROWNED MAN HAD GOVT. HOUSE GIFT

QUEBEC, April 27.—The body of an unidentified man, between 40 and 50, was found drowned at Cacouna down the St. Lawrence yesterday. He was about six feet high and weighed 200 pounds. He carried a wrist watch bearing the inscription: "To Charlie from his Chums at Government House, Ottawa, November, 1915."

LIEUT. STEPHENSON WEDS IN LIVERPOOL

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, April 27.—The wedding has taken place at Liverpool of Lieut. J. McStephenson, of the 73rd Reserve, formerly of the 14th, of Montreal, to Edith Jones. Both belong to Manx families. The bridegroom has been three times wounded, and holds the D.C.M. and the Medaille Militaire.

The wedding party taken from Sheffield of Lieut. Frederick Speed, of Edmonton, of the 19th Battalion, to Vera Kirk, of Lethbridge, Alta., celebrated a double ceremony.

Landsat, out, the three hundred-mile soon reaches King and Queen Harbor. Of these 101 are Anglicans, 77 Methodists, 77 Presbyterians, 20 Roman Catholics, and 19 Baptists.

Say Germany Will Admit Sussex Crime

BERNE, via Paris, April 27.—The Bund which has exceptional sources of information in regard to German affairs, says it is probable the German Government will not maintain any longer that the steamer Sussex was not torpedoed by a German submarine.

The Montreal Daily Star.

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Daily Star last week (average) over	98,000
Weekly Star last week	136,500
One issue of Daily and Weekly Star, over	234,500
Circulation of The Star last week, Daily and Weekly, over	725,000

In addition to the above figures, there is a large excess circulation, bona fide, and which has run from 70,000 to 350,000 a week. This is all included in the overweight in the guarantee to advertisers.

THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1916.

THE BRITISH RECRUITING SITUATION—IRELAND—GERMANY'S NEXT MOVE — ITALY AND ROUMANIA.

THE statement issued by the British Government of the policy it presented to the secret session of Parliament, indicates in veiled language **a surrender to the principle of universal compulsory service.** It is true that voluntarism can still keep the field if it will supply the needed number of men. But the numbers required are not small—the supply must be steady—and the experience of the last eight months is not encouraging.

The surrender of the stout friends of the voluntary system has been conducted on logical lines; and they have only abandoned a position after it became entirely untenable. **Mr. Asquith has never denied that he would go any lengths to get the men necessary to win the war.** His contention was simply that the voluntary method would produce the men if given time enough and if properly conducted. And this latest policy of his is right in line with this theory. He says, in effect: "So many men are needed from this time forward. We will give the voluntary system a full chance to produce them. Only if it fails to produce them will we apply to Parliament for powers of compulsion."

It is difficult to see how this convincing attitude can be successfully met unless its opponents do one of two things—either prove that the estimate of men needed is too great, or argue that it is better to be beaten by Germany than to extend compulsion to married men. The first alternative implies knowing more about the necessities of the war than the War Office; and the second alternative **leads straight to the most drastic form of conscription fastened forever upon the British people.** For no one doubts for a moment that a German victory would compel the establishment of conscription in the British Isles, either by a British Government preparing to fight in the last ditch—or by a German Government which had extended Prussian militarism to its new Provinces beyond "the German Ocean."

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Even those who imagine the end of the war to be near should be in favor of as large a British force in khaki as is at all possible. In fact, this is the very school which can call for a great army with the freest conscience; for it will hope that its new recruits need never be sent under fire. But it must be apparent to any one who will cast his mind ahead into the conditions which would surround any conference in the near future, that it will be **absolutely essential that the British Ministers shall go into that Conference with a strong army-in-being to back them up.**

Such a Conference, meeting today without a definite victory for either side, would degenerate at once into the fiercest bargaining bout ever seen in the history of the world. Each nation would make extreme demands; and we should frequently hear the swords rattling again in their scabbards and threats from all sides to renew hostilities. In such a Babel, the Power which had only a small army would be little listened to; while the Power which could point to a great force behind it, ready to march at the word of command, would have a potent voice. Thus the British Empire imperatively needs a great army, whether it is to do its fighting in the field or in the council chamber.

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The situation in Ireland is being diplomatically and delicately handled. There is not the smallest fear that the mad adventure of the few fanatics can have any military effect, but there is a deep desire and a quite proper desire on the part of the British authorities to **leave as few wounds as possible to rankle in Irish memories** through the long future. The indignation of the overwhelming majority of the Irish people at the reckless folly of these "fanatics" is good to hear. Sir Charles Fitzpatrick voiced it eloquently last evening when he said that "our leaders are not men like Sir Roger Casement, but men like John Redmond" John Redmond who rallied to the British side at the first thought of war, who has today, in company with Sir Edward Carson, declared his abhorrence of the uprising, and whose brother is fighting with the British armies in France. Still blood shed, in however mistaken a cause, leaves a long stain, and the British Government is endeavoring to deal with the unpleasant situation which has arisen in the Sister Island with a minimum of blood letting.

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The Germans seem to have delivered a heavy attack in the **Vosges.** The positions held by the French at this advanced section of their line, have long constituted **a thorn in the flesh of German military pride;** and we may look for a determined effort to drive our Allies back here at any time. Still it is quite possible that this is only a feint to draw the French forces to the East before the big thrust is made near **Soissons,** of which we have been warned for weeks. Preparation for some such thrust may be the reason of the closed Swiss border. Some such thrust is, indeed, almost certain if defeat has been finally accepted at Verdun. The Germans have a habit of distracting the attention of their own people and the watching world from a defeat by attacking violently somewhere else.

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Two other sections of the iron ring which encloses the Teuton Empires are menaced with attack. **The Russian front** expects one confidently, and is equally confident as to the result. They have soldiers to spare—and they are sparing them. Then repeated rumor promises **a vigorous Austrian attack on the Italian front.** This attack has probably come about a year too late. The Austrians no longer control the peaks and passes of the Alpine barriers in such fashion as they can debouch at will into the open plains of Italy. Italian courage and enterprise of a high order has succeeded in winning many of these peaks and passes from them, and Italian guns now command the routes by which such an invasion would come. Austria must pay a great price today to get into Italy at all.

The real basis for this expected attack seems to be the belief that **the altered attitude of Roumania** has permitted large Austrian forces to be transferred from Transylvania to the Trentino. If this is true, it is no use denying the seriousness of the situation—both from the side of possible Roumanian action, and from the side of the heavy work before our gallant Italian Allies. But it may not be true. There is nothing to support it but Austrian rumor. Roumania may easily have decided to sell her grain to the only customers who can actually carry it away and use it, without having decided yet upon which side it will best pay her to enter the war. **That huge Russian army,** awaiting the spring campaign just over her northern frontier, will be **a very dissuasive influence** on any Roumanian dream that this would be a good time to challenge Russia to a duel to the death. And if Roumania is still in doubt in a military sense, the Austrian forces which have been watching the passes into Transylvania would hardly feel free to entangle themselves with the Italian armies.

ANOTHER LEAK TO PLUG

ON Tuesday Controller Villeneuve gave evidence of his zeal in the interest of civic finances by warning the Council and through it the public, that this city was in a very serious plight, and insisting that every possible economy must be observed in the conduct of municipal business.

Yesterday The Star showed Controller Villeneuve and his colleagues where one such economy can be affected immediately. For some years thousands of dollars have been squandered annually on the maintenance of civic automobiles. Apparently the same happy-go-lucky method or lack of method has prevailed here as is to be found in too many other departments of the city service. Machines seem to be at the beck and call of the first comer, no municipal garage exists in charge of a responsible authority, who is required to give an accounting for money spent in maintenance and repairs, there is no check, or practically none, on the would-be joy rider, and no method of estimating throughout the year what the municipal cars are costing. In a word, there is in Montreal a complete absence of the system which prevails in other large cities where many automobiles are in use.

Here, then, is an opportunity for the new Board and Council to give an earnest of their good faith toward the taxpayers. It will be a comparatively simple matter to put the administration of this small department under a proper system and to stop up at once one of the innumerable leaks in the treasury. Let the Board act and the Council adopt its recommendation.

After all, though, we must concede that the German "High Seas" Fleet did accomplish a remarkable achievement. It went to sea.

There will no doubt be much disgust in Germany because the latest Zeppelin raid resulted only in the death of a horse instead of the usual slaughter of babies. There should be some consolation, however, in the fact that one of the sea-raiders of Yarmouth managed to hit a home for convalescents.

Holland has been forced to take to "war bread" because of the scarcity of American wheat. Those German submarines are certainly making a host of friends in the Fatherland.

THE WORLD'S PRESS

The Omniscient Judge

Pittsburg Dispatch: It took a Chicago Circuit Judge to decide off-hand the puzzle that has bothered some of the brightest minds of a century or more. Bacon, not Shake-peare, he rules, wrote the plays. Somebody should now ask him who started the war. It would be a shame to let such omniscience go to waste.

Recruiting in Australia

Melbourne Age: The voluntary system has manifestly exhausted its capacity, but the Government refuses to adopt a better. Not many months ago the same Government with the applause of the entire Australian nation pledged itself to assist Britain to the last man and the last shilling. That, with 120,000 men enrolled, we have fallen sadly short of our duty cannot longer be denied. The farcically inept voluntary system must be discarded and Compulsory National Service adopted and enforced.

Must Come To It

Portland Oregonian: Out of 11,849 men who have sought entrance to the army under the recent call for 20,000 volunteers but 2,879 have been accepted. What is wrong with American physical standards that so few are fit for military duty? And what is wrong with our system of recruitment that only 2,879 men have been raised in an emergency requiring 20,000? The answer is that we must come to universal service before getting anywhere.

Three Lines of Defense

Fortnightly Review:—The Navy is our first line of defense as of offense; our industries and finance constitute our second; and our armies form our third. If we invert the order, then, indeed, should the war last many more months, we may be reduced to dire straits. Any injury which we inflict on ourselves we shall also inflict on our Allies. We must hold the balance between the rival claims on the manhood of the nation. Our main aid in bringing the Germans to the dust must be maritime security, munitions, and money—which depends on our export trade. If in either of these respects we fail, we must also fail in our military efforts.

National Insurance

Washington Post:—Total reserves held by national banks March 1 were $2,287,000,000. This is $993,000,000 more than the law requires, and is more than $100,000,000 in excess of the greatest surplus reserve ever held before. This wealth is not owned by the banks of the country but represents the savings of the people themselves. The tremendous showing demonstrates how idle it is to talk about economy with regard to adequate national defense. If but one per cent of great savings stored in the national banks of the country were used for preparedness, a real army and navy could be provided and adequate protection would be afforded to the remaining ninety-nine per cent of the accumulated wealth.

Emaciated Dogs of War

Philadelphia Ledger:—If Congress passes a bill to feed six hungry "war dogs" now at an army post in Vermont it will be the second instance on record of such legislation. The Turkish Parliament once passed an appropriative measure to feed the dogs of Constantinople, expelled from their howling and fighting in the streets to an island in the Sea of Marmora. Then the boatmen got lazy, and the ravenous animals killed and ate each other, and only the bleaching bones remain to tell the tale. The present question is whether the United States will permit its four-legged sentries to suffer from a similar neglect. Current history, in print and film and lecture, depicts the great usefulness of these dogs in military operations. These dogs, for whom no less a personage than General Gorgas appeals, were brought here with the purpose of creating a dog corps similar to those whose efficacy in European armies has been shown. Does our unpreparedness, manifest by land and sea and in the air as well, extend even to the kennel?

Defensive Trade War

London Times:—The term "trade war" covers two different conceptions. One is an aggressive policy, which may fairly be termed war; the other is purely defensive. A real victory in proportion to its completeness would render it unnecessary to inflict any further positive injury on the enemy. Consequently it is impossible to foresee how this problem may present itself. But that has nothing to do with the defensive war, which has two objects. The first is to protect ourselves from "peaceful penetration" for all time. There is nothing whatever done by the Germans that throws more light on their character than this process. It is all their own; no people have ever practised it before. It is the art of seeking hospitality in order to betray your unsuspecting host and stab him in the back when he is not looking. No baser depth of treachery is known to mankind. And it has been practised deliberately and systematically for many years by the Germans in all countries. They have all been honeycombed by stealthy German intrigue in financial, commercial, social and political life. Its influence is still with us even now, and is being stealthily used under cover in this very matter of trade policy. The war has revealed a state of things that no one would have believed possible; and the nations that have been the victims of it have resolved to have no more of this diabolical treachery.

The British Political Crisis

London Chronicle: Let us assume that Mr. Asquith is driven out of office and that the Coalition is succeeded by a predominantly Conservative administration. What then? As that administration would not have the confidence of the House of Commons a General Election would at once be necessary, and it might turn on the question of all-round compulsion. We will assume that the new Government is confirmed in office by a big majority. Depend upon it, however, the Opposition would not be negligible; it would certainly number between 150 and 200 Radical, Labor and Irish members. Such an opposition welded together by the war, a rallying point for all the disaffected elements in the nation, would in crisis after crisis hold the Government at its mercy. Does anybody imagine that a party Government in such a parlous position would be able to act with vigour and resolution? While the Coalition, from its very nature, arouses personal animosities it kindles no counter-balancing enthusiasm. But in spite of its defects it is incomparably better as an instrument for conducting the war than any alternative Government could possibly be. It is because they believe in their hearts that the continuance of the Coalition is of vital importance to the interests of the nation that Unionist leaders like Mr. Bonar Law, Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Balfour have supported it so loyally. The Unionist party would do well to be guided in this crisis by those tried, sagacious leaders.

REPENT.

England repent! so does the cry go forth
To all the members of the nation's life
Till each obeys and in obedience finds
A rightful issue in this present strife.
Repent! what means it? England repent!
How can we be convinced of sin, of life misspent?
Shall sin be grievous if we look thereon?
Shall souls grow noble at its victories won?
Is it not rather when we turn to God
Faithful as children to accept His word.
That then the light of truth appearing grows
And from the silence there is One who speaks—the Lord!
My God, my Father, it is Thou and I
Come to myself I prostrate cry
O God, I did not know! my sin, my sin
Bears on me now that I on Thee
Alone have looked, and known in love
The work and purpose Thou hadst planned for me:
To Thee I've come to Whom my life I owe,
And, lest I die, Whom new life must bestow.

—C.R.H.

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THE PASSING HOUR

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"Yes, sir."

"Very well; report to the cashier and tell him to pay you off. We don't need boys like you around here."

"But, sir," said the astonished boy, "I don't work for you. I have just bought some goods and am waiting for the bill."

The Woman — Here's a wonderful thing. I've just been reading of a man who reached the age of forty without learning how to read or write. He met a woman and for her sake he made a scholar of himself in two years.



The Man—That's nothing. I know a man who was a profound scholar at forty. Then he met a woman, and for her sake he made a fool of himself in two days.

During the public inspection of the Red Cross Hospital train at present on tour through Scotland thousands of people passed through the barriers at one particular station and came out at a different exit.



Upon eyed a countryman stood at the entrance watching the crowd. At length he turned out to a bystander: "Weel, Scot! that mun be an awful big toon that's gaun tae France. I've been standin' here for twa solid hours seein' the folk gang intill it, an' she's not filled yet."

"Your honor," declared Officer McPherson, "I heard an awful yelp back in the wagon yard, and when I got there this man was beating his wife. They had just drove in from Grant Park."



Judge Broyles turned sharply on the prisoner, a tall, gaunt farmer, with clay-colored complexion.

"Is this true? Were you beating your wife, sir?" the judge demanded.

"Yes, yer honor."

"How did you come to do it?"

"God knows, jedge. For twenty years she allus riz th' one what did th' beatin', but I jes' happened ter catch her when she wasn't feelin' right."—Case and Comment.

"How do you happen to be in prison?"



"It is the result of an accident."

"You ran over some one with your auto?"

"No, ma'am; I fell over a chair and waked up the owner of the house."

FROM THE STAR FILES

THIRTY YEARS AGO.



The Late John Bright.

"London, April 27. — Lord Hartington says no alterations can remove the objections to the Irish Home Rule Bill proposed by Mr. Gladstone. Mr. John Bright says Lord Hartington's attitude has been consistent and courageous." — From The Montreal Star, April 27, 1886.

The late Right Hon. John Bright was one of the most eminent British statesmen of his age. Born in 1811, of a Quaker family, he early became noted as an orator, and in 1843 was elected to Parliament. He was associated with Richard Cobden in the great campaign for the repeal of the Corn Laws. He strongly opposed the Crimean War, and lost his seat in Manchester on this account in 1857, but soon found a seat in Birmingham. In 1868 he accepted office under Gladstone as President of the Board of Trade. He was interested in the Irish Church Disestablishment Act, the Irish Land Act, and the Elementary Education Act. When Gladstone brought in his first Home Rule Bill, in 1886, John Bright parted with his old leader and became an Unionist. He died on March 27, 1889. As an English orator he ranked as one of the most eloquent.

"An attempt is being made in England to establish an organization similar to the Knights of Labor in America. The movement is on foot in the midland counties and correspondence is going on with the American organization.—From The Montreal Star, April 27, 1886.

"London, April 27.—The Easter manoeuvres of volunteers at Dover and Portsmouth were very successful. The weather was brilliant. The exercises at both places were witnessed by vast crowds of people."—From The Montreal Star, April 27, 1886.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

"The early closing by-law, passed last October, comes into force on May 1. This measure enacts that shops shall be closed at 8 p.m. to remain shut until 5 the next morning, except in regard to holidays." — From The Montreal Star, April 27, 1896.

"An elaborate system of private telephones has been installed at Windsor Castle."—From The Montreal Star, April 27, 1896.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

DOESN'T LIKE OUR TRAMWAY SERVICE.

The Editor, Montreal Daily Star:

Sir,—As a citizen whose business calls for him to very frequently travel on our street cars, I was very interested to read the letter inserted by Mr. Mathewson on the 24th inst. I am unable to understand whether same was written in a sarcastic sense, or whether he expects a reply in the affirmative or on the other hand, in the negative. Do we get full value for our four cents? Perhaps we do when we travel a long distance, but is it worth four cents when your business compels you to make short journeys that are proportionately worth only two or three cents and sometimes less than that? As to where we can get better cars, I would refer Mr. Mathewson to the street scenes on our street cars during the busy part of the day, or particularly so in the winter months, when a lady is practically helpless to board a car, and passengers pay their fare for a seat that they never see or obtain, but ride on the outside which should not be allowed. Relative to the last question, I am confident that more than sixty per cent of the people who travel on our street cars will emphatically state that there is not a worse place on this continent as regards civility to passengers. Why, only a few days ago, I witnessed a conductor use filthy language to a young lady for nothing in particular, and this is not the only instance, but I am sure your readers could cite many such occurrences.

Perhaps Mr. Mathewson had some monetary interest in the Montreal Street Railway, and is some medium of advertising for them, but I would like him to augment his arguments in reply to the above facts.

JOSEPH C. SIMPSON.

Montreal.

[Mr. Simpson would have done better in his contention if he had given the names of cities where the car service is as good as it is in Montreal, or where the fares are as low, and the transfer system as generous. If Mr. Simpson has not travelled sufficiently to make comparisons, we can understand that like many others who find fault, he is obliged to deal in general statements, unsupported by evidence.

Taking everything into consideration, however, it is undeniable that the Montreal Tramways service in many of its features is one of the very best services in the world to-day, in clean cars, running schedule, cheap fares and amplitude of transfers, and a vast improvement on anything in the previous history of Montreal. What needs to be done is to secure for the City a permanency of efficient service, and a larger contribution to the Civic Treasury from its receipts, or a reduction in the average fares. As for the civility of its servants the Company should be made to penalize impudence, but no individual and no corporation can be certain that servants, while not under surveillance, will not sometimes be rude and impudent. Those who are guilty should be reported, and when convicted should be discharged from the Company's employ. The Company might do better in inviting the public to report incivility.—Ed.]

WANTS NO PROTESTANT COMMITTEE ON ONTARIO SCHOOL QUESTION.

The Editor, Montreal Daily Star.

Sir,—In the issue of your valuable paper of the 21st inst. there appeared a letter, signed W. D. Lighthall, in which an appeal is made to English Protestant citizens of Montreal to join a committee, which he is endeavoring to form, for the purpose, we are told, of aiding in the solution of the existing difficulties concerning the Ontario bi-lingual schools. I am a close reader of the daily press, but I must confess that I have never read anything in the Montreal papers which is so lacking in judgment and the fitness of things. It would not be at all just to allow the letter from Mr. W. D. Lighthall to pass unchallenged, especially as he purports to represent English Protestants of the Province of Quebec. The letter in question is so full of absurdities that I can rely on what is most apparent—his own condemnation out of his own mouth. In one part of the letter Mr. Lighthall states that a committee is being formed of Protestant English citizens and he asks for recruits to join this committee. In another part of the letter he calls upon all parties in Ontario and Quebec to concentrate in recruiting for active service overseas.

What is Mr. Lighthall trying to do? Does he think that a committee formed in Montreal is going to have political influence with the Lords of the Privy Council in England when the question comes up for decision?

In another part of the appeal by Mr. Lighthall he states that "It is the duty of all good citizens of Canada, both French and English, to foster harmony," while he allows himself the privilege of criticising the Ontario Government's endeavors to put the French language on a much higher pedestal than all other non-English languages.

Again, Mr. Lighthall states that there is no religious question involved and endeavors to prove the assertion by what is very misleading to the uninformed.

Quoting Mr. Lighthall from paragraph 6 of his letter—"These schools being taught and controlled by French Catholics and the regulation itself having been introduced in response to the request of a Catholic Bishop." Mr. Lighthall does not state that the Catholic Bishop is an Irishman and not a Frenchman, and that the trouble originated between the Irish Catholic Bishop and the French Catholic Clergy. Why is Mr. Lighthall not content to allow the question to remain where it belongs? Why is he so desirous of forming committees of English Protestants in the Province of Quebec to embroil themselves in racial and religious controversies at this time and about which they are not in the least concerned? The trouble is between the French Catholics and the Irish Catholics of Ontario, and as the Irish Catholics have appealed to the Ontario Government the said Government was forced to act and did so without any fear or favor. The French Catholics, recognizing that they were not on the right side of the law, have been endeavoring to change the nature of the controversy and make it appear as if the Ontario Government were robbing them of rights which they formerly held. The French Roman Catholics of Ontario, in creating agitation against the Ontario Government, and in stirring up racial strife in Quebec, are doing so because they realize they have a very weak cause. They seized the opportunity of assuming the role of the persecuted at the hands of the Ontario Government. If the Ontario Government had been less honorable, they could very easily have found a way out of the difficulty by so manipulating that the two factions in the Roman Catholic Church—French and Irish—could fight as long as they pleased in their own communion. The astonishing thing is to see a letter coming from an English Protestant and addressed to the English Protestants, calling upon them to form a committee to help solve a question that has come up in the Roman Catholic Church and which interests Roman Catholics. I am an English Protestant and a native of Montreal and, I hope, have sense enough to refrain from joining any committee of Protestants that has for its object the hindrance of provincial autonomy. I would prefer to hear Mr. Lighthall getting busy and calling together a committee of Protestants and Catholics alike with the object of solving the problem of how to clean the streets of Montreal when there is no money in the city treasury. I would prefer to hear of Mr. Lighthall raising his voice in protest against the pirates at the City Hall.

If this does not appeal to Mr. Lighthall, I would gladly join him in a crusade for recruits for overseas service, especially in view of the fact that Montreal district has only contributed some 26,000 men, and Toronto district 60,000 men. Either of these appeals would be worthy of men with red blood in their veins, but to publicly ask English Protestants to form themselves into a committee to spend time, money and energy, with the object of meddling in our neighbors' business is not worth the attention of real men. The British Empire is at war and Canadians, including those of the Province of Quebec, should quit themselves like men.

Mr Editor, if you would be generous enough to publish this letter in your valuable paper, I would esteem it a favor. Thanking you, I am,

Yours very truly,

GEO. D. WARREN.

Rockland Apartments,
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DROP THE SHADES FOR SUNDAY.

The Editor, Montreal Daily Star.

Sir.—What a relief, what a rest to eye and mind it would be, should the Montreal store-owners draw the window shades on Saturday night.

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LITTLE STORIES for Bedtime

By T. W. Burgess

PETER PROMISES TO HOLD HIS TONGUE.

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"Say, Peter," he drawled, "are you taken that way often?"

Peter Rabbit stared across the pond of Paddy the Beaver. Then he rubbed his eyes. Once more he stared and then again rubbed his eyes. Then he turned to Paddy and said in a very low voice: "Do you see any one out there by your house?"

"I see Mr. and Mrs. Quack, my new neighbors," replied Jerry. "Would you like me to introduce you?"

Peter allowed a long sigh to escape. "No, thank you," said he, "I know them already. I just wanted to make sure that there was nothing wrong with my eyes."

Suddenly Peter kicked up his heels in the funniest way and then began a mad dance on the shore of Paddy's pond. Paddy stopped eating and watched Peter with a puzzled look. When Peter stopped for breath Paddy spoke. "Say, Peter," he drawled, "are you taken this way often? You act to me as if you were a little light-headed, a little crazy."

"I'm all rihht, Paddy," replied Peter. "I've found out a secret, that's all."

Paddy looked puzzled. "Whose secret?" he demanded.

"Your cousin's; the secret of Jerry Muskrat," returned Peter. He would not tell what had become of Mr. and Mrs. Quack and he knew all the time."

"Of course he did. He sent them up here," chuckled Paddy. "My cousin Jerry has a wise head on his shoulders, a very wise head. This is the only place where Mr. and Mrs. Quack can be safe, and no one but Buster Bear and Jerry Muskrat and you know that they are here. I think Hooty the Owl has suspicions, for he has been hanging around here the last few nights, but he isn't sure. Now, Peter, what we want to know is, are you going to hold your tongue?"

"You mean keep it a secret?" asked Peter.

"That's it. That's what we mean," said Mr. Quack, who had come near enough to overhear what Paddy had been saying.

"You know all we have suffered," broke in Mrs. Quack in an anxious voice. "If everybody knew we were here we wouldn't have any peace at all. Please, Peter, promise to keep our secret. If you will I will tell you another secret."

"Of course you won't mind if I tell Mrs. Peter," said Peter in a hesitating sort of way. "And then there is Sammy Jay. He is very anxious to know what has become of you, and you remember how he helped you find Mr. Quack."

Mrs. Quack shook her head decidedly. "I know all about that, and we are ever so grateful to Sammy Jay, but unless he finds us himself we would rather he shouldn't know. We would rather not have you even tell Mrs. Peter."

Peter's face fell. "I tell her everything," said he.

Mrs. Quack smiled. "That is very nice of you, Peter," said she. "I like to think that Mr. Quack tells me everything, but sometimes I'm not quite sure that he does." Mr. Quack tried to look hurt, but looked a little bit sheepish instead, and Paddy the Beaver laughed right out. "But sometimes it isn't right to tell other folks' secrets, even to those we love best. Now if you will promise not to tell a single living soul I'll tell you another secret. Will you promise?"

Peter thought very hard for a few minutes. You know how dearly he loves to gossip. He fairly itched to get back home and tell how he had found Mr. and Mrs. Quack. It would be great news. But he had another itch—the itch of curiosity. He wanted to know that other secret. He knew that he never would have any peace of mind until he found it out.

"I promise," said he at last.

"Cross your heart," said Mrs Quack.

Peter crossed his heart. "Now what is that other secret?" he asked eagerly.

Mrs. Quack looked fondly at Mr. Quack. "We have built a nest here and we are going to make this our home for the summer," said she.

"Oh, that is perfectly splendid!" cried Peter, clapping his hands. "Where is your nest?"

"That, Peter, is the best secret of all, and that we are going to keep to our own two selves," said she.

Next story: "Farmer Brown's Boy Goes a-spying."

Potato Loaves.

One pound potatoes, boiled and mashed; one ounce butter, one teaspoon milk, one egg, butter, salt and cayenne pepper, two teaspoons chopped parsley.

Add butter, milk, egg, parsley and seasoning to cold boiled mashed potatoes. Turn out and roll thin. Divide into equal portions and make each into a loaf. Put onto a buttered baking sheet, glaze with the white of an egg. Bake in a quick oven for five or ten minutes.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENCE

RING AND COCKROACHES.

Finding your page very useful, could you please tell me the cause of a gold ring turning the fingers black?

2. Also could you give me a good remedy for cockroaches.

Ans.—(1) A jeweller tells me that it is because of a certain acid in the blood. There are people who cannot wear a gold ring which on others would be quite all right. I should advise you to consult your physician.

(2) Take Paris green and mix it to a paint with coal-oil or paraffin. Then brush into the crevices of woodwork. It will daub the place with green, but that will not be so unpleasant as the cockroaches.

Wash the woodwork clean, fill all cracks and corners with unslaked building-lime. You must be careful of your hands and clothes, for it burns and will make your hands very sore. It is procurable at any contractor or builders' supplies.

Cockroaches—The following two old-fashioned remedies are as good as any:

The first is to lay strips of freshly-cut cucumber peel about the room that is most infested by the cockroaches. If this is done overnight it has the effect of stupefying them, when they may be easily swept up and destroyed in the morning.

The other method is to lay several saucers filled with a mixture of stale beer and sugar about the floor. In order that the cockroaches may be able to get at the contents easily, two or three pieces of flat wood should be placed sloping from the rim of the saucer to the floor.

A very efficacious powder—which must, however, be used with the utmost care, as it is a most deadly poison, to all living creatures is made after the following prescription:

Pyrothrum powder, 8 oz.
Strong snuff, 8 oz.
Corrosive sublimate, 2 drms.
White arsenic, 1-2 oz.
Cayenne pepper, 2 oz.

The spot where the powder lies must be marked, so that it may be well swept next morning, and the powder collected in a dust-pan and burnt with the bodies of the cockroaches that have fallen victims.

CURLY LOCKS.

(1) Could you give me a remedy for very frizzy hair.

(2) What is the cause of excessive perspiration of the arm-pits? I have been troubled with this for a few years and find it very bothersome. Also excessive saliva in the mouth and a feeling of swallowing frequently. Could you please name a remedy for both of these named above?

(3) What is the prevailing fashion this season, high or low heels?

(4) What color suit (summer) would be becoming for a girl of dark complexion with dark hair and brown eyes. Do you thing a white hat suits such a person?

(5) Do you imagine that McCormick is an Irish name? I have heard it said, the McCormick's emigrated from Ireland into Scotland at an early date. I would like to hear your opinion on this. Also, could you tell me is the name Nicholson an English name, or of what nationality it is.

(6) Would it be a wise action for a girl to go as a "war nurse?"

Ans.—Sorry, I can't. Most people want to make it frizzy.

(2) and (3) Consult a doctor.

(4) High heels, but low are better for you.

(5) You surely know what colors suit you. Why not a sand color? I should think a pure white hat would not be so becoming as a deep cream.

(6) McCormick is a name common to both Scotland and Ireland, but is probably more common in Scotland. It is not possible now to say in which country it originated. Nicolson and Nicholson is very common in Scotland, particularly in the Western Isles, and is probably of Norse origin. It is also found in England.

(7) It would be the noblest work she could do, if she were physically fit and had the proper training.

MAY FLOWERS.

(1) What is a cure for "in-grown toe nails"?

(2) What is the cause of cold feet and could you give me a cure for them?

(3) How late should a fellow stay when he comes a long way to see a girl and the roads are bad?

(4) Is the old proverb true that if it rains Good Friday, it will rain every day for forty days?

(5) Do you think it will rain this year for forty continuous days seeing it just sprinkled a few drops Good Friday?

(6) What day did Easter Sunday fall on two years ago (1914.)

(7) Do you think it proper for an old widower to take a young girl out driving in an auto?

(8) Do you think an opal bad luck for an engagement ring, it being your birthstone?

(9) Do you think the old saying true if you are born in May you will have twins?

(10) If two couples are out driving together and one young gentleman is very quiet and does not talk what would you do to make him talk and get him interested in the conversation?

(11) What is the cause of grey hairs in a young persons head?

Ans.—(1) Wear well made boots, cut the nails square across without paring the corners and pack a shred of boric lint between the corner of the nail and the skin which it is chafing. Sometimes the nail is so thickened that the edges cannot be raised to admit the lint. In this case the nail may be thinned by scraping with a sharp knife or piece of broken glass.

(2) They are caused by poor circulation and you should take a daily bath, followed by a vigorous rubbing with a rough towel and regular outdoor exercise. A good diet, warm clothing and an iron tonic are also important.

(3) Ask your mother.

(4) The proverb refers to St. Swithen's Day, July 15th. The proverb reads:

St. Swithen's day if thou dost rain,
For forty days it will remain.
St. Swithen's day if thou be fair
For forty days twill rain nae mair.

I have never heard it applied to Good Friday.

(5) Not being a weather prophet, I can't say.

(6) April 12th.

(7) If he has a respectable reputation.

(8) The opals bad luck is said to be rendered null and void if it is your birthstone.

(9) Have never heard it.

(10) Why not find some subject that does interest him and talk about that?

(11) This was fully explained on the Saturday page a week or so ago.

DATES.

1. Could you tell me what day was July 26, 1900, December 11, 1898, and May 30, 1900.

2. Is a girl of sixteen too young to put her hair up.

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Cut out the coupon to-day and read carefully. Take it to your dealer and get the one-quart (wine-measure) "Wear-Ever" stewpan for only 23c. If your dealer does not sell "Wear-Ever" ware, mail the coupon to us with 33 cents in stamps and we will send you the pan, postage paid. It costs us 10c. or more to mail you the pan. The stores named below will honor the "Wear-Ever" coupons if presented on or before April 29th.

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Goodwin's Limited, St. Catherine St. W.
M. Phibbin Hardware Co., 362 St. Catherine St. West
J. E. S. Baldino, 871 St. Catherine St. West
Henry Morgan & Co., Limited, St. Catherine Street West
Jas. A. Ogilvy & Sons, St. Catherine St. West
Arsene Lamoureux, cor. St. Denis and Ontario Streets
Geo. H. Fibrace Range Co., Ltd., 836 University Street
Jas. Wacker Hardware Co., Ltd., 282 St. James Street
L. & E. Cossette Hardware, 533 Notre Dame Street West
Ontario Furniture Co., Ontario and Henry Streets
Armour Limited, St. Catherine Street West
M. Phibbin Hardware Co., Branch Store, cor. McKay and St. Catherine Streets.
Watkins Limited, St. Catherine Street West
Dupuis Freres, Limited, St. Catherine Street East
Grand Cercles, cor. St. Denis and St. Catherine Streets
Larivière Incorporée, 911 St. Lawrence Blvd.
Daniel Stroud, 672 Notre Dame Street West
Raymond Hardware Co. Ltd., 1443 Notre Dame Street West
Le Maison C. Brien, 884 St. Denis Street
E. Johnville Hardware, 349 Rachel Street East

NORTH END, MONTREAL ANNEX AND OUTPEMONT.

M. H. Boucher, 1440 St. Lawrence Blvd.
Alfred Gosselin, 114 Mount Royal East
Cabana Freres Ltd., 252 Laurier Avenue West
Evans Bros., cor. Park and Laurier Avenues
Armand Grave, cor. Waverly and Bernard Streets
M. Pelletier & Cie, 651 Mount Royal East
Julien Lambert, Co., 2351 St. Hubert Street
A. H. A'Hear, 185 Fairmount Avenue
J. H. Boulais, 227 Bernard Street near Park Avenue
Mount Royal Store, cor. Mount Royal and St. Lawrence Blvd.
Outremont Hardware, 1295 Van Horne Avenue

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J. P. Beaudry, 1811 St. Catherine Street East
Boyer Hardware, 1775 Bachin Street East
Louis J. St. Denis, 2337 Ontario Street East
Nantel Hardware, 751 St. Catherine Street
J. B. Larin, 867 Mount Royal Avenue, East
J. G. G. Dufresne Hardware, 944 St. Catherine Street East
J. A. P. Dauphin, 2450 Ontario Street East
Geo. V. Kneen, Limited, 515 St. Catherine St. East

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Wm. Bell, 320 Victoria Avenue
E. Cavanagh Co., Ltd., 937 Notre Dame Street West
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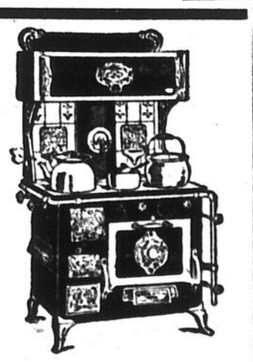
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BLAMES LAWYERS FOR DELAYS WHEN CASES ARE CALLED

Mr. Justice Brunéau Confronted for Motions for Additional Delay

"If there are delays in the administration of justice, the lawyers are, in [illegible] to blame. [illegible] Bruneau in the [illegible] proceeded, when Mr. Justice Bishop was confronted by several motions for additional delay. The cases varied from a few days to a few weeks. Yesterday one lawyer wanted a delay of two months, one a motion for particulars and a postponement and another a delay from to the opening of the [illegible] term.

"Yes," proceeded Mr. Justice Brunéau, "of the lawyers would only prepare their cases and get into shape as they should, much legal [illegible] in local conditions. Many are entitled to [illegible] the shoulders of the judges the responsibility for the delays. But this is not the case. The judges are always ready to go ahead with the hearing of cases and in 75 cases out of every hundred they are held up by the lawyers of one side or the other, who ask for delay."

Mr. Justice Brunéau is to have charge of the Practice Court from now till the close of the judicial year. His lordship declares that unless some valid reason is adduced rendering delay advisable he will expedite business.

In other divisions of the Court, it is also a daily occurrence for the presiding judge, after ascending the Bench at 10.30 with a roll of three or four cases set for hearing, to return to his room five or ten minutes later, there to remain for the whole day, simply because either one of the parties or of the lawyers is, for some reason or other, unable to go ahead. Mr. Justice Martineau had this experience this morning, while it has also frequently happened to Mr. Justice Decarie to mention but two of the fourteen judges sitting in Montreal.

"The new system is all right, just as the old one was all right too. But no system can work well when lawyers are constantly coming up with motions for delay," remarked Mr. Justice Brunéau in referring to the matter later.

SOLDIER'S DEATH WAS NATURAL ONE

Death from natural causes was the verdict in the coroner's court yesterday in the case of Pte. John Gallon, 12th Battalion, a returned soldier who was found dead in bed at 254 St. Urbain street Monday morning. Gallon, who received his discharge after being wounded, suffered from tubercular trouble, the autopsy showed, and his heart was affected.

Accidental death was the verdict in the case of five-year-old Veronica Fleming, who was run down late yesterday afternoon by an automobile driven by Romeo D'Aragon, 722 Marie Anne street. The child darted across the road near her home at 760 Montana street, and was knocked down before the driver could stop his machine.

WORKMAN MISSING FOR OVER A WEEK

John Pardew of 323rd Third avenue, Vinuville, has been missing from his home since April 17. He is thirty-eight years of age, slight of build and clean shaven. On the morning in question he left home to go to work at the Canadian Car and Foundry Co., Ltd., at Cote st. Paul and worked until 7 o'clock in the evening. He is a married man with three small children, and his wife is in great anxiety. Chief Campeau was notified yesterday.

Tenders Wanted

The Commissioners of the Cote St Michel Municipal Schools, Ville St. Leonard will receive tenders for the construction of a school until 6 P.M., the 3rd day of May, 1916.

Each tender must be sealed and addressed to the Secretary-Treasurer, Dr. J. A. W. Jarry, Ville St. Leonard, with the word "TENDER" written on the envelope, and should be accompanied by an accepted cheque equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender.

Those desiring to tender can see the plans and obtain full particulars at the office of Dr. J. A. W. Jarry, or at the office of the architect, R. Montbriand, 232A, St. Andre Street, Montreal.

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Friday, April 28th, 1916, at 10.15 A.M.
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Friday, April 28th, 1916, at 11.00 A.M.
Buildings situated on lot cadastral No. 198, subdivison 22-23, and bearing Civic Nos. 1420-1422a of St. Denis Street, St. Denis Ward.

Friday, April 28th, 1916, at 3.00 P.M.
The properties concerned in the Notre Dame Street expropriation, situated as follows:—Ste Cunegonde Ward:

Cadastre	Civic No.	Street
573	1283-1287	Notre Dame St. W.
576	1289-1293	Notre Dame St. W.
P.561-P.564	1257-1263	Notre Dame St. W.

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BOARD OF CONTROL DOORS OPEN FOR FRANCHISE TALK

All Public Utility Discussions Will Be Open to the Public, Controllers Announce Today

Controllers Ainey and Ross declared this morning that all utility companies should first approach the city for rights or franchises, and that the city, taking the initiative in such matters, has proved most disastrous in the past.

Controller Ross explained that so far as he was concerned he desired to sit with closed doors only to discuss matters that pertained to the internal administration of the city. He would never consider doors being closed when matters of great public moment were taken up. It was also his opinion that those who wanted franchises should come openly before the Board to explain their aims and plans.

"I shall certainly protest against any suggestion that the closed door policy be maintained when important public matters are taken up," said Mr. Ainey. "I want the Controllers to sit privately only when subjects of no great public moment are before them, to avoid waste of time. I want the public to have the utmost confidence in the new Board, and it will be found that when companies desire privileges from the city, there will be no private sittings. It is only right

STOLE PERFUME; EIGHT DAYS' JAIL

Eli Saunders, a druggist of 95 Lagauchetière street, appeared before Judge Lafontaine yesterday accused of stealing perfumes, etc., from Lapierre's drug store. Among the goods was one-half ounce of cocaine which is still missing. Detective Markley, who made the arrest, succeeded in recovering the other goods. Saunders was sent to jail for eight days.

Abandoning her two months old baby, leaving it on the balcony at 449 Hôtel de Ville street, was the charge faced by Blanche Leben. Hearing in the case was fixed for Friday.

ATTACK SOLDIER WITH KNIFE AND TAKE HIS MONEY

Stabbed near the heart, Thomas Dressler, a returned wounded soldier, was left at the corner of St. Zotique and Des Ecores streets at midnight Tuesday.

Dressler, who lives at 2386 Harbor street, was passing along St. Zotique street, when two men who were coming in the opposite direction, set upon him. After a stiff fight, they bore him to the ground, while one drew a knife and plunged it in his left breast. A second thrust at the other side, struck his watch, but glanced off. His pockets were rifled, and $20 in bills, a gold chain and a locket were taken away.

Already weak from wounds received at the front, Dressler lapsed into unconsciousness, and did not revive until some time later. Dragging himself to the nearest house, he gained the porch, when his moans attracted the people of the house, who took him in, dressed his wounds, and put him to bed.

The police were summoned, and have a good description of the two men who made the attack. Dressler was able to go home yesterday.

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Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A settler may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm at least 80 acres on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section along side his homestead. Price $4.00 per acre.

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A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house, worth $300.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C.M.G.,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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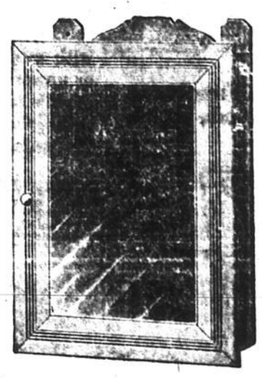
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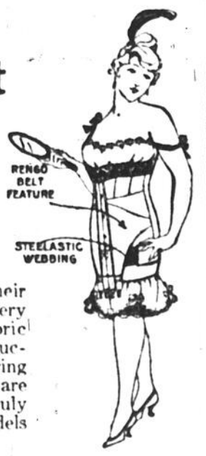
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Eleven Remarkable Values IN OUR Bedding Department

75c Pure Washed Feather Pillows in dainty art ticking	49c
$4.00 Strong White Enamel Bed, all sizes	$1.98
$2.00 Special Woven Wire Spring, all sizes	$1.75
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$9.50 Double Sliding Couch with green denim mattress and valance	$5.99
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$11.50 massive 2-in. post Brass Bed, bright, satin, velvet and combination finish, acid proof lacquer, all sizes	$9.50
$10.50 White Layer Felt Mattress, in high grade sateen tick, all sizes	$7.98
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The chief charm of these corsets is in the fact that all the beautiful moulding of the model is permanent and will impart itself to the figure. For years these corsets have withstood every corset strain put upon them by stout and medium women. They are specially made to be worn under most trying conditions, where ordinary corsets will quickly break down.

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Ogilvie's or Victory Flour, 7 lbs. ..... 24 lbs.	30c $1.00
Daily Bread Flour, 98 lbs., value $4.00, for	$3.49
Loaf, Fruit or Icing Sugar, 3 lbs.	28c
Health Salts (War Tax included), 3 tins	28c
New Maple Sugar, cake ..... 2 for	15c 25c
Quaker Oats, large pkts.	24c
Fresh Peanut Butter, lb.	19c
Cottage Loaf Bread, fresh daily	8c
Another consignment of Ben-Hur Chicken Soup. New goods, 25c cans for	12½c

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Prepared Mustard, jar, 5c, 10c, 15c	
Salad Dressing, bot., 15c and	25c
Fry's or Baker's Cocoa, tin 10c, 15c, 35c and	45c
Baker's Chocolate, ½ lb. cake	22c
Cake Icing, 3 pkts.	25c
Golden Syrup, can 14c and	36c
Molasses, can 10c and	15c
Spaghetti with Cheese, can 10c, 15c and	25c
Green Peas, 3 cans	35c
Best Tomatoes or Corn, can ..... 3 for	10c 29c
Apples, gallon can	25c
Herrings, plain or sauce, can ..... 2 for	10c 19c
Norwegian Herrings, large tin	15c
Norwegian Sardines, tin ..... and	10c 15c

CEREALS

Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 3 pkts	25c
Quaker Corn Flakes, 4 pkts	30c
Corn Starch, 4 pkts	23c
Green Peas, with mint, pkt.	10c
Sponge Cake, flavored, 3 pkts	22c
Finest Rolled Oats, 6 lbs.	23c
Flaked Wheat, 6 lbs.	25c
Corn Meal, 6 lbs.	23c
Oatmeal, 6 lbs.	25c
Ground Rice, 1 lb. pkt.	12½c
Potato Flour, pkt.	15c
Breakfast Food, 6 lbs. bag	24c
Brodie's Self-Raising Flour, pkt. ..... and	20c 35c
Jelly, Blanc Mange, Custard Powder, 3 pkts	23c
Pure Orange Marmalade, large pail for	49c
Orchard Brand Marmalade, 5 lbs. pails	50c
Pure Fruit Jam, 4 lbs. pails	45c
Curling Brand Marmalade— 16 oz. jars	10c
22 oz. jars	22c
5 lb. pails	55c
Black Currant Jam, 5 lb. pails	85c
Cream of Empire Pork and Beans, with sauce, 2 for	25c
You will know what good teas are if you try Almy's ..... Per lb., 25c, 32c, 38c, 43c. 2 lbs., 55c, 65c, 75c, 85c.	
Mocha and Java Coffee, lb.	38c
Almy's Special Coffee, 1 lb. canister for	30c
Mixed or Mustard Pickles, 20 oz. bot.	19c
White Onions, bot.	19c
Chili Sauce, bot., 15c and	25c
Tomato Sauce, 3 bots.	25c
Tomato Ketchup Relish, large bottle for	17c
Worcester Sauce, bot. ..... 3 for	10c 29c

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Evaporated Apricots, lb.	17c
Evaporated Peaches, 2 lbs.	21c
Choice Prunes, 2 lbs.	25c
Apples, basket 20c and	25c
Lemons, dozen	10c
Sweet Seedless Oranges, doz. ..... 25c and	30c 40c
Fresh Pineapples, each	25c

Notes—Friday we will sell our canned Fruits at special cut prices. Make your supply now.

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Leg	18c
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Leg Lamb	26c
Trimmed Shoulder Pork	20c
Round Steak	22c
Breakfast Bacon	24c
Picnic Hams	19c
Rose Brand Sausages	20c
Special Sausages	15c
Pork Sausages	12½c

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Flounders	10c
Haddock	07c
Chuck Roast	12½c
Rib Roast	19c
Best Creamery Butter	36c

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White Fish	15c
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Fresh Herring	05c
Halibut	18c
Cod	12c
Potatoes	30c

Fresh Vegetables of all kinds.
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Almy's — Fourth Floor Up

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A carnival of special values for Friday and Saturday. Every garment in the Boys' Section is included in this sale. Regular lines in all sizes 6 to 17 years of age. Our object is to reduce stock in anticipation of our enormous Summer shipments.

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In novelty mixtures of brown, and gray. Serviceable garments strongly made and trimmed. A special lot of $5.50 values. **$3.85**

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In Dark Gray Shades

Plain and striped patterns. Perfect fitting, with lots of style. A suit your boy will be proud to wear. Reg. $6.00 value, sizes 6 to 17 years. **$4.85**



Original Low Prices Stamped on Every Garment. See the Reductions for yourself.

Boys' Dressy Suits

In Norfolk Make

Various styles of pleats, Tweeds, worsteds and cheviots, in a large variety of patterns, and colorings. Worth $6.50 and $7.00. Sizes 6 to 17. Choice **$5.85**

Boys' Smart Suits

Cut and made with every attention to detail. All the new tweeds and mixtures are represented in gray, brown and tan. Sizes 6 to 17 years. Worth $8.00 to $9.50. **$6.85**

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All of our best Boys' Suits are included in this lot. Smart snappy styles in beautiful gray stripes and plain serges. Values $10.00 to $12.50. Your choice **$7.85**

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TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM SERIOUS ONE FOR DOMINION

Government Criticised for Not Purchasing Vessels for Grain

OFFICIAL SCHEME TO BE SUBMITTED

Question of Subsidising Building of Ships Under Review

Special to The Montreal Star From Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, April 27.—Government action to facilitate and cheapen the transport of Canadian grain across the Atlantic was foreshadowed by Sir Geo. Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce in the House of Commons last night, when the question of shortage of ocean tonnage and high ocean freight crowded out all other topics. "The Government will have a proposal to make some time before the session ends." The Minister announced, in reply to questions put by the Hon. Frank Oliver.

Members on both sides of the House declared that the Atlantic shipping men had formed a combine to raise freight rates, the result being a 1,000 per cent increase.

The Minister of Trade and Commerce denied the existence of such a combine, however, blaming the existing state of affairs on the law of supply and demand a greatly decreased ocean tonnage as against a great volume of freight.

The only way to obtain relief in the ocean freight problem, said Sir George, was to bring new tonnage into the field, build new vessels. The Government had considered this question seriously. The best offer it had obtained for building steel ships was $125 to $135 per ton, with the first delivery in the latter part of 1917. For wooden ships of from 2,000 to 2,500 tons, builders had demanded a subsidy of $6 per ton per year for fifteen years.

The Hon. Mr. Pugsley declared this a preposterous price. "My hon. friend is something of a promoter himself," retorted the Minister. "Why hasn't he or some of his friends made a proposition?"

"I could get twenty propositions in St. John better than that proposed," said Mr. Pugsley.

The Minister said that the plan of construction tonnage subsidies was unsatisfactory, as it was difficult to retain the vessels under Canadian register when built. Another plan was that proposed by the United States Government.

SUBSIDY SCHEME PROPOSED.

A modified form of this, as suggested by the New York Chamber of Commerce, was translated by the speaker into Canadian terms.

It would provide for a Commission of three Ministers, a naval inspector and three men of practical experience, to have oversight over the class of vessels to be constructed under the scheme and the regulation of rates as far as possible. The Commission would enter into negotiations with Canadian shipbuilders, the subsidy for construction to be the difference between the price of the vessel built here and that if built in Europe. It would also be empowered to enter into a contract to guarantee the shipowner the difference between the operating expenses of the vessel under the Canadian flag and under European register.

A sum of fifteen to twenty millions would be placed at the disposal of the Commission to guarantee the bonds of vessels up to fifty per cent. of the cost.

Mr. Pugsley criticized the Minister severely for referring the problem to the House instead of appearing with a definite scheme. Canada needed a merchant marine now, not ten years hence. The war was in its second year and the government had done nothing as yet to solve the ocean transport problem.

The Minister had said that nobody knew how soon the war would end. A new army of 500,000 men was being prepared, which would not be ready for the front for at least a year. The war might end in six months, yet, nobody criticized this military preparation. Had the government purchased fifty or 100 vessels at the beginning of the war, it would have been a tremendous factor in keeping down ocean rates. One hundred wooden vessels of 2,000 tons would not cost more than ten millions, and would be a substantial aid. The Government should take a part of the war vote of $250,000,000 for this purpose. At present hundreds of vessels were sailing the Atlantic, paying their construction cost in two or three voyages.

W. F. Maclean appealed for national, not party consideration of a national problem. The only solution of the railway situation was national ownership, he declared, and similarly the only solution of the ocean freight problem was national ownership or national control.

SHIPOWNERS' RAPACITY.

The Hon. Frank Oliver declared that owners of Atlantic shipping took advantage of the necessities of the world, using their power in such a way as to constitute a menace to the Allied Powers and the civilized world.

"If we and the Mother Country are not going to be strangled by the rapacity of shipowners, immediate measures must be taken," he said.

"Since the beginning of the war the whole shipping business on the Atlantic has become a combine, and it is merely a question of how much they can get without regard to service rendered. They have their hands on the throat of civilization, and I would be prepared to support the Government in almost any measure they propose that is feasible. I believe that the best thought of the world should be brought to bear on the question of winning the war. If and when we win the war we will then be in a position to consider the future."

Mr. Sinclair (Guysboro), said the British Government controlled rates by commandeering ships. Canadian ships had been commandeered, which he did not think a free government should have permitted.

Mr. Oliver asked the Minister of Trade and Commerce whether there was any question of the British Government of the Canadian Government commandeering vessels to carry the Canadian grain across the Atlantic, or whether the Government had any program or proposal with the purpose of facilitating or cheapening the transport of grain.

The Minister replied that there was no question of commandeering vessels, but the Government would have a measure to propose before the close of the session.

YPRES--April 27th to April 29th, 1915

CONTINUATION OF LT.-COL. P. A. GUTHRIE'S NARRATIVE OF THE FIGHT WHERE CANADIANS WON UNDYING FAME A YEAR AGO

Tuesday, April 27th.

As morning approached, the moon having vanished on her distant course to comfort another people, darkness settled down and a strange stillness pregnant with danger was upon us. An eerie feeling possessed us. The sleeper, troubled by what he could not tell, arose and felt it, too.

What were those demons up to now? Some hellery to be sure. With a number of my men I moved up to the front line, so as to be able to size things up if anything happened. I have forgotten the name of the English battalion we were with. I think it was a corps of Londoners.

The night pall lifted, slowly things took shape. Along the line of trenches dug trenches forms moved in silence, others stood hunched up in the semi-gloom. A very slight breeze blew in our faces, the curtain slowly lifted, and grey dawn revealed the new earthworks thrown up during the night by the enemy a few yards away.

The sun's red rim appeared above the horizon and as it did there belched forth in fury some two hundred guns which seemed to have moved up closer to us during the night and now began to scatter upon and around us their stream of shells.

THE GAS WALL.

We now discovered what had kept the Boche still during the night-time, for rising from the ground and moving toward us on the breeze, with a precision so uncanny, came the wall of gas. We had no protection against this curtain of death. We retreated slowly, just keeping out of the cloud and wondering just what was best to do. I sent word back to our bays to "stand fast" and await further orders. Just then the breeze veered round and blew briskly. A little gust, it seemed. The gas wall hesitated, then swept back; we followed upon its fringes. Its odor was sickening, but not overpowering.

We knew the Boches were about to get a taste of their own medicine and enjoyed the joke immensely. Suddenly it seemed to dissipate in the air and we saw before us the poor, gasping Huns, who had been following their death messenger a few moments before, fleeing for safety to their own lines. Some were brave enough to attempt a stand in a piece of our trench. With a yell we were upon them with the bayonet.

I thrust at one chap and he tried to catch the bayonet in his hand. He seemed dazed. The bayonet ran through his palm. I pulled to get it back, but it stuck. He fell, and clinching me by the feet, we went down. During the struggle that followed he seemed to faint for a moment. I disengaged the bayonet from the rifle and was ready with its point to finish the job when he came to.

A DASH AT THE BOCHES.

The rest of our 10th men who had been left "standing fast" moved forward, not being able to keep out of a row, and now proceeded to cross the open strip towards the Boche position after the fleeing Huns. Their comrades in support, seeing this, and fearing that we would reach their front line position, turned on their machine guns. Caught between our fire and their own, they fell in heaps. Our chaps came back to the English trench line. We piled the dead Boches up in front of our parapets as a warning to their friends that it was dangerous to venture over, and leaving our English comrades to occupy their position as it was during the night, we went back to our own "digs" to spend the day.

We spent the entire day under constant attention from the artillery. There were few casualties among our men, but quite a few among the other troops. The only inconvenience was the "grub." After nightfall we got orders to move back, and soon the brigade was slowly wending its way back to get a bite of food and a wash. The threatened attack did not come off, except for the little encounter I have just related, and as our lines were well manned we were not required.

We had about eight miles to march, and when we arrived at the huts we had a good "tuck-out." Our Y.M.C.A. stores were there with all kinds of hot tea and food. Oh, what a "feed!" And tea! Well, I must have drank about a gallon. We turned in, but I could not sleep. Neither could the others. I was too tired. As soon as I closed my eyes, I would imagine I was again leading a line amid shells and shells and shells.

Wednesday, April 28th.

We spent last night in canvas huts, which have been put up for rest camps back of the line. We had real clean straw to lie on and the distant roar of the guns was soothing to the nerves. I don't think many of us slept much, however, as we were too tired and past sleep. We simply rested. Tonight we may be able to sleep better.

During the night I woke up to find Capt. Gladden, our medical officer, who had rolled into the straw next to me, bending over me and rolling a puttee around my leg. He thought in his sleep he was putting on a bandage. Poor Doc. During the fighting, when St. Julien fell, he and his assistant, Sergt. Schultz, did particularly good work.

When the Huns were advancing towards a house, in which were a large number of wounded waiting for the ambulance and which had been set on fire by a shell a few minutes before, he and Schultz, with their stretcher bearer section, worked away removing the wounded while the bullets rattled round them, until the last man was saved, and then escaped by the skin of their teeth. I don't suppose he has had more than a few hours sleep during all those nights and days, and he has been busy over horrible wounds, which I think is harder for the nerves to bear than our work would be.

We did not get around very early and perhaps would still have been tossing in the straw but for the Boches. A Taube passed over early and noted our camps and of course, reported their location to the Hun artillery, who began to drop a few shells around. I don't think they got any of our brigade, but understand the 1st Brigade had a few casualties. To avoid any losses we moved to another position in an open field and dug in.

FRIENDS IN STRANGE PLACES.

I was overjoyed when passing along a road to hear shouts and find running towards me my old boys of No. 1 Company of the 13th, who had been sent over as reinforcements. What a re-union. I was so delighted to have back with me my old boys. I spent the whole day reorganizing the battalion. Capt. Arthur and the rest helped me. We had a meeting of the officers and a busy time all around.

I have a big job ahead of me and hope I shall be able to hold it down. Had 216 men and a number of officers report as reinforcements. Expect more.

Thursday, April 29th.

We spent the whole day getting our records straightened out. Most of our company records were burned in the last billets, so it is an uphill job. I had a good sleep last night and a bath in a creek today. Also a shave, which was badly needed.

I think I told you of having been promoted on the field on the 24th instant, when I was placed in command of the battalion. The general was, of course, too busy to put it through orders until today, but he is dating it from the 24th.

MANY PROMOTIONS.

There are a great many promotions being made, to take the place of the poor fellows that are gone. Capt. Arthur is to be major and second in command. Critchley is to be captain in command of A Company. Major Ashton and Capt. Day, who came in with reinforcements, are also to have companies, and Capt. Snelgrove, who joined us on the 26th, is to have command of a company. There will be promotions also for Knowles, Glandfield, Costigan, and many others. There is not one of us here, however, but would rather have his friends back than all the promotions or honors in the world.

The question of rank is not one to be considered or in what capacity one may fight. When the war is over, the citizen will be asked through the years: Not, "Were you a general or a private?" But, "Did you fight?" We are all doing our little bit in the positions which our superiors think us fitted for. We all believe that the cause we are fighting for is a just one, and we are sure God is with us or we could not have come through the ordeal of the past few days."

(To be continued.)

BELLEVILLE, Ont., April 27.—The Rev. Amos Campbell, one of the best known ministers in Canadian Methodism, died after a short illness at his home here Tuesday night. He was born in Richmond Township near Napanee, eighty-four years ago. For the last twenty-one years he was retired. In the early days he was known as the "athletic parson," as he was a man of magnificent physique who took delight in sports.

Academy of Music

Competition for the scholarship entitling to study in Europe.

The competition for the scholarship offered by the Quebec Government, through the Academy of Music, will take place at Montreal, at the Polytechnical School, on July 29th, 1916, at 9 a.m. Applications are free of charge and will be received before July 15th, 1916. Applicants must be laureates of the Academy of Music, however, for the purpose of the Europe Scholarship, the diploma of Laureate of the Academy will be delivered free of charge to bearers of equivalent diplomas delivered by other musical corporations of the province. The Academy will decide of the equivalence of such diplomas. The competition is for piano, organ, violin, cello or singing. Program and other conditions will be given on demand.

PROGRAM

Piano	4ieme Ballade	Chopin
Organ	Prelude & Fugue No. 1	Mendelsohn
Violin	Concerto en si mineur	Saint Saens
Cello	Concerto en la mineur	Saint Saens
SINGING		
Soprano	Air de Louise (Depuis le jour)	Charpentier
Alto or Mezzo	O ma lyre immortelle (Sapho)	Gounod
Tenor	Priere du Cid	Massenet
Baritone	Le chef d'armee	Moussourgsky
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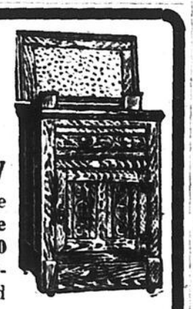
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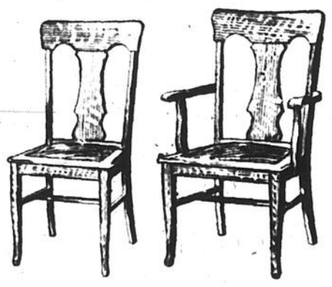
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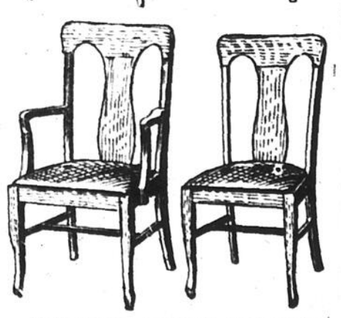
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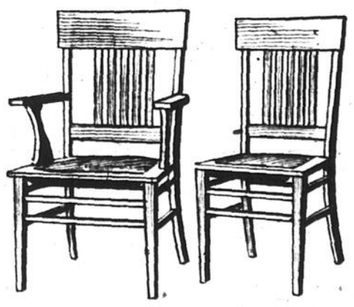
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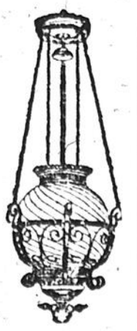
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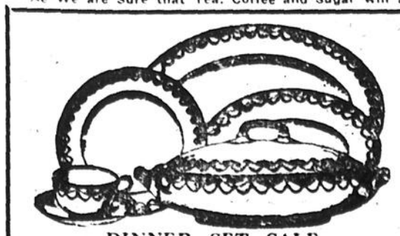
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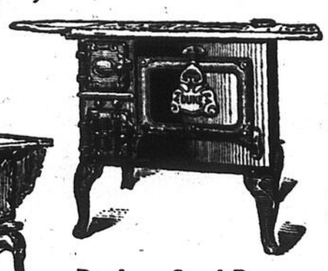
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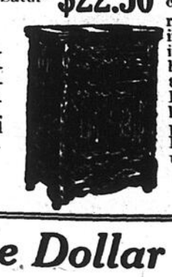
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Rooming with a stranger and robbing him as he slept was the allegation brought against Jack Swebel, alias Martin, before Judge Lanctot yesterday. Swebel was charged with stealing $676 from the clothing of George Barr, of Pembroke, in the Queen's Hotel on Easter Sunday night.

Barr is stated to have come to Montreal to spend Easter and on Sunday met a girl, describing herself as an actress, who introduced him to Swebel in a cafe. The girl afterwards excused herself to attend rehearsal. Swebel went back to the hotel with Barr and spent part of the night in his room. During the early hours of the morning, while Barr was asleep, Swebel is alleged to have arisen and taken the $676 from Barr's pockets and then to have left the hotel.

The matter was reported to the police, and on Monday Detective Lebine, armed with a search warrant, called on Swebel in his room at 451 City Hall avenue. It is claimed that in a trunk in Swebel's rooms $370 of the original sum was recovered, and that the accused declared he knew where the remainder was but would not tell the police.

Swebel was committed to stand trial by Judge Lanctot yesterday.

Henry J. Davidson, who is one of the big men in J. P. Morgan & Company, began his life as a lawyer. This profession did not appeal to him, neither did decorating, which he went into next, and he finally drifted into the banking business, wherein he has proved a big success.

MISSING FROM HOME



Vidal Poulin, of 680 Frolet street, seeks tidings of his son Wilfrid (Fred) who disappeared from home seven years ago. He was eighteen years of age at the time and was a carter. He was unmarried and the last news received from him was six and a half years ago, when he sent his parents a photograph of himself. He was then in the uniform of a member of the Royal Canadian Artillery.

ANNUAL MEETING HOCHELAGA W.C.T.U.

The annual convention of the Hochelaga County W. C. T. U. will be held today and on Friday afternoon and evening in Centenary Methodist Church, Point St. Charles. Mrs. F. H. Paycott will preside. Supper will be served on Friday at 6, hostesses, Point St. Charles W.C.T.U. Friday evening will be young people's night.

PRIVATE PRAISES CAPT. SHAUGHNESSY

The following tribute to the late Captain the Hon. A. T. Shaughnessy, 60th Battalion, is quoted from a letter written by a private in his company:

"We had a very sad loss when we lost our captain, the Hon. Alfred Shaughnessy. He was a fine fellow and a good soldier; he looked after his men very well, and we are all sorry he has gone. He had very little or no pain, and died soon after he was hit, but we mean to avenge him."

MILITARY APPOINTMENTS.

The Militia Department has authorized the appointment of Lieut. C. A. Sutton from the 58th Regiment to the 178th Battalion; of Lieut. A. Gagnon from the 61st Regiment to the 206th Battalion; and of Lieut. J. A. Bourgault from the 85th to the 163rd Battalion.

ANNUAL MEET OF CITY LEAGUE

The Seventh annual meeting of the City Improvement League of Montreal, will be held tonight at 8:15 o'clock in the rooms of the Medico-Chirurgical Society, 112 Mansfield Street. The new Civic Improvement League of Canada, will be discussed and in view of its importance the president requests the attendance of all members, and also invites the presidents, (or their representatives) of other Montreal associations engaging in civic welfare work, to attend.

CHOIR SINGING TO THE SOLDIERS

The junior choir and elocution class of Belmont School will entertain the wounded soldiers at the Grey Nuns' Convalescent Home, Dorchester and St. Matthew streets, this evening. A variety program of twenty numbers will be given, including Irish dances. Lieut.-Col. Renouf, of the Garrison Artillery, will preside.

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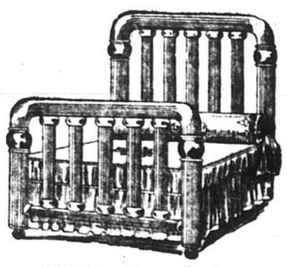
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25c Calox	17c
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75c Lablache Powder	55c
25c Babcock Talc	18c
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75c Djer Kiss Face Powder	50c
$1.25 Piver's Face Powder	89c
40c Kolynos Tooth Paste	28c
40c Odorono	27c
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35c Lyon's Tooth Powder	19c
25c Mennen's Shaving Cream	20c
25c Johnson's Shaving Cream	18c
35c D & R Cold Cream	22c
50c Parisian Sage	28c
25c J & J Baby Talc	15c
25c Amolin Powder	19c
35c Cutex Cuticle Acid	28c
40c Hazeline Snow	25c
25c Witch Hazel Cream	15c
25c Rose Almond Cream	18c
25c Swandown Powder	17c
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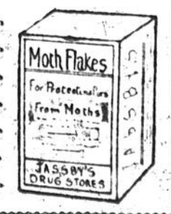


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MANY TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE DURING THE DAY

The following transfers of real estate were recorded in the city yesterday afternoon

Theodore Faquin sold to Arsene Campeau lot No. 381-180, Parish of Montreal, measuring 26 x 122 feet, with buildings No. 2137 to 2139 Clarke street, Laurier Ward, for $6,500.

Mrs. William Allan Patterson sold to George Percy McClure the south-west part of lots No. 208-48c and 48f and the northwest part of lots Nos. 208-48g and 49b, Parish Montreal, measuring 25 x 79 feet, with buildings at No. 28 Dutton ave., Westmount, for $5,000.

The Mount Royal Supply Company sold to Arthur Irwin, Limited, lot Nos. 36-332-1, 36-332-2, 36-333-1, 36-333-2, 36-334-1, 36-334-2, 36-335-1 and 36-335-2, Parish of Montreal, having a total measurement of 100 x 104 feet, with buildings fronting on Van Horne avenue, Outremont, for $1 and other considerations.

Mrs. Joseph E. Mailloux sold to Joseph Cleroux, jr., lot No. 150-239, Parish of Longue Pointe, with buildings at No. 63 Azilda street, Tetreaultville for $3,500.

Mrs. S. C. Milroy sold to Robert Eslinger McGilvray lot No. 38-30, Parish of Pointe Claire, having an area of 4,800 feet, with buildings fronting on Lakeside Drive, Valois Bay Heights, for $2,750.

The Montreal Land Company, Limited, sold to Origene Gosselin and others lots Nos. 49-28 to 31, Parish of Montreal, situated in Notre Dame de Grace Ward, for $2,880.

The National Land Company, Limited, sold to Euclide Meunier lots Nos. 181-33, 182-30, 31, 40 and 41, parish of Pointe aux Trembles, each measuring 25 x 80 feet, vacant, for $2,850.

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PRINCIPAL and two elementary teachers for the St. Andrew's East Model School, with diploma, state experience, salary expected and give references. Apply E. G. R. Dwyer and Son, Cowansville, Que.

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WANTED Principal for the Bark-agawa Academy, must be good disciplinarian and capable in taking full control, outline references, salary expected and full particulars to Rabbi L. Manley, Sec.-Treas., Beauharnois, Que. 99 4

WANTED An assistant teacher for the St. George Elementary School, Quebec, salary $400. Apply before 8th May, stating diploma and experience, to P. W. Landolse, Secretary, 103 Peter St. Quebec. 99 2

WANTED two Protestant teachers for continuation schools, municipality of Grenville No. 1. Terms seven months, commencing May 1st, salary thirty dollars. Must hold diploma and furnish references. E. C. Whitfield, chairman, Calumet Que. 99 4

WANTED a Protestant Teacher, with diploma for Model School, wages $300 a month. Duties to commence as soon as possible in May. Apply to Alex. Bethune, Sec.-Treas. East River, P. Q.

WANTED for the New Catholic Academy, Pembroke, Ont., for January, 1916, to June, 1917, one principal, one model and one elementary, having at least two years experience teaching in their respective grades, with diplomas necessary for each. State reference and salary expected to Arthur R. Caldwell, Secretary Treasurer, New Carlisle, Bon. P. Q 90 26

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ASSISTANT for sausage and cooked meat department. Apply Montreal Abattoir, 139 Mill street. 100 3

AGENTS—We have an opening for two good reliable men, salary and commission. Only serious-minded men need apply. Room 705, 137 McGill Street.

AUTOMOBILE repair man, and adjuster wanted, first class men only need apply, must have previous experience. Apply superintendent Ford Motor Co., 119 Coristine ave., Montreal. 99 3

ARCHITECT wanted for a few weeks to draw up and check factory plans, give experience and salary wanted. Box 5961 Star Office. 99 2

ASSISTANT chief timekeeper (married man) wanted, with factory and office experience. Apply, stating age, experience, and salary expected to Box 5975 Star Office. 99 2

ACCOUNTANT for steamship office, thoroughly reliable and competent man, who can furnish good references. Apply in person to B. McKay, Canada Steamship Lines, 9 Victoria Square. 99 3

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BAKER'S HELPERS wanted. Apply 300 Cadieux street.

BAKER wanted, to take charge of cake and pastry department, $30 week to right man. Apply Box 104 Star Office. 100 2

BAKER Wanted at once for Mattawa, competent all round baker for light day work, to good bakeshop, where mixer and Ogilvie's flours are used; good wages to right man; must be temperate. Apply with references to J. E. Weeks, General Baker Agent, Ogilvie Flour Mills Limited, Montreal. 98 3 eod

BOY wanted Strong, good, smart, to drive and work around the place. L. H. Howes, 4129 St. Catherine street, Westmount.

BOY WANTED Messenger boy for drug store. Apply W. St. Stone, corner Greene avenue and St. Catherine street, Westmount.

BOY, about 15 for egg room. E. E. Wallace, 100 Stanley street. 100 2

BOY Smart boy wanted, to make himself useful in factory. Apply Montreal Shirt Company, 1446 Notre Dame. Hall ave.

BLACKSMITH Good blacksmith for general all round work, including horseshoeing. Apply 118 Latour street.

BOOKKEEPER wanted, Room 57, 112 St. James street.

BOY Smart message boy wanted References required Apply Chapman's Bookstore, 190 Peel street, just above St. Catherine.

BOY wanted for messages, must be strong and honest Apply Maple Crispette Co., 176 Windsor Street.

BOY OR OLD MAN wanted strong, speaking both languages to make himself generally useful. Apply to 671 St. Catherine St. west. Parisian Confectionery.

BOY Want a smart boy for general work and messages. Apply at Invictus Shoe Store, 214 St. James St.

BREAD DRIVER and salesman; steady energetic man. Apply McKeown's, 368 St. Antoine street. 100 2

BOYS wanted, one for office, one for weight scale, and one speaking both languages Apply Steel Company of Canada, Limited, 1252 Notre Dame street West. 100 2

BREAD BAKER with two or three years experience. Apply McKeown's 368 St. Antoine

BOY Smart boy to answer bells and make himself generally useful Apply Manager, Canada Club, Board of Trade Building.

BOY Wanted at once boy for law office, Apply to 613 Quebec Bank Building

BOY Smart, energetic boy wanted. Apply to the Can Credit Men's Trust Association, Limited

BOY WANTED, also press feeders, the Colonial Press, 47 St. John St. Must speak English.

BOY WANTED, to make himself useful, must have references Apply 66 Drummond street.

BOYS

Goodwins Limited require boy about 17 years with ambition to be a salesman. Apply Employment Bureau, 25 Victoria Street

BAKERS WANTED One or two men who have worked in machine bakery, must have good references. Apply Hurtubise's Bakery, Prince Albert ave., Westmount, after 10 a.m.

BOY Bright office boy wanted for insurance office. Apply in own handwriting to Post Office Box 2405.

BOY Bright office boy wanted for general contractor's office. Apply in own handwriting to Box 7147 Star Branch, Union ave. 100 3

BOY wanted, English speaking, one knowing wholesale district preferred. R. G. Dun & Co., 318 Board of Trade Building.

BOY wanted Apply Kenneth Campbell Co., Colonial House, Philips square.

BOYS At the Montreal Stock Exchange several boys, about 17 or 18 years of age, must be good writers. Apply on Friday, between 3 and 4 o'clock p.m.

BOY Wanted a well recommended, smart boy of 14 or 15 speaking both languages preferred, for messages and office work. Box 121 Star Office 100 2

BOY WANTED for office, salary $30 per month Address stating age and experience, S805 Star Branch Office, Peel st

BELTMAKER Pressman, young active man, who can also do outside work. Sadler and Haworth, 511 William street, Montreal.

BREAD DRIVER, good wages and commission to reliable man. Apply John Coulter, Montreal West. 99 2

BOY Strong boy wanted to work around store. Apply Save and Save, 250 St. Catherine west.

BAR TENDER, energetic and capable city references required. Apply 107 Windsor street. 99 2

BOY for office work, must be neat, smart, obliging and have good references. Apply Secretary-Treasurer, Star Office.

BOYS wanted to work in wood shop Apply A. Jennings & Co., 15 Wellington st 98 3

BOY—Strong big boy 15 to 17 years of age, to help in factory. Apply Painters Limited, 100 Latour street. 99 2

BLOUSE EXAMINERS

Wanted, experienced examiners on ladies' blouses. Apply Whitewear Department, Crescent Manufacturing Co., Limited, 2 Inspector street. 99 2

BAKER, good on bread and cake. Apply at once, W. Lawson, 138-53rd Ave., Lachine. 99 3

BAKER Wanted at once a good baker with some knowledge of cake baking; also a baker's helper. E. A. Lisk, Box 77, Ekgaville, Ont. 97 6

COOK — Wanted at once, first class, for small country hotel (temperance). Reply stating wages required and giving reference to Box 5940 Star Office. 99 3

CUTTERS and trimmers wanted, for wholesale clothing. Write or wire C. M. Gilchrist and Company, 107 Front st. East, Toronto. 98 3

CELLAR MAN wanted for packing house. Apply Montreal Abattoirs, 139 Mill st. 100 3

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CARETAKERS Married couple, without children; man can work out. Rent of unit small allowance.

CARPENTERS for rough work. Apply Mr. Robeson, 152 St. Catherine St. west

CARPENTERS Two or three good high class. Apply to A. Brown, 261 Lansdowne ave.

CLERK FOR OFFICE married, salary $55 per month. Address stating age and experience, Star Branch Office, Peel st

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wanted; experienced cutter who understands sorting and putting up leather for cutters. Apply Smardon Shoe Co. Ltd., 53a Visitation.

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SALESMEN Two live active salesmen, of neat appearance wanted to represent reliable house, city and road work; experience not essential, to start twenty five dollars per week up for five weeks. Apply 902 New Birks Building. 99 3

SUPERINTENDENT wanted, for bludery and printing department. Apply W. V. Daw Ltd., 93 St. Urbain st. 100 3

SHIPPER'S ASSISTANT

Experienced on blouses and whitewear, we offer a permanent position; good salary and opportunity for advancement M. 554, Star Office. 99 3

STRONG BOY

Wanted, as assistant in shipping room. Apply by letter only to Finley, Smith & Co., 26 St. Helen street.

SWITCHBOARD ATTENDANT and motor tenders wanted for Ontario point. Apply between 9 and 10 a.m., Canada Cement Company, Limited, Herald Building. 99 2

SECOND COOK wanted, at 350 Dorchester street west. Apply after 7 p.m. 99 2

SEWING MACHINE FIXER

Wanted, experienced fixer for Union Special, Singer, Wheeler and Wilson sewing machines; must be competent and reliable man Apply to The Knitted Fabrics Manufacturing Co., 322 Papineau avenue, corner Ontario, Phone East 4127.

STRONG BOY or young man wanted to help on milk rounds and around dairy; Apply 2429 Park ave.

SMART YOUNG MAN wanted to manage phonograph business; good salary for right party. Apply Layton Bros., 550 St. Catherine street, west. 100 3

SHOESALESMEN

for high grade shoe store; must be good stockkeeper and salesmen; best salary paid to right people; steady position. Box 5973, Star Office. 99 3

SMART YOUTH for warehouse. Apply in person 187 Delisle street. 99 3

STENOGRAPHER and bookkeeper, experienced in office and warehouse. Apply 702 Unity Bldg. 12 to 2 p.m. 100 2

SHIRT IRONERS wanted; experienced, for the Williams, Greene & Stoiner Co., Berlin, Ont. Apply to H. L. Warren, 207 St. James stret, Montreal, Saturday afternoon, from 2 to 4. 100 2

STEAM FITTERS wanted. Apply engineer, Montreal Abattoirs, Ltd., 139 Mill street. 99 3

SCALE MAKER wanted. One accustomed to large and small scales. Apply 2148 Hutchison street, Montreal. 96 7

STOCKMAN WANTED—Experience required drapery goods. Permanent position, references required. Daly & Morin Limited. 98 3

SIGN PAINTERS—Wanted good sign painters and helpers. Martel-Stewart, 9 Hermine St. Close Saturdays at 12. 99 2

STENOGRAPHER, male, for railway office; one with previous railroad experience preferred. Apply Box 8509 Star Branch, Peel street. 100 2

STENOGRAPHER—Smart young man wanted; salary $45. Apply St. Lawrence Sugar Refineries, Limited, Maisonneuve, with reference. 98 4

TRIMMERS and assistant trimmers wanted. Apply English Scotch Woollen Co., 415 St. Catherine street west. 100 3

TRAVELLING City Salesman, Diamond automobile and truck tires, good opportunity for active salesman. 18 Cathcart street, New Birks Building.

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TAILORS, bushelman wanted, steady employment, good wages; only first class men need apply. Tribb & Co., Limited, 148 St. James street. 99 2

TRAVELLER wanted with first class references; also a city salesmen. Apply Willis & Co., Limited, 580 St. Catherine west.

TWO TABOR MOULDING MACHINE Operators for Grey Iron Foundry. Liberal rates and steady work. Open shop. The James Smart Manufacturing Company, Brockville, Ont. 99 3

TINSMITH—One accustomed to making auto mudguards. Address 7107 Star Branch, Union ave.

TURNER—Wanted a good spool turner. Apply the Canadian Spool Cotton Co., 51 Ple IX. avenue, Maisonneuve. 98 3

UPHOLSTERERS wanted at once, steady job to right party. Apply St. Urbain Upholstering, 1122 St. Urbain st.

VALET wanted—First class valet for hotel work, must furnish references. Apply Box No. 5955 Star Office. 100 2

WANTED—Sand Moulder, with cupola experience. Apply Alaska Feather & Down Co., Limited, 412 St. Ambroise St., St. Henry. 99 3

WATCHMAN, steady and reliable, for night work. Apply Jas. Shearer Coy., Ltd., Queen City Oil Company's Plant, Point aux Trembles. 99 3

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Wanted, steady reliable man for wagon washing, night work; only sober men need apply. The Stewart Co., Inc., 1 Laurier avenue west. 98 3

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WAITERS WANTED—Experienced waiters wanted, steady position, apply to Headwaiter, St. Lawrence Hall, Craig street. 99 2

WANTED first class paperhanger. Apply 2698 Esplanade, E. Dawes, after 7 p.m. Phone St. Louis 2007.

WANTED at once, smart man licensed to drive private delivery auto for small milk round, and willing to make himself useful in Dairy; single, speaking French and English preferred. Salary $40.00. Apply Box M 557 Montreal Star. 100 3

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TAILORESS wanted, to help on coats and skirts; only good competent girls should apply. N. Banks, 818 Dorchester west.

TABLEMAID wanted, having good references. Apply before ten, between two or three or after five at 314 Sherbrooke street west, corner of Union ave. 100 3

TELEPHONE OPERATOR

wanted at once, for the local switchboard of a large manufacturing establishment; state experience and salary expected. Address reply to Secretary-Treasurer, Post Office Box 3249, Montreal. 99 3

THE HAMILTON CO.

require several experienced salesladies for the ribbon, hosiery and fancy goods depts.; good salaries to right parties. Apply Ground Floor. 87 26

VAMPERS—Experienced vampers. Apply Atlas Holden McCready, Limited, 1221 Mount Royal ave. east. 99 4

WARDMAID

Young, wanted. Apply Housekeeper, Alexandra Hospital, Charron street. 100 2

WANTED an experienced nurse to take care of a 15 months' old baby; references required. Apply Mrs. J. Fitch, P.O. Box 208 Quebec. 95 6

WANTED a young Jewish girl as a supervisor for the Montreal Hebrew Orphan's Home. For particulars apply in person to Miss Armour, superintendent, 18 Evans street. 98 3

WANTED immediately, married couple, wife's services only required, hard working housekeeper, good plain cook, room and board for both, or widow with daughter would do. Apply 2456 Mance street.

YOUNG GIRL wanted as mother's help. Apply 2456 Mance street.

YOUNG GIRL wanted for general housework. Apply 87A Chatham street, or Telephone Main 7047. 100 2

YOUNG GIRL wanted for general housework, to sleep at home. Apply 110 St. Famille, street.

YOUNG GIRL to assist in light housework. Apply 191 De l'Epee avenue, Outremont, near Laurier ave. 100 3

YOUNG GIRL wanted to look after baby; must be reliable. Apply at 435 Esplanade, Apartment 3; not moving.

YOUNG LADY

for junior office work; good position for smart girl. Jassby's Drug Story, 119 Mansfield, upstairs.

SITUATIONS VACANT, FEMALE.

WANTED, experienced girl for hair dressing parlor; must give good Marcel. Apply M. J. Pringle Co., 749 St. Catherine west. 97 4

WANTED immediately, married couple, wife's services only required, working housekeeper, good plain cook, room and board for both, or widow with daughter would do. Apply 2nd Prince Arthur west.

WAITRESSES experienced, wanted at once, at Olympia Cafe, also dish washers. Apply 353 St. James.

WELL EDUCATED young lady for office, experience not essential, if refined and intelligent; please state age and qualifications; salary $25.00 per month. Address Box 108 Star Office. 100 2 eod

WANTED a good plain cook, or cook general; city references required. Apply 274 Peel street.

WAITRESSES — Wanted, experienced waitresses for the Manhattan Restaurant, 295 St. Catherine west.

WAITRESSES wanted. Apply Edinburgh Cafe, 456 St. Catherine west.

WAITRESS

Experienced waitress for tea room; good wages. Jassby's Drug Store, corner Mansfield and St. Catherine streets.

YOUNG GIRL Wanted, for care of child in afternoons. Apply No. 1 Essex avenue, Apartment 3. 99 2

YOUNG GIRL wanted to take children out; no house work; good wages to right girl. Apply 1570 Esplanade ave.

YOUNG GIRL wanted to help in general work in flat; no washing; good wages. 269 Jeanne Mance. 98 3

YOUNG GIRL, about 18 or 20 for general housework. Apply 466 Strathcona Ave., Westmount. 98 2 eod

YOUNG GIRL to do light housework and take two children out. Apply 64 Columbia, off Dorchester, West of Greene.

YOUNG GIRL wanted to look after two children; sleep in or out. Apply 1521 Mance.

YOUNG GIRL for general housework; no cooking or washing; sleep out; woman by the week. $4.00; 8:30—4. 222 Stanley.

YOUNG LADY wanted; must be quick and accurate at figures. Apply in writing, Canada Bread Co., 325 Melville ave., Westmount.

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YOUNG GIRL wanted for mother's help. Apply 919 St. Urbain street 99 2

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

HOUSEMAIDS, tablemaids, nurses, cooks, cook generals, generals, kitchen maids, waitresses wanted for Montreal, Toronto, Ottawa, Quebec, city, country, seashore. Permanent situation for summer, supplied now. Apply Miss McLennan 456 Guy.

SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

COOK—Position wanted as cook only, 50 Pointe Carre; can furnish references. Apply Mrs. Cousins, St. Louis 1452, Notre Dame street.

COOK, &c., wanted by mother and daughter; position together; plain cook and house tablemaid; good reference. Please give the phone. Address 7104 Star Branch Office Union avenue.

COOK—(Old Country), experienced, wishes position as cook where other maids are kept; best city references. Apply Box 5915 Star Office.

COOK wanted by mother and daughter; position together; plain cook and house tablemaid; good reference. Please give the phone. Address 7104 Star Branch Office Union avenue.

COOK—Cook general, city or country, best reference. Call or write 1308 Lasalle.

COOK—Coloured young woman wants work as cook or general; city or country, best reference. Call or write 1308 Lasalle.

GIRL, Scotch 16 years, seeks position to go home at night; fond of children and very smart. Box 5916 Star Branch, Peel street.

GENERAL desires position in country, where child two years old may be taken. Telephone Westmount 470. 100 2

HOUSEKEEPER—Position required by experienced English widow, housekeeper to gentlemen, full charge, hotel or club good manager, city references. Mrs. D. 72 McGill College Ave.

HOUSEKEEPER—An experienced American widow would like position as working housekeeper to one or more gentlemen. Mrs. W., 2268 St. Urbain.

HOUSEKEEPER to one or more gentlemen, or gentlemen's summer club, both languages, best of references. Write Mrs. L., 59 Cathcart. 100 3

HOUSEKEEPER—An experienced housekeeper wants a position in first class hotel or club; open for immediate engagement. Write Box 1-0 Star Office.

HOUSEKEEPER, first class, accustomed to gentlemen's camp, good cook and manager; best city references. Apply Mrs. Riva, Employment Office, 398 Bleury street.

HOUSEKEEPER — Situation wanted by thoroughly competent and reliable person, as housekeeper, for one or two gentlemen, city references. Phone Westmount 1330. 99 4

LADY desires position, part or whole day, as companion help or governess; city references. Box 5894 Star Branch, Peel st. 99 2

MANICURIST, speaking French and English wants position, anywhere. Apply Box 8456 Star Branch, Peel st. 97 4

PASSAGE, Englishwoman, soldier's fiancee, experienced traveller, offers services as companion, companion-housekeeper, governess in exchange for passage to London. Highest references. Box 8513 Star Branch, Peel tsreet. 100 3

REFINED, capable young woman, with some business ability and travelling experience, seeks travelling companion. Box 7093 Star Branch, Union ave. 99 3

STENOGRAPHER—Girl, 15, just finished business course, speaking both languages. Box 136 Star Office. 100 3

SITUATION wanted by a young lady as housekeeper or cashier; good references. Apply Box 129 Star Office.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, 3 years' experience; can also operate typewriter. Address 7115 Star Branch Union Avenue.

YOUNG married woman would like two or three days' work a week doing private housework. Box 123 Star Office. 100 3

UNDERGRADUATE NURSE wants position as care of invalid, sick child, or doctor's office, can furnish best of city references. Box 8510 Star Branch Peel street. 100 3

YOUNG GIRL, 15, desires position as mother's help. 11 York Lane Cote St. Paul.

YOUNG GIRL, with knowledge of shorthand, typewriting and filing, desires position. Address 5925 Star Office. 98 3

ROOMS TO LET.

ANNEX, 246 Fairmount avenue west — Room, electric light, every convenience, kitchen privileges if required; near Park ave. 100 3

ANNEX, 2335a Esplanade—Cosy furnished front double room, in small private family, all conveniences; breakfast or kitchen privileges if desired. 99 3

APARTMENTS FOR BACHELORS

in the "Mayor," No. 4 Mayor St. (corner Bleury), splendidly furnished, separate or double rooms, with private tiled baths; also in the "Lennox," 900 St. Catherine street West (just west Guy street); at from $18.00 per month; hot water all the time; perfect service. Apply to Janitor on premises. 82 22

BELMONT STREET, 26, City. Two furnished rooms with modern conveniences. 98 3

BEAVER HALL HILL, 71, corner Dorchester street—Large well furnished, double and single rooms; all conveniences. Terms moderate. 100 2

BISHOP ST., 214—Single, double furnished or partially furnished; private family. Apply Office or Janitor. 93 10

BLEURY, 211—Large double room, bath flat, kitchenette, gas for cooking, hot water, $3 weekly, now vacant.

BLEURY, 413—Nice, bright, front parlor-bedroom, furnished, married couple or friends; kitchen privileges; central.

BISHOP STREET, 11—Large front room, two windows, newly decorated, bath flat, $4 weekly; also single front room, $3 (steam heat); private family, breakfast if required. Gentlemen only. Phone.

BEAVER HALL HILL, 62—Double and single rooms, running water, electric light and telephone. 100 3

BALMORAL ST., 16—One double, clean, comfortable, furnished, suitable for a married couple or two gentlemen friends, in private family. 100 2

BISHOP ST., 29 — Exceptionally large bright well furnished single and double rooms, bath flat, electric light, every convenience. Phone Up. 3834. 98 3

CITY COUNCILLOR STREET, 111—Double room, with separate beds, also single, suitable for first class business men, hot water, telephone; terms $15 per month, breakfast and Sunday meals included. 99 3

CITY COUNCILLOR STREET, 54 — Elegantly furnished double rooms, bath flat, suitable for respectable gentlemen friends or married couples. 98 3 eod

CITY COUNCILLORS 101 — Nicely furnished front room for one or two, modern flats with all conveniences; phone, private family, central, near Sherbrooke street. 100 2

CITY COUNCILLORS STREET, 171, cor. Sherbrooke street, bed-sitting room, with balcony, all conveniences.

CRESCENT STREET, 134 — First class furnished rooms with or without board, modern conveniences; telephone; electric light; comfortable middle flat.

CRESCENT STREET, 23 — Single front room on bath flat, large wardrobe; electric light, bright and airy, private family, terms moderate. 100 2eod

CLARKE STREET, 837, above Prince Arthur—Nicely furnished room, suitable for one or two; kitchen privileges.

CENTRAL.—Bright room, suit two girls, cooking privileges if desired, $2.00 weekly. 185 Ontario, near Bleury. 100 2

CENTRAL LOCALITY—Bright, clean, unfurnished room in apartment, with kitchenette. All home comforts. Terms moderate. Box 126 Star Office. 100 2

CLARKE STREET, 277—Large, bright double front room, on bath flat, large clothes cupboard, use of phone. 98 5

COURSOL, 16—Nice, large front room and kitchenette, gas stove, hot water, no children; not moving. Call during the day. 99 2

CHURCH ST., 9—Single room, on bath-room flat, suitable for gentlemen only. 100 5

CONCORD STREET, 10—Double and single front room well furnished, gentlemen only.

CLARK, 472, above Prince Arthur—Large bright unfurnished room, suitable for two ladies. 99 3

CITY COUNCILLOR, 28, near Orpheum—Respectable working man can share room with another, separate beds, very central; 5 dollars per month.

COURSOL, 91—Furnished rooms, double and single, with or without board, good English cooking, electric light, hot water. 98 5

CATHCART STREET, 55—Large double room, suit two or three friends, also single room, hot water, electric. 100 2 eod

DUROCHER, 18—Comfortable furnished rooms and all conveniences, also two rooms for light housekeeping. 98 5

DRUMMOND STREET, 6.—Large, well-furnished room, newly decorated, electricity. 98 3

DORCHESTER WEST, 987—Particular people will find high class accommodation at lowest sacrifice rates; every convenience, phone, etc., and near Sussex. 100 3

DROLET, 161—Large furnished room with gas stove, bathroom flat, no objection to baby; $2.50 weekly.

DELORIMIER AVE., 1066—Double parlor, also single room; nicely furnished; all modern conveniences; private French family. 99 4

DRUMMOND STREET, 23.—Large front room, very comfortable, electric light and phone; terms moderate. 97 6

DORCHESTER WEST, 417—Beautifully furnished large rooms with kitchenette, on ground floor; suitable for small family. 99 2

ROOMS TO LET.

DRUMMOND 59 — Everything modern, parlor bedsitting, kitchen privileges, quiet couple or gentleman; private family. 98 3eod

DUROCHER STREET, 12—Two splendidly furnished rooms; all conveniences, continuous hot water, electric light, etc. Gentlemen only. 98 2 eod

DORCHESTER W. 947, near Fort, several rooms to let, with kitchen privileges. 100 2

DORCHESTER WEST, 417, Large, bright up to date furnished rooms, modern conveniences, very central, breakfast and dinner if desired, rat rate, for summer months, clean and quiet house; one minute from Windsor, transients taken. 99 6

DRUMMOND, 12—Running water, electric light, newly decorated. Phone; not moving. 97 6

DUROCHER, 148 — Front room, use of phone, private family; not moving. 97 4

ESPLANADE AVE., 421 Park Mance Apartments, plenty of hot water; electric light. St. Louis 3068 99 2

ESPLANADE AVE. 2149 Nicely furnished front room with kitchen privileges, suit married couple or two ladies, friends, terms moderate. 98 5

ESPLANADE, 1823—Well furnished room, 2 persons in apartment house, private family; wardrobe, electricity, telephone. 1823 Esplanade.

FURNISHED or unfurnished, large, bright and clean; would suit 2 friends; on bathroom flat, hot and cold water and gas. Terms reasonable. Box 5906 Star Office. 98 3

FAMILLE STREET, 27 Very large front room, with two wardrobes, on bath flat; also single room. 99 8

GUY, 478 Nice clean front room on bath flat, also single one; housekeeping privileges. 90 4

GREENE AVE., 1049, corner Selby St. — Single front, board optional, every convenience, private house. Phone West 3756 99 2

GAUDRY, 6—Double parlors, unfurnished or partly furnished, or two single bedrooms in place, kitchen privileges, electric gas, very moderate, no children. 100 2

HUTCHISON, 7—Three doors from Sherbrooke street—Beautiful, single room, phone, strictly private home, not moving, gentlemen only.

HUTCHISON, 74—Furnished large double front room, suit two persons, $4 weekly, bath flat, newly decorated, electric light, telephone. 99 2

LAGAUCHETIERE, 298, EAST—Double room, furnished or unfurnished, newly decorated, hot water, gas for cooking, low rent. Phone M. 431 100 3

LAURIER WEST, 1056, Outremont—Front room, well lighted and comfortable, room is on bath flat; private family, price reduced to 100 2

MANCE, 413, near Prince Arthur—Cosy single room, running water, electric light, use of phone, very central. 98 5

MANCE STREET, near Prince Arthur—Large, comfortable, neatly furnished room, suitable for one or two gentlemen; modern house, very clean, quiet, use of family. Vacant May 1st. Tel. East 6497. 98 3

METCALF STREET, 105—Double and single rooms, all modern conveniences

MACKAY, 285—Well furnished bedroom, also very nice bed sitting room on bath flat.

MACKAY STREET, 307—Nice furnished front front room, suit two gentlemen friends or two ladies, electric light. 98 3

MANSFIELD, 27—Beautiful single room and double, on first floor, running hot and cold water all modern conveniences, electric light. 99 2

McGILL COLLEGE AVE., 40—Well furnished front room, in modern apartment house, gentlemen only, references required. Apply Apartment 14.

MILTON STREET, 142—A large, bright room, suit two gentlemen or ladies, private family. Phone. 99 4

MACKAY STREET, 413—Double and single for married couple or gentlemen for light housekeeping, reasonable. 99 2

MANCE, 1937—Comfortable bright front room, double, suitable for two, board if desired, phone, all conveniences, private family, near cars. 99 4

MACKAY ST., 417—Large bed sitting room, well furnished, with kitchenette attached, refrigerator, running water and gas stove connected; suitable superior married couple, no children, phone.

MANSFIELD STREET, 94—Nice, bright front room, very quiet home, opportunity to speak French. 98 2 eod

MACKAY, 419—Double and single rooms, with light housekeeping privileges for first class people, reasonable. 99 4

MACKAY STREET, 324—Single room, bathfloor, with good board. Immediate possession. Gentleman preferred. Up 4659 98 3

MANSFIELD STREET, 150 — Room on bath floor; in private house, phone, etc.; gentlemen only. 99 2

MANCE STREET, 2307 (close to Fairmount) Room in modern flat; private family, constant hot water.

METCALFE STREET, 147 — Rooms, first class, hot water in rooms, electric light, telephone, baths on all floors, gentlemen or married couples.

MANCE STREET, 95, near Sherbrooke — Nicely furnished, bright, bedroom, bathroom flat, quiet and central locality. Telephone, not moving. 97 3 3aw

MANCE, 79—Furnished and unfurnished rooms, quiet home, modern conveniences. References. Phone Up. 4845. 100 2 eod

MACKAY, 410 — Large very well furnished front parlor, suitable for married couple or two gentlemen, light housekeeping privileges, first class house. Phone, electric light. 98 3

MANSFIELD STREET, 104 — Front room, on ground floor, modern conveniences and use of phone. 98 2eod

MANCE, 413, near Prince Arthur—Cosy single room, running water, electric light, use of phone, very central. 98 5

METCALFE STREET, 55B—Nicely furnished room, bath flat, use of telephone, gentlemen only.

MOUNTAIN ST., 397—Large and small room on bath floor; also has front rooms with balcony, use of phone. 99 2

McGILL COLLEGE AVE., 68, near Sherbrooke street — Clean, comfortable furnished rooms, in a quiet house, telephone, electric light, gentlemen.

MANCE ST., 62.—Nicely furnished — Bright front room bathroom flat, English speaking, private family; meals if desired. Terms moderate. 100 3

MANCE, 1709, near Villeneuve. — Large, bright single room, modern heated flat, constant hot water, private family, use of board; immediate possession. 100 2

NOTRE DAME EAST, 1200—Two to five furnished rooms for light housekeeping, kitchenette, no children, riverside, immediate possession. Lasalle 206.

NOTRE DAME EAST, 1300—Two to five furnished rooms for light housekeeping, kitchenette, no children, riverside, immediate possession. Lasalle 206. 100 2 eod

PHILLIPS APARTMENTS, 390 Phillips Place—Well furnished rooms, some private baths. Same in building extension, with kitchen privileges. Uptown 2472. 97 6

PARK AVENUE, 57 — Prettily furnished front room, bath flat; use of electric, telephone, continuous hot water, well appointed, quiet, private house, gentlemen only. 98 5

PLATEAU, 13 1-2 near Mance and St. Catherine—Well furnished room on bath floor, telephone, fine locality, moderate rent. 98 2

PARK AVENUE 23—Nicely furnished double room on bath flat, every convenience. 99 2

PARK AVENUE, 108—Three single rooms phone, every convenience, board if desired. 97 4

PEEL STREET — Furnished and unfurnished rooms, suites of one to four lighting, heating, cleaning and breakfast included. Phone Up 1432 96 3 eod

PINE AVE. WEST, 225—Well furnished, comfortable room, facing Mountain for gentleman, hot water, every convenience, quiet, private family. 98 4

PRINCE ARTHUR STREET WEST, 47 — Rooms to let in private family on bath flat; not moving. 100 2

PARK AVE., 84—Nicely furnished bed-sitting room, wardrobe, electric light (continuous hot water). 100 3

PRINCE ARTHUR ST. WEST, 262—To let, a comfortably furnished front room, electric light and telephone.

PARK AVENUE 16A—Large room, front or back, clothes cupboards, immediate possession; gentlemen preferred, not moving; central. 99 5

PARK AVENUE, 192A.—Room, well furnished, bath flat, telephone, electric light. Apply 167 Park avenue.

PARK AVENUE, 51—Bright furnished single bed sitting room, bath flat, electric light, every convenience, to suit business lady or gentleman. 100 3

ROOMS TO LET

PEEL, 20 — Very nice furnished front bedsitting room, suitable for lady or gentleman, with or without board; phone. 100

ROOM AND BOARD, Double and single beds, conveniences required. Apply 27 Chaboillez Sq. 98 5

ST. ROCH ST. SQUARE, 2—Large double and single beds, bath, for gentlemen only. 99 2

ROOM, furnished, with kitchen privileges, suit married couple, in return for wife's services. 1284 or 1285 St. Catherine west. Phone Lasalle 80.

ST. DENIS ST. 20 Nicely Kept Spacious Rooms, Electric Light throughout, Telephone, &c.

ST. FAMILLE, 14 near Sherbrooke—Nice well furnished double and single rooms, all conveniences, phone, use of bath. Telephone breakfast not moving. 98 3 eod

ST. MATTHEW STREET 79 — Large well furnished front room, suitable for gentlemen, private family. 99 4

ST. MARTIN STREET 210 One large and one small room, bath flat, for single gentlemen, also preferred. 98 2eod

SOUVENIR AVE., 18 Parlor flat, two large rooms and kitchenette, partly furnished, gas stove. Also two large bedrooms, bath flat. 99 4

SHERBROOKE STREET WEST 884 — Large, newly double front, absolute privacy. Every convenience. 98 3

STANLEY ST., 92 Unfurnished, lighted, heated hot water basins, gas stove, kitchenettes; telephone. $7.00 two rooms, $15.00 per month. 99 4

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SHERBROOKE WEST, 259 Two large front rooms, bath flat, electricity and other conveniences. Board optional. Immediate possession on May 1st. 99 2

SHUTER STREET, 731 Large, bright double front room on bath flat, separate beds, modern conveniences, use of phone, highly recommended. 97 4

SEIGNEURS, 481 Nice clean furnished room on bath flat. Rent $1.50 weekly. 99 3

SHERBROOKE ST EAST 41 Nicely furnished double and single rooms, near Cadieux avenue. Phone East 4502. 99 4

ST. FAMILLE STREET, 213 Comfortable room, with English family, bath flat, for one or two, of quiet habits, hard to beat, couple or elderly lady.

SHERBROOKE, 233 West Two handsome bright rooms suitable for gentlemen or married couple, kitchen privileges, telephone, electricity, every convenience. 99 4

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SHERBROOKE EAST 35 Room to let, with use of phone, hot water electricity, private family, nice location. 100 3

ST. FAMILLE ST. 75—Single and double room, bright and comfortable, reasonable. Phone East 2624 100 4

ST. DOMINIQUE 2544 Front room, with or without board, opposite Mile End station, low rent.

SELBY STREET, 184 (west of Greene ave.)—Large front room, also smaller room, electric light, all modern conveniences. Terms moderate. 98 5

SHERBROOKE EAST 849, opposite Lafontaine Park Large bright room in front, $12.00, $17.00 per month, also another one $6.00, private family, without children, electricity, bathroom, telephone, use of piano if desired.

ST. URBAIN 2855 Large bedroom, suitable for two, $10 per month, or parlor, adjoining bedroom, $14, electric light, partial board or kitchen privileges, two ladies preferred.

ST. CATHERINE WEST, 1020—Nice large room and kitchenette, vacant now. Family of two adults. Would rent furnished or unfurnished. 99 2

ST. ANTOINE, 677 — Unfurnished front room, steam heated, gas kitchen privileges if desired.

ST. FAMILLE, 102 corner Prince Arthur Large unfurnished front parlor, ground floor. Reasonable. Phone East 476. 99 4

SHUTER STREET, 81, Well furnished and very comfortable room, in quiet private family, breakfast and dinner if desired. 99 2

STANLEY, 23 One single and double room, well furnished, quiet house, will rent by day, week or month.

SHERBROOKE STREET W. 222—Room in Apartment for gentleman; hot water always. Telephone, central and quiet. Apply Apt. 1, 1 to 4 p.m. and evenings. 100 4

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ST. ANTOINE STREET 283A The Salisbury, Apt. 3, large room, furnished, all conveniences. 98 3

SHERBROOKE WEST 222 near Park ave — Nicely furnished. Large double room, two beds, shower bath. Telephone, home comforts for gentlemen 100 2

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ST. HUBERTS 837 (cor. Roy street, near Park Lafontaine) Fine locality, well furnished room on bath floor, steam heated, telephone and all conveniences, moderate rent. Box 5903 Star Office. 98

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TUPPER STREET, 852 Comfortable parlor bedroom on main floor, kitchen privileges. Terms moderate. Phone Up. 1626. 99 2

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UNIVERSITY ST., 661—Single room, bath flat; electric light; phone, near Sherbrooke street. 99 4

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VICTORIA STREET 40, Comfortable, large double front room, bright, furnished, bath and central position, gas stove, or single room, cosy.

VERDUN, Evelyn Street 328, Furnished double room to let to married couple, kitchen privileges if cheap. 100 2

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WESTMOUNT, near Victoria Hall, corner Sherbrooke, double and single rooms, breakfast if desired, for gentlemen, private house. Write W. 391 Victoria ave., Westmount.

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YOUNG STREET, 51, near McCord street — Large furnished room, suitable for two, very moderate. 99 4

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ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

FRENCH HOUSE—Room with good board (2 meals) wanted by young Englishman with opportunity picking up language. If in city, electric light, telephones preferred. Will consider suburbs (summer) if not more than 20 miles. State terms, Box 7118 Star Branch, Union Avenue.

ROOMS AND BOARD wanted by family of five, two girls, 17 and 15 years; Strathcona school vicinity. Phone Rockland 1847 99 3

WANTED by young man, comfortable room, with board, in private family, preferred; locality Point St. Charles. Apply giving particulars, terms, etc., to Box 5947 Star Office 99 2

WESTMOUNT—Young lady wishes room and board in private family; near cars Telephone. Box 115 Star Office.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

LEURY, 1276—Nice large front rooms, also sitting room, newly decorated, table board if desired, phone. 100 2

CRESCENT, 142—Beautiful furnished rooms exclusive, large, excellently situated, kitchen privileges, with good board, also optional; suitable married couple or friends; evening dinner if desired. Telephone Up. 2161. Also table board for gentlemen. 100 2

CENTRAL, Double fronted fully detached house, two to five to rent, French family. Phone Up. 4205. 100 2

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COMFORTABLE single room wanted by young man for May 1, central position, bath flat, Windsor, Bonaventure, Star Branch, Union avenue.

GENTLEMAN or two gentlemen wanted by private family, with good board, in private house, Mile End district. Apply Box 5917 Star Office.

ROOM (double) good board, suitable for two gentlemen friends, close to Metcalfe or Windsor hotel, in private house, Box 5 Star Office.

ROOM and board for gentleman, in private family, 1 Belmont Park, Cote des Neiges road, Montreal.

DRUMMOND, 37, corner of Dorchester, Room Window, Hot and Cold Water, Electric Light, Bath, Telephone, Board optional, Rates from $5.00 per week, Phone Up. 4106

BANK FIGURES--PRICE BROS. REPORT--STOCK MARKET STRONG

VARIETY TO LOCAL LIST, TONE STRONG

Although lacking anything in the nature of new weeks, the local market developed a number of very interesting features during the forenoon. One of the most striking characteristics was the strong undertone demonstrated. This also was a feature in New York incidentally. There was a good variety of attractions for the speculatively inclined and in a general way it was a good trading market.

The exuberance of buoyancy in the power group was one of the outstanding features, the turn in Detroit as the result of the increase in the dividend was another, while the Steel group continued to hold its followers.

A fresh upward turn in Canadian cottons, no doubt stimulated by faith in the creation of a dividend for that issue and contained strength in the Steamship issues, marked the session in addition to the aforementioned features.

The buying of Power, which broke out from time to time, is based on the expectation of the fiscal reconstruction idea and the fact that dealers moved along with the main issue suggests the faith in that issue being concerned. Power rose from 257½ to 270, and Quebec from 72¾ yesterday to 75¾.

One of the earliest stocks to move was Detroit, which opened up at 100, and the highest was 100¾, which constitutes the record on the present movement, but later it reacted to 98½, closing firmer at noon at 99.

In view of the strong tone to the market for Steel of Canada at the close yesterday, when it rallied from 65¾ earlier in the day to 68¼ at the close, the early market was watched with much interest. Opening fractionally stronger at 68¾, it slowly worked up to 69¾, but closed slightly easier at 69¼. Iron shares in the strength, 30½ to 31¼, but Scotia was neglected.

Can Cottons, which has for some weeks past been strong at 44¾ to 45, developed further strength today, selling up to 46, a record price for the stock. Indications that the board will start the stock on dividend record shortly is the factor.

The Steamship issues were strong, the bull pool in Toronto apparently being active again, the common touching 28, where although 27¾ was the best here, after opening at 27½. The preferred rose to 81¼.

Other features were: Shawinigan, 131½ to 132; Brazilian, 55½; Cement, 61¼ to 61¾; Simpsons, 151; Bridge, 221; Locomotive, 59½; Laurentide, 185; Quebec, 23; while in the unlisted, Wayagamack was strong and active, up to 37. C. P. R. was steady in Wall Street, at 166½.

MORNING TRANSACTIONS

Bell Telephone—97 at 145.

Brazilian—100 at 55½.

Can. Steamship — 5 at 27¾, 50 at 27½, 30 at 27¾, 35 at 27¾, 25 at 27½, 25 at 27¾, 75 at 27½, 5 at 27¾.

Can. Steamship Voting Trust — 50 at 25¾.

Cedars Rapids—10 at 72½, 25 at 73, 125 at 74, 125 at 75, 25 at 75½, 125 at 76, 50 at 76½, 25 at 76¾, 15 at 77, 25 at 76½, 10 at 77, 25 at 76¾, 95 at 76½, 125 at 76½.

Quebec Ry.—70 at 23, 80 at 23, 145 at 23.

Shawinigan—40 at 131½, 35 at 132, 111 at 132, 25 at 132.

Detroit—5 at 100, 100 at 100 sellers 30 days; 320 at 100, 50 at 100, 75 at 100¼, 165 at 99½, 100 at 99 sellers 30 days; 30 at 99¾, 100 at 98¾, 10 at 99, 25 at 98¾, 50 at 98¾, 25 at 98½, 10 at 98¾, 25 at 98½, 25 at 98¾, 5 at 98½, 50 at 99.

Mont. Telegraph—13 at 136.

Power—125 at 237½, 140 at 238, 15 at 238½, 20 at 239, 95 at 239½, 25 at 239¾, 225 at 240, 210 at 240, 10 at 239¾, 90 at 240.

B. C. Fishing & Packing—25 at 61.

Canada Cement—50 at 61¼, 25 at 61½.

Can. Cottons—25 at 45, 35 at 45, 115 at 45, 125 at 45, 25 at 45¼, 20 at 45, 25 at 46.

Can. Loco.—25 at 59½.

Consolidated Smelting—75 at 151.

Dom. Bridge—25 at 221.

Dom. Steel Corp.—100 at 50½, 125 at 51, 25 at 50¾, 325 at 51, 50 at 51¼, 181 at 51, 35 at 51¼, 10 at 51, 100 at 51¼, 100 at 51.

Laurentide—25 at 185.

Scotia—5 at 102.

Steel Co. of Can—210 at 68¾, 10 at 68¾, 100 at 68¾, 15 at 68¾, 285 at 68¾, 25 at 69, 100 at 69¼, 410 at 69, 60 at 69½, 20 at 69½, 50 at 69¾, 10 at 69½, 400 at 69¾, 30 at 69¾, 155 at 69¾, 100 at 69¾, 20 at 69¾, 100 at 69¾, 150 at 69½, 50 at 69½, 50 at 69¼, 10 at 69½.

PREFERRED.

Canada Cement—8 at 94½, 25 at 95.

Can. Cottons—50 at 78¾.

Can. Steamships—5 at 81, 25 at 80¾, 50 at 81, 10 at 81, 75 at 81¼.

Steel Co. of Can—40 at 89.

WAR LOAN.

Canadian (when issued)—$5,000 at 98, $700 at 98, $500 at 97¾, $100 at 98, $100 at 98.

BONDS.

Quebec Ry.—$500 at 61, $500 at 61, Scotia—$1,000 at 85.

Mines.

Crown Reserve—500 at 50.

Opinions from Wall Street

Post & Flagg — The market today has been strong, railroad stocks being the feature. These latter were naturally stimulated by the unexpectedly favorable action of the Norfolk and Western directors in not only putting the stock on a regular 7 per cent basis but actually declaring 1 per cent extra. This has emphasized the extraordinary favorable railroad earnings and conditions in the railroad industry generally.

E. and C. Randolph: The market has been strong today, due largely to the belief that, if a strike appears unavoidable on the railroads or in the anthracite coal fields, the Administration will rush a bill through Congress to provide for compulsory arbitration. The wage situation has been one of the influences that has kept railroad stocks from advancing, and a report that the Administration would adopt a policy as outlined above, led to increased buying of railroad stocks.

Shearson, Hammill and Co.: Liquidation was in evidence whenever the market was strong and the action of Steel common considering the statement was most disappointing. Undoubtedly further liquidation has to be faced and indications point to hard lower prices.

PRICES ON N. Y. CURB

(Reported by J. J. Carew & Co.)

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Last
United Verde	26½	26½	26½	26½
Chevrolet Mot.	188	188½	187	188½
Tobacco Prod.	42	42	41½	41¾
Stand. Motors	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Cuba Cane Sug.	61	61½	61	61½
Midvale Steel	59¾	61¼	59¾	61¼
Peerless Motors	21	21¾	21	21¾
St. Joseph Lead	15½	15¾	15½	15¾
Howe Sound	5½	5½	5½	5½
Aetna Explos.	19	19	18¾	18¾
Dome Extension	37	37	37	37
Wayland Oil	6	6½	6	6½
Midwest Oil	45	49	45	49
Cosden Ref. Oil	22¾	23¼	22¾	23
Cosden Oil and Gas	8½	8¾	8½	8¾
Houston Oil	18½	19	18½	19
Okla. Ref. Oil	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Boston and Montana	92	94	92	94
Success Mining	75	75	75	75
Lynn Phono.	11	11¼	11	11¼
Jerome Verde	1 11-16	1 11-16	1 11-16	1 11-16
Kenefick Zinc	14¾	15¼	14¾	15¼
La-Jara	60	62	60	62
Adanac Sil. Min.	57	58	56	58
Univer. Motors	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Consenrates Zinc	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼
Barnett Oil	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
McKinley-Darragh	58	58	58	58
Submarine Boat	36	36	36	36
Muskogee Oil	1-16	1-16	3	3
Bar Silver	69	69	69	69

DETROIT DIVIDEND IS RAISED TO 7 PER CENT

The directors of Detroit United Railway, meeting in Detroit yesterday, declared a quarterly distribution of 1¾ per cent, payable June 1, to shareholders of record May 16. This places the stock on a 7 per cent dividend basis.

The increased dividend has been expected for some time, and the recent rise in the stock is taken as evidence that it had been largely discounted.

The principal influence for the action taken yesterday is said to be the large earnings and the better relations existing between the company and the city. In 1915, before deducting reserve appropriation, the company reported a surplus income equal to 13.7 per cent on the stock, or over two and a half times the dividend requirements. This would have justified the company's increasing the dividend a year ago, but the uncertainty attending the negotiations between the company and the city for the purchase of part of the system by the latter, acted as a restraining influence. The earnings have shown steady gains, and the last quarter's receipts were nearly 14 per cent ahead of the same period in 1915.

The Montreal holdings are not so large as previously, as Detroit interests have been purchasing the stock recently, but they are sufficiently large to cause satisfaction in the market.

The following table shows the high and low prices of the stock and the dividends paid since 1904.

	High.	Low.	Div.
1916	99¼	89½	*1¾
1915	72	62	6
1914	73½	62	6
1913	81	62¾	6
1912	76½	58½	5
1911	76¼	70¾	5
1910	70	49½	0
1909	71¾	49	0
1908	55¾	31¼	0
1907	81½	28½	2¾
1906	102	79¼	5
1905	97	75½	4½
1904	80	66½	4

*Indicated.

CANADIANS IN LONDON

Special cable to The Montreal Star and Thornton Davidson & Co.

	Apr. 25	Apr. 25	Apr. 27
C.P.R.	175¾	175½	175½
Hudson Bay	65¾	62	63¾
G.T.R. 1st pfd.	69	69	68
G.T.R. 3rd pfd.	27¾	27¾	27½
G.T.R. ord.	12¾	12¼	12¼

Buyers and Sellers

Cedars sellers: Beaubien & Co., Riddell & Co., Tousau & Co., Smith & Co., Davidson & Co., O'Brien & Co., Williams, Craig & Luther, J. Pitblado & Co.

Buyers: McDougall & Cowans, Farrell Seely Co., A. E. Rex & Co., Redpath & Co., Forget & Co., C. Meredith & Co.

Mr. Carew Looks for Boom in Mine Shares

TORONTO, April 27 — J. J. Carew, of the New York firm House of J. J. Carew & Co., was in town yesterday, presumably watching the debut of Adanac stock on the Standard Exchange. Mr. Carew says the taste of New York speculators which recently ran to high-priced war babies is shifting back to the lower-priced issues, and he looks for a boom in mining stocks, based on the advances which have occurred and are occurring in the price of metal.

THIS VEIN IS BARREN

TORONTO, April 27.—With reference to the new vein recently reported found on the old Nova Scotia lease in Peterson Lake ground, Smith and Amos say: "The report that a new vein has been found on the old Nova Scotia part of the property is quite correct, but, although the vein is 2½ inches in width, we are advised it is quite barren."

UNLISTED TRANSACTIONS

Laurentide Power—25 at 55¾.

Porcupine—150 at 64.

Way. Com.—25 at 35¾, 100 at 36, 60 at 36, 50 at 36, 25 at 36¾, 50 at 36¼, 25 at 36, 5 at 36, 20 at 36¾, 50 at 36½, 25 at 36½, 50 at 37, 10 at 37.

BROKERS' NEW SUITE

Greenshields & Co., members of the Montreal Stock Exchange, have removed their offices from No. 16 St. Sacrament street to the Lewis building, at the corner of St. John and Hospital streets, where the firm now occupies a large suite on the sixth floor.

Press Opinions on N.Y. Situation

Special to The Montreal Star.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Sun: On the main the Stock Exchange session was marked by a sagging trend throughout the industrial department of the market, but offset and qualified somewhat by a little rising movement in the railroad shares, which sympathized with the advancing response of Norfolk and Western to the increase of its dividend.

World: With news good stock market is reactionary. Public seems to be heeding advice to be cautious, and the trading is largely professional. Public buying has nearly disappeared, it evidently desiring neither to buy or sell stocks until the uncertainties as to the outcome of the negotiations with Germany is removed.

Tribune: Having made up in the first two days of the week a good part of the previous break on fear of trouble with Germany, the market settled back yesterday to await some more definite news on the international situation. Trading fell off to around half a million shares and dealings were of a pronounced professional nature, with prices tending to work lower.

Press: Absence of public buying and unwillingness on the part of the larger Wall Street interests to make extended commitments with the submarine controversy and the Mexican and Labor situation still unsettled, were responsible for the realizing sales and bear pressure which carried the greater number of stocks to lower levels in yesterday's market.

American — Weakness of the stock market yesterday was a perfectly natural result of last Saturday's raid, the subsequent sharp falls and the difference of opinion among steel corporation interests in regard to the dividend.

Herald: The Wall Street quidnuncs who had been analysing international high politics observed that the short interest created in Saturday's "great bear drive" being eliminated and some stocks being overbought in the subsequent sharp recovery, the market naturally became dull and inclined to react.

Times: While the adoption of a more sober attitude toward the international situation was an influence of some consequence the settling down of trading into reduced activity and the closer attention given to domestic factors, including some of general application and some of only specific import indicated that attention of traders was no longer riveted solely, or almost solely, on the submarine controversy with Germany.

B. & O. March gross increase, $1,916,871; net decrease, $436,199; nine months' gross increase, $14,632,893; net increase, $5,340,396.

Financial Men in the Public Eye



SIR WILLIAM PRICE

President of Price Bros., Limited, whose annual report is out today.

PRICE BROS. PROFITS ARE INCREASED

The financial report of Price Brothers & Company, Limited, for the fifteen months, ended February 29, 1916, presented to shareholders at the annual meeting today, shows profits amounting to $1,032,185. After interest on bank loans, bond interest and sinking fund requirements, the net profits were $392,538. Added to this is the balance at the credit of profit and loss account in November, 1914, of $1,010,031, which brings the total net balance carried forward, $1,403,569.

Net profits for the twelve months ended November 30, 1914, were $403,779.

Sir William Price, in his report to the shareholders, points out that experience has shown that the date of closing accounts in the past, November 30, was unsatisfactory owing to the position of operations at that season of the year, and as a result it was decided to advance the date to the last of February. It is also pointed out that in the three months added, December, January and February, no profits accrued in the lumber department, but the overhead charges and salaries have to be met, the result being that the books do not show any increase in net profits for these months, so that the figures shown in the profit and loss account, which is practically 8 per cent. on the common stock, are really less than the result of twelve months' operations.

During the period $251,292 was charged to revenue in respect to repairs and renewals.

An amount equal to the par value of the bonds redeemed by the operations of the first year's sinking fund has been transferred to general reserve fund, which now stands at $540,000.

The balance sheet shows current assets at $2,524,920, against $2,803,528 last year, while current liabilities are $1,521,866, against $2,247,007 a year ago. Total assets are $17,023,872. Cash on hand has increased from $19,498 to $38,354.

Brick Business is Showing Improvement

The annual meeting of the shareholders of National Brick Company has been called for May 17, and while there has been some improvement in the brick business within the past month or two this will not be reflected in the statement for the fiscal year which ended Feb. 29, which was just about as dull as the preceding year.

It is expected that the Ontario National Brick plant, near Toronto, in which the local brick people are largely interested, will resume operations shortly after having been closed down since the latter part of 1914, when the brick experienced a slump.

SPOT COPPER AT 31

Boston says fair tonnage of spot electrolytic copper may be secured in New York at 31c. June copper sold at 30c, and August 29¾c.

Market Notes

Butter prices are weak. Best new milk creamery quoted at 31c to 31½c lb; good do., 29½c to 30c; best held creamery, 30c to 30½c; good do., 29c to 29½c; seconds, 26c to 27c; butter, 23c to 24c.

Eggs easy. Strictly fresh stock, 25c per dozen.

Cheese prices are quiet. Best, 18c to 18¼c; good, 17½c to 17¾c; undergrades, 17c to 17¾c.

Pure maple syrup is firm at 85c to 90c per 8-lb tin; do., 10-lb tins, $1 to $1.10; do., 13-lb tins, $1.25 to $1.30; extra choice syrup, 13-lb tins, $1.40 to $1.50; pure maple sugar, 12c to 14c per lb.

Honey steady. White clover in comb, 14½c to 15c; brown clover in comb, 12c to 13c; white extracted, 12c to 12½c; brown extracted, 10c to 11c; buckwheat honey, 9c to 10c.

Pure lard is fairly active at 16c to 16¼c a lb in 20-lb wood pails, and 15½c to 15¾c in tin; compound lard steady at 13¾c to 13¾c in 20-lb wood pails and 13c to 13¼c in tin.

Fresh killed dressed abattoir hogs are firm at $16.25 to $16.50 cwt.

Hams, fair demand, 8 to 12 lbs hams, 21c to 22c; 12 to 14 lbs., 19c to 20c; heavyweights, 18c to 19c.

Bacon is firm. Breakfast bacon, 22c to 23c; Windsor selected, 25c to 26c, and boneless 27c to 28c lb.

Potatoes are in good demand. Green Mountains and Quebecs, $1.70 to 1.72½ a bag in car lots, ex-track, in job lots, $1.85 to $1.95 per bag, ex-store.

Rated hay market active. No. 1, $21.50 to $22; extra No. 2 hay, $21; No. 2 hay, $20.50; No. 3, $19 to $20 per ton, ex-track.

Spring wheat flour is quiet. First patents quoted at $6.60; seconds at $6.10; strong bakers at $5.90 per barrel in bags and 30c per barrel more in wood.

Winter wheat flour is dull. Choice patents quoted at $5; straight rollers, $5.30 to $5.40 per barrel in wood, and the latter in jute at $2.45 to $2.50 per bag.

Oats unchanged. Canadian Western No. 2, 54½c; No. 3, C.W., 53c; extra No. 1 feed, 53c; No. 1 feed, 52½c; No. 2 feed, 51½c; Ontario and Quebec No. 2 white, 51½c; No. 3, 50½c, and No. 4, 49½c per bushel, ex-store.

Beans very firm. Hand picked, car lots, $4.40 to $4.50; 3-lb. pickers, $4.15 to $4.25; 5-lb. pickers, $4 to $4.10; 7-lb. pickers, $3.80 to $3.90.

Burnett and Co.—There was nothing definite in the overnight news, but the general feeling was more cheerful. Stocks were in scant supply, and a buying movement soon after the opening caused sharp advances all through the list. The gains were well distributed. War stocks and rails were the leaders.

BETTER N. Y. TONE, RAILS HAD RALLY

Special to The Montreal Star.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Opening prices on the Stock Exchange to-day reflected little change in sentiment. U. S. Steel was up 1-2 at 82 3-4. There was an active demand for it. Munition shares were generally firm. Baldwin opened unchanged, and Crucible and American Loco., were up fractionally.

The market showed considerable strength during the first half hour, but the trading proved to be only a temporary spurt. It soon slackened off and became dull.

Material recoveries from yesterday's final prices were registered at the opening, although gains were again offset by moderate losses.

The familiar specialties; particularly American and Baldwin Locomotive, Crucible Steel, Studebaker, and U. S. Industrial Alcohol, advanced 1 to 1 1-2 points, and U. S. Steel, which was under restraint in the previous session, also showed marked improvement.

There was a broader demand for high class rails, the Pacifics, Reading, Erie and C. and O. rising 1 to almost 2 points with further activity in Norfolk and Western. Mercantile Marine preferred was firm, but the common receded a point. Bethlehem Steel fell 4 to 435.

Rails assumed a more commanding position later, that group probably deriving its stimulus from Norfolk and Western's increased dividend, and the more favorable labor outlook. Coalers, particularly Erie, Reading and some minor issues, increased their advantage, and New Haven gained two points of its recent decline. Munitions and Equipments made further upward progress, despite considerable realizing and opposition from the short interest.

A few inactive high priced specialties, including the Sugars, and Sears-Roebuck, were 5 to 14 points higher. Trading broadened on the greater activity. Bonds were steady.

Topics of the Street

The increase shown in the bank statement of about ten millions in current commercial loans and discounts is one of the most striking in many months, and is taken to indicate the extent of the growing demand for accommodation in general business.

One of the interesting features of the improvement in Canadian railway earnings is that it is steady. There ought to be a further impetus to traffic with the reopening of navigation, but the shipping problem is the fly in the ointment.

The New York Stock Exchange committee has forwarded to all companies whose securities are listed on the Exchange a circular letter suggesting that the practice of closing the transfer books for dividend and meeting purposes be abandoned. The practice is no longer necessary, and many companies already have abolished it. The committee argues that it ties up a large amount of funds, and is especially a hardship to purchasers of odd lots, since while the books are closed it is impossible to split up the 100-share lots into smaller units. The companies that have abandoned the closed book practice have found that they can accomplish the same purpose by making a record of holdings as of a specific day.

The industrials were the first to reflect improved earnings in dividend action, but the railways are beginning to get into line. The Norfolk & Western action was hailed as a good indicator.

Trading in Wall Street is likely to be dull on the theory of New York capitalists that they would prefer to buy securities several points higher than carry important commitments through the period of uncertainty which it is expected will continue until Germany's final reply to the American note on the submarine situation is received.

War is now costing the nations of Europe more than ninety million dollars a day. It is costing $650,000,000 a week, and will have cost the round sum of $45,000,000,000 by August 1 next, when its second year is completed. These figures are presented in a special booklet on the financial aspects of the war, which the Mechanics & Metals National Bank of New York has in preparation, and plans to issue early in May.

The cost to Great Britain for two years' warfare will have been $11,600,000,000, says the bank, if the conflict is still in progress at the opening of August. The cost to Germany will have been a bit less than that; to France it will have been $9,250,000,000.

AUCTION BUTTER SALE

At the auction sale of butter held at Gould's Cold Storage yesterday, 883 packages of held creamery butter were offered. The Whyte Packing Co., Ltd., purchased 116 packages at 25c lb.; Wm. Davies Co., Ltd., 174 packages at 25c; Hodgson Bros. & Rawson, 112 packages at 25c; Dunn, Langlois & Co., Ltd., 481 packages at 24¾c.

There was a large attendance of buyers present and the bidding was fairly keen. The sale was successful in every way.

Short Notes of Interest

Combined earnings of the C. P. R., the C. N. R. and the Grand Trunk for the third week of April were $4,026,961, a gain of $1,101,889, or 37.5 per cent.

Yesterday Bank of England bought £1,887,000 in bar gold and shipped £110,000 in sovereign to Spain.

Steel trade organs say that reports from trade centres indicate that larger steel makers will be unable to accept any more orders for steel for munition making to be delivered this year.

N. Y. banking interests head moving picture merger with capitalization of about $25,000,000.

American Int. Corpn. acquires substantial amount of Merc. Marine stock through purchases by a group headed by pres. Vanderlip of National City Bank.

Canadian White Sewing Machine Company, a branch of the White Sewing Machine Company of Cleveland, has acquired the plant and business of the Raymond Sewing Machine Company, which has been established in Guelph for forty years. New plant will give employment to about 700 men.

Northern Pacific's March surplus after charges was $2,138,000, an increase of $818,000; first three weeks of April estimated gross revenues were $4,061,000, a gain of $761,000.

Business Men in the Public Eye



ALD. WILLIAM FINDLAY

Member of the Council of the Ottawa Board of Trade.

DEPOSITS UP AND CURRENT LOANS GAIN

The statement of Canadian chartered banks for March shows comparatively few striking changes compared with the preceding month. The total liabilities and assets are about ten millions lower than in February, the reductions being distributed among such items as current coin, Dominion notes and current loans outside Canada.

Circulation and reserves, together with deposits in the central gold reserve show moderate gains.

The most striking changes are in deposits on notice and current loans, which both show gains of approximately ten millions over February. Deposits on demand are practically unchanged.

A comparison of March and February returns show as follows:

	March, 1916.	Feb. 1916.
Circulation	$114,804,604	$113,528,237
Reserves	113,022,933	112,457,333
Demand dep.	389,165,388	389,825,667
Notice dep.	738,169,212	728,242,609
Outside dep.	120,678,959	116,675,028
Current coin	66,372,906	68,177,347
Dominion notes	151,203,493	153,431,005
Gold res.	12,010,000	10,440,000
Call loans, Can.	81,747,512	81,949,125
Call loans, for.	141,889,989	139,138,651
Cur. loans, Can.	770,139,526	760,873,181
Cur. loans, for.	52,705,827	56,099,719
Total liab.	1,462,825,516	1,473,000,100
Total assets	1,705,836,892	1,715,324,703

Compared with a year ago change in the bank statement continues striking. In demand deposits the gain is about $50,000,000, and in natural deposits about $62,000,000, a total of $112,000,000, to which must be added a $23,000,000 gain in outside deposits.

Total liabilities are about $162,000,000 greater and assets over $160,000,000 greater.

The returns compare as follows:

Circ.	$ 114,804,604	$ 96,666,544
Reserves	113,022,933	113,227,654
Demand Dep.	389,165,388	339,514,286
Notice Dep.	738,169,212	676,875,790
Outside Dep.	120,678,959	97,737,998
Cur. Coin	66,372,906	65,671,275
Dom. Notes	151,203,493	137,413,021
Gold Rese.	12,010,000	5,550,000
Call loans (Can.)	81,747,512	68,245,261
Cal loans (For.)	141,889,989	101,938,685
Cur. loans (Can.)	770,139,526	769,138,883
Cur. loans (For.)	52,705,827	41,745,787
Total Liab.	1,462,825,516	1,300,863,637
Total Assets	1,705,836,892	1,545,723,564

Dividends

Montreal. — Quebec Bank, regular quarterly of 1¾ per cent., payable June 1, to stock record of May 16.

Montreal.—Banque d'Hochelaga, regular quarterly of 2¼ per cent, payable June 1, to stock record of May 15.

Detroit. — Detroit United, 1¾ per cent, payable June 1, to stock record of May 16, being an increase from a 6 to 7 per cent basis.

Philadelphia. — Norfolk & Western has declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the common stock, compared with previous regular rate of 1¼ per cent, increasing the annual rate from a 6 per cent to 7 per cent, and also an extra dividend of 1 per cent.

The 6 per cent rate on Norfolk & Western common had been in force since December, 1911. Prior to that date the rate was 5 per cent from December, 1909. Dividends in 1908 were 4 per cent.; in 1907, 5 per cent; in 1906, 4½ per cent; in 1905, 3½ per cent; in 1904, 3 per cent; in 1903, 3 per cent; in 1902, 2½ per cent; and in 1901, 2 per cent.

Vancouver.—B. C. Packers' Association 4 per cent. and preferred 3½ per cent, payable May 20, record May 9. Books close May 10, open May 20.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

N.Y. quotations on Exchange were: Sterling—Cables, 4.77; demand, 4.76 7,16.

Francs—Cables, 5.93; demand, 5.93½.

Marks—74⅞; demand, 74⅝.

BAR SILVER RECORD

Bar Silver broke the record again today, beating all prices for many years past, when it touched 69 in the New York market.

Bethlehem Steel net earnings in March approximated $5,500,000, a new high record.

ST. LAWRENCE FLOUR MILLS CO., LIMITED.

DIVIDEND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of one and three quarters (1¾ %) per cent. has been declared on the cumulative Preferred Shares for quarter ending April 30th, and will be paid on Monday, May 1st, to Shareholders of record on that date.

By order of the Board.

A. E. GAGNON,
Secretary.

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The Merchants Bank of Canada

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALF per cent. for the current quarter, being at the rate of TEN per cent. per annum, upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution, has been declared and will be payable at its Banking House in the city and at its Branches, on and after the 1st day of May next to shareholders of record at the close of business on the 15th day of April.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, for the election of Directors and other general business of the Bank, will be held at the Banking House, in the City of Montreal, on Wednesday, the seventh day of June next. Chair will be taken at 12 o'clock, noon.

By order of the Board.

E. F. HEBDEN,
General Manager.

Montreal, 18th March, 1916.

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ADVANCE IN SILVER SPEEDS UP PRODUCTION

Special to The Montreal Star.

COBALT, Ont., April 27.—An indication of how the Cobalt mines are taking advantage of present high prices of silver can be gleaned from the last report of the Kerr Lake covering the month of March. Its production was a new high record, and total led 214,920 ounces of silver, and surpassed any month in production since 1910 and 1911. Since the first of the year the Kerr Lake has produced 562,612 ounces of silver, against 352,710 ounces for the last quarter of 1915.

Like Kerr Lake, practically every other company in Cobalt, economically situated to do so, is rushing production as fast as possible. Not that they are selling all their silver for even higher prices are expected.

From all indications, Boston Creek will be favorably heard from this summer, when weather permits the resumption of prospecting and surface development work. There are now several properties being actively developed.

Prospectors have staked over four hundred claims in the area. All Boston Township has been taken up and a large part of McElroy. Owing to Pacaud and Catharine Townships being held largely for farms and as veteran lots, there was little open ground there.

Bank of England's Weekly Statement

LONDON, April 27. The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve increased, £888,000.

Circulation, increase, £71,000.

Bullion, increase, £959,404.

Other securities, increase £491,000.

Other deposits, dec., £1,174,000.

Public deposits, inc., £2,543,000.

Notes reserve, inc., £885,000.

Government securities unchanged.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 29.40 per cent; last week it was 29.10 per cent. Rate of discount 5 per cent.

Although bank clearings for the week ended today include only four banking days, the figures show an increase of 119,959, over the corresponding week of a year ago, which was without holidays.

Clearings for the four days were $49,152,771 against $49,032,812 for the full week last year, while in the same week of 1914 the clearings were 57,961,048.

TORONTO TRANSACTIONS

Twin City, 5 at 96½; Smelters, 1 at 150½; Steamships, 578 at 27¼ to 28 to 27¾; Steamships pfd., 200 at 81¾ to 82; Voting Trust, 50 at 25; Cement, 25 at 61½; N. S. Steel, 130 at 105¾ to 105½ to 105 to 105½; Steel of Canada, 287 at 68¾ to 68¾ to 69¼; Sattl of Can., 5 at 98; Can. pfd., 8 at 68; Brazilian, 340 at 55¼ to 55¾ to 55¾ to 55½; Coniagas, 300 at 4.60; General Electric, 101 at 103; Steel Corporation, 240 at 50 to 51 to 50¾; B. C. Fisheries, 25 at 60¾; Bell Telephone, 20 at 145¼; Maple Leaf, pfd., 5 at 96¼; La Rose, 1,200 at 70 to 75 to 70; Trethewey, 200 at 19; C. P. R., 10 at 167. Unlisted: War Loan, $1,500 at 97¾ to 98; Peterson Lake, 1,000 at 27¼; Bailey, 4,000 at 8; D. S. Foundry pfd., 10 at 79.

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE

Receipts of commodities in Montreal today:

	G.T.R.	C.P.R.	C.N.R.	Exp.
Wheat, bu.	27,800	3,000	226,400	....
Oats, bu.	32,629	600	22,600	....
Corn, bu.	....	963	....	....
Peas, bu.	....	300	....	....
Hay, bales	2,088	650	586	....
Straw, bales	15	....	....	....
Potatoes, bags	1	2,261	....	....
Flour, sacks	2,353	2,580	....	....
Eggs, cases	1,296	583	....	503
Butter, pkgs.	714	73	18	440
Cheese, bxs.	223	....	133	25
Lard, pkgs.	121	....	....	....
Meats, pkgs.	965	....	....	....
Leather, rolls	98	105	16	....
Raw hides	162	61	....	....
Tobacco, pkgs	240	....	73	....
Live hogs	1,182	....	....	....
Apples, bbls.	318	....	....	....

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET

TORONTO, April 27. — Receipts at the Union Stock Market today were 388 cattle, 108 calves, 1,849 hogs, 34 sheep.

Trade was slow and prices eased off. Export cattle, choice, $8.65 to $8.85; butcher cattle, choice, $8.40 to $8.60; do., medium, $8 to $8.25; do., common, $7.75 to $8; butcher cows, choice, $6.75 to $7.25; do. medium., $6.25 to $6.50; do., canners, $3.75 to $4.25; do., bulls, $5.25 to $7.50; feeding steers, $7.60 to $7.85; stockers, choice, $7.25 to $7.50; do., light, $6.75 to $7; milkers, choice, each, $65 to $100; springers, $65 to $100; sheep, ewes, $9 to $10; bucks and culls, $7 to $8; lambs, $11.50 to $13.50; hogs, fed and watered, $11.50; calves, $7 to $10.50.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
ACME STEEL GOODS COMPANY, OF CANADA, LIMITED.
Public notice is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of the Acme Steel Goods Company, of Canada, Limited, will be held at Montreal, Head Office of the Company, at No. 20 St. Nicholas Street, "Coristine Building," on Thursday, May 11th, 1916, at eleven o'clock, before noon, for the election of directors, adoption of By-Laws, and for the transaction of such other business of the Company as may be regularly brought before this meeting.
By Order of the Provisional Directors.

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GENERAL SALES OFFICE

WHEAT HAD SETBACK BUT THEN A BULGE

CHICAGO, April 27.—What prices developed fresh strength today, influenced somewhat by a renewal of optimism as to the outcome of the crisis between Washington and Berlin.

The market was also bullishly affected by the outlook for a diminished yield in both the spring and the winter domestic crops. On the other hand, the prospect of sharp competition from Canada, Argentina, Australia and India was said to be operating as a check on all advances.

The opening which ranged from a shade to 3-8c higher, with May at 114 1-2 to 3-4 and July at 115 1-8 to 1-2, was followed by a moderate setback, but then another bulge.

It is the belief of the trade here that May liquidation is about over, and that, barring any serious change in the political situation, the crop news is strong enough to warrant a level of values around the present. At their top yesterday, the Herald says, prices were 3 3-8 to 5 cents from the low of Tuesday.

Sentiment locally was bullish, and traders mostly long bought bids at the last. A few traders who have been bullish thought that the advance enough for the present, although they believe in higher prices ultimately. For the present, the bear factor is the large supplies and indifference of the outside trade to the buying side, owing to the political situation.

Farmers in northern Illinois are paying over 80 cents for good corn, and Omaha and Kansas City are shipping corn into this state. At yesterday's prices for May, country stations in Illinois were able to pay 70 cents to farmers, and considerable corn was bought in central Illinois for May and June shipment by cash handlers here. Patten was a buyer of July yesterday. It looks as though the bulls in May were selling July.

Range of grain prices up to noon:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Noon.
May	114⅝	115¼	114⅝	115¼
July	116a	116¼b	115⅝	116¼a
Oct.	113	113½a	112⅝	112⅞b
Oats—				
May	45	45¼b	45	45
July	44⅞b	45	44⅞	45

Inspections of cars of grain at Winnipeg today:

Wheat—No. 1 northern, 235; No. 2 do., 65; No. 3 do., 52; No. 4 do., 22; No. 5 do., 13; No. 6 do., 1; other grades,

LATE FINANCIAL NEWS

RALLY HELD IH WALL ST. NEAR CLOSE

WALL STREET, 1:30 p.m.—Standard stocks rose to higher levels in the afternoon, Union Pacific leading the advance with a gain of 3 3-8 to 134. This advance was coincident with the publication of the company's March earnings, showing a net increase of over $1,600,000.

The market started off the last half hour at the high of the day. Steel was 83 5-8, and C.P.R. rose to 167 1-2. Union held at 134.

Market closed strong. C. P. R., 168 1-8; Allis-Chalmers, 26; Am. Beet Sugar, 68 5-8; Am. Car, 59 1-2; Am. Steel Foundry, 47; Am. Can, 57; Am. Zinc, 91 7-8; Smelters, 94 1-2. Am. Loco. 69 1-4, Anaconda 84, Atchison 103 1-8, Superior & Butte 92 1-2, Baldwin 87 7-8, Beth. Steel 445, Balt. & Ohio 86, B. R. T. 84 1-2, Cent. Leather 53 1-2.

Col. Fuel & Iron, 42; Con. Gas, 134 1-4; Crucible Steel, 81; St. Paul, 93 7-8; Erie, 25 5-8; Erie First, 52; Gt. Northern, 120 1-8; Great Nor. Ore, 40 1-4; Gen. Electric, 163 3-4.

Inspiration Cop., 45 1-2; Inter.-Met. Com., 16 3-4; Kennecott Cop., 56 1-2; Int.-Met. Pr., 72 1-2; Int. Nickel, 48; Int. Marine, 81 1-2; Int. Marine pfd., 22 1-2; Lehigh Valley, 78 1-4; L. & N., 124 1-8; Miami Cop., 38 3-8; Mo. Pac., 41 1-2.

Nat. Lead, 65½; N.Y., 103½; Nor. Pacific, 111¾; Ray Con., 23; Reading, 86; Rock Island, 17; Republic Iron, 46¾; Studebaker, 128⅝.

So. Pacific, 97⅝; Utah Copper, 81½; Union Pacific, 132½; Steel common, 83½; Steel preferred, 116½; Soo, 117¾; Mex. Pet., 96⅞; Westinghouse, 58¾.

AFTERNOON TRANSACTIONS; SALES UP TO 2.45 P.M.

Steel of Canada—70 at 59¼, 25 at 59½, 10 at 59¼, 75 at 59¼, 25 at 59¾, 15 at 59¼, 15 at 59¾, 15 at 59¼, 25 at 59⅜, 75 at 59⅝, 35 at 59½, 25 at 59¼.

Iron—25 at 51⅛, 25 at 51, 25 at 51, 25 at 51.

Scotia—50 at 106, 25 at 106, 25 at 105¾.

Steamships—50 at 28, 25 at 27¾, 15 at 27⅝.

Laurentide—70 at 185¼.

Bridge—25 at 221, 25 at 220¾.

Cedar Rapids—15 at 76½, 25 at 76½, 1 at 77, 25 at 76½, 25 at 76½, 10 at 76½.

Quebec Ry.—175 at 23½, 25 at 23½, 10 at 23¼, 4 at 23¼, 4 at 23, 121 at 24, 15 at 24¼, 50 at 24½, 50 at 24¾, 10 at 24½, 15 at 24¼, 75 at 24½, 10 at 24½, 40 at 24¼, 5 at 24¾, 100 at 24½, 75 at 24½, 25 at 24½, 25 at 24¼.

Power—10 at 240, 25 at 239¾, 50 at 240, 25 at 240, 10 at 240.

Cement—40 at 61¾, 20 at 62, 25 at 61¾, 15 at 62, 100 at 62, 50 at 62, 50 at 62, 25 at 61¾.

Wayagamack—100 at 39, 75 at 39¼, 25 at 39½, 10 at 39½, 75 at 39¾.

Shawinigan—10 at 132¾.

Can. Cottons—5 at 46, 5 at 46.

Detroit—5 at 99¾, 100 at 99½.

General Electric—35 at 109, 15 at 109.

Steamships pfd.—10 at 81½, 25 at 81, 25 at 81.

Spanish River pfd.—25 at 35

Cement bonds—$1000 at 95½.

Cedars Rapids bonds—$1000 at 88.

Quebec Ry. bonds—$15,000 at 62.

Canadian War Loan bonds—$2000 at 98, $500 at 98, $1000 at 98, $300 at 98¼.

SALES AFTER 2.45 P.M.

Scotia—25 at 105¾, 25 at 105¾, 5 at 106, 5 at 106.

Power—10 at 240, 100 at 240, 25 at 240, 50 at 240, 25 at 240.

Detroit—50 at 99¾, 25 at 99¼, 25 at 99.

Shawinigan—50 at 132.

Cedars Rapids—15 at 77, 25 at 77, 60 at 77, 15 at 78, 265 at 78, 35 at 77½, 75 at 78.

Locomotive—25 at 59.

Laurentide—10 at 185¾.

Cement—50 at 61¾, 50 at 62.

Steel of Canada—120 at 59¼.

Ontario Steel—5 at 38.

Steamship Trust—50 at 25.

Steamships pfd.—50 at 81¾.

Textile bonds "C"—$1000 at 97, $1000 at 97.

LONDON MARKET STEADY

LONDON, April 27. — Money and discount rates were steady today. The stock market was quietly steady with an increased demand in some sections. Home funds were dull under Irish influences, but colonial and allied stocks and Kaffirs were firm, oil shares steady and Argentine Rails received better support. American securities closed steady after an idle session. Bar silver, 33d per ounce. Money 4 to 4½ per cent. Discount rates, short and three month bills, 4⅝ to 4¾ per cent.

CONTROL OF MARINE

NEW YORK, April 27. — All doubt as to the source of the heavy buying that has been going on in the shares of the International Mercantile Marine Company for the past month has been removed, when it was learned definitely that control of the Shipping Trust had passed from J. P. Morgan & Co., where it had been from the day the company was formed fourteen years ago, to National City Bank. Control of the property was acquired by representatives of the bank for the account of the recently formed $50,000,000 American International Corporation, which already owns the Pacific Mail Company.

TORONTO MINING SALES

Dome Extension, 1000 at 37, buyers thirty. 500 at 36¾; Dome Lake, 1500 at 25; Imperial, 200 at 3½; Inspiration, 1100 at 22; McIntyre, 1000 at 92, Moneta, 500 at 11½; Porc. Crown, 150 at 67; Preston, 1000 at 4; Teck., 1000 at 18; West Dome Cons., 500 at 23½; 2000 at 23; Adanac, 3000 at 56; 2000 at 56½; 2500 at 57, 1000 at 58; Bailey, 500 at 7½, 500 at 7¾, 7000 at 8¼, 7900 at 8; Beaver, 1000 at 40½, 3600 at 41; Chambers, 500 at 26¾, 2000 at 27; Coniagas, 300 at 465; Crown Reserve, 2500 at 51, 500 at 52, 1000 at 53, 500 at 54; Foster, 600 at 9; Gifford, 300 at 7, 5000 at 7½; Great Northern, 5000 at 5¾, buyers sixty; Genese, 25000 at 22; Hargraves, 1000 at 4¾; La Rose, 700 at 83, 700 at 85, 1500 at 70, 500 at 75, 700 at 77; McKinley, 500 at 57½, 500 at 58; 150 at 58½, 5300 at 59, 500 at 59½; Nip., 325 at 7.45, 100 at 7.50; Peterson, 3000 at 27, 1000 at 27¼, 1800 at 27½, 5000 at 27¾; Seneca, 700 at 49; Silver Leaf, 1000 at 2¾; Temisk., 800 at 87½, 3800 at 68, 3000 at 68½, 2500 at 69; 2000 at 69½, 2150 at 70; Trethewey, 500 at 18¾, 500 at 18¾, 1000 at 19, 1000 at 20; Wettlaufer, 500 at 8, 1000 at 8¼, 1000 at 9; Canada Steamships, 30 at 27¼.

N. Y. COTTON RANGE

Reported by Jenks, Gwynne & Co.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	12.51	12.52	12.46	12.52
March	11.95	11.95	11.91	11.95
July	12.08	12.10	12.05	12.09
Oct.	12.25	12.27	12.22	12.26
Dec.	12.43	12.44	12.38	12.43

Spot cotton, 12.15, up 5.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE

(Reported by Post & Flagg.)

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	114.6	114.6	113.4	113.4
July	115.4	115.4	114.3	114.4
Sept.	115.2	115.2	113.7	114.0
Corn—				
May	76.7	77.1	76.4	76.4
July	77.4	77.4	76.6	76.7
Sept.	76.7	77.0	76.2	76.3
Oats—				
May	44.4	44.6	44.3	44.4
July	43.8	43.8	42.7	43.0
Sept.	39.5	39.7	39.4	39.5

WINNIPEG WHEAT CLOSE

The Winnipeg wheat market closed today: May, $1.15⅞; July, 1.15⅞; October, $1.12⅝.

LOCAL LIST SPECIALTIES WORKING UP

Although the Steel issues lagged in the afternoon and price changes elsewhere were unimportant, Quebec Railway broke into new ground on the present movement, touching 24 1-2, while in the unlisted department Wayagamack rose from 35 to 37 in the forenoon to 39 to 39 1-2 in the second session.

Steel of Canada eased off from 59 1-2 to 59 1-8 with Iron at 51 1-8 to 51. Scotia was 106 to 105 3-4.

The same tendency to fluctuate fractionally was noticeable in Cement from 62 to 61 3-4 to 62, Bridge 221 to 220 3-4; Steamship 28 to 27 3-4. Other features were Power 239 3-4 to 240, Cedars 76 1-2 to 78, Laurentide 185 1-4, General Electric 109, Steamship pfd., 81 to 81 3-4. Detroit 99 1-2 to 99. Cedars was a strong and active feature at the close.

The first transactions in Spanish River preferred of the year were recorded today, 225 shares being marketed at 35, the minimum. This is the same price as last year. The bonds which sold a month at 40 were 70 bid which is the minimum. The common was 8 bid and 9½ asked.

Jenks, Gwynne & Co.—The tendency to await definite news in the German-American situation before entering upon fresh commitments is indicated. We therefore look for a dull fractionally changing stock market meantime.

NEW YORK PRICES

(Reported by J. S. Bache & Co.)
29 Hospital Street.

Stocks	Open	High Low Up to 2 p.m.		Close 3 p.m.
Alaska Gold	19	21⅜	19	21⅛
Allis-Chalmers	26	26	25⅞	26⅛
Am. Beet Sugar	68⅛	68½	68	68¼
Am. Can	56¾	56⅞	56½	57
Am. Coal Pro.	148	148	148	151⅝
Am. Loco. Com.	67⅛	69¼	67⅛	69¼
Am. S.& Ref. Co	92⅛	94½	93⅛	94½
Am Car Fr'y	57	58⅞	57	59½
Ana. Min. Co.xd	82	83	82	84
A. T. & Santa	102½	103¼	102½	103¼
Baldwin Loco	84½	88⅞	84¼	88½
Balt'mor & Ohio	84¼	85	84¼	85⅝
Br'klyn Rapid T	84⅜	84¼	84⅜	84⅝
Cen. Leather	52¾	54	52¾	53½
Can. Pacific	166½	166½	165¼	168⅓
Ches. & Ohio	59½	60¾	59½	61⅛
Chicago & N.W.	125	126¼	125	126⅜
Chic. M. & S. P.	92½	93	92¼	93⅜
Con. Gas. N.Y.	133½	133½	133½	133½
Col. Fuel & Iron	40½	41⅞	40½	42
Corn Products	18½	19¼	18½	19¼
Crucible Steel	79½	82	79¼	81⅝
Distillers' Sec	49½	49¾	49¼	49¾
Erie Railroad	33⅜	33⅝	33⅛	35⅝
do. 1 pfd	49⅜	50⅜	49½	52
Gt. Nor.Ry.pfd.	119⅝	119⅞	119½	120⅛
Goodrich	74	76⅜	74	76½
Interboro	16⅛	16⅜	16⅛	16½
do. pfd	73	74	73	75
Int. Nickel	47⅛	47⅝	47	47⅞
Kennecott	55⅛	55⅞	55	56½
Kansas City Sou	24½	25⅛	24⅛	26¾
Inter.Met. Marin	23	23⅜	22½	23⅜
do. pfd	81⅝	82⅛	81¾	81½
Lehigh Valley	76¼	76⅝	76⅛	76⅞
Maxwell Motor	70⅛	73	70⅛	72⅞
N.Y.C.& Hud	101⅛	103⅛	101⅛	104
N.Y. Ont. & W.	26⅛	26¾	26⅛	27⅛
N.Y. Air Brake	128	130	128	132⅛
Nor. Pac.	110⅝	111⅛	110⅝	111⅜
Nor.& West Com	124	124⅝	123⅝	125⅞
Pacific Mail	26⅛	26⅜	26	26⅝
Penn. R.R.	56½	57	56⅛	58⅞
Pressed S. Co	46	47	46	47
Phil. & Read	82⅝	84	82⅜	85⅞
Ry. Steel Spring	36⅛	36⅝	36	36⅛
Rep. Iron & S. Co	45⅛	46⅛	45⅛	46⅞
do. pfd	107	107¼	107	108
Shattuck-Ariz	32	32½	32	32⅛
South R. Com	19⅛	20⅛	19⅛	21½
do. pfd	59⅜	59⅜	59⅛	59½
South Pacific	95½	96⅛	95¼	96⅛
Studebaker	124	128	124¼	127⅞
Tenn. Copper	46⅜	47⅛	46⅛	47⅝
Third Ave.	61	61	61	64⅜
U.S. Steel Com.	82¼	83¼	82¼	83⅜
do. pfd	116⅜	116⅜	116⅛	116⅛
U.S.RubberCom	52⅛	52⅞	52⅛	52⅞
do. pfd	108⅝	108⅞	108⅛	109
Ind. Alcohol	144	146¼	144	145
Utah Copper	80⅜	81¾	80⅜	81¼
Un. Pac. Com.	131⅝	134	131⅝	133⅛
Virginia Chem.	39¼	40¾	39¼	40⅜
West Union Tel	90½	90¾	90¼	91⅜
Westinghouse	56¼	58¼	56⅛	58¼
BANKS				
Bri. N. America	145		145	
Commerce	203		203	
Dominion	227		227	
Hamilton				
Hochelaga	149		149	
Imperial	210		210	
Merchants	180		180	
Molsons	201		201	
Montreal	234		234	
Nationale		132		132½
Nova Scotia	261		261	
Ottawa	207		207	
Quebec	110		110	
Royal xd	221½		221½	
Standard				
Toronto	211		211	
Union	140		140	

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE Closing Prices

3 p. m. STOCKS	April 27 Ask	Bid	April 28 Asked	Bid
Ames-Holden	28	27	28½	27
do. pfd			73	
Bell Tel xd	145	144½	145	145
B. C. Packers				
B. C. Fish	61½	55	65	61
Brazilian T'l & P.	55½	55	55½	55⅝
Canada Car	71	69	70	67
do. pfd	98		98	
Canada Cement	61¼	61½	61½	61
do. pfd	95	94½	95	94
Can. Cottons	48	46½	45	44½
do. pfd	78	78	78	78
Can. Converters	34		34	
Can. Gen Elec	109½	109	111	108½
Can. Pacific	168½	168¼	167	165
Can. S.S. Co	27⅞	27¾	27½	27¼
Can.S.S. pfd xd	81¾	8 1½	81¾	81
Can.S.S. Trust	25⅞	25	26	25
Carriage Factories	35		35	32
do. pfd				
Can. Forgings	39	32½		
Cedar Rapids	77	76½	73	72
Crown Reserve	50½	48	52	52
Can. Locomotive	59½	59	60	59
Detroit United Ry.	99¼	99	99½	98⅞
Dom. Bridge	222	220	222½	221
Dom. Coal pfd	98		98	
Dom. Steel	50⅝	50½	50½	50⅝
do. pfd				
Dom. Iron pfd				
Dom. IronCor	51	50⅞	50½	50⅝
Dom. Park	120		120	
Dom. Textile	83	82¾	83	82½
do. pfd				101
Duluth-Superior				
Gould Mfg				
do. pfd				
Goodwins, Ltd	26		26	
do. pfd	75		75	
Halifax Railway		100		
Hillcrest Collieries	28		28	
do pfd	80	70		
Hollinger Mines	29.50	29.25	29.75	29.25
Illinois Traction xd	61		61	
do. pfd	91		91	
Lake of Woods				
Laurentide	187½	184¼	187	182
Lyall Construc. Co				
Macdonald Co	14		14	
Mackay				
do. pfd	68	67	70	67
Minn & St. Paul				
Montreal Power	240½	240½	237½	236
Montreal Cottons	54½	53	53¼	53
do. pfd	100		100	
Montreal Telegraph	136		136	
Montreal Tramways	225		225	
do.pfd	81¼	81	81¼	
National Breweries	49½	49½	49½	49½
do pfd	95	95	95	
Nova Scotia Steel	106	105¼	105	104⅝
do pfd			113	
Ogilvie Milling	133		133	
do pfd	113		113	
Ontario Steel	39½	39¼	38	37
Ottawa Power	120		120	
Paton Mfg. Co		85		85
Penman's	61½	61	61½	60½
do. pfd				
Porto Rico				
Price Bros				
Quebec Railway	24½	24¼	23⅛	23
Sawyer Massey				
Smart-Woods		33		33
do pfd				
Shawinigan	133	132¼	134	131
Sherwin-Williams				
do pfd xd				
Spanish River	9⅛	8	8¾	8
Steel. Co. of Can	59¼	59	58⅝	58⅝
do. pfd xd				
Toronto Ry	111		111	
Tooke Bros				
Tucketts Tob	29		29	
do. pfd	90		90	
Winnipeg Ry	180		180	
Windsor Hotel	100		100	

MONTREAL GUNNER ON NOON LIST AS DEAD OF WOUNDS

OTTAWA, April 27.—The noon casualty list follows:

Died of wounds: — 43757, Gunner William McPhee, kin at 27 Durocher street, Montreal.

Wounded: — 86029, Pte. Frederick Tinkler, kin in England; Lieut. R. H. Deen, kin in Chatham, Ont.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Killed in action: — 116074, Pte. John Thomas Hemsley, kin in England.

MEDICAL SERVICE.

Wounded: — 400077, Pte. Frank Thomas Norman, kin in England.

INFANTRY.

Killed in action: — 104109, Pioneer Frederick Alderton, kin in England; 1352, Pte. Robert Annan, kin in Australia; 5, Pte. Robert Boultar, kin in England; 142310, Pte. James Carson, kin in Scotland; 428734, Pte. George Ewing, kin in Scotland; 1589, Sergt.-Maj Stuart Godfrey, kin in England; 65459, Pte. James Hogg, kin in Scotland; 13752, Corp. William Leslie Jones, kin in England; 43623, Pte. Walter Lord, kin at Edmonton, 53766, Pte. John Roderick McDonald, kin at Stratford, Ont.; 171184, Pte. George Parker, kin at 247 Rhodes avenue, Toronto; 298, Pte. John Thurston, kin at Richmond, Va.; 66025, Pte. George Albert Webb, kin in England; 476964, Pte. Arthur Wilkinson, kin in England.

Died of Wounds—61807, Sergt. Albert Bertrand, kin at Ritchance, Ont.; 167061, Pioneer Thomas Leadbetter, kin at Trenton, N.S.; 47660, Pte. Samuel Thomas Read, kin in Ireland; 66050, Corp. Thomas A. Wilcox, kin in England.

Missing — 427216, Pte. Arthur George Norris, kin in England.

Seriously Ill — 8124, Pte. Fernand Gaston Macquery, kin in Belgium.

Suffering from shock—418200, Pte. Alfred Henry Nott, kin in England.

Wounded—466516, Pte. James William Adams, kin in Scotland; 66108, Pte. Abraham John Grabb, kin in England; 438861, Pte. James Daniels, kin in Australia; 53400, Pte. A. F. Fulloch, kin in Scotland, 75796, Pte. Walter Gibson, kin in England; 412-748, Pte. Claude Hill, kin in England; 73476, Pte. Joseph Emile Lamothe, kin at Trois Rivieres, Que.; 75613, Pte. Richard George Loveiock, kin in Ireland; 71184, Lance-Corp. William McDonald, kin in Scotland; 400746, Pte. John Mason Mitchell, kin in England; 428534, Pte. Cyril Leslie Moore, kin in England; 154932, Pioneer Percy Morris, kin at Edmonton, Alta.; 7094, Pte. Donald Morrison, kin in Scotland; 432043, Corp. Sidney Parsons, kin in England; A 11138, Pte. Edward Pritchard, kin in Caledonia, Ont.; 401697, Pte. Arthur Quigley kin in Ireland; Lieut. Frederick John Rowan, kin in Scotland; 81771, Pte. George William Setter, kin at Portage la Prairie, Man.; 65894; Pte. H. Ernest Simkins, kin in England; 442236, Pte. Robert Kennedy Wyllie, kin at 149 St. John's Road, Toronto.

PREMIER REFUSES DEBATE ON THE DUBLIN OUTBREAK

LONDON, April 27.—Replying in the House of Commons today to a question whether the Government had been warned of dangerous growth of sedition in Ireland, Premier Asquith said:

"The first and paramount duty of the Government is to restore order and to stamp out rebellion with all possible vigor and promptitude. That we are doing.

"Behind that there is undoubtedly an obligation which rests upon the Government of making a searching investigation into the causes of and the responsibility for these events. That obligation we fully recognize and intend to discharge."

Replying to a request from Sir Henry Dalziel, Liberal member for Kirkcaldy Burghs, that the House of Commons sit on Monday to discuss the Dublin outbreak, Premier Asquith said that debate on the question could only be mischievous.

"Our Allies already have been made aware by Sir Edward Carson and Mr. Redmond," the Premier added, "that the movement is sectional only and has no sympathy from the representatives of the Irish leaders."

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal. No. 7372. Circuit Court. J. Bte. Langelier, Plaintiff, versus H. Bertrand, Defendant. On the 8th day of May, 1916, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the place of business of the said Defendant, corner St. Hubert and Craig streets, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of:— one automobile. EMILE LAPIERRE, B. S. C. Montreal, 26th April, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal. No. 3810. Superior Court. M. and M. Marcil, plaintiffs, versus Wilfrid Boucher, defendant. On the sixth day of May, 1916, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the place of business of the said defendant, No. 44 Lawrence Blvd., in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of office furniture, etc. H. A. MARSON, B.S.C., Montreal, 26th April, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal. No. 2715, Circuit Court; A. MacFarlane, plaintiff, versus I. Schacter, defendant. On the 6th of May, 1916, at 2 of the clock in the afternoon, at the place of business of the said defendant, 735 City Hall Avenue, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of grocery goods, scales, etc. G. A. LAFONTAINE, B.S.C., Montreal, April 26, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal. No. 4816, Superior Court; Abbott Holden, Limited, plaintiff, versus E. Rosenfield, defendant. On the 8th day of May, 1916, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said defendant, No. 721 Adelaide street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of household furniture, etc. Terms: cash. J. E. COUTU, B.S.C., Montreal, April 26th, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal. No. 1657 Superior Court; George Washington Stephens, et al, plaintiffs, versus Albert St. Sherry, defendant. On the 8th May, 1916, at 2 of the clock in the afternoon, at the place of business of the said defendant, 84 St. Francois Xavier street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of office furniture, &c. S. C. MARSON, B.S.C., Montreal, 26th April, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal. No. 2295 Circuit Court; C. Pitre, plaintiff, versus R. Petit, defendant. On the 8th day of May, 1916, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said defendant, No. 38 St. Augustin street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant seized in this cause, consisting of household furniture. EMILE LAPIERRE, B.S.C., Montreal, 27th April, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal. No. 4047, Superior Court; De Marion Bancroft, plaintiff, versus Stephen Utting, defendant. On the 8th May, 1916, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said defendant, No. 46 Park Avenue, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of household furniture. Terms: cash. J. E. RACINE, B.S.C., Montreal, 26th April, 1916.

AMBASSADOR GERARD OFF TO SEE KAISER.

By Canadian Press—United Press.

BERLIN, via wireless to Sayville, April 27.—Ambassador Gerard will leave for Grand Army Headquarters tonight for a conference with the Kaiser.

Special to The Montreal Star and United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Germany's answer to the United States submarine demands will not reach Washington until the end of next week, according to private Berlin advices reaching here today.

FIRST BOAT MAY NOT ARRIVE HERE IN ANOTHER WEEK

There is some doubt now as to whether the Elder Dempster liner Kaluna will make this port on Sunday, as was expected yesterday. Although leading in the race for Montreal against the Laconia, Sicilian and Manchester Citizen, the Kaduna has still to load a cargo of coal for the Dominion Coal Company, and it was also reported by the company today that in the meantime the harbor of Louisburg has been closed up by the ice which is drifting in. This drift may put the Kaduna out of the running entirely. No word has been received from the other vessels, which are now in the vicinity of Cape Race.

Ice conditions in the Lower Gulf are very bad, and it is stated in some quarters that the first ocean arrival here will not be able to get through for a week yet. The gulf steamer Seal lay off Flat Point for two days before being able to make the harbor. She is now safely berthed, but the harbor is again ice-bound.

Two boats are now east-bound from Montreal the Saguenay and Gaspesian. The first lake boat to arrive here will probably be the John E. Ketchum, from Port Dalhousie. This vessel was reported in Galops Canal this morning. The canal route is still blocked, however, at Cascades, where the ice-breaker Lady Grey is still working at the jam.

Vienna Reports "Impeding" Slav Trench Digging

By Canadian Press.

BERLIN, via Sayville, April 27. — The following statement on military operations issued by the Austro-Hungarian Army Headquarters on April 22, has been received here:

"Russian attempts to entrench themselves before our lines northwest of Dubno were impeded by our fire. There have been the usual artillery duels.

"On the Italian front the usual night attacks by the Italians east of Monfalcone failed, in the Ploecken sector there was lively nocturnal firing.

"In the Col di Lana sector an enemy attack broke down under our fire between Etusass and Monte Yes."

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal, No. 21792 Circuit Court, A. Panakakos plaintiff, versus S. Liranizakis, defendant. On the 9th day of May, 1916, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, at the place of business of the said defendant, No. 5 Vitre West, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of tailor's goods, etc. Terms: Cash. J. E. RACINE, B.S.C., Montreal, 26th April, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal, No. 21681, Circuit Court, M. Goldman, plaintiff, versus M. Ohrigeon, defendant, and John Bros., tiers-saisie. On the 9th day of May, 1916, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, at the place of business of the said tiers-saisie, No. 284 Notre Dame West, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of office furniture, &c. S. C. MARSON, B.S.C., Montreal, 26th April, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal, No. 582, Circuit Court; William Bryce, plaintiff, versus I. Lake, defendant. On the ninth day of May, 1916, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the place of business of the said defendant, No. 944 St. Lawrence Blvd., in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of show cases, fixtures, etc. S. C. MARSON, B.S.C., Montreal, 26th April 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal, No. 2525, Circuit Court, Elie Giroard, grocer of Montreal, plaintiff, versus Ilas J. Houde, the same place, defendant. On the 6th day of May, 1916, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said defendant, No. 1010 Beaudry, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of one table, stove, etc. Conditions: Cash. U. NORMANDIN, B.S.C., Montreal, April 26th, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal, No. 4004, Superior Court, Louis Eustache Masson, Merchant, of Montreal, Plaintiff, versus L. Barre, of Montreal, Defendant. On the 6th day of May, 1916, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said Defendant, No. 1407 Clarke street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of one piano, household furniture, etc. Terms: Cash. J. X. PAUZE, B. S. C. Montreal, April 26th, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal. No. 4004, Superior Court, A. Lamothe, plaintiff, versus Lamothe & Lamothe, defendants. On the 8th day of May, 1916, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said defendants, No. 1 Cadieux street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendants, seized in this cause, consisting of household furniture, etc. Terms: cash. J. E. RACINE, B.S.C., Montreal, 26th April, 1916.

BAILIFF'S SALE — Province of Quebec, District of Montreal. No. 4016, Superior Court; Abbott Holden, Limited, plaintiff, versus E. Rosenfield, defendant. On the 8th day of May, 1916, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said defendant, No. 721 Adelaide street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of household furniture, etc. Terms: cash. J. E. COUTU, B.S.C., Montreal, 26th April, 1916.

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GET YOUR COAL IN EARLY IS ADVICE OF LOCAL DEALERS

"Get your coal in early—the earlier the better. Then you can give the Germans the laugh."

This is the advice of local dealers interviewed this morning on the prospect presented by the possibility of a strike of 150,000 miners in the Pennsylvania anthracite area. The possibility is announced in a despatch from New York wherein it is stated that operators and miners have failed to reach an agreement in settlement of the dispute arising over the fixing of new schedule of working conditions.

All local dealers are all one in saying that in the event of a strike, the price of the household commodity will undoubtedly develop aeroplane tendencies.

"But," said Evans Bros. "we do not think the strike, even supposing it does occur, will be of long duration. It is practically assured that the state in the public interest, would intervene, and the men go back to work, on the understanding that the whole difference would be threshed out and passed upon by a commission of arbitration appointed by the State Executive, the operators and the representatives of the miners.

"There is at present a sufficient stock of coal here to last till the big demand comes on next winter, but it would be advisable for consumers to lay in their winter supply early. They would then be secure, no matter what happened."

Questioned as to why the annual drop of 50 cents per ton had not occurred this year, it was stated that the suppliers in the States had not made any rebate in favor of the local dealers, who, hence, could not make the customary reduction in favor of their customers.

Sale of Machinery by Tender

In the matter of
THE CANADA MACHINERY AGENCY
Insolvent,
Montreal.

TENDERS will be received up till noon on FRIDAY, APRIL 28th, 1916, for the undermentioned ASSETS of the above Insolvent Estate, as follows:—

LOT NO. 1.

Contained in Store situated at 208 St. James St., Montreal, Consisting of:—
Woodworking Machinery

MURPHY'S LIST OF SPECIAL FRIDAY VALUES

The Lowest Prices Possible on Merchandise of Thorough Dependability

$2.50, $3.50, $4.50 and $4.95 Voile Blouses, Friday $1.49

Here's another ringing call to thrifty women from the Murphy Blouse Store, another offering that bids you come here at 8.30 A.M. Friday morning.

There are at least a dozen different designs and styles, all daintily trimmed with embroidery and lace.

Really a superb lot of $2.50 to $4.95 Waists. Friday..... **$1.49**

About 200 Tub Silk Blouses

GOOD $2.95 AND $3.95 VALUES AT $1.95

Beautifully cut and finished, charmingly trimmed, all new styles, and a number of them in white and black, principally low necks, convertible collars and long sleeves, sizes 34 to 44, Friday..... **$1.95**

Women's $25.00 to $30.00 Suits Friday $14.95

These are real Murphy suits, only 37 of them. They are individual suits in every respect and at once proclaim the good taste of the wearer.

Carefully tailored, neatly trimmed, possessing a grace that's all their own.

Made of fine Serges
Coats Silk and Satin lined
Many colors including blacks and navys, all sizes, also oversizes.

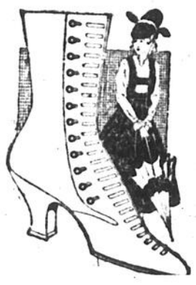
Friday **$14.95**

Friday Morning Special

Women's and Misses' House Dresses, light and dark shades, good materials. Regular $1.50 line Friday $1.15.

Heatherbloom Petticoats in black, navy, helio., green and few other shades, selling regularly $1.50. Friday $1.19.

1500 Pairs Sample Boots, Pumps, Colonials and Oxfords



"QUEEN QUALITY", "CLASSIC," AND "COUNTESS" MAKES, $4.50, $5.00, $6.00, $6.50, $7.00 GRADES FRIDAY AT **$2.95**

And now for a quick and complete clearance of our entire sample lines. Every pair an absolutely new Spring and Summer style made by the above name celebrated manufacturers, whose names stand for the very acme of perfection in shoedom.

Sizes are 2½ to 4½.
Sale starts 8.30 Friday; your choice at..... **$2.95**

600 PAIRS OF "QUEEN QUALITY"

Tan calf button boots and other makes of light weight summer colonials and pumps. Every pair of these lines must be cleared and for quick action on these lines we have placed the price at a figure which should move them fast, Friday..... **$1.98**

Murphy's Juvenile Shoe Section

Becomes more popular daily. We carry all reliable makes of boots suitable for growing feet—"Classic," The "Canadian Boy," and "Boy Scout "brands, all guaranteed popular prices.

600 Pairs of Misses' and Children's School Boots, all with calf uppers, solid in every detail, just the boot for school wear. 5 to 10½, $1.48; 11 to 2, $1.98.

Misses' and Children's Patent Ankle Strap Slippers, all white kid lined, weights for street or light house wear, 8 to 10½ and 11 to 2, $1.48.

A Great Collection of Children's Boots and Ankle Strap Slippers in all leathers, size from 2 to 10½. All pussy foot Sure Step Shoes for children. Regular $1.25 to $1.75, Friday .99.

300 Pairs of Boys' Box Calf Bluchers, with sewed and rivetted soles, this is the special line for boys that mothers say is a wonder for wear. Every pair guaranteed to give staisfaction or we will refund your money. 8 to 10½, $1.48 11 to 13½, $1.99; 1 to 5½, $2.29.



TENNIS BOOTS AND SHOES ALL BLUE OR WHITE

Sizes for men, 6 to 10	.98.
Sizes for boys, 1 to 5,	.79.
Sizes for youths, 11 to 13,	.69.
Sizes for children, 6 to 10,	.69.
Oxfords for men, 6 to 10,	.89.
Oxfords for boys, 1 to 5,	.69.
Oxfords for youths, 11 to 13,	.69.
Oxfords for children, 6 to 10,	.59.

Murphy's Real Kid Gloves



We are selling just the same grades of French kid gloves. The quali ties that have made Murphy's Gloves the best known in Montreal. You can rely on them being real kid.

Wrist length real kid, overstitched seam..... **$1.15**
Wrist length selected, real kid..... **$1.35**
Wrist length, pique sewn, heavy back **$1.65**
Wrist length suede, black..... **$1.50**
12 Button length..... **$2.00**
16 Button length..... **$2.50**

WOMEN'S EXTRA HEAVY SILK GLOVES $1.35 PAIR

12 Button length, full elastic arm length, mousquetaire wrist, dome fasteners, double finger tips, sizes 5½ to 7½. Pair..... **$1.35**

Knox Knit Hosiery

Men's, Women's, Boys' and Girls'

Procurable only at Murphy's, all at one price, 3 pairs..... **$1.00**

Women's, in black, white, grey, gunmetal, sand and navy.
Men's, silk lisle and silk, same colors.
Boys', black ribbed, extra strong.
Girls', black and white, very fine rib, silk finish, 3 pairs..... **$1.00**

Laces Underpriced for Friday

Guipure insertions in black or white in effective Irish lace patterns, also black silk lace edgings in scroll and floral sprays, regular .25 to .75. Friday yard..... **.10**

Shadow and Oriental lace flouncings in 12, 18 and 24 inch widths with straight or scalloped edge in white or cream in Chantilly effects, scroll dainty leaf sprays and floral patterns. Regular $1.50 to $4.50. Friday at from..... **.75 TO $2.25**

Fine shadow laces in white, 1¼ and 2 inches wide with net top and pointed scallop in filet effect and fine fancy mesh with Vandyke edge. Regular .05 to .08 yard. Friday yard..... **.02**



ANOTHER ROUSING DAY IN MILLINERY

Over 1000 high grade Untrimmed Hats, regular $2.50, $4.50, $5.00 to $7.50 Values, Friday $1.98

You will find a really wonderful collection of Real Milan Hemp Straw Braids in about 20 different styles for matrons, women and misses. Remember the styles are the newest and the colors are the best, majority being black, navy and brown. Trimmed free of charge. It pays to buy your trimmings at Murphy's and have them trimmed without charge.

50 Trimmed Hats on Sale at $3.95

WORTH FROM $6.50 TO $10.50

Black and colored Hats, trimmed with wings or flowers, this is an entirely new line of Hats trimmed specially for a quick sale, Friday at..... **$3.95**

Girls' and Children's Hats

Hundreds of smart little Hats will be on sale at **$1.95** and **$2.95.** Regular values $2.50 to $4.50.

We are planning to sell tables full of these charming hats. The values are extraordinary.

200 PAIRS OF $2.95 CORSETS

All new and elegant styles, comfortable good fitting corsets, made of a good quality coutil. Six strong hose supporters attached. Medium and high bust, sizes 18 to 30. **$1.49**

Big Friday White-wear Values

The efforts of the best designers are represented in these garments. The styles exclusive.

.98 to $1.95 NIGHT GOWNS .69

Some slip-over styles, others with high necks. Materials, cambric and nainsooks, embroidery, lace and ribbon trimmed, several designs. Size 56 to 60. Friday at..... **69c**

TWO TABLES OF WHITE-WEAR AT ONE-HALF PRICE

Night Gowns, Corset Covers, Underskirts, Combinations, Slips..... $1.50 to $4 values. FRIDAY **Half Price**

All beautifully trimmed, good full cuts, all sizes, slightly soiled from handling.

Clearance Sale of Neck-wear at .10 Each

REGULAR .25 to .50 VALUES

Dainty, hemstitched and embroidered muslin collars in a variety of roll or light effects. Pretty white muslin collars with black striped edge, and white net collars with narrow black braid trimming, stock collars of muslin with band of black satin ribbon, stock collars of pointed muslin with or without band. Vestees of plain or lace trimmed and a variety of oddments of neckwear of every description, worth from .25 to .50. On sale Friday at..... **.10**

DAINTY SPRING NECKWEAR Worth .35, .50 and .75 each, Saturday .25

Collar and cuff sets of white muslin, with effective white or black cord edge, white hemstitched muslin collar and cuff sets in Quaker or small roll shapes.

Oriental or guipure lace collars, plain muslin vestees, pretty stock collars of white satin with three points of Georgette crepe, also Lotus collars of muslin or lace and a variety of other styles ranging in price from .35 to .75. On sale Friday each.. **.25**

8.30 A.M. Specials

SKIRTS

23 Women's Skirts in black, navy and fancy shades. Regular up to $12.50; Friday..... **$3.95**

DRESSES

41 Women's Velvet Dresses, worth from $12.50 to $16.50, in velvet only, Friday..... **$4.95**

11 Women's Afternoon Dresses, worth up to $30.00, all fancy colors, Friday... **$11.95**

MILLINERY

3 Tables full of Millinery Flowers at bargain price spray **.08** or 6 Sprays for..... **.45**
Regularly priced .75, .95, $1.50 up to $2.50.

Naturally at this price the flowers are slightly mussed through being handled and displayed from time to time in the windows and show cases but there are hundreds of them, you can pick the best of the better flowers at each..... **.08** or 6 for..... **.45**
On sale Millinery Department, 2nd Floor.

Rush Sale of Tulle Bows for Hats at .49

Regularly Priced $1.25, $1.50, $2

Every Tulle Bow in our stock will be on sale at..... **.49**
While they last, all beautifully made and wired, many different designs, Friday..... **.49**

50 English Ready-to-Wear Hats for Young Women and Misses on Sale at .75

Regular Prices $2.50, $3.00, $3.50

Black, brown, sand, navy, cerise, plain but neatly trimmed with silk ribbon band and hand made bows, quite the better kind of English Hats for business or street wear, Friday..... **.75**

350 Pairs Men's and Women's Kid Gloves

8.30 A.M. Friday .32 Pair.

Capes and Kid Gloves, some are soiled, others have been repaired, they are all wearable. Tans, greys, white, black. 8.30 A.M. Friday pair..... **.32**

1500 Pairs "Mount Royal" Silk Gloves

Double finger tips, kid glove cut, white, black, tan, navy, champagne, grey and sand. All sizes, per pair..... **.50**

8.30 A.M. Hosiery Specials

Women's Lisle Hose, Friday 3 PAIRS .50

Black and white seam, 8½ to 10. Friday, 3 pairs..... **.50**

540 Pairs Women's Silk Stockings.

8.30 A.M. Friday .28 Pair.

Silk Boot with strong foot, lisle top, some of these are slightly imperfect, not enough to interfere with the wear, black, 8½ to 10. Friday, pair..... **.28**

600 Pairs Women's Cape Gloves $1.15 Pair.

White, English make, 1 and 2 domes, pique and prix seam, spear point back, all white, white with black, splendid gloves for street wear. 5½ to 7½. Per pair..... **$1.15**

1500 Pairs Silk Stockings. 8.30 A.M. Friday, .50 Pair.

The best stocking that has ever been sold in Montreal at this price, all perfect, 14 inch silk boot, double soles, spliced heels and toes, double top, for actual wear this stocking is unequalled. Black, white and colors. 8½ to 10. 8.30 A.M. Friday pair..... **.50**

Wool Socks for Soldiers, .60 a Pair.

Every thread wool, heavy rib, in greys and khaki. Per pair..... **.60**

Boys' Clothes Specialists

Fourth Floor and Lots of Light



Boys' Spring Reefers and Overcoats, makes not found elsewhere.

At $3.95. Boys' Reefers, black and white, child's and covert cloths. Ages 2½ to 7.

At $4.75. Boys' belted reefer, new cut patch pockets, in grey, ages 3 to 7.

At $4.95. Wool Tweed Reefers, tans, browns, grey and dark green effects, well lined and finished, ages 5 to 8.

At $4.75. Special blue reefer, finished with brass buttons, coat-of-arms on sleeve, good fitting, stylish reefer, 4 to 8 years.

BOYS' TWEED SUITS $5.75

1916 model, patch pockets, four patterns, brown and grey effects, ages 7 to 15 years. Friday..... **$5.75**

BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS $7.50

2 Pairs of Trousers, made from cloth that will give wear, Governor fasteners in trousers, well lined, stitched belt, patch pockets, knife pleated back, ages 7 to 16. Friday..... **$7.50**

BOYS' TWEED SUITS, FRIDAY $3.98

Brown effect, strong cloth lined bloomers, ages 7 to 14 years. Friday..... **$3.98**

BOYS' BLOUSES, .35 EACH, 3 FOR $1.00

Guaranteed fast colors, stripes and plains, attached and sport collar, ages 6 to 15 years; each..... **.35** 3 for..... **$1.00**

BOYS' WASH SUITS, .39 EACH

Just the thing to play in, Oliver Twist style, ages 2 to 6 years, blue and white, linen and white, each..... **.39**

300 BOYS' HATS, FRIDAY .39

Checks, stripes and plain colors, white, black and white, navy and white, Friday..... **.39**

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Flowing veils of open silk mesh in navy, black, purple, tan and white, regular .75 each. Friday each..... **.37½**

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Every wanted staple and novelty color included in this great dress goods offering.

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27 inch Swiss Muslin Flouncing in lacey sprays of eyelet embroidery, conventional and polka dot designs of solid work combined with floral and star patterns of raised blind embroidery. Regular .75. Friday, yard..... **.33**

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NOTES & QUERIES

THE BERLIN CONGRESS OF 1878.

Q.—Will you be kind enough to publish in your columns particulars of Berlin Congress, in which the late Lord Beaconsfield took such a prominent part in 1878. Also state what countries benefited most from the results of said congress.—W. R., Truro, N.S.

A.—The Berlin Congress of 1878, on the Eastern Question, opened on June 13 and closed on July 13, the treaty being signed at the twentieth and last meeting. Representatives (with resident ambassadors): Germany, Prince Bismarck, president; Russia, Prince Gortschakoff; Turkey, Alexander Caratheodori; Great Britain, Lord Beaconsfield and Lord Salisbury; Austria, Count Andrassy; France, M. Waddington; Italy, Count Corti. Treaty: Articles 1-12: Bulgaria constituted an autonomous principality tributary to the Sultan of Turkey; boundaries fixed, prince to be elected by the population, approved by the Sultan and other powers. Articles 13-22: New province of Eastern Roumelia constituted, partially autonomous, boundaries defined. Christian Governor-General to be appointed by the Sultan; to be organized by an Austrian commission; a Russian army of occupation to remain nine months. Article 23: Bosnia and Herzegovina to be occupied and administered by Austria-Hungary. Articles 24-30: Montenegro to be independent; new frontiers; Antivari annexed. Articles 31-39: Serbia to be independent, with new frontiers. Articles 40-49: Roumania to be independent, losing part of Bessarabia to Russia, with compensation. Articles 50-51: Regulation of navigation of the Danube, etc. Articles 55-57: Legal reforms in Crete, etc. Article 58: Turkey cedes Ardahan, Kars and Batoum to Russia, and settles boundaries. Article 59: Batoum to be a free commercial port. Article 60: Alasgird and Bayazid restored to Turkey. Articles 61-62: Turkey engages to realize legal reforms and grant civil and religious liberty, etc. Article 63: Treaty of Paris, March 30, 1856, and Treaty of London March 13, 1871, maintained when not modified by this treaty. Article 64: Treaty to be ratified in three weeks' time. Ratified August 3, 1878. Circular respecting delay in fulfilling the treaty from Earl Granville, British Foreign Secretary to the foreign powers, May, 1880.

SENATOR KENYON OF IOWA.

Q.—Can you tell me if Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, is an Englishmen? What in his Christian name?—S. R. W., St. Henry.

A.—William Squire Kenyon, United States Senator from Iowa, is an American, and was born at Elzira, Ohio, on June 10, 1869.

Saturday's Star

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Death Notices - - - - - 75c each insertion
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BIRTHS.

AGNEW—On April 26, 1916, at the Women's Hospital, 1060 St. Catherine street, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Agnew (nee M. Maguire), of 21 Hays avenue, Longue Pointe, a son.

BUCHANAN — On April 16, at Montreal Homeopathic Hospital, a son to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Buchanan. 99 2

CURRIE—At 372 Verdun avenue, Verdun, P.Q., on the 24th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. David M. Currie, a daughter. (Aberdeen, Scotland, papers please copy.)

HARRISON—On April 23, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harrison, at 645 Ninth avenue, Rosemount, a son.

KARP — On Tuesday, April the 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. William Karp, 1036 St. Urbain, a daughter.

KEEFFE—On Tuesday, April 25, 1916, at 574 Wood avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Keeffe, a son.

MAYRAND — On Tuesday, April 25, 1916, at the Women's Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Leo. J. Mayrand (Mary E. Murphy), 208 Old Orchahd avenue, N. D. G., a son.

PALMER—On April 24, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Palmer, 7 Fourth avenue, Que., a son. (Harrow, England, papers please copy.)

ROGERS — At the Montreal Maternity Hospital, on April 25, to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rogers, a daughter (stillborn).

TODD—On Wednesdty, April 19, 1916, at Montreal South, to Pte. and Mrs. A. J. Todd, of the 73rd R. H., a daughter.

VANDETTE—At Lachine, on April 24, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. F. L. E. Vandette, a daughter.

VAN DYKE—On April 18, 1916, at 351e Selby avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Van Dyke, a daughter. (Ottawa and Detroit papers please copy.)

MARRIAGES.

EMERY-WILKINSON — On April 25, 1916, at Maisonneuve Trinity Church, by the Rev. William Smith, Henry John Emery, youngest son of John Emery, to Clara Sophia Wilkinson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Boyle.

INSLEAY-SKEAD — On April 12, 1916, by the Rev. James E. Fee, Mary, youngest daughter of the late Wm. Skead, to Alfred S. Insleay, only son of Mr. Alfred Insleay, both of this city.

KINNEAR-MORTON — On April 20, 1916, at 67 Prospect street, Westmount, by the Rev. I. A. Montgomery, B.D., Eleanor Ross, daughter of Mrs. Wm. Morton, to David Mitchell Kinnear, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Kinnear, Dundee, Scotland. (Dundee papers please copy.) 99 2

SOBEY-SMITH — On Wednesday, April 26, 1916, by the Rev. W. W. Craig, Nellie, daughter of Mr. F. C. Smith, of Verdun, to Charles Sobey, of Montreal.

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

ALMOND — In this city, on the 25th inst., at 2449 Waverley street, William J. Almond. Funeral private, from his late residence on Thursday, at 11 a.m.

BEATTIE — At 236 Liverpool street, on April 26th, 1916, Bridget Madigan, nee Sis, dearly beloved wife of John Beattie and daughter of the late Patrick Madigan. The funeral will take place on Friday morning, April 28, at 7:30 a.m., to St. Gabriel's Church, thence to Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice. 99 2

FARRELL — In Montreal, on the 25th inst., at his brother's residence, 418 Delorimier avenue, Lawrence Farrell, son of the late Patrick Farrell, of Quebec. Interment at Quebec Friday morning. (Quebec, New York, Chicago and St. Louis papers please copy.) 99 2

FLEMING—Killed by an automobile, on April 25, Veronica Fleming, only and dearly beloved daughter of Sarah Tansey and W. L. Fleming, 760 Mentana street. Funeral at 10 a.m. Friday, 28th inst., from above address. (Calgary papers please copy.)

JOHNSON — In Montreal, on April 25, 1916, at the age of 33 years, Mrs. Eddie Johnson (colored). Funeral will take place at Wray's, corner Mountain and St Catherine, Friday, at 10 a.m. (American, Southern, papers please copy.)

McDONALD — In Montreal, on Wednesday, April 26, 1916, Miss Maggie McDonald, sister to Mrs. Barnaley. Funeral will leave her late residence, 267 Laurier avenue west, on Friday, at 2:30 p.m. Services at the house. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

McFADYEN — Killed in action on April 9, in his 20th year, Duncan Shepherd McFadyen, machine gun company, 18th Battalion, 2nd Canadian Div., dearly beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McFadyen, 265 Mance street, city.

MACPHERSON — At his residence, 229 Stanley street, on Wednesday afternoon, April 26, 1916, Kenneth R. Macpherson, K.C., second son of the late Alexander Macpherson, of this city. Funeral from St. Paul's Church, at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, April 28. Please omit flowers.

SMEATON—At 444 Lasalle Road, Verdun, on Wednesday, 26th April, 1916, Helen Mitchell, beloved wife of Joseph L. Smeaton. Funeral from her late residence on Friday afternoon at 2:30. 99 2

ST. PIERRE—In Montreal, on Wednesday, April 26, 1916, at the age of 63 years and 2 months, Ludivine Chagnon, beloved wife of William St. Pierre. Funeral will leave 179 Craig street east, April 28, at 7:30 a.m., thence to Mount Royal Cemetery. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. (Quebec and Boston papers please copy.)

DEATHS OUTSIDE CITY.

ARCHER — At the City of Quebec, on Tuesday, April 25th, 1916, Joseph Archer, aged 91 years. 99 2

MONTPETIT — In Windsor, Ont., on April 26, 1916, T. Montpetit, at the age of 46 years and 3 months, late grocer, of Montreal.

IN MEMORIAM.

GOWANS — In affectionate remembrance of Pte. Stephen Gowans (of Edinburg, Scotland), 13th Batt., 1st C.E.F., who was killed in action 27th April, 1915. Inserted by his brothers and sisters.

HAINES — In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Jane Lockett, who passed away Friday, April 26, 1912, at Belleville, Ont. (Inserted by her three children, Edith, Baynard and Russell.)

KING-MASON — In loving memory of Lieut. C. G. D. King-Mason, who was killed in action at Ypres, 24th April, 1915; the eldest son of Capt. and Mrs. King-Mason, of the Victoria Rifles, 24th Batt., Montreal and Saskatoon, Sask. "He gave his life for his friends."

PHILLIPS—In loving memory of Donald Grant Phillips, beloved husband of Margaret Phillips, who departed this life April 27, 1914. (Inserted by his wife and family.)

Had He asked us, well we know;
We should cry, Oh! spare the blow;
Yes, with streaming tears should pray,
Lord, we love him, let him stay.

VICKERS — In loving memory of our darling daughter Ruth, who departed this life April 28, 1913. At rest.

THANKSGIVING.

Thanks to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Blessed Virgin Mary for favors received with promise to publish.—L. B. 99 2

Thanks to St. Rita for special favor received after promise to publish.—H. J. M.

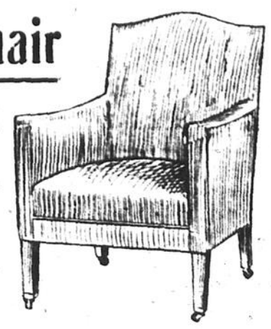
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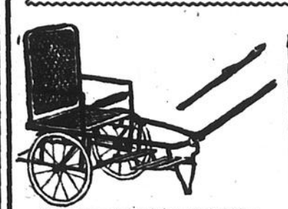


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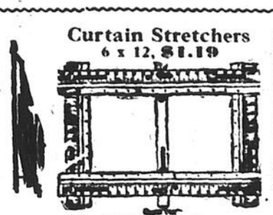
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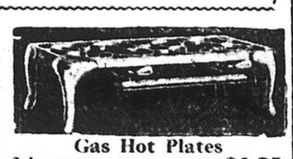
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ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS FORCE THE ZEPPELINS AWAY

Keep Them in Sight All Time—Many Narrow Escapes

By Canadian Press.

LONDON, April 27—News published in London indicates that not much damage was done by the four Zeppelins which visited Kent and Essex on Tuesday night. Although one hundred bombs were dropped by the raiders, there were no casualties.

From the time when they reached the British coast, the airships were were kept under the beams of searchlights and were subjected to a very heavy bombardment by anti-aircraft guns, forcing them to rise to a great height and to return across the North Sea.

In a straight run of two miles across one part of Essex, a dozen bombs were dropped, mostly in fields, while six bombs fell in the neighborhood of a farm house without doing any damage.

There were many narrow escapes, however, in Kent. Bombs dropped all around the village. The only one that did any damage fell in the garden of a vicarage, uprooting a large tree which struck the clerical residence.

Crowds everywhere watched the flight of the Zeppelins and the magnificant display made by the bursting shells.

A British official statement issued this morning says:

"Zeppelins were reported over the east coast of Kent between ten and eleven o'clock on Wednesday night. No reports of their penetrating far inland had been received thus far, and as it is misty over East Kent it is probable that they turned back before midnight. It is reported that one bomb was dropped which fell into the sea."

Submarine 'Quake Recorded at Toronto

TORONTO, April 27.—An earthquake was recorded at the Meteorological office, Toronto, on Tuesday night at 9:32. The largest vibration was at 9:42 o'clock. These were followed this morning at 1:35 and 2:35 by similar disturbances.

The earthquake is supposed to be submarine, and the centre of the disturbance, according to Mr. Young of the meteorological staff, was probably in the Carribean Sea.

FORMER MAYOR OF COLLINGWOOD DEAD

COLLINGWOOD, Ont., April 27.—George Moberly is dead at the General and Marine Hospital at the age of 86.

He was born in Sowerby, Yorkshire, England, but had lived the greater part of his life in Simcoe County. He was a lawyer and was also interested in industrial ventures. From 1872 to 1876 he was mayor of Collingwood. In 1886 he was appointed a member of the Royal Commission to inquire and report as to the advisibility of the institution of a court of railway commissioners.

Mrs. Moberly, who survives her husband, is a sister of the late Col. W. E. O'Brien, former M.P. for Muskoka.

MRS. ROGERS NOT GUILTY OF MURDER

NEW YORK, April 27.—Mrs. Ida Sniffen Waltes Rogers was acquitted in the Supreme Court of Brome County yesterday afternoon of the charge of murdering her infant son, the verdict being based on the belief of the jurors that she was insane when she committed the act.

The District Attorney immediately moved to dismiss the indictment against her for poisoning her other child, a girl of eight months, on the ground that it covered the same facts, and the defendant left the courtroom a free woman.

CRACK HURDLER HURT.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 27.—The Yale track team will probably be without the services of its crack hurdler, Edward Leisenring, in the meet with Princeton. He pulled a tendon in practice and today indications were that it would keep him from working over the sticks for several weeks.

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IGNORING PAST, LOOK TO FUTURE, IS IRISH SLOGAN

Great Enthusiasm at Patriotic Rally for Irish-Rangers—Sir Charles Fitzpatrick Speaks of Ireland and Her Part in Great Struggle to Dispel German Military Spectre—Other Speakers Well Received

"This is the hour of England's need, and let me say to you that I have no concern with the past. It now remains for Irishmen to show that as they know how to resent wrong and injustice, they know how to appreciate fair and honest treatment."

Although but an exerpt from a wonderfully patriotic speech delivered by Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, Chief Justice of Canada, before an audience which filled Windsor Hall last night to its doors on the occasion of the inauguration of the recruiting campaign to fill the ranks of the Irish Canadian Rangers Overseas Battalion, the words serve as the general trend of the spirit of patroitism which marked the addresses of all the speakers.

The patriotic rally did nothing if it did not demonstrate beyond a doubt, the enthusiasm, patriotism and loyality of the Irish Canadians to the bond of Empire. In addition to the oratory a program of music — Irish patriotic songs, was rendered by the boys of St. Patrick's chancel choir in a very delightful manner under the direction of J. J. Shea.

Speeches were also delivered by Capt. the Rev. Father Hingston, chaplain of the Irish-Canadian Rangers, the Rev. Father Gerald McShane, pastor of St. Patrick's Church Dr. John P. Coyle, president of the Irish Publishing Co., of New York; and Major the Rev. C. W. Williams, recruiting officer of the Fourth District. The chairman was Lieut.-Col. Trihey, officer commanding the new battalion.

EFFECTIVE RECRUITING.

In opening the meeting Col. Trihey referred to the success that had so far attended the recruiting of the battalion. The authorities could now see every means of obtaining not only numbers but quality in the men who would come forward to fill their ranks.

An ovation greeted Sir Charles Fitzpatrick. He won instant applause also when he stated that the most effective recruiting officer was the man who donned the uniform and shouldered his musket and preached by example. He regretted that he could not answer the call himself and that Providence had even denied that he should send his only son who through his physical infirmities, had been refused when he presented himself.

He would attempt to give some of the reasons why he thought at the present juncture that of all the elements which made up the Canadian people, none had a greater burden of obligation than the Irish Catholics. They could no longer remain indifferent to the world conflict. They could not suffer Europe and subsequently America to be dominated by German methods.

He spoke of the historical meeting of the German Chancellor and the British Ambassador in Berlin in August, 1914. He showed how England and therefore Canada were in the war to prevent Germany crushing the liberty and autonomy of the free states of Europe, because she was bound to fulfil her solemn obligations. Canada had been brought into the fight because the right of small nations must be protected and also because the British Empire was an united Empire. He spoke of the exceptional privileges enjoyed by Canada under the protection of Great Britain said, "When Britain goes to war, then Canada goes to war also."

"What are the reasons why Irishmen should come forward in England's hour of need?" asked Sir Charles. "Let me say to you that I have no concern with the past. I am practical enough to realize that now we must deal with facts and not with vain imaginations. We are not concerned with the past, only in so far as it will guide us in the future. Ireland today is no longer the Ireland of '96, '98, '48 or even 1860. A new order of things has arisen, conditions are different and relations are altered. The land laws are changed and Home Rule has practically been conceded and it now remains for Irishmen to show that as they know how to resent wrong and injustice they also know how to appreciate fair and honest treatment."

He then read an extract from the Kerry Advocate.

"There is today so much freedom in Ireland that it borders on license. (Laughter). If we make no material progress along the lines of national happiness, the fault is ours." (Applause.)

He would like to contrast the statement of the real leaders of Ireland with the unfortunate situation that had been created in the last few days. He would also like to tell the audience that if the Irish went to Flanders they would be fighting side by side with the Frenchmen, their century-old Allies, and he made a special appeal to the Irish whether born in Ireland or in Canada.

He spoke of the special interest that Catholics had in this war. He told his hearers that nowhere in the world did the Catholic religion enjoy more privileges that it did in Canada and the existence of these privileges depended solely upon the fact that Canada was a portion of the British Empire. He spoke of the undying fame and glory which Irish regiments had won in this war. In dealing with the present standing of the Empire, he stated that not a single inch of British soil had been invaded, the seven seas were British. Britain started out with 250,000 men; there were now 1,400,000 of her sons in France and equipment and preparation had been made for 4,000,000. It was costing Britain £4,350,000 per diem for her army, navy, munitions and loans to her dominions. Since the beginning of the war till March 31, 1916, Britain had advanced to her Allies and Overseas Dominions the sum of £423,000,000.

The Irish wanted the privilege of following their leaders and the leaders were not men like Sir Roger Casement, but men of the type of John Redmond. (Applause.) This was not the time for internal conflict. Canadians should learn the lesson to respect not only the rights and privileges of others, but also the prejudices of their fellow countrymen.

In conclusion, he made special mention of the name of Lord Shaughnessy as one of the makers of industrial Canada, he had done much for Canada and the Empire, and his son had died for both. What greater sacrifice could man make."

CHAPLAIN SPEAKS.

Father Hingston, chaplain to the Irish-Canadian Rangers, spoke of the motive which should prevail, in the breast of every young man before he enlisted. He must realize the sacrifice he was making for his fellow-countrymen and for the love of his country. Religious motives founded upon immortality would alone stand all the hardships of the trenches. The greatest and noblest thing about the war was when Belgium stood up against Germany alone, and the next noblest thing was the conduct of Ireland. The drain upon the young life of a country was a serious thing, but it would be still more serious if history showed that Canada had shirked her duty. He made a special appeal to Catholics and to parish priests to speak to their young men.

Major Williams kept his hearers in continual good humor by his Irish wit and amusing stories of Irish character bearing on the war. In referring to the recent trouble in Dublin he stated that those in charge were nothing but a discredited little party of political imbeciles and represented nobody but themselves.

Father McShane declared that, if the Irish of Ireland had thought it worth while to fight for the Empire, then surely the Irish of Canada could do so also. The Irish in Canada were given every opportunity and religious freedom. He paid a very high tribute to the qualities of the Irish who had already gone to the front, some of whom would never return, and mentioned in particular the late Capt. Shaughnessy.

Dr. John P. Coyle, of New York, spoke at length of the past history of Ireland of the eight centuries of misery after the conquest of the country by the English. But in the hour of opportunity the Irish had put away all desire of meanness and selfishness and all the memories of 800 years to fight for democracy against autocracy. The lands had been joined across the sea. He dealt upon the common soldiers of other countries and the freedom and voluntary spirit that moved the Irish to enlist and fight.

There were certain people in Ireland and 150,000 of their men had enlisted to crush the spectre of militarism, domination that threatened the home of freedom with the other countries of Europe. There had been 1,000 men from Ireland every week going forward to the trenches and upon three different fronts.

He spoke at length of the different engagements in which the Irish soldiers had taken part and of the glorious victories they had gained. He concluded with a strong appeal to the young Canadian to fight for "Old Ireland."

The Hon. C. J. Doherty also had a seat on the platform, but did not speak. Among those present were Colonel W. L. Gear, George E. Drummond, Thos. J. Drummond, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Sutherland, Dr. Decima Lady Hingston, Hamilton Ferns and members of the Rotary Club, the Rev. Dr. Bridges, the Rev. J. E. Donnelly, E. J. McQuirk, president of St. Patrick's Society, the Rev. Principal Smyth, the Rev. T. W. Davidson, the Rev. John Chisholm, Mr. Justice Guerin, Dr. E. J. C. Kennedy, Alderman Bond, Lieut.-Col. Strange, Major Marsil, Ald. Cowans and T. McReynolds, Dr. E. E. McCaffrey, Basil Hingston, J. C. Walsh, K.C., Capt. J. Dolan, Michael Fitzgibbon, Dr. E. J. Hackett, Chas. Phelan, F. A. Stone, Capt. H. McBrown, John Davidson, E. H. Manly, Dr. R. E. Elliott and John Quinlan.

King George's chief valet is the inventor of a first rate polish for brown boots.

Friday The Second Day of Our Month-End Sale Should See Our Store Crowded to the Doors---Better Bargains

The Hamilton Co.



2000 New Spring Waists

Specially purchased for this sale and worth from $3.75 to $6. Your choice Friday at **$1.95**

This lot of Beautiful Samples includes a splendid variety of choice The Finest of Voiles, Heavy Jap Silks, Lingerie and many other desirable materials. The range of styles is practically unlimited. Including as it does many attractive hand embroidered models. All sizes from 34 to 44. As the price has been made so exceptionally low we cannot fill any orders by MAIL, PHONE or C.O.D.

EARLY SUMMER SILKS
In every new shade; in single and double widths. Worth to $1.50 a yard.
On Sale Friday at 29c

Fancy Persian Bengaline Trimming Silks
All Silk Plain Silk Chiffon
Roman Stripes and Fancy Millinery Silks
Plain Chiffon Taffetas in a big variety of shades
Printed French Moire Soline de Soie
Fancy Tinsel Trimming Dress Silks
Plain and Fancy Poplins and Ottoman Cords
Printed French Foulards many dainty designs
Silk Crepes Paillettes
Satins
Fancy Brocho Embossed Silks and Shades
Quality All Silk Colored Striped Habutai Silks
Fancy All Silk Check Tartan Ribbon Silks
Fancy Bordered French Taffeta Silks
Quality All Silk Colored Taffetas
Fancy Printed Persian and Bulgarian Satins
French Oriental Satins fancy designs
Crepe de Chines Taffeta Line
Fancy Pearl de Soie
Reg. $1.50 for yard.



Friday 29c Yard

Dress Goods
Worth from $1.25 to $2.00 a yard in this unprecedented event for **59c**

Natural Shantung Silk
Straight from the Orient. 44 inches wide.
4 Bales just Arrived. Yard Value 75c. Reg 75c for **48c**

White Wash Shirts to be Sold Friday at .98

They are the entire sample line of one of our leading skirt manufacturers. Every skirt in the collection is a 1916 model, made full flare with deep hem, plain and button trimmed. The materials are white repps and Jean. All sizes to select from. On sale on our 3rd floor. Positively none sent on approbation. Regular values to $1.95, for **98c**

No Mail, Phone or C.O.D. Orders Filled.

Tagel & Milan Tagel Shapes
In the Newest of New York designs.

This is the most sensational Millinery Bargain of the Season. All the new shapes and styles in Turbans, Tricornes, medium and large Sailors, in the new Spring Colorings, as well as Black. Regular $2.50 Values, for our Special Sale **98c**

Savings to be Effected in Underwear Here Tomorrow

The values we will offer in this department will certainly surprise you. As you are doubtless aware these goods have advanced 33 1-3 p.c., yet we are selling our underwear at the same prices as last year.

Eight Big Tables of Bargains that will never be duplicated again for a long time.

Table No. 1. Ladies' Cotton Vests with long short and no sleeves reg. 20c for **15c**

Table No. 2. Ladies' Cotton Vests, plain or fancy yokes short and no sleeves extra big sizes included reg. 25c. for **19c**

Table No. 3. Ladies' Vests, with short and no sleeves plain and fancy yokes drawers to match with umbrella and tight knees over-sizes in Vests only regular 35c for **29c**

Table No. 4. Ladies' Vests, in fine Lisle and cotton with plain and fancy yokes drawers to match tight or umbrella knees, all sizes including oversizes regular 45c. for **35c**

Table No. 5. Ladies' Combinations, short and no sleeves umbrella knees regular 50c. for **39c**

Table No. 6. Ladies' Lisle Vests, with plain or fancy yokes. Short and no sleeves, assorted styled necks all sizes including oversizes regular 65c for **45c**

Table No. 7. Ladies' Lisle and Cotton Combinations, short and no sleeves umbrella knees regular 65c for **50c**

Table No. 8. Ladies' Combinations, with short and no sleeves umbrella and tight knees. Large sizes included regular 75c. for **59c**



Stamped Goods Values

Laundry Bags stamped on white union linen and Ecru linen with "Laundry Bag" already embroidered. Regular 35c and 45c. for **25c**

Tea Cosies, already made up with hemmed border and frill all round, stamped in assorted patterns. Reg. 75c. for **49c**

Children's Dresses, made up of good heavy Chambray in pink, blue and linen, sizes 2 to 5 years. at each **35c**

Children's Rompers, stamped with easy patterns, in White Pique and Blue and Pink Chambray as well as linen at **59c**

Royal Society Packages, containing stamped Aprons, Corset Covers, Boudoir Caps, Baby Caps. All complete in envelope with floss ready to work. Reg. 40c. for **25c**

Beautiful Trimmed Hats



Fancy Trimmed Hat Samples, Ranging in Value from $7.50 to $12.50 at a Special Price of **$3.95**

This is positively the greatest Millinery Bargain the women of Montreal have offered. Included are 200 charming Hats for dress occasions, tailored effects for street wear. Hats in the premodes and the newest models. All new clean merchandise elegantly trimmed showing new Spring materials and coloring, no two alike. For Friday **$3.95**

Our Annual Sale of
Ladies' High Grade Petticoats
Worth up to $3.75 at
98c and $1.69



Will be held in conjunction with our big Month-End Sale. There are thousands of beautiful garments to select from, and a range of colors that would be difficult to duplicate even in the higher priced garments. It includes Black, White, Pink, Navy, Emerald, Brown, Sky, Saxe, Cinnamon, Taupe, Peacock, Mole, Russian Green and Belgian Blue. Every garment in this sale is fully guaranteed by us not to rub off or crack and we will replace any that do not give entire satisfaction. These petticoats will take the place of any $2.00 to $3.75 garment. None sold previous to this sale

98c AND $1.69

House-Furnishing Bargains

600 Yards Heavy Floor Oilcloths in floral wood tile and block patterns, slightly imperfect. Value today 48c square yard. Friday square yard **32½c**

Manufacturers' Carpet Samples

Wilton, Axminster, Brussels and Tapestry 1½ yard lengths, half squares, corners of rugs, ends of stair and smaller pieces.

Hundreds to choose from and marked at less than Half Price. Friday

25c, 39c, 49c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.75 And Up to $3.50

Special Purchase Wilton Velvet Squares

2½ x 3 yards 3 x 3 yards 3 x 3½ yards 3 x 4 yards
Value $22.50 $27.50 $32.50 $34.75
Friday
$15.95, $18.75, $22.75, $24.75
Very suitable for Living Room, Den or Bedroom.

Japanese Matting Rugs
2 Yards by 3 Yards
Assorted colors in Brown, Green, Blue, Red. Value $2.00 Friday **$1.50**

White and Cream Bungalow Nets
200 Yards in strong double thread open mesh Net. Just the curtaining for Country House or City Home. Value 40c yard Friday yard **22½c**

An Exceptionally Attractive Sale of Evening Goods

Offering Reg. $1.50 values, Friday at yard **15c**
Beautiful materials that are now unobtainable.
40-inch Printed Silk Muslins. Reg $1.25.
Fancy Tinsel Gauze. Reg $1.00
Ombre Silk Chiffon. Reg $1.10
Fancy Silk Dress Nets. Reg 75c
Spotted Mousseline de Soie. Reg $1.50
Embroidered Silk Muslins. Reg $1.25
Spangled Dress Nets. Reg $1.15
Plain Silk Chiffon. Reg 75c.
Rich Silk and Tinsel Fabrics. Reg $1.00
Fancy Silk Tulles. Reg 75c.
Gofferest Silk Muslin. Reg 75c.
Crinkled Silk Chiffon. Reg $1.25
Bordered Millinery Silk. Reg $1.00
Silk and Straw Trimming. Reg 95c
Two Toned Silk Chiffon. Reg $1.00, at yard
Reg $1.50 values.
No Mail, Phone or C.O.D.'s

15 Cents

Piece Goods Specials

Silk Crepe de Chine. The 75c, 85c and $1.00 Qualities **59c**

Rich Black Sunbeam Duchesse Mousseline de Soie, 36 inches wide and selling today everywhere at $1.50. Here Friday at yard **98c**

Annual Sale of Double Width Dress Silks, 36 to 40 inches wide at For regular $1.25 to $2.00 values **98c**

HOUR SALES
From 8.30 to 10 A.M.

Three big tables of short lengths of Mill Ends, etc. All at yard **7½c**

Gingham Mill Ends, Victoria Lawn Mill Ends, Roller Towelling Mill Ends, Kimona Flannelettes, Nainsook Mill Ends, White Goods Mill Ends, Fancy Wrapperettes, all to go at, yard **7½c**

MISCELLANEOUS SAVINGS

Ladies and Gent's Handkerchiefs consisting of Ladies' plain linen and lawn hemstitched or bordered handkerchiefs, Men's plain lawn hemstitched and tape bordered handkerchiefs as well as Ladies' Swiss embroidered handkerchiefs with scalloped and hemmed border. Reg 15c for **5c**

Heavy Gros Grain Silk Ribbons, in 10 assorted new shades, 5 inches wide, splendid for hat trimmings, yard **35c**

All Silk Taffeta Ribbons, one inch wide in white, sky, pink, cardinal, bella, in bunches of 6 yards at bunch **19c**

All Silk and Duchess and Taffeta Ribbons, 4 and 5½ inches wide all colors for yard **19c**

Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Collars, in turn over styles showing assorted patterns, each **5c**

Big Sale of Embroidery Loom Ends
At a fraction of their value

We have just received the balance of our January shipment of Loom Ends these should have arrived months ago. They of course were bought at the old prices which are about 25 to 50 p.c. less than their value today. The lot consists of 1000 yards of Edgings, Insertions, Headings, Galloons, Etc. Etc. All made up in fine materials showing hundreds of patterns of the newest varieties. Also a good range of widths. Regular value up to 25c for this sale at a yard **12½c**

Wash Goods

Plain and Fancy Wash Goods for summer dresses. Value to 15c. Friday yard **8½c**

Plain and Fancy Wash Goods all fast colors. Value to 20c yard **12½c**

Double width Wash Goods, plain and fancy weaves, fast colors for street wear. Value to 30c yard **19c**

Zephyrs, etc.

1,800 Yards Fancy Zephyrs. Value to 15c yard **7½c**

Big lot stripe and check Ginghams and Zephyrs, fast colors. To sell at 25c yard in value for **10c**

2,000 Yards Fancy Scotch Ginghams and Zephyrs, fast colors. Value to 30c yard **12½c**

Married Couple Wanted as Caretakers

one of whom is conversant with French language. Salary together with heated and lighted dwelling and free use of gas stove. Husband at liberty to work outside during the day.

Preference will be given to invalided or honorably discharged soldier. Apply by letter, giving references, to the Manufacturers of

PARIS-PATE, 91 Reading St., Point St. Charles

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"Progress" GOODWIN'S FRIDAY BARGAINS "Progress"

MEN'S SHIRTS .63

200 Men's Shirts in a new weave cloth, white grounds with colored stripes coat model, French cuffs. A strong, good wearing shirt. Sizes 13½ to 17. Friday, each .63

MEN'S TIES .17, 3 FOR .50

Men's Silk Four-in-hand Ties in various colored grounds and figures. Derby shape. Friday, each .17
3 for .50

BOY SCOUT SHIRTS .39.

200 English Boy Scout Shirts in green only, made from a good strong cloth all sizes up to 14.
These shirts were made to sell at a much higher price, but we are clearing them Friday at, each .39

MEN'S FURNISHINGS--STREET FLOOR.

BOYS' COATS $2.95

Boys' Spring Slip-on Coats. 25 only in the lot. Friday $2.95

BOYS' ODD SUITS $3.15

Odd suits and broken lines. 100 to clear out. Friday at $3.15

BOYS' SUITS $4.85

100 only Grey and Brown Tweed Suits, sizes 21 to 31. Friday $4.85

BOYS' SUITS $7.95

100 Grey and Brown suits, with 2 pairs of pants. Sizes 21 to 31. Friday $7.95

MEN'S SUITS $9.95

50 Men's Grey Tweed Suit, in checks, stripe and plain patterns. Single and double breasted vests. Friday $9.95

MEN'S PANTS $4.85

50 Pairs Men's Worsted Pants, sizes 31 to 42. Friday $4.85

MEN'S RAINCOATS $5.75

50 Men's Paramatta Raincoats. Sizes 36 to 42. Friday $5.75

MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING--STREET FLOOR.

LADIES' HAND BAGS .59

500 bags in real leather with two fittings. A number with the double strap handle. Colored bead bags with gilt frames, black beaded bags with gun metal frames, silk velvet bags with small pearl knobs, 2 fittings and Dresden silk and silk poplin linings. Reduced to clear Friday at each .59

MANICURE SETS $2.19

A small compact velvet lined leatherette case, containing file, cuticule pusher, scissors, cuticule knife and button hook. The handles of these fittings except the scissors, are silver plated. 200 on sale. Friday, each $2.19

LADIES' WRIST WATCH $2.39

They have a nickel cylinder Swiss movement in a sterling silver case, stem wind and pendant set. Each has a suede leather wrist strap. These watches are guaranteed to be reliable timekeepers.

LEATHER GOODS--STREET FLOOR.

CUTLERY SPECIALS

Nickel plated handle Cake Knives. Friday .12
A Safety Razor that holds the Gillette Blades. It is called the Imperial. Friday .19
Butcher Knives, French steel black handles. Friday .19
Round Emery Steel for Kitchen use. Friday .10
Dressmakers' Shears and Scissors, fully nickel plated. Friday .39
French Cooking Knives. Friday .10
French Steel Carving Knife and Fork (not more than 3 sets to a customer). Friday .10
Shaving Brushes. Friday .08
Gilt and Nickel Plated Desk Sets. Friday .69
Silver Plated Nut Crackers. Friday .15
Key Chains with split ring. Friday .03

CUTLERY--STREET FLOOR.

DOLLS' CARRIAGES .39 AND .59

100 Folding Dolls' Carriages, in black and grey. Leather seat and hood. Two sizes. Friday, each .39 and .59

WICKER SULKIES $3.69

11 only, Wicker Sulkies, folding handles, padded seat, slightly shop worn, 10-inch rubber tired wheels. Friday, each $3.69
No phone orders for these.

CARRIAGES--BASEMENT

WALL PAPERS

Bedroom Papers, floral chintz, plain, satin and colored stripes. Allover floral designs. Colors pink, blue, yellow, mauve, white, grey and green. Friday .03, .11, .16, and .22 roll.
Parlor Papers, silks, gilts, shadow and satin stripes. Colors green, blue, grey, white, tan, brown, pink, and red. Cut out borders to match. Friday .21 and .37½ roll.
Scotch Oatmeal Papers. Colors suitable for all rooms. Cut out fruit, panel and band borders to match. 30 inches wide, 8 yards to a roll. Friday, a roll .25
Washable Varnished Bathroom and Kitchen Papers, tile, scenic, floral and plain designs. Friday, roll .25

WALL PAPERS--SECOND FLOOR UP.

TOILET REQUISITES

Wincarnis	.98
Allenbury's Foods	.67
Beef, Iron and Wine, Wyeth	.63
Beecham's Pills	.17
Bromo Seltzer	.36
Fruitatives	.28
Glycothymoline	.37
Horlick's Malted Milk	.37
Sugar of Milk	.27
Hay's Hair Health	.23
Listerine	.17
Parisian Sage	.29
Zambuk Ointment	.31
Sanitol Tooth Paste	.19
Abbey's Salts	.39
Danderine	.33
Mercolized Wax	.55
Peroxide	.29
Orchid Talcum	.19
Witch Hazel	.17
Steedman's Powders	.16
Snap Hand Cleaner	.09
Toilet Paper, 8 oz rolls, 500 sheet pkgs, 5 for	.25
Castile Soap	.29
Borax, 3 for	.25
Carter's Little Liver Pills, 2 for	.25
Sanitol Talcum	.10
Dioxengen	.37
Celery King	.17
Clean Head Lotion	.17
Oriental Egg Shampoo	.15
Cod Liver Oil Tasteless	.59
Eclectric Oil	.17
Face Cloth, 3 for	.23
Vaseline Toilet Soap	.17

TOILET REQUISITES--STREET FLOOR.

3 CANDY SPECIALS

Peanut Brittle. Friday a lb .19
Yoda Rocks. Friday, a lb .26

These two specials are our own make and made fresh for you every hour.

Pure Hard Candy Mixtures. Friday a lb .08
or 4 lbs. for .30

CANDY--STREET FLOOR.

Papeteries .21 a Box.

A special purchase of papeteries. Fancy black and white striped box containing 2 quires of linen finished note paper, and 50 envelopes to match. Friday, a box .21

Lead Pencils--3 for .25

Good office pencils. Friday, 3 for .05
or a dozen .19

STATIONERY --STREET FLOOR.

LINENS, COTTONS, BED SUPPLIES

BEDSUPPLIES:

Bed Spreads, white and colored, all double bed size. Friday $1.69

¾-Bed size Cottage Comforters. Friday .98

Another line--considerably better grade. Friday $1.69

Very nice Summer comforters. Friday $1.95

LINENS:

Figured Huckaback towelling, pure linen, 22 inches wide. Friday .35

Linen Weft (cotton woof) Crash 16½ inches wide. A really good heavy Union crash. Friday .06

26-inch Glass Towelling (cotton). Friday .09

Plain Half Bleached Tea Towelling, 25 inches wide—high percentage of linen but some cotton mixed in—about 100 yards. Friday, yard .12½

Pure Linen Sheeting, 2 yards wide, (only 15 yards left) Friday, yard .75

45-inch Circular Pillow Linen (pure linen), 12 yards only at, per yard. Friday, .39

Union Towels, 35 inches long, red borders. Friday, each .09

58-inch Unbleached Union Table Damask, very good quality of its kind. Friday, yard .43

Mercerized Napkins, 18 inches square, hemmed ready for use. Friday, a dozen .95

COTTONS:

Remnants of flannelettes and cottons. Friday HALF PRICE.

LINENS--STREET FLOOR.

HARDWARE

ENAMELWARE .39

Cook Pots, tea pots, dish pans and saucepans. Friday .39

TEA KETTLES $1.69

6-qt. size. Non-burn handle. Friday $1.69

CORN BROOMS .18

Good corn brooms, three string. Friday .18

GALVANIZED BOILERS .98

No. 8 and 9. Friday .98

WASH BOARDS .25

The Competitor, zinc faced. Friday .25

GARBAGE CANS .75, .95 and $1.29

With tight covers, bale handles. Friday's Prices .75, .95 and $1.29.

FOOD CHOPPERS .98

Climax Food Choppers, 4 cutting knives. Friday .98

IRONING TABLE $1.19

Folding Ironing Tables, strong and rigid. Friday $1.19

CLOTHES HORSES .29

Three folds, slightly damaged. Friday .29

OIL STOVES $10.95

Three burner Oil Stoves, smokeless and odorless. Friday $10.95

HOT BLAST STOVES .89

Hot Blast Coal Oil Stoves, two burners. Friday .89

HARDWARE--BASEMENT.

SURPRISE PACKAGES OF MUSIC .09

Containing four pieces of popular music, both vocal and instrumental. Friday, per pkg .09
No Phone nor C.O.D. Orders.

MUSIC--BASEMENT.

CHINA CABINET $35.00

Selected quarter cut oak, golden finish, bent glass ends and door. Friday $35.00

CHINA CABINET $37.75

Solid mahogany, Colonial design, bent glass ends, two mirror panel back. Friday $37.75

SIDEBOARDS $32.50

Two only, selected quarter cut oak, lined cutlery drawer, long linen drawer and large cupboard. Friday $32.50

DINING ROOM TABLE $35.00

Selected quarter cut, golden finish, 54-inch top, extends to 8 ft., supported on heavy pedestal, claw feet. Friday $35.00

DINING ROOM TABLE $35.00

Selected quarter cut oak, golden finish, 48-inch top, extends to 8 ft., supported on twin pedestal, colonial design. Friday $35.00

DINING ROOM SUITE $125.00

Solid quarter cut oak, fumed finish, suite consists of buffet, china cabinet, extension table, serving table, and chairs. Chairs are fitted with slip seat covered in best quality leather and cane panel back. Friday $125.00

FOLDING BOOKSHELF $1.25

Elm, golden finish, fitted with three shelves. Friday $1.25

FOLDING BOOKSHELF $2.00

White enamel finish. Friday $2.00

MAGAZINE STAND $2.49

Solid oak, fumed finish, fitted with four 12 x 15 shelves. Friday $2.49

BOOK TROUGHS $1.50

Fumed or golden finish. Friday $1.50

PARLOR CHAIRS--HALF PRICE

Mahogany, spring seat, covered in good quality silk. Friday, HALF PRICE

WORK TABLE--HALF PRICE

Natural willow work table, fitted with large deep drawer, one open pocket, each end. Friday HALF PRICE

WRITING DESK--HALF PRICE

Lady's writing desk, selected quarter cut oak, golden finish, filled with large drawer, and all the necessary interior requirements. Friday HALF PRICE

DESK $5.50

Lady's Writing Desk, Birch, mahogany finish. Friday $5.50

DESK--HALF PRICE.

Lady's Desk, golden oak. Friday HALF PRICE

PARLOR TABLE--HALF PRICE

Selected quarter cut oak, golden finish, square, 20-inch top, and shelf under neath, claw feet. Friday HALF PRICE

PARLOR TABLE--HALF PRICE

Golden oak. Friday HALF PRICE

CHAISE LONGUE $20.00

Solid oak, Belgian grey finish, spring upholstered and back covered in best quality fancy cretonne with extra cushion. Friday $20.00

COUCH $29.75

Solid oak, golden finish upholstered seat, covered in best quality leather. Friday $29.75

DRESSER AND CHIFFONIER

Dresser and Chiffonier walnut finish, fitted with square plate glass mirrors. Friday, each $13.75

COSTUMER $5.25

Solid quarter cut oak, fumed finish, fitted with nine hooks. Friday $5.25

FURNITURE--SECOND FLOOR UP.

HEAVY CORK LINOLEUM .47½ Sq. Yd.

500 yards only heavy cork linoleum, in good block, floral, and tile patterns. Friday, sq. yard .47½

TAPESTRY CARPET SQUARES.

Good quality tapestry carpet squares. Very serviceable patterns.
Size 3 x 4 yards. Friday $2.98
Size 2½ x 3 yards. Friday $6.98

CARPET SWEEPERS $1.39

50 Good Useful sweepers. Mahogany finish, nickelplated roller bearings. Standard size. Friday, each $1.39

CARPETS--SECOND FLOOR UP.

.98 200 ARTISTIC FRAMED PICTURES .98

200 Framed Pictures at less than the usual price of frame only. See them and judge of their real values. Friday, each .98

PICTURES--SECOND FLOOR UP.

CURTAIN CORNERS .29

Nottingham Curtain Corners, 150 to clear. White and ivory, 1¼ and 2 yards long. Friday, each .29

SCRIM AND MARQUISETTES .19

Odd lengths of Scrims and Marquisettes. Not more than 6 yards in each. White, ivory and beige. Plain hemstitched or colored border. Friday .19

WINDOW SHADES .27

600 good quality shades, mounted on strong rollers; cream and green. Size 3 x 6 feet. Friday, each .27

CLUNY CENTRE PIECES .19

200 white and ecru embroidered centres, finished with Cluny lace or insertion, suitable for bureau or sideboard covers, 18 inches square. Friday .19

HOUSE FURNISHINGS--SECOND FLOOR UP.

JARDINIERES HALF PRICE

Clearing out a line of Jardinieres in a variety of shapes, colors and sizes. Friday HALF PRICE

DINNERWARE 50% OFF.

Royal Theban Dinner Ware, discontinued stock pattern, closing out price. Friday 50% OFF.

COOKINGWARE 50% OFF.

French Fireproof Cooking Ware, all useful pieces. Friday 50% OFF

SUGAR SHAKERS .75, .85 and .95,

Sugar Shakers, silver tops. Friday .75, .85 and .95.

CHINAWARE--BASEMENT.

Grenadines .17

36-inch jacquard grenadine with a fancy self colored design. A dainty summer dress material in navy, pink, reseda, Copenhagen, maize, helio, old rose, black and ivory. Friday .47

Tub Silk .39

36-inch Tussah silk. A perfect tub silk, ten of the best shades to select from. Friday .39

Chiffon Poplin .57

36-inch chiffon poplin in navy, lavender, reseda, mid grey, Battleship grey, brown, old rose, Alice, pearl grey, mauve, Copenhagen, black, ivory. Friday .57

Corduroy Velvet .53

27-inch white corduroy velvet. These are washable cords and suitable for sport coats, suits, and skirts. Friday .53

SILKS--FIRST FLOOR UP.

DRESS GOODS .29

36-inch broche silk effect dress material in navy, Alice, Saxe, Belgian blue, old rose, brown, tan, champagne, sand, Myrtle, green, royal blue, and Battleship Grey.
36-inch lustre in navy, grey, old rose, Belgian blue, and black.
36-inch shepherd's check, small and medium size. Friday .29

DRESS GOODS .37

1,000 yards of oddments in dress goods including permos, broche, silk effects, striped delaines, crepe de chines, black and white checks, lustres, and many other oddments. All double width, 36 to 44 inches wide. Friday .37

Dress Good Remnants HALF PRICE

A variety of dress goods remnants suitable for coats, suits, dresses, waists, etc., in lengths ranging from 1½ to 5 yards. Friday, Half Price.

DRESS GOODS FIRST FLOOR UP

FOOTWEAR

240 Pairs Women's Boots, samples and clearances from stock. Sizes 2½ to 6. Friday $1.98

100 Pairs Women's Garden Slippers, with strap and rubber heels. Sizes 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8. Friday .69

No Phone or C.O.D. orders.

FAMILY SHOE STORE --STREET FLOOR.

WASH GOODS

Japanese Crepe, in plain shades, also colored grounds with printed Japanese figures used for kimonos, etc., Mauve, pink, sky, grey, old rose, brown, orange, amethyst, Reseda and cream. 30 inches wide. Friday, yard .19

300 Yards Voiles, in dainty rosebud design printed on a white lace ground materials, double width. Friday, yard .08

3000 Yards of Remnants, in lengths from 1 to 6 yard ends; Ginghams, chambrays, zephyrs, crepes, etc., in plain colors and fancy patterns. A variety of different qualities. Friday .09

WASH GOODS --FIRST FLOOR UP.

Leather Suit Cases $4.95

A special Friday offer. They come in large sizes, 24 and 26 inches long. Made of very good quality stock in brown and tan. Some of them have straps.

Come early Friday for one of these cases as the quantity is limited at each. $4.95

SUIT CASES--BASEMENT.

Portable Lamps $4.98

Some have two lights, some three lights. Some are mahogany, others in metal. Friday $4.98

Floor Lamps $5.75

Floor lamps, brass, can be raised or lowered. Friday $5.75

4-Light Fixture $5.95

Six Electric Fixtures, 4 lights, suspended from ceiling. Friday $5.95

Corner Cabinets $8.75

Two Corner Cabinets, white enamel, glass shelves, heavy bevelled glass door. Friday $8.75

Mirrors $6.75

2 Large Oval Mirrors, 48 inches, bevelled glass. Friday $6.75

ELECTRIC FIXTURES --BASEMENT

LADIES' SPRING SUITS $13.98

We have just received fifty suits in all wool materials. There are three styles to choose from in colors of navy, black, green, tan, and a pretty shade of wine.

The coats of these suits are satin lined. We cannot repeat this offer after these fifty are sold. All sizes 14 years to 44 bust. Friday, each $13.98

SUITS--FIRST FLOOR UP.

MILLINERY

MILAN TAGEL HATS $1.49

A large table of fine Milan Tagel Hats in large sailor shapes and a few small turbans. Shades are black, navy, nigger, also purple, champagne, and rose. Friday $1.49

FLOWERS .19

1000 Bunches of Flowers, all suitable for the present mode of trimming. Large variety. Friday, bunch .19

TRIMMED HATS $2.49

Over one hundred smart hats, never shown before, at a very special price as a Friday Millinery attraction. Friday, each $2.49

HIGH CLASS TRIMMED HATS HALF PRICE

A table of high class trimmed hats which have been in stock over 3 weeks to clear. Friday at Half Price.

MILLINERY--FIRST FLOOR UP.

LACES .22 DOZEN YARDS.

2000 Dozen Valenciennes, Imitation Cluny and Torchon Laces, very dainty small patterns, some with ribbon edge, all suitable for trimming lingerie, boudoir caps, tea aprons, children's wear, ¾ to 2¼ inches wide. Friday a yard, .02; a dozen yards .22

EMBROIDERIES .25

1000 yards of 27 inch Muslin flouncings, hemstitched and scalloped borders, small patterns, for children's dresses, children's lingerie, etc. Friday, yard .25

VELVET RIBBON, .12½ YARD

Fine quality satin faced Velvet Ribbons; cerise, mauve, emerald, amethyst, maize, cream, 3 inches wide. Friday, yard .12½

LACES--STREET FLOOR.

SELF REDUCING CORSETS $1.19

Made of best quality English Coutil, duplex boning, six excellent webbing hose supporters, bones stopped, trimmed with silk embroidery, draw strings. Sizes 20 to 30. While they last Friday $1.19

BRASSIERES .45

Many broken lines and discontinued lines in brassieres, made of fine cambric, lace and embroidery trimmed. Some excellent values in the lot. Friday .45

C-C AND D. & A. CORSETS .89

A clearance of odds, rust proof boning, nicely finished, all sizes in the lot. Friday .89

CORSETS--FIRST FLOOR UP.

LONG KID GLOVES .89

12 Button Length Long Black Kid Gloves, Friday, pair .89

Real French Kid, mousquetaire wrist, 3 domes, in black only. A good range of sizes. Friday, pair .89

LISLE HOSE .23 A PAIR

A varied assortment of odd lines of ladies' Lisle and mercerized silk hose, in black, tan and white. Also a few Summer shades. Friday pair .23

GLOVES AND HOSIERY--STREET FLOOR.

200 House Dresses, in all sizes .29
300 Pairs Flannelette Drawers .49
100 Soiled Lingerie Blouses .98

WHITEWEAR AND BLOUSES--FIRST FLOOR UP.

FANCY GOODS

34 tan linen centres in Richelieu, worked in green. Friday, while they last, each .69

16 tan linen runners to match centres. Friday while they last, each .69

FANCY GOODS--STREET FLOOR.

LATE EXTRA! Briggers Pure Orange Marmalade

Just received a large shipment of 7-lb. pails of Pure Orange Marmalade, made by Briggers, of Hamilton. Consider the price of sugar and see what a bargain this is. A 7-lb. pail of Pure Orange Marmalade for .75

ORDER YOUR GROCERIES BY PHONE TONIGHT---UPTOWN 7002, 7003, 7004, 7005 and 7006 "ONLY"

IMPORTANT—Be sure and mention the word "Only" after giving the Phone Number. Five special phones direct to the Grocery Department at your service all this evening up to ten o'clock

St. Lawrence Pure Cane Granulated Sugar. 20 lb. sack $1.52

Eastern Townships Creamery Butter, 1 lb. block .36
Pure English Malt Vinegar, large bottle .15
Comfort, Queen's Laundry or Sunlight Soap, 6 bars for .25
Quaker Corn Flakes, per pkt., .08, 3 for .21
Libby's Asparagus Tips, per can .23, whole, per can .28
Windsor Salt, per sack, .05, 3 for .10
Finest Red Salmon, Autumn Leaf Brand, per lb. can .15
Extra Fine Carolina Rice, per lb. .10
Finest Rolled White Oats, 7 lbs. for .25
Finest Pastry Flour, 7 lbs., .25, 24 lbs. for .88
Wagstaffe's Pure Orange Marmalade, 2 lb. can .25
Campbell's Soups, assorted, 3 cans for .34, per dozen $1.34
Lump, Powdered or Pulverized Sugar, 3 lbs. for .29
Quaker, Tillson's or Robin Hood Oats, large pkt. .23

Eastern Townships Creamery Butter, Oval G. Brand, 1 lb. block .38
New Season's make

Brigger's Raspberry or Strawberry Jams, large jar .23
Holbrook's Custard Powder, 1 lb. cans for .18
New season's Pure Maple Syrup, large can $1.00
Fry's or Baker's Cocoa, ¼ lb. can .23, 1 lb. can .45
Goodwillie's Peach or Plum Jam, 5 lb. pail .50
St. William's Pure Raspberry Jam, 5 lb. pail .80
Lobster Paste for sandwiches per can .15
Pears or Peaches, 1 can of each for .23
Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple, per can .20 and .25
Green Peas, in pkts., with mint, 3 pkts. for .25
Campbell's Pork and Beans, in tomato sauce, 3 cans for .34
Apples in gallon cans, each .25

Ogilvie or Victory Flour, 7 lbs., .30, 24 lbs. $1.00

25 CENT SPECIALS

6 lbs. Rolled Wheat or Wheatlets.
6 lbs. Medium or Coarse Oatmeal.
6 lbs. Whole Wheat or Graham Flour.
3 Cans Greengage or Egg Plums.
2 pkgs. Seeded or Seedless Raisins.
1 lb. Cut Mixed Peel.
3 bots. of Liquid Ammonia.
3 pkts. H.O. or Handy Ammonia.
2 cans Norwegian Sardines.
6 pkgs. Jellies, pints.
4 bars Fel's Naptha Soap.
6 pkts. Borax or Ammonia.
6 pkts. Washing Soda.
5 pkgs. Pearline or 1776 Powder.
6 pkgs. Babbitt's Cleanser.
2 cans Lima Beans or Spinach.
2 cans Succotash or Rhubarb.
3 bots. Sauce or Catsup.
3 pkts. Lux or Wool Wash.
3 cans Pork and Beans, 3 lb. cans.
1 large bottle Pickles.
3 cans Cooking Chocolate.
3 cans Apples or Pumpkins.
4 pkgs. Pure Corn Starch.
3 pkts. Zu Zu or Lemon Snaps.
2 lbs. Prunes or Figs.
2 lbs. Evaporated Peaches.

3 pkgs. Chinese Starch.
3 pkts. Custard Powder.
3 pkts. Blanc Mange Powder.
1 bottle Grape Juice.
1 bottle Lime Juice.
5 bots. Bovril.
2 pkts. Teco Pancake Flour
3 bots. Extracts, all kinds
3 pkts. White Jellies.
1 can Pure Jam, 2 lbs.
1 can Pure Marmalade, 2 lbs.

Red Raspberries in Heavy Syrup, 2 lb. can, for .11

MORE SEEMAN'S CALIFORNIA PEACHES

4,800 cans of Seeman's California Peaches, in heavy syrup, in large size sanitary cans. These are the very finest quality. We would urge you to buy these by the dozen, as this is an exceptional offer. Price, per can .20

Red Pitted Cherries, in heavy syrup, 2 lb. can, for .12

TEAS AND COFFEES

Fine Family Tea, per lb., .34, 3 lb. pkt., $1.00, 10 lb. tin $3.25

Palm Room Blend, 1 lb. pkt .42
Victory Blend, 1 lb. pkt., .47, 1 lb. caddy, .50, 2 lb. caddy .95
English Breakfast Tea, 1 lb. caddy, .39, 2 lb. caddy, .75.
Oval G. Brand Coffee, 1 lb. caddy, for .38

King's Quality Tea, per lb., .38, 5 lb. tin, $1.90, 10 lb. tin $3.75
Lunch Room Special, per lb. .32
Golden Santos, per lb. .28
Finest French Coffee, per lb. .25
Arabian Blend, per lb. .42

Business Hours: 8.30 to 6

Goodwin's LIMITED

Telephone Uptown 7000.

British - Canadian Brand Tomatoes, 3 lb. cans, for, a dozen $1.05

More Canned Goods at Less than Wholesale Prices.
Canned Corn, Peas, Beans and Tomatoes, 3 cans of each for $1.00
Put up by Dominion Canners, so that are the very best.
Prices are advancing, so order early.

Hartley's Orange Marmalade, 1 lb. jar, .20, 2 lb. jar .38
Wagstaffe's Raspberry or Strawberry Jam, per pail .75
Baker's Cooking Chocolate, per lb .40
Pimento Relish or Chili Sauce, per bottle .15
Maraschino Cherries, per bottle, .25, .50 and .90
Pure Cane Syrup, 2 lb. can, for .20
Borden Eagle Milk, per can .15

Another Lot of Raymond's Pure Jams
500 cans of Raspberry and 500 cans of Strawberry, for a special Jam Sale this week - end. Put up by Alphonse Raymond, guaranteed pure fruit and granulated sugar only; 4 lbs. net weight, per pail .70

Niagara Pears or Hygeian Peaches, large cans, for .20

PROVISIONS

Ingersoll Peamealed Breakfast Bacon, per lb., sliced .33
Wiltshire Bacon, per lb., sliced .32
New Laid Eggs, per dozen .36
Dogneitic Shortening, 1 lb. pkt., .18, 3 lb. pail .52, 5 lb. pail .85
O.K. Pure Lard, 1 lb. pkt., .20, 3 lb. pail .56
Pure Peanut Butter, home made, per lb. .18

Evaporated Horse Radish, per bottle .25
Beaver Brand Hams, whole or half, per lb. .26
Chili Sauce, per bottle, .20 and .35

La Perle Pure Olive Oil, per can, .60, $1.05 and $1.85

A Special Sale of Pineapple Cubes
5,000 cans of Seeman's Pineapple Cubes, checker brand, very finest quality. Packed specially for our high class trade at a very low price, 16 oz. cans (nett weight), Per can .17

Clover Leaf Salmon, 1 lb. cans, tall or flat, Per can .25

Beets in cans, each .10
Snider's Tomato Soup, per can .11
Spanish Queen Olives, per bottle, .25, .40 and .75
Lea and Perrin's Worcester Sauce, per bottle, .35 and .65

Wagstaffe's Raspberry or Strawberry Jam, 2 lb. Jar for .38

Finest Petit Pois, Fin, per can .20, per doz. $2.25
Shirriff's Pure Orange Marmalade, 7 lb. pail .85
Chicken Haddie, 1 lb. cans, 2 for .25
Upton's Pure Orange Marmalade, per pail .48
Chivers' Raspberry or Strawberry Jam, per can .35

Ingersoll Cream Cheese, per pkt., .15 and .25

Raspberry Vinegar, per bottle .28
Holbrook's Greengage or Red Currant Jam, lb. jar .16

Orchard Brand Pure Orange Marmalade, 5 lb. pail, for .50