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FINAL DOCUMENTS WERE PRESENTED

Hungarian Contend That Proposed Boundaries Are Unjust and Indefensible

Feb. 23.—The final documents annexed to the Hungarian reply to the Allied peace terms were presented to the Secretary of the Peace Conference on Saturday last.

It is contended by the Hungarians in their answer that the boundaries proposed by the treaty are strategically and economically favorable to the adjoining countries but are unjust to Hungary and not defensible on either ethnological or historical grounds.

It is pointed out, that in addition to Transylvania, the boundaries proposed leave outside of Hungary a strip of territory from 35 to 40 miles wide, and entirely surrounding Hungary, in which the Hungarian population is in the overwhelming majority.

It is also alleged that the treaty cuts off a large population in the Carpathians which in the past has depended for its existence upon the work given the people during the summer on the Hungarian plains. These plains are to remain Hungarian, and the mountaineers, it is argued, will thus be deprived of their means of existence.

The proposed frontier lines, it is pointed out, likewise break up important public works erected at an expense of many millions of crowns, to fight the floods along the Theiss and the Danube, some of the dikes and pumping stations being allotted to one country while others which are connected with such work are operated in conjunction with them and are left to another country.

Another point made is that the railroad winding through the contested territory, are repeatedly cut by the peace treaty line so that it will be impossible, it is declared, to operate them successfully.

The point on which the Hungarians appear to be most sensitive is the detachment of territory in Western Hungary for annexation to Austria. They ask that plebiscites be held there also.

Promise is made in the reply that even should the plebiscites proposed in Transylvania rejected the alternative of annexation to Rumania, complete political autonomy, with economic union with Hungary, would be given to Transylvania. The reply declares that while 43 percent of the population of Transylvania is Rumanian, the territory has belonged to Hungary for a thousand years and the Rumanians who moved in were exiles who found asylum there when they fled before the Turks.

It is added that the Rumanians in that territory had never demanded annexation to Rumania, but that they were divided into two parties favoring autonomy and another remaining loyal to Hungary. The reply asks for the appointment of a commission to investigate atrocities alleged to have been committed in Transylvania by the Rumanian troops of occupation.

HON. A. K. MACLEAN
LATEST TO RESIGN.
Ottawa, Feb. 23.—(By the Canadian Press)—Hon. A. K. MacLean, Minister without portfolio, in the Union Cabinet, has placed his resignation in the hands of Sir Geo. Foster, Acting Prime Minister. Mr. MacLean was a member of the War Cabinet and acted as Minister in various departments during his tenure in the Cabinet. There have been rumors from time to time that Mr. MacLean would drop out of the Cabinet, which he only entered for the duration of the war.

AVIATOR KILLED
Eagle Pass, Tex., Feb. 23.—Second-Lieutenant Horace M. E. Corey, of Flight A., 19th Aero Squadron, U.S.A., was killed here today when his airplane fell 1200 feet after suddenly bursting into flames. Corey was 28 years of age. His home was in Chicago.

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HERBERT HOOVER ON RATIFICATION

Treaty Should Not be Issue in the Coming Presidential Campaign

Baltimore, Md., February 23.—Herbert C. Hoover, former Food Administrator, declared today in an address at Johns Hopkins University his opposition to making the ratification of the treaty with Germany an issue in the Presidential campaign. He insisted the injection of the arguments for and against reservations would "obscure our pressing democracy issues by conflict over a question in which the country already has made up its mind," and added, "It is my impression that there is not party credit in this position."

The present danger Europe is facing, Mr. Hoover said, is not so much a revolutionary cataclysm as the "steady degeneration of the standard of living and the slow decay of the forces of stability."

Restored productivity, he insisted, is essential if the Allies are to receive the maximum reparation.

"Until then we shall not have real peace," he said. "It will be delayed as long as we hang the treaty in the air, for we are a part of it."

"I believe that the majority of our people are convinced of the necessity of reservations with the League," Mr. Hoover continued. "Both parties to the conflict, it would appear to an outsider that both sides were in agreement on all the great major ideas of the League and the major ideas of the reservations, but that they are in disagreement mostly over secondary questions in the reservation. In the meantime the world is held in suspense. Infinite misery goes on accumulating. Forces are set in motion and may yield new conflicts. Already the distrust and undermining of confidence and credit in the world has crippled our export market."

FIFTEEN MILLIONS FACE DESTITUTION

Dr. Robertson Describes the Coming Food Shortage in Europe

Montreal, Que., Feb. 23.—Dr. J. W. Robertson, C.M.G., speaking before the Canadian Club today, said that in Europe today there were between ten to fifteen millions of people, who during the coming summer will be either on the verge of destitution or absolutely starving. As Canadian Minister of Food Supplies, Dr. Robertson said that while Canadians were clamoring for the Government to pull prices down, the European governments were trying to keep them up because there would be lack of production without good prices. Canada's reputation now was such that she would get the world's best prices for all she had to sell.

"My own opinion is that we shall in the next few years do well in agriculture with profits in response to effort."

At the final ceremonial of the peace conference Dr. Robertson stated that the speech of Premier Clemenceau occupied half a minute, President Wilson seven minutes and Sir Robert Borden, eight minutes. Representatives from Panama, Uruguay and Honduras spoke about an hour and a half each.

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GREAT BRITAIN IS ABOLISHING CONSCRIPTION

Winston Churchill Makes Announcement in Moving the Army Estimates

NO RESPONSE MADE

All Other States Have Maintained Compulsory Military Service

London, Feb. 23.—Conscription will be abolished in Great Britain on March 31, and within a month from that date, the last conscript will be entitled to be released, it was announced by Winston Churchill, the Secretary for War, in moving the army estimates in the House of Commons today.

Mr. Churchill states that Great Britain had succeeded in raising and organizing an entirely new volunteer army which at the time the conscription would lapse would number about 220,000, excluding troops serving in India.

The nation would be able with her re-organized army to place in the field in case of emergency a force of twenty divisions, with cavalry and auxiliary services, and supplied with the most modern arms and equipment a British army ever had. The War Secretary declared in a memorandum in amplification of his address:

"Incidentally Mr. Churchill disclosed the fact that a war tank had been produced with a speed of twenty miles an hour, which has mechanically a long life. In a trial run, of one thousand miles, he said, virtually no wear had developed. In his speech, Mr. Churchill declared that Great Britain had fought at the peace conference for the abolition of conscription, but that there was no response at all to her representations. The only other great power which Great Britain succeeded in persuading to abolish conscription was Germany and that only under dire compulsion. All the other states had maintained compulsory service as the basis of their military system and apparently had no intention of departing from it. These nations, he said, included the United States, which was the originator of the League of Nations, and Russia, "the home of advanced political thought."

Mr. Churchill said that Great Britain's army should be slightly bigger than before the war, but she was returning to arrangements, which were identical with those under which the country lived before the war. It was idle to pretend that Great Britain's pre-war army was proportionate to the risk she ran or to the important part she played and aspired to play in European diplomacy. That was why the removal of German danger did not in itself allow of any reduction to be made in the garrison of the British Empire.

On the other hand, he explained new responsibilities overseas had been placed on the country, in consequence of the war, and, besides, the whole eastern world in which Britain was interested more than any other power, was in a state of extreme disquiet.

"Considering our burdens throughout the middle East, Constantinople, Egypt, Persia and Mesopotamia," Mr. Churchill said, "no relief can be given until a real peace is made with a secure world. We have ground steadily during the whole of last year, and I trust, that, having disposed our armies, we shall not now take steps which would drive the Turkish people to despair or undertake any new obligations, because our resources are not equal to their discharge."

"We do not know when peace with Turkey will be made or what degree of acquiescence it will demand from the Turkish people. We do not know what aggressive action the Russian Bolsheviks will take in this sphere. We do not know how far Viscount Milner's commissions may be able to reduce the discontent in Egypt, we do not know when our responsibilities in Constantinople will terminate or when the expense of maintaining an international force there will be taken by an international body."

In replying to the debate Mr. Churchill emphasized his confidence in what the country would say when the general election came to a government which in abolishing conscription had set an example to the whole world, "even to pious America."

Captain William Wedgwood Benn interjected:

"A disgraceful sneer!" Mr. Churchill retorted to Captain Benn, who is slight of stature, but who, however, has won the D.S.O., and numerous other honors for valor in the late war:

"My honorable friend must really not develop mere indignation that he can contain."

The army vote for 75,000,000 pounds on account of which the debate was raised, was agreed to by 215 against 52.

DUBLIN INSTALS NEW LORD MAYOR

Tom Kelly Is Ill in a London Nursing Home After Imprisonment

Dublin, Feb. 23.—The City Corporation met today to install the new Lord-Mayor, Tom Kelly, who, after his recent release from the Wormwood Scrub Prison is now ill in a London nursing home.

The outgoing Lord-Mayor, Laurence O'Neill, in an address dwelt on the serious illness of Kelly, which prevented his attendance, and on what he described as the "brutal and inhuman treatment meted out to Kelly by the British Government, awakening even among the most moderate a growing sensation of revenge."

He said he would, pending Kelly's recovery, consult him and conduct the duties of Lord-Mayor in accordance with Kelly's wishes.

The Corporation cleansing committee announced that it would not apply for permits for its employees to be on the streets after midnight and therefore scavenger work would not be done as usual because of the recent decree ordering that all persons must remain indoors between midnight and five a.m. The Corporation, it was declared does not intend to light the streets during the hours when citizens are forbidden by the Government to use the thoroughfares.

Removed Ban.

Waterford, Munster, Ireland, Feb. 23.—Alderman Dr. White wore a robe of green, white and gold, the Irish Republican colors, when he was installed as Lord-Mayor today. The new Mayor ordered the ancient mace consigned to another room, describing it as a "bauble of English domination."

The Sinn Fein flag flew from the Town Hall and hundreds of persons wore the Sinn Fein colors.

MANITOBA TO HAVE FARMERS CANDIDATES

Between Six and Twelve Predicted in Next Provincial Elections

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 23.—The Winnipeg Free Press says: "At least six, perhaps twelve farmers party candidates will be nominated and will contest constituencies at the Provincial election next summer. It was announced today from a source which is in close touch with the farmers' political movement."

"These candidates will profess allegiance neither to Premier T. C. Norris, nor R. G. Willis, Leader of the Opposition. If elected, and the Free Press informant declared that he felt no doubt on this matter, the farmer members will maintain strict independence in the House."

On March 8, it states, a drive for funds will be started with an objective of \$300,000 of which about \$200,000 will be devoted to organizing for the Federal campaign.

AMERICANS READY TO CONCEDE CAN. STATUS

Ralph Connor Speaks of the Anxiety to Cement Cordial Relations

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 22.—(By Can. Press)—"The people of the United States are wholeheartedly behind any movement which will cement the cordial relations existing between their country and Canada and I have no doubt, after making careful enquiry, that they will be quite ready to concede Canada her full status as a member of the League of Nations," said Major (Rev.) W. Gordon, Winnipeg, better known throughout Canada as "Ralph Connor" author of many novels dealing with life in the Dominion, who is back today from an extensive trip across Canada.

"I went to great pains to sound out the feeling toward the Dominion," he told the Canadian Press, "and I may say that anybody that does, by word or act, anything that tends to weaken the friendly feeling between these two great branches of the Anglo-Saxon race is doing no good and very much harm to Canada and the Empire. Only in unity and co-operation between these two great nations lies the very best hope for the world's advancement in right opinion and right action."

MOSLEM DELEGATION COMING TO LONDON

Seeks Assurance of Sovereignty of the Ottoman Empire

London, Feb. 23.—A Moslem delegation is said to be on its way to London and the United States. The delegation which claims to hold a mandate for seventy million Indian Muslims has sent a statement here invoking President Wilson's twelfth point with regard to assurance of a secure sovereignty of the Turkish portions of the Ottoman Empire. It begs that no final decision with regard to Turkey's future be taken until the Muslim standpoint which is maintenance of the Ottoman Empire intact without prejudice to the autonomy of non-Turkish peoples, is heard.

UNITED FARMERS' CONVENTION ON PACIFIC COAST

Political Programme Set By Other Provinces May Not Materialize

A WASTE OF EFFORT

Time Should Be Spent in Pushing Measures to Develop Business

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 23.—(Canadian Press)—The convention of the United Farmers of British Columbia, meeting here today, its promoters say will be one of the most important and have more far-reaching effects on future organized effort in the farming communities of the Province than any other meeting ever held in the Province, opened here this morning.

The feeling seems to be growing among the delegates to the convention that the suggested political action on the part of this organization following the programme set by the farmers of Ontario and the mid-Western Provinces, is not likely to materialize.

"Candidates for Parliament who are farmers and who know the needs of the farming communities are all right and I believe we ought to have more of them in our legislative bodies," said W. F. Laidman, of Vernon, a prominent fruit grower of the Okanagan. "But a union of the farmers for political effort at this time, I think, would be a waste of effort. Our time should be spent in the development of our business and in the pushing forward of measures that will assist along that line. We have no time for play."

He strongly urged the formation of a British Columbia Council of Agriculture and he hoped that the meeting later in the week would be successful in bringing about the origin of such a body.

"What about the Canadian Council of Agriculture and the Dominion-wide union of the farmers which is so much talked of?" he was asked.

"That will come later," he replied. "But a strong provincial organization should come first."

The central secretary's report showed that the growth of the organization during the past few months had been very rapid. The membership up to the end of 1919 was only about 1,300, but it was now more than 4,300 and there were a number of newly organized locals which had not reported.

In presenting the fourth annual address of the organization, President Copeland said that as an organization, "we have grown strong. We know not how strong, for the spirit of the people is with us for better conditions. Humbly we look forward trusting for continuance of success in the years that are to come."

"The object of the United Farmers and the United Farm Women is to increase our membership in this Province to ten thousand next year, and only by your aid can this be done."

There is a strong feeling that the farmers of the East and Middle West will be heard from in no uncertain way in the coming Federal elections and I find everywhere a feeling that the farmers of this Province ought to be with them and have a voice in the framing of the policies in which

The Weather.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 23.—A moderate depression is situated tonight over the Lower Lake region and pressure is relatively high over the northwestern portion of the continent and over Gulf of St. Lawrence. Light snowfalls have occurred in Ontario and Western Quebec. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fair.

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	22	38
Prince Rupert	26	44
Victoria	36	50
Vancouver	28	44
Kamloops	16	40
Calgary	14	40
Edmonton	8	34
Battleford	20	30
Prince Albert	20	30
Medicine Hat	22	42
Moose Jaw	12	28
Port Arthur	18	26
Parry Sound	2	24
London	1	31
Toronto	17	30
Kingston	4	28
Ottawa	8	28
Montreal	2	26
Quebec	2	20
St. John	20	36
Halifax	26	32

Forecasts.
Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh westerly to northwesterly winds, fair, not much change in temperature.
Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Fresh winds, shifting to west, and northwest, light snow at first, then fair and moderately cold.
Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North Shore—Fresh to strong winds, mostly northeast and east, with light snowfalls.
Maritime—Strong winds to moderate gales, northeasterly to easterly, with snow and sleet.
Superior—Moderate to fresh north westerly to westerly winds, fair and moderately cold.
Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Fair stationary or a little higher temperature.
Alberta—Fair and mild.

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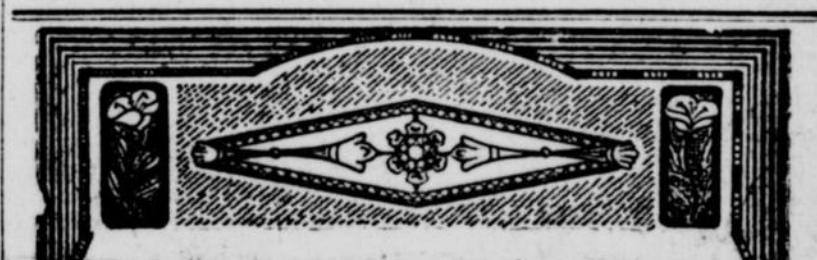
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candidates may be placed in the field.
"I do not believe it will be found that he differ greatly from the platform that has been put forward by the United Farmers of the Prairie and in any one case we ought to be in with them and if we desired some slight modification of that policy, I believe it could be secured."
A. R. Copeland, of Lumby, was unanimously re-elected President of the United Farmers of British Columbia at this afternoon's session.

PILGRIM FATHERS
London, Feb. 23.—A luncheon was given at the Mansion House today in celebration of the tercentenary of the sailing of the Pilgrim Fathers and Washington's Birthday. The luncheon was presided over by the Lord-Mayor.

Among the principal guests were John W. Davis, the American Ambassador; the Archbishop of Canterbury; the Bishop of London; Viscount Bryce and the Earl of Reading. Sir Auckland Geddes, Minister of National Service and Reconstruction; Hal Fisher, Minister of Education; Sir George H. Perley, Canadian High Commissioner in London; Andrew Fisher, Australian High Commissioner in London; Sir Thomas Lipton, Viscount Mersey; Viscount Burnham; Lord Wardsley; Baron Riddell, Sir William Tyrrell and Rear-Admiral Harry B. Knapp, commander of the American Naval Forces in European waters.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. S. E. Kirby, of Toronto, is a guest at the Chateau.

Mr. D. Champoux, of Cambellton, is staying at the Chateau.

Mr. Alph. Bougie, of Montreal, is registered at the Chateau.

Colonel Hibbard will arrive in town today from Montreal.

Mrs. P. Parent has issued invitations for a euchre and dance.

Mr. F. Lindsay, of Toronto, is in the city a guest at the Chateau.

Mr. G. Morissette, of Sherbrooke, is in the city staying at the Chateau.

Mr. John Kelly, of Montreal, is among the guests registered at the Chateau.

Mr. E. Fred Dugan, is in town from Montreal, where he spent a few days.

Mr. Rene Dupont has returned to town from Montreal, where he spent a few days.

Mr. R. E. Woodward, of Montreal, arrived in town yesterday and registered at the Chateau.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Henderson, of Boston, Mass., are in the city, guests at the Chateau.

Miss Dorothy Rhodes who has been visiting Dean and Mrs. Evans, Montreal, has returned home.

Mr. George Parent, M.P., is leaving today for Ottawa to attend the forthcoming session of Parliament.

Hon. Justice Audette of the Exchequer Court, Ottawa, is in town the guest of Hon. Justice Pelletier.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Landry arrived in town yesterday from Riviere du Loup, and are registered at the Chateau.

Mrs. (Dr.) Belanger, of Beauport, entertained to dinner Friday in honor of Mrs. LeBel and Miss LeBel, of Montreal.

Miss Lalonde, of Montreal, who was the guest of the Misses Painchaud, St. Ursule Street, has returned to Montreal.

Miss Josephine Cote, of Montreal, has arrived in town, and will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alonzo Cinq Mars for a few days.

Madam I. Emile Tremblay, Miss M. Marguerite Savoie and Miss Fillion, are in town from Bagotville, guests at the Chateau.

Mayor H. E. Lavigne and Mde. Lavigne leave on Wednesday for Ottawa to attend the opening of Parliament on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Yvonne Lord, of Shawinigan Falls, and Miss E. B. Racicot, of St. Paul, Alta., arrived in the city yesterday, and are staying at the Chateau.

Mr. Sandy MacGregor, the well known Scotch Comedian, who gave a few concerts in the Jeffery Hale's Hospital to the military patients, has returned to Montreal. He expects to return to this city in the near future.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

Judgments Rendered—Writs Issued in the case of Paquet, vs. La Prevoyance, an automobile insurance company, in which plaintiff claimed \$1200 damages, for an accident which occurred at a Railway crossing, when his automobile was damaged. The action was dismissed with costs. It is understood an appeal will be filed.

Judgments by Hon. Justice Gibson:

Pronovost, vs. The Abitibi Power & Paper Co.—Judgment according to the consent of the parties.

Alephants & Employers Guarantee & Accident Co. vs. Robitaille The plaintiff claims from the defendant the sum of \$129.00, sustained through an automobile collision action dismissed with costs.

Judgment by the Prothonotary: Savard, vs. Talbot—Judgment against defendant for \$629.52, interest and costs.

Writs of summonses issued from the Prothonotary's office:

Wm. McWilliam, Inc., vs. Lionel Leclerc, Quebec; possessory.

Gustave Proulx et al. vs. Albert Gauthier, Quebec; 5000 saisis ageris.

Joseph Gauthier vs. Albert Brunelle and Alphonse Nadeau, St. Juste; 212.24, debt.

Ernest Moreau vs. E. M. Brunet; 2291, balance on promissory note.

Telephonie Quai vs. Louis Joseph Piquet, Quebec; \$500, debt.

J. Wilfrid Gauthier vs. Arthur Monahan, Le Sagre; \$125.72, account.

Alexis Leprie vs. Le Gerant gen. des Chemins de Fer de l'Est; 191.61, debt.

Leon Gagnon vs. Romeo Valliere, St. Roman; \$887, board and loan.

Pector Robinot vs. Frank Renaud; 2210, promissory note.

La Cie L'Espresso, Ltd., vs. Edouard and David Gaudet, Bearn, Australia; \$95.29, promissory note.

S. F. Mackinnon & Co., Ltd., vs. Mrs. J. J. Findlay, Fort Coulonge; 277.72, account.

Georges Belieu vs. Ferdinand Armand, Quebec; \$137.50, saisie-agerie.

Mrs. Mary Martel, vs. Delina Despatis, Quebec; \$190, annulment of lease and damages.

J. Amede Demers vs. Aurele Lemay, Ste. Emile; \$225, saisie-revendication.

WANT MORE WAGES.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 23.—Massachusetts Post Office clerks are out after a fifty per cent. increase of wages. They adopted resolutions in favor of demanding this advance at a convention here today.

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The rugs are scarce, and the prices are considerably advanced within the last few months. We have still in our assortment an immense quantity of Carpets, Rugs, in velour, axminster and Wilton, which offer an exceedingly good choice of designs and rich colors, and we are selling them AT THE OLD PRICES.

This signifies a reduction of from 30 P.C. to 40 P.C. on the actual wholesale prices.

Buy your rugs and carpets now, and you will save a considerable amount of money, which you will be obliged to pay in the Spring on the same merchandise.



5 For 4

Do not forget that we are giving five for four rates on carpets and oilcloths, with the exception of goods which have already been reduced.

(Second Floor)

Underwear and Sweaters For Children

Fleece lined Camisoles for babies in grey and white. Special 15c

Children's Camisoles in heavy cotton, long sleeves. Special 39c

Camisoles for Children in heavy cotton opened in front, long sleeves. Special 49c

Fleece lined Bloomers for children, with elastic in bottom and top. Special 89c

Children's Drawers in white, fleece lined. Special 59c

Children's Drawers in white flannel-ette. Special 59c

Children's Sleeping Suits, in fleece lined, sizes 1 to 7 years. Price 89c, \$1.19, \$1.36 and\$1.40

Children's Sweaters from 4 to 8 years, made with shawl collar, color, navy and grey. Special\$1.59

Union Wool Sweaters for girls, colors, grey, old rose, with double collar in white angora wool, sizes 8 to 12 years. Special\$2.89

Middy Waists for children and girls, in wool, collar made in sailor style, opened in front, and on the sides, with white silk lace, sizes 4 to 15 years. Special \$5.50, \$6.50, \$6.98 and\$7.98

(First Floor)

Silks and Cloths

This department is still offering goods at the rate of five for four with the exception of goods which have already been reduced in price

Have You Examined "Wooltouch"

This is a new Cotton Fabric, which is the best substitute for wool on the market; it has all the appearance of wool, and to the touch seems the same. We are selling it in a good variety of checks in different colors.

This material is very appropriate for young girls dresses. Special introductory price per yard.

79c

(Main Floor)

Boys' Suits

Boy's two piece Suits in fancy tweed made with bloomer pants, sizes 28 to 30; regular a suit \$11.00. Sale price\$9.87

Sizes 31 to 35; regular \$12. Sale price\$10.57

We have another lot of grey tweed Suits, sizes 26 to 30; regular a suit \$7.50. Sale price\$5.95

Sizes 31 to 35; regular price \$9.00 and \$10.00. Sale price\$7.85

SPECIAL

We have 14 Suits in knitted wool for young boys, which we are offering at a reduction of 25 Per Cent.

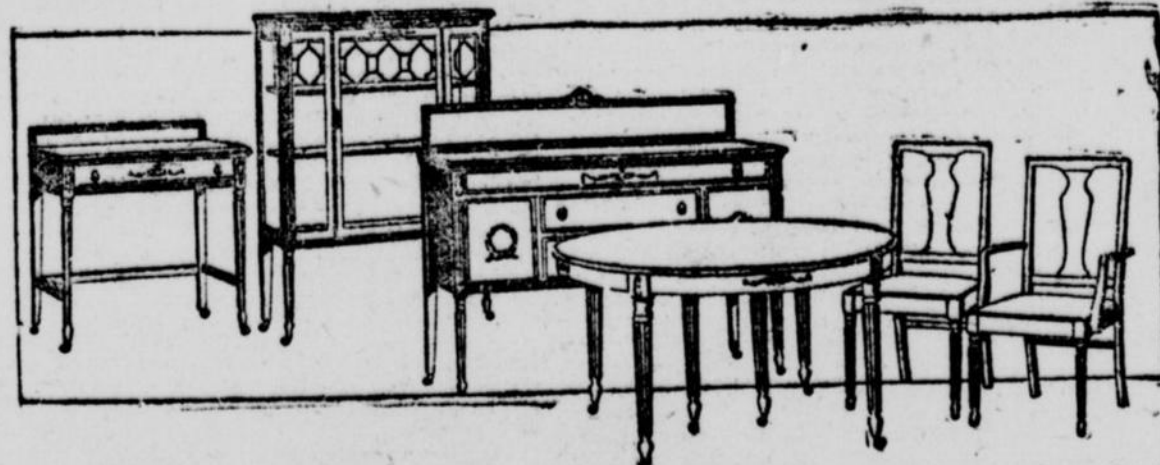
(Main Floor)

Do Not Forget These Electric Lamps

If you wish to replace the ones which are burned out at your home. The prices which are being offered on the Lamps this week are very attractive.

Good Quality Electric Bulbs, 10, 15 and 40 watt Lamps. Special Price each 24c

In The Furniture Department



If you need Furniture in the Spring, and yet you feel that you are not in a position to get it now, do not let this embarrass you whatever. Just come here, choose what you want, and we will keep it for you until such times as you want it in the Spring.

Dining-room Set of 9 pieces, comprising buffet, round table, china cabinet, five chairs and one armchair, in fumed oak finish. Sale price per set\$130.00

Very nice Dining-room Set containing 10 pieces, namely, buffet, china cabinet, side table, dining table, five chairs and one armchair in solid mahogany in dull finish, very nice design. Special sale price\$420.00

Dining-room Suite of 9 pieces, comprising buffet, china cabinet, round table, five chairs and one armchair in Queen Anne style, made of American black walnut in dull finish. Sale price per set\$220.00

Dining-room Set comprising 10 pieces, namely, buffet, 72 inches long, cabinet, very large round table with twelve legs, side table, five chairs and one armchair, very nice design in brown walnut. Special sale price\$675.00

Dining-room Set of 9 pieces, buffet, china cabinet, table, five chairs and one armchair in very nice design, finished in solid black walnut. Sale price per set\$295.00

Dining-room Set containing ten pieces, buffet, 72 inches long, table, side table, china cabinet, five chairs and one armchair, very nice design in quartered or golden oak finish. Sale price\$675.00

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QUEBEC, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1920.

REPORT ON ST.
CHARLES' LOCKSCity Engineer Tells of Work
That Will Be Required on
Sewers

The question of the construction of the St. Charles River locks and the emptying of the City sewers into that river was covered in a report which has been submitted to the City Council by City Engineer Ballaigre.

At a meeting of citizens held at the City Hall last fall, the chief reason given for the Government abandoning the work was that the City had not done its share of the work, namely, the diverting of the city's sewers emptying into the St. Charles River to have them empty into deep water in the St. Lawrence. It was also held on the one hand that with the sewers flowing into the locks it would be a source of menace to public health, and on the other, that with the collection of water in the locks it would back up in the pipes, block the flow and flood many of the cellars in St. Roch.

It was decided at that time to ask Dr. C. R. Paquin, the Chief City Medical Officer, to report on the sanitary aspect of the question, and City Engineer Ballaigre was asked his opinion as to the possibility of having the sewers discharge into the locks.

Dr. Paquin's report, which was submitted to the meeting of the City Council on Friday stated that, in his opinion, the sewers might be permitted to empty into the locks for two years without constituting a serious menace to public health, but that it would be intolerable to continue it much beyond that period.

Ballaigre Report.

Mr. Ballaigre in his report points out that with the locks completed the level of the outlets of the sewers would be lower than the surface of the water in the locks, and as a result these sewers would always be flooded, while at the present time they were only flooded during periods of high tides.

The conclusions of Mr. Ballaigre's report are as follows:

"Should the City obtain the permission of the Provincial Board of Health to allow the City sewers to discharge into the pond created by the damming of the river, the following works will have to be carried out:

"1. Modification of height of part of the city sewer outlets, except that of St. Roch's street, so that they may continue to discharge at elevation 17.

"2. The St. Roch's Street sewer will have to be extended towards the St. Charles River, in order to discharge outside of the dam site.

"On the north side of the river, the River will have to be modified west of 4th Avenue in order to discharge at elevation 17.

"A collector drain will have to be constructed from 4th Avenue to the St. Lawrence River, in order to allow the sewerage to flow outside of the dam.

A Collecting Drain.

B. "Should the City be obliged to divert its sewers outside of the dam, then the following works will be required:

"1. A collector drain will have to be constructed from the present sewer near Bell's Road, going eastward to a point outside of the dam.

"2. A collector will also have to be constructed from Lavigneur Bridge on the north side of the river, going eastward as far as the St. Lawrence River.

"The slope of the present sewers situated between the proposed collectors and the River will have to be reversed, and this includes all that part of Hare Point situated between Prince Edward Street and Lavigneur Bridge.

"The following considerations must also be kept in mind:

"1. The expansion of the city in area and population which is always increasing.

"2. If the permission given by the Provincial Board of Health is not absolute, and can be revoked in a few years, the modifications which then will have been carried out by the City involving a great expenditure, will be of no utility whatever.

The comparative estimate of any of the above schemes can not be made unless the above mentioned considerations be carefully studied, and the preliminary works to that effect will require the service of two engineers with a proper staff for a period of one year."

Cost of Collecting Drain.

Referring to the approximate cost of the collecting drain in another part of his report, Mr. Ballaigre says:

"I might call your attention to the fact that the preparation of an estimate of the cost (even though only

THE EPIDEMIC IS
SPREADING EASTNineteen More Municipalities
Report Influenza in This
Province

Montreal, Que., Feb. 23.—Between Friday night and this afternoon 19 more municipalities in the Province of Quebec reported influenza to the Superior Board of Health. This brings the total of municipalities to 87. The epidemic is now spreading east of Quebec, Rimouski being badly hit with as many as 200 cases. The outbreak is, however, of mild form with a low mortality rate everywhere.

Montreal has reached its highest death rate from influenza since the commencement of the epidemic January 20th, over the week-end. The number of cases reported for Sunday and today were low, showing a substantial drop, but the death rate went on alarming figures. They were respectively 224 and 46. Total deaths were 46 from influenza, 18 from pneumonia, and eight from broncho-pneumonia.

Montreal is now entering the sixth week of the epidemic. During the 1918 epidemic, the disease had run its course by the time it reached its sixth week and it is hoped it will do the same this year, but it has started off much worse in the matter of deaths.

Toll Still Heavy

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 23.—Reports of 25 deaths from influenza and pneumonia over the week-end, covering 48 hours, indicate that the disease, while dying down, is still taking a heavy toll of lives. Fortunately the total number of deaths from the flu and pneumonia is not by any means as large as a week ago.

A particularly sad feature of the port is the large number of little children under two years of age, who have become victims. These total eight. In one instance an infant and mother both succumbed to pneumonia, the child being prematurely little one just two days old was a victim. The record still holds that there are more dying between the ages of 20 and 40, only two being 50 years or over, and very large proportion of those dying in early life are married women.

PARTY LEADERS
WANT A CAUCUSPossibility of Substantial Split
Among the Democrats Over
Treaty

Washington, D.C., Feb. 23.—The possibility of a substantial break in the Democratic rank on the peace treaty in the Senate led the party leaders to move today for a caucus to discuss a possible change in party policy, and further served to revive hopes of the Republican Senators for ratification of the treaty with the Republican reservations adopted at the last session of Congress.

Republicans declare that 22 Democrats, only a dozen short of the number required to insure ratification, have expressed their willingness to desert President Wilson and take the Republican reservation programme as it is. Democrats say this estimate is exaggerated but admit that there have been defections.

The Democratic caucus may bring to a head dissatisfaction that has been smouldering since the President sent his memorable letter to the caucus last November asking Senators of his party to oppose the Republican reservations. Seven who then disregarded his advice have been working among their colleagues since. It is admitted, however, that there is still a long way to go to secure enough Democrat votes to ratify. In November thirty four Republicans voted for ratification but now the leaders are sure of only thirty. That leaves thirty four votes to be delivered by the Democrats, not an easy task to secure.

The tactics of the Republicans will now be to delay, believing that Democratic opposition to the President will continue to grow. In the meantime both sides admit that the President has two courses open to him, to take further steps to stiffen the backs of Democratic Senators, or to withdraw the treaty from the Senate.

RAILWAY AGENTS

REFUSE PREPAYMENTS

Montreal, Que., Feb. 23.—(By Canadian Press).—The adverse reaction between Canada and the United States today brought about a new development in international affairs when an order was issued by the Canadian railways, effective March 1, whereby railway agents are ordered to refuse to accept prepayments of the shipping charges on shipments from Canada to the United States, except in the case of certain kinds of goods, on which prepayment is required by the tariff rules.

This means that shipping charges will be collected at the point of destination and in United States funds instead of in Canada and in Canadian currency.

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REPRESENTATION
AT WASHINGTONQuestion Asked in the British
House Regarding Canadian
Appointment

London, Feb. 24.—(By Canadian Press).—Replying to Percy Hurd, in the House of Commons today whether the Government had been consulted in regard to proposed legislation in the Canadian Parliament, providing for a Canadian representative at Washington and what changes these proposals might make in the present use of the Colonial and Foreign Offices as regards media of communication between Ottawa and Washington, Right Hon. Bonar Law said that communications on the subject has passed between the Governments.

A statement would be made in due course.

In reply to questions, Mr. Bonar Law said he could not name the date of the next Imperial Conference.

Questions regarding the trial of the German war criminals and as to the Turks remaining at Constantinople failed to elicit fresh information from Mr. Bonar Law promised facilities for a debate later.

A series of questions were fired at Sir Auckland Geddes, President of the Board of Trade, on the huge profits alleged to have been made by the Coats' sewing cotton monopolists and the Imperial Tobacco Company and the point was raised as to action being taken under the profiteering Act. Sir Auckland pleaded that an extremely difficult question of policy arose regarding the effect on overseas trades in the Coats' case where the profits were almost entirely made not from export but from businesses or subsidiary companies in Canada or the United States, and the proposal to keep prices down here in fact one to subsidize British sewing cottons out of profits made by Canadian and United States industries. The Government was considering the matter but it was not easy to find a way out.

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QUEBEC, FEBRUARY 24, 1920.

SOMETHING MUST BE DONE.

Yesterday morning we inquired as one of the things that the public would like to know, whether the St. Charles river front agreed with the present system of sewer pipes for another two years, locks or no locks. Since then we have received a textual copy of the City Health Officer's report which he claims is in answer to our question and evidence that he has seen ill-used by press reports of the proceedings of the City Council on Friday evening last.

Although we cannot altogether agree with this position of Dr. Paquin, it is only fair to say that his report showed a considerably greater appreciation of the pros and cons of the question than could be indicated in a brief reference. In view of the importance of the sewerage problem, therefore, and in order to place all the evidence before our readers we now reproduce the document that we have received, which reads:

11th August, 1919.

Mr. Mayor.—In conformance with your instructions I have given the most careful study to the consequences, from a sanitary point of view, of the emptying of the city sewerage into the St. Charles River locks.

In principle, I do not hesitate to say that the execution of such a project could not be tolerated without danger to the public health. However, when one takes the trouble to study the probable situation of these locks, their method of operation, the daily volume of water that must pass through them, the pressure that will be exerted on this body of water by the daily opening of the gates, and the quantity that will remain there even at low tide, one is disposed to believe that the dangers to be apprehended would not be as serious as has been represented.

But this question is too important and too controversial not to submit the pro and con to you before attempting to establish an opinion.

It is evident that the emptying of the sewerage will create a nuisance, but as this nuisance will be caused by deposits of used matter, termed mud, at the bottom of the basins, it is difficult to establish the number of months or years required to make it dangerous. Everything will depend upon the facility with which this mud, that can be estimated at 40,000 tons per year, is carried off to the river.

It is true that at low water, the current of the river will not be sufficient to have any useful effect on the waters held in the basin, but I am free to state that it would be possible to change the volume of water in the basin from time to time, either by operating the gates of the locks, or by the main sluices included in the project. By these means the nuisance would certainly be stopped or diminished, but a point that seems very important to me is the flooding of certain sewer pipes.

Every one knows that at high tide, water backs up in the drains of certain streets and at low tide these drains empty themselves. It therefore follows that with the locking these same pipes will be always flooded.

How then should we regard this nuisance on the score of public health?

It is a question of bad odors caused by gases, rendered harmless through their great dilution in the air, but where these odors are very pronounced, the nuisance will cause even greater discontent than if it was dangerous.

From another side if one takes into consideration that the used matters will be diluted in a very considerable volume of water before being expelled into a final basin of twenty feet of water at low tide and that this basin, being a continuation of the river, will be submitted to all movements of the tide; if one takes into consideration, I say, that this mud will never be exposed to the unhealthy effects of the atmosphere, since it will be always in a state of absorption or dilution, I am very much disposed to believe that our risk will be no greater with the proposed locks than with the existing condition of our sewerage, at least for two years.

As a matter of fact, it must be admitted that the present system is defective since the used matters that our drains discharge into the river every day are thrown up on the banks of every rising tide and partially abandoned to atmospheric influences. After the locking these draw-backs will tend to disappear. In other words, I am not afraid to say that the present system is as dangerous as would be the discharge of sewage for two years above the locks. But on the other hand it will become intolerable if it is prolonged much longer.

I have it from a sanitary engineer, Mr. Lafreniere, whom I have consulted on this subject, that absolutely identical problems presented themselves at Boston in 1900 and in Europe where unsanitary rivers, exposed to tidal action, have been completely transformed by locks.

Therefore as there is nothing as convincing as facts, I believe it essential to learn the experience of those who have gained it. In the case that I have cited, it seems that before undertaking the works, a commission of engineers had studied the problem for a whole year.

If I am correctly informed, there appears to be another means than by locking to render the St. Charles navigable at all times. This is by dredging the river and constructing a retention wall on either side.

This system would probably be less economical in view of annexed problems, but it would be easier of execution and would have an unsuspected importance as regards the aesthetic appearance of our city. But what is more important for us from an economic point of view, if the project is practicable, is that the city would probably be relieved from carrying its used waters to the river, or at least the problem would become much less urgent. Now what must we conclude from the above?

In view of the fact that the City has already submitted this question to the Superior Council of Hygiene during the autumn of 1918, and can do nothing in the matter without its approval, I do not consider myself justified, although a member of the Council, in giving you a final decision.

However, I have not the same objection to stating that the obstacles which at first sight appear to stand in the way of discharging sewerage into the proposed locks, do not appear to be sufficiently established in practice, to refuse the city a temporary delay of two years in the execution of these works.

On his side, the Federal Government, being re-

moved by contract from all damages caused by the sewers, cannot object to it, if the city is willing to run the resultant risks and annoyances.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) Dr. C. R. PAQUIN, Municipal Physician.

The Chronicle does not consider it unfair to summarize the above as stating that, while we can probably continue the present system for another two years with impunity, and although the situation created by the locks will be no more dangerous than the existing situation, there must be a certain element of risk coupled with a very decided nuisance during that time. Also that the present system cannot be continued much beyond the limit of two years without becoming dangerous and intolerable.

Now drastic alterations to the sewerage system of a city such as Quebec cannot be made in a day, and probably not in a year. The report of the City Engineer, whose conclusions will be found elsewhere in this issue, states that a twelve month's preliminary investigation will be necessary. Accordingly it is highly improbable that the needed improvements can be completed within Dr. Paquin's two years of grace, even if an active start is made immediately.

We have contended all along and are confirmed in our opinion by this expert evidence, that valuable time has already been lost which cannot be recovered. It is on that account all the more imperative that quick action be taken now and it is the duty of the New Council to order the City Engineer to begin his preliminary study without further delay.

AN ENVIABLE RECORD.

One of Canada's great enterprises with which Quebec is closely identified by reason of its position, is Canada Steamship Lines, Limited, for which reason the steady progress of the past few years reflected in its annual report published in this issue, will be a source of legitimate satisfaction to this community as a whole. While the Company's record was an outstanding feature of the war period so far as the development of the Dominion is concerned, particular interest attaches to the showing made during 1919 as this is the first full year in which the enlarged system has been operated under peace conditions. That the record earnings of 1918 have not only been maintained but carried to new high levels is accordingly an ample earnest for the prosperity of Canada Steamships in a normal future. Under the favorable conditions which existed in the early years of the war the management looked well ahead and in its various departments made long term contracts which are now accruing to the benefit of the company. In addition, the company has rounded out its entire organization from an inland waterway concern to a big steamship consolidation, with its various lines established, not only on all the waterways of Canada, but on the oceans to France and other European points and southward to the West Indies and South America.

Of equal importance has been the steady improvement Canada Steamship Lines have made in the class of steamers on its various routes. A large number of the boats which were turned over at the time of the consolidation have been sold on favorable terms and have been replaced by standard modern vessels, which should meet every requirement of the large undertakings of the company for many years to come.

What has actually been accomplished can be no more clearly put than in the words of the President, Mr. J. W. Norcross, who in his report to the shareholders, stated in part:

"Both the freight and passenger earnings of the System have been eminently satisfactory during the past year. Considering that this is the first year that the company has operated its enlarged systems under peace conditions, these results must be regarded as gratifying and on this account there is every justification for looking to the future with confidence."

"In conformity with our announced policy of extending the field of operations of the company abroad, thus co-ordinating Great Lakes, River and Ocean traffic, your Directors have inaugurated several new services between Canada and Europe and between New York, West Indies and South America, through the purchase of modern steamers. Some of these vessels have passengers accommodation. It is the belief of your Directors that the immigration business will assume large proportions. The results obtained have already justified the policy adopted. The Ocean Services, besides enjoying a substantial revenue, have contributed to the increased earning power of all branches of the company's operations. You will note by the Balance Sheet that the increase in the vessel property of the company over that of last year amounts to \$5,619,247.83, that the increase in fixed assets indicated under the heading 'Real Estate, Buildings, Docks and Wharves' amounts to \$296,672.57, and the increase in other fixed assets, etc., to \$398,343.27; the last two increases being attributable very largely to extensions made to our shipbuilding plant at Three Rivers."

The Chronicle heartily felicitates both shareholders and management upon such a well-merited success and looks forward with confidence to the benefits that this city must inevitably receive from the increasing strength and prestige of Canada Steamship Lines.

Some Things The Public Would Like to Know

Why it was that the reports of the City Health Officer, Dr. Paquin, and the City Engineer, Mr. Ball, large, upon the St. Charles sewers only came before the City Council in February when the first was submitted last August and the second last November?

Whether some Allied Statesmen would be as tender towards the Turk if they had spent a few years in Armenia?

STILL NURSING WAR.

An immediate consequence of the complete disruption in the economic life of the nations has inevitably been to produce extreme and widespread misery, and when men are very miserable they sometimes do strange and revolutionary things. If ever any great communities were almost deliberately and scientifically prepared for some such upheaval, the nations of Central Europe, and to some extent those of Western Europe, have been so prepared. In Eastern Europe the upheaval has for some time past been going on before our eyes. The root cause of all the mischief is of course war, and the leading men in the Labor party have done a public service by their powerful exposition of this fact in their manifesto. Yet so far from stopping the war the victorious Powers have sedulously nursed and are still nursing it. When is this madness to cease?

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Senate Sends Modified Bill to President By a Large Majority

Washington, D.C., Feb. 23.—By a vote of nearly three to one the Senate tonight passed and sent to the President the modified railroad reorganization bill under which the carriers of the country will attempt to adjust themselves to conditions arising with the end of Government control. Thirty two Republicans joined with fifteen Democrats in voting for adoption of the conference report while three Republicans and fourteen Democrats comprised the 17 voting against it. There was never any doubt as to what the Senate would do in view of the wide margin by which the Cummins bill, more drastic than the compromise measure was passed. The bill will go immediately to President Wilson and the general opinion around the capital was that he would sign it, although labor leaders will urge its veto.

Discussion today related largely to the labor and rate-making provisions. Senate Cummins, with great feeling, denounced widespread claims that in fixing freight and passenger charges calculated to give the roads a return of 5 1-2 percent

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meant taking huge sums of money from the public treasury. The bill, he declared, would not take one dollar in that way. Such reports, he said, were merely a part of the propaganda put forth in an effort to defeat all legislation on the eve of return of the roads to their owners on March first.

NO INTIMATION YET BEEN RECEIVED

London, Feb. 23.—Andrew Bonar Law, the Government leader, stated in the House of Commons today that no intimation of the decision of the

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NITRATE PLANT BUILDERS DENY WASTE CHARGES

Washington, D.C., Feb. 23.—Representatives of the builders of the Government nitrate plant at Muscle Shoals, the construction of which has been under investigation, today denied the charge that there had been wholesale waste, appearing before the War Expenditure Committee of Congress. Several witnesses have alleged that material was thrown away and hundreds of men on the payroll had little or nothing to do.

NEW REVOLUTIONARY PARTY

Apoahual, Sonora, Mex., Feb. 23.—There is a new revolutionary party in Mexico. A proclamation issued today calls on "patriotic" Mexicans to join the new revolt, which is scheduled for May 5.

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Funeral Wednesday, the 25th instant, at 9 o'clock, leaving her late residence No. 134 d'Aiguillon street at 8.45 for St. Jean Baptiste Church and thence to St. Charles Cemetery.

THANKSGIVING

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IN AND ABOUT TOWN

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Fifty-Nine Additional Cases
Were Reported Over the
Week-end

The Quebec Civil Department of Health gave out the statement yesterday that up to the noon hour, 59 additional cases of influenza had been reported by the physicians since Saturday, making a total of 179 cases of the sickness since the first week of February. This includes twenty-three additional cases in the Franciscan Convent, Grande Allee, and thirteen prostrations from the disease in the Ursuline Convent.

Dr. Paquin declares that the sickness in Quebec is so far of the mild type and again cautions the public to act with the utmost prudence during the season of epidemic, and guard against throwing off heavy winter wraps during milder weather.

There were also reported to the Department six additional cases of measles and two cases of scarlet fever since Saturday.

The number of cases of sickness reported to the Department from the first of the present month up to yesterday noon were:—Influenza, 179 cases; one death; measles, 55 cases; varicella, 8 cases; chicken-pox, 2 cases; diphtheria, 5 cases; and two deaths; typhoid fever, 1 case; tuberculosis, 4 cases.

SUCCESSOR TO
JUDGE LANCELIER

Frankly Admitted Provincial
Cabinet Divided Over the
Appointment

It is frankly admitted here that the members of the Government are divided over the appointment of a successor to the late Mr. Justice Langelier, as magistrate of the Sessions of the Peace.

A few days after the death of Judge Langelier it was commonly reported that Arthur Godbout, member for Beauce, would be appointed, but later it developed that there was opposition to this and that several members of the cabinet favored the nomination of Arthur Lachance, a former member of the House of Commons for Quebec Centre, and Crown Prosecutor.

It is rumored here that Sir Lomer Gouin favors Mr. Godbout, while Hon. L. A. Taschereau, the Attorney General, would like to see Mr. Lachance get the appointment.

Owing to a deadlock in the Cabinet the appointment was not made last week and Sir Lomer Gouin and Hon. L. A. Taschereau left last Friday for a holiday trip to the Laurentides.

Reports in circulation here state that should Arthur Lachance be appointed magistrate he will be succeeded as Crown Prosecutor by Lucien Cannon, M.P., and in the event of Arthur Godbout being named, Mr. Cannon and his friends will work to have Mr. Lachance appointed Recorder of the City of Quebec, as a clause was inserted in the Charter of the City at the last session providing for the retirement of Recorder Dery on full salary. The appointment of Mr. Lachance as Recorder of the City would create further division in the cabinet, as certain members of the Cabinet favor the promotion of Deputy Recorder DesRivieres.

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DesRivieres Have Left for
New York

Mr. P. Nelson Verge City Treasurer, and Mr. Henri DesRivieres, Manager of the St. Roch's Branch of the Bank of Montreal, have left for New York where they will study the conditions of the money market relative to the renewal of a loan of the City of Quebec for the sum of \$2,125,000.

The loan was floated five years ago and comes due in April. It is anticipated that the renewal of the loan will involve an expenditure of about \$300,000 for the city.

SIR CHARLES ROSS

TO ENTER APPEAL

Sir Charles Ross has instructed his Quebec attorneys to appeal the judgment recently rendered in the Quebec Superior Court, that awarded heavy damages to one resident in Montana, and the other in the State of Texas, who sued for damages on account of injuries sustained from defective sporting rifles.

FOREIGN MAIL

A foreign mail, containing letters, parcels and newspapers will be despatched by SS. Melita sailing from St. John. The mail will be closed at Quebec Head Post Office at 4:00 p.m. the 25th instant.

A letter mail will be despatched per SS. Lapland, from New York, and will be closed tonight at 9:00 p.m., 23rd instant.

A good crowd will be at the
Dance at Kent House tonight.
Trains at 8:00 and 8:30.

SIR LOMER GOUIN

LOSES BROTHER

The sudden death is reported here from Amos, Abitibi, of Nemesis Gouin brother of Sir Lomer Gouin.

TOPPING AND PROTEAU

CHANGE THEIR MINDS

George Topping and J. B. T. Proteau, the two alleged principals in the Honnery I. C. R. mail train robbery, who applied through their counsel three weeks ago for permission to take a speedy trial in the Court of Sessions, have changed their minds. Yesterday when Judge Choquette was about to render a decision in regard to their request, the attorneys for the accused, Messrs. Stare, Levesque, K.C., and Emile Parent withdrew the request, and now it is definitely decided that the two prisoners will be tried before the next criminal term of the Court of King's Bench.

FORMER QUEBECER

DEAD IN MONTREAL

The many friends of Mr. Pierre Savard, formerly of this city, but for the last few years of Montreal, who longed to see him, were surprised to find that he had passed away in Montreal yesterday, after a brief illness of only a week. The deceased gentleman had an attack of the grippe, which developed into pneumonia and despite the efforts of his physicians, passed away.

Mr. Savard was well known in athletic circles here, having been connected with the Patria baseball team several years ago, and was liked by everybody for his many qualities. The deceased leaves to mourn their loss, his father and mother, one brother, and some uncles and aunts in this city, and a brother and sister in Montreal who will have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their sad bereavement.

There's no place like the
Kent House to enjoy a dance.
Take a train at 8:00 or 8:30
for tonight's dance.

IMPORTANT CASE
NOW GOING ON

Mr. P. E. E. Belanger Brings
Suit Against Federal Govt.,
For Large Amount

An important and interesting case was commenced in the Court of Exchequer, yesterday, before Judge Audette. In which Mr. P. E. E. Belanger, N.P., is the plaintiff and the Crown the respondent. The suit is brought to recover \$300,000 from the Federal Government for a portion of land on the banks of the St. Charles River, a portion of which had been expropriated two years ago by the Government at a price of \$200,000. Mr. Belanger produced in the case over 1600 titles to prove his ownership of the land that was finally owned by the Jesuits.

It is rumored here that the Jesuits as per Royal grant during the French regime and later taken over by the Compagnie des Cent Associates until it finally passed into private ownership, the title being awarded to Mr. Belanger. The case was previously heard in the Supreme Court when the case was arrested by the Government deciding to take a part expropriation and ready to pay \$200,000.

The case having taken a new aspect was again taken before the Court of Exchequer, the plaintiff claiming that by the fact that the property has been in the hands of the Government without bringing him in a profit and entitles a compensation, and even claims that the whole amount of \$300,000 should be paid.

Legal Counsel in the case are for the plaintiff, Messrs. Aime Marchand, K.C., and Hydes. For the Crown respondent, Messrs. Eugene Lafleur, K.C., Montreal with Mr. Eushe Belanger, K.C., as Counsel.

AUTO DEALERS

MUCH PERTURBED

Over Delivery of Automobiles

From Factories in United States

Quebec automobile dealers are very much perturbed over the non-delivery of cars ordered from the United States factories. One leading dealer discussing the situation yesterday said the difficulty they had to contend with was due to the congestion of railway transportation and the scarcity of freight cars to move the cars that had been ordered for customers. He said quite a large number of new cars had been ordered of late from the Quebec dealers, the orders they placed in the factories to meet the Quebec demand were retarded on account of the inadequate transportation facilities. He said he could only see one way out of the difficulty if they wished to fulfill their Quebec orders, and that was to operate the cars from the factories over the carriage highways to Quebec or else wait from four to five months for their delivery by rail.

Excellent orchestra, excellent floor, excellent accommodation, all make for an excellent dance at the Kent House tonight.

PROHIBITION ENFORCEMENT.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 23.—An expedition bent on necessary enforcement of prohibition enforcement in the Michigan upper peninsula, was started from Chicago tonight. Major A. Dalrymple, Federal Prohibition Director, for the Central States, left with a party of prohibition agents for Iron County, Michigan, where contested officials are said to have overpowered Government agents last week and taken contraband wine which had been seized by the Government men.

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FIRE

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WILSON APPROVES DRAFT
OF ADRIATIC REPLY

Washington, D.C., Feb. 23.—President Wilson gave his final approval today to the draft of his latest reply to the Entente Premiers on the Adriatic situation. While official confirmation was lacking it was understood that the communication to-night either was being coded for transmission or actually was going forward to Ambassador Davis, at London, for presentation.

Delivery of the reply to the Entente Premiers is expected to be followed by the making public of the entire series of notes.

The foreign governments are understood to have consented to publication of the complete correspondence.

QUARTET WAS
GREAT SUCCESS

Fionzaley Ensemble Captivated
ed Large Audience Last
Evening at Columbus Hall

Another delightful musical treat was afforded Quebec music lovers last evening when, under the direction of Mr. J. A. Gauvin, the famous Fionzaley Quartet gave a performance in the Columbus Hall before an exceedingly large audience which appreciated to the utmost extent the programme presented by this wonderful and inspiring ensemble, and to such a pitch of enthusiasm was the audience aroused that the applause accorded at the conclusion of each number was at times almost deafening, especially at the end of each series, when the artists were obliged to respond to encores which would brook no denial.

The reception received by the Quartet, composed of Adolfo Betti, first violin, Alfred Pechon, second violin, Louis Bailly, viola, and Iwan D'Archangeau, cello, was not in any way surprising as patrons of music in the Ancient Capital have had the pleasure of hearing the Quartet before, and naturally looked forward last evening to a perfect performance, and in this respect were amply rewarded for their attendance. The performance simply captivated the audience which unmistakably showed every sign of its realization of the sympathetic understanding and musical affinity that existed between the members of the ensemble, which maintained in the rendition of every number a standard of tonal beauty, sympathetic interpretation, perfection in detail and an exquisite finish that clearly demonstrated its supremacy in the musical world, and to hear it once is an event that can never be effaced from the memory of those who have that pleasure.

The opening number was Mozart's quartette in C Major which was appealingly rendered especially the andante and in the menuetto, and as encore "Glazownow's—Interludium" was given, for which the Quartet received well-deserved and sustained applause. A Russian melody by Osien Backen opened the second series, and was exceptionally sweet. "The Three Ancient Dances" by Vidal, were delightfully tuneful especially the Gavotte which was appealingly irresistible to the audience and in response to an encore rendered "By the Tarn," by Goossens, this proving so captivating that another encore was demanded this time being a scherzo by Tschalkowsky.

The concluding number Dvorak's "American Quartet" on 96 fairly took the audience by storm. The opening number pictures a happy scene in plantation life, in which a summer's evening, after the day's work is finished, is beautifully portrayed and the other movements display the vivid joy in the heart of the negro. Again the ensemble had to respond to an encore in which it rendered that delightful and feeling melody "Molly on the Shore," by Percy Praeger.

The presentation of this magnificent Quartet was undoubtedly Mr. Gauvin's greatest success of the season and the next appearance of this magnificent ensemble will be looked forward to with the greatest pleasure by music lovers of this city.

SMOKER IN K. OF C.

HALL TONIGHT

The U. S. Sailors in Port Will

Be Guests of the Local

Council

The program as arranged so far to be given by the Knights of Columbus of Quebec, to the Officers and blue-jackets of Eagle Divisions, St. Lawrence, assisted by the men of the Fleet. To be held at K. C. Hall, Grande Allee this evening, at 7:45 P.M.

1.—The "Eagle Quartette"—Take your girls to the movies, etc.—Rous, A. F. Lide, Yeo, Marshall C. A. Sea, Dubose, C. T. Q.M. Fisher, C. E. Q.M. 1c.

2.—Wildcat Savage, Sea, vs. Panther Bronski Sea 2c. (Featherweights) Will settle a long standing argument in a few rounds.

3.—Brown, L. W. Fle.; Prague, T. M. Fle. (Lightweights), and (Crew) of all boats will sing "Good Morning Mr. Zip", "Katy", and "Mickey".

4.—Sailor Roos, vs. Battling Campbell (Lightweights). Will battle off a few rounds of extra police duty.

5.—Hummer, J. J. Q.M. 2c. (The Eagles Pride) will entertain with "Caroline Sunshine" and "Worth While Waiting For."

6.—K.O. Cunningham vs. Battling Kid Ruhl. (Welterweights). The way most arguments are settled in the Navy.

7.—Sailor Grogan from Dublin and no one of the prancing crew of an Eagle Boat will show a few original steps, picked up while the Eagles were going through the Canal (Accompanied by piano and ukuleles).

8.—Battling Fisher (Captain Kelly's sleeping producer) vs. K.O. Spike Sullivan of Quebec, the human stone crusher.

Refreshments.

Star Spangled Banner, Marsellaise God Save the King.

By direction of Commander R. T. Menner, U.S.N., Commanding Eagle Boats, St. Lawrence.

Lt. (2d) F. J. Leonard, Moral Officer

All members of the G.W.V.A. and the local Council are invited.

WELSH COAL STRIKE

Rhondda, Wales, Feb. 23.—Coal miners of Rhondda Valley, who went on strike today to enforce demands for dismissal of check weighmen to whom they objected, tonight settled the controversy and will resume work Tuesday morning.

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QUEBEC MEET THE TORONTOS HERE

Locals and Greenshirts Will
Clash Tomorrow Night On
Local Ice

The Quebec Athletics, fresh from their victory over the Canadiens on Saturday night, will tackle the Toronto St. Pats here tomorrow night. The locals feel that it is their turn to win three or four straight, and they will go after the Irishmen from the first gong. If the locals win tomorrow night's fixture, they will practically cut the Toronto team out of the running for the second half honors, but if the St. Pats. can turn the trick and repeat their last victory here, they will be right after the Ottawa Senators.

The Queen City team were beaten on their own ice on Saturday by the Senators, and the locals figure that they will make it two straight, but hockey is like baseball, one can never be sure of the result until the final gong rings. Take last Monday's game, for instance. Who would have thought that Quebec, with a one goal lead, and playing a three man defence, with only five minutes to go, could have been beaten, but the Torontos did the trick.

The game ought to attract a record number of spectators, for the Bulldogs have struck their stride, and are out to capture the remainder of their games. If they continue to play the brand of hockey that they put on Saturday night there is not a team in the circuit that will beat them.

All the players are in the best of shape, and show no ill effects after the game on Saturday. They all practiced yesterday afternoon, but will rest up today, as they anticipate a hard match tomorrow.

The Torontos will have their regular team on hand and will make a desperate effort to capture the game, for they realize that they must win tomorrow's fixture if they are to have any chance at all in the second half for the title honors, and therefore the Greenshirts will put up one fight from start to finish, in order to emerge on the long end of the score.

The sale of seats will open this morning at the usual places, West Side, Hebert's Clear Stand, Auditorium Building, and East Side, C. P. R. Telegraph Co., Merger Building. The Saints will have Mitchell or Lockhart in the nets, Randall, Heffernan or Matte on the defence, with Goldie Progers, Cully Wilson, Noble Roach, Dye and Denny on the forward line, so that it is easily seen the Irishmen will put up a bitter battle in order to take tomorrow's game.

The other game is at Ottawa between the Canadiens and Ottawa. The chances are that the Ottawa bunch will win out as the Canadiens seem to be off color, but then Toronto were picked to win over the Senators last Saturday in the Queen City, and the opposite happened. One thing that stands in the Senators' favor is the fact that they have only lost one game at home so far this season, and that it is easily accounted for by the fact that they were out a trimming to the Barber Poled puck chasers that wear the red white and black.

On Saturday, the Quebec team travel to Montreal, where they hope to duplicate their feat of last Saturday, while the Torontos pay a return visit to Ottawa and hope to be as successful as they were on the occasion of their last appearance there.

The officials for the game have not yet been named, but as Cooper Smeaton is laid up with the flu, it is probable that Art. Ross will be named by the N.H.L. executive, although Dave Power, after his handling of the whistle last Saturday, ought to referee the remainder of the games here.

The probable line up will be as follows:

Quebec	Toronto
Goal	Goal
Brophy	Mitchell
Mummary	Point
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Malone	C. Point
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	Matte

BROSSEAU PUTS YOUNG
AHEARN TO SLEEP
Montreal, Que., Feb. 23—
(By Canadian Press)—Eugene Brosseau, the crack Canadian middleweight, knocked out Young Ahearn, middleweight champion of Europe, in the first round of a scheduled ten round bout here tonight.

After the fight Paddy Mulens, manager for Mike O'Dowd, world's middleweight champion, signed Brosseau up to fight the former here on May 24th for the championship.

ARENA
TONIGHT
At 8.15
S. O. L.
ALL STARS
Admission, 25c and 50c.

SONS WILL MEET ALL-STAR TEAM

City League Champions Have
Hard Proposition Tonight
At the Arena

The Sons of Ireland, champions of the Quebec City League, and challengers for the Allan Cup, will have their hands full at the local Arena this evening, when they meet a team composed of the best players in the city. The game will go three full twenties, and the Irishmen will travel at top speed all the way through. Their opponents will have two complete teams to call upon, and will change their men at frequent intervals, in order to make the champions play from start to finish.

There are no less than 15 players who will oppose the City League champions tonight, and they have been drawn from the three other teams that played City League hockey this winter.

The game is only an exhibition, but it promises to show the Sons that they have bitten off a big mouthful in attempting to down the All Star team. The thing that is going to be hard on the Sons is the third period, and here their opponents figure that they will trim the Irishmen, for they think that with fifteen against the nine or ten who will wear the Green and White uniform, they will be able to effect their changes more frequently than the Sons, but the latter have a hardy little team, and ought to put up one whale of a fight from the start of the initial twenty until the final gong is the third period. The game will be well worth watching, and although a number have picked the Irish team as the winners, there will be a lot of uncertainty as to the result right up to the final whistle.

The team that will represent the All Stars will be selected from the following players: Roy, Turgeon, or Lamere; Defence, Roy, Delaney, Mill, Alec Dinah, O'Brien, or Morissette; centre, Bois or Frankie Dinah; right wing, Drouin, Hawkins or Kenny; and Left wing, Kane, Power, or Lapointe.

Thus it will be seen that a powerful outfit will take their sticks in hand and do battle with the wearers of the Green and White, and if the Sons can vanquish the team that will face them tonight, they need have no fear about their opponents in the Metropolis next Monday.

Dave Power is named as the likely referee, while the other officials will be the same as were on hand for the City League games all season, namely, Dan Griffin, scorer; Jos. Bustier, timer; Billy Sharpe, penalty recorder and Amos Burns and Jos. Germain, goal umpires.

In Montreal this evening, M.A.A. A. will meet McGill in a preliminary match for the Allan Cup series. The winner of tonight's game between the two outfits will play off with Victorias on Thursday evening, in order to determine which of the two will have the right to meet the Sons of Ireland at the Mount Royal Arena next Monday.

After the game next Monday, if the Sons are the winners they will be obliged to play the winners of the Ottawa section on March 4th and then, if the local team survive, as it is expected they will, they play in Toronto at a later date. But the important thing is to win next Monday's game, and to this end they are practicing nearly every day, in order to be in the best of condition, and a record crowd should be on hand this evening to witness the struggle between the Sons and the All Stars.

The City League champions will have their usual line up in action, with Lacombe in goal, Billy McDonald and Morency in front of him, George McNaughton at centre, and Hammy Laroche and Hughes either side of him, while Bob Laroche, Martineau, Young, and Wiggs will be all ready to jump in and take the place of anyone who is tired. The game will start at 8.15.

Sporting Notes

That exhibition game tonight ought to be some contest. The All Stars have a powerful team, and will make the Sons step the limit if they want to trim them.

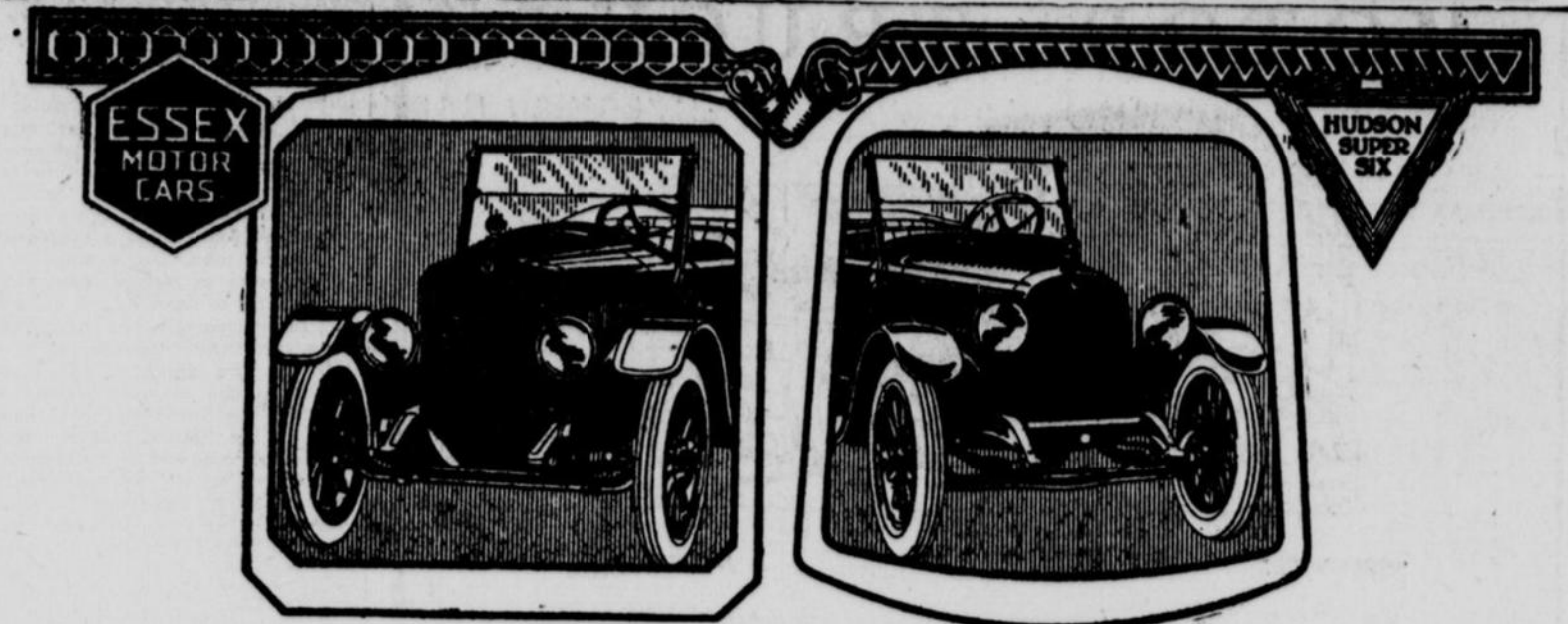
In the N.H.L. tomorrow night, the other game is between the Canadiens and Ottawa, at the Capital. The Ottawas are picked as the winners of this match, but the unexpected might happen, and the Blue, White and Red sweaters win out.

We will see tomorrow night if Matte is the highly touted star that he is claimed to be. He will have to improve considerably over his last performance here in order to justify the claim that he is far superior to the other Hamilton Tiger players who are playing pro, hockey today.

There ought to be quite a crowd at the Arena tonight, when the Sons of Ireland and the All Star team clash.

Eugene Brosseau, after his quick knockout last night of Young Ahearn was signed up by Mike O'Dowd's manager to meet the middleweight champion of the world in a bout for the championship at Montreal on May 24.

The locals are determined to make it two straight at the expense of the Toronto St. Pats tomorrow night, and will strain every effort in that direction. They are capable of playing good hockey, as was evidenced by their game against the Canadiens last Saturday, and if they turn in another display like that, will smother the Queen City outfit.



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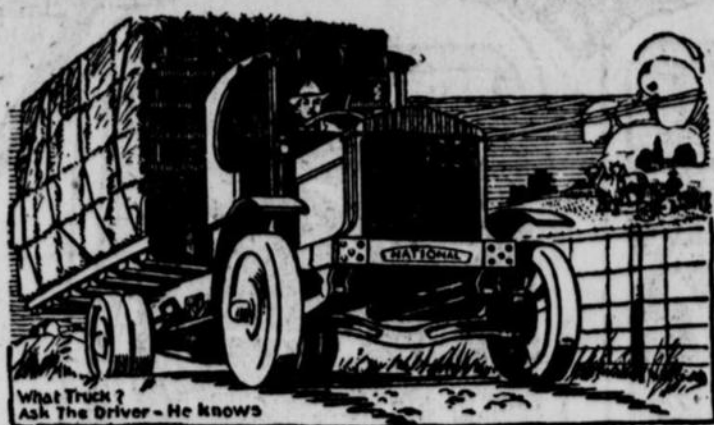
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John Darlington Reg'd
Opposite Post Office

Correspondence.

ROOMS FOR SINGLE PERSONS

Feb. 23rd, 1920.

Editor, Quebec Chronicle

Dear Sir,—I hear the newly organized Tenants' Association want the Housing Co. to begin building no later than May 1st, 1920. One of the conditions that the Housing Co. should have to agree to, should be to build rooming houses for single men, and rooming houses for single women, so that men and women can rent one room, and have a lease of it, without renting a whole house or a whole flat. It is not pleasant for a single man, nor a single woman, to have to rent a room from a family and to have to put up with their interference, and their familiarity, and the intrusion of their children. The rights of the single as well as the married should be respected. In Toronto, the Housing Co. rents the houses and the flats, etc., heated, and with running hot and cold water all the year round.

The C. P. R. have fine buildings and grounds at their railway depot at Quebec. The Housing Co. could build on some of the ground that the city has bought near the C. P. R. Station. If not, the city can buy vacant lots in and around the city and lease them for ninety-nine years to the Housing Co. In a hundred years from now the city can sell the ground for 100 per cent. more than they will pay for it now and the houses will be so old as not to be much use. There is no use in building outside the city limits and leaving the city full of slums and old rookeries. There are many houses in Upper Town, some in the best streets, that look well outside, but inside, from cellar to attic, are filthy, rotten and not fit for human beings to live in. All houses should be inspected, the same as the sinks and other drainage. Those not fit for the city should be valued and bought and pulled down and replaced by the Housing Company.

CANADIAN

CAPTURE IS CONFIRMED

Copenhagen, Feb. 23—Maxim Litvinoff, the Russian Soviet representative here, has received confirmation of the capture of Murmannsk by the Bolsheviks. The message to Litvinoff, telling of the capture, states that the whole of North Russia is now in the hands of the Soviet Government.

Litvinoff, in an interview, emphasized the fact that the Soviets had now secured an ice-free port for trade with Western Europe. He said that just before the overthrow of the White authorities, the Governor-General at Archangel, Lieutenant-General, Eugene Miller, had made overtures for complete capitulation. The Soviet Government stipulated complete disarmament for the safety of the White officers and permission for them to leave the country.

General Miller's plans were overtaken by events, however. A rising occurred and the Governor fled on an ice-breaker another ice-breaker pursuing him—with what result is not known.

Litvinoff was of the opinion that the falling of North Russia into the hands of the Soviet Government was likely to influence Finland in favor of peace.

SCHOONER CREW RESCUED

New York, Feb. 23—After having drifted helplessly for two months in the schooner Roestellan with its rudder gone, its sails carried away and the ship leaking, the captain and 11 men were brought here today by the United States S.S. Deepwater, which picked them up 450 miles east of Bermuda, Feb. 18. The Roestellan was bound from Loango, Africa, to Liverpool, with a cargo of palm oil, and ivory when she met with misfortune.

When the schooner's rudder was carried away the crew tried vainly to signal passing vessels but lacking effective means of communication their efforts were futile. Storm after storm menaced the vessel, carrying away the sails and part of the deck fittings but the crew stuck grimly to their task until the Deepwater hoisted in sight and took them off. A dog and a goat, which shared their tribulations, were taken off with them. The Deepwater was bound here from Genoa.

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MINISTRY OF SHIPPING TO BE DEMOBILIZED

Montreal, Que., Feb. 23—(By Canadian Press)—The British Ministry of Shipping (Canada)—which during its five and a half years of existence practically controlled the export trade of Canada, inland and overseas clearing over three thousand liners from Canadian ports and Portland, will be demobilized on March 31st next, according to an announcement by its Director, General Sir Arthur Harris. Between 1914 and 1919, in excess of 16,000,000 gross tons of munitions, war material and supplies, were moved inland and overseas.

Now Stating That He is Completely Cured, John Richard recommends All Sufferers from Rheumatism to Use Dodd's Remedies.

Ringwood, Ont. Feb. 23rd. (Special)—After being crippled with Rheumatism so that he could hardly walk to his work, Mr. John Richard, a well-known resident of this place, says he is again as well as ever he was in his life. He states that the credit for his cure goes to Dodd's Kidney Pills and Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

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PEARY BURIED WITH FULL MILITARY HONORS

Washington, D.C., Feb. 23—The body of Rear-Admiral Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the North Pole, was laid to rest in Arlington National Cemetery today with full naval and military honors. The ceremonies were in charge of the Navy Department and Captain Carroll Q. Wright, chaplain at the Washington Navy Yard, conducted the religious services.

PLAN ANNOUNCED FOR RE-ORGANIZATION

Providence, R.I., Feb. 23—The receivers of the Rhode Island Company today announced a plan for the re-organization of the company's trolley system upon a state-owned but privately operated basis. Under this plan the State would issue \$18,000,000 in bonds to purchase the rights and liabilities now held by various corporations and would charge an annual rental of \$1,920,000 to the leasing company. The plan will be put up to the Legislature.

AN ENOCH ARDEN CASE IN CANADA

Israel Galipeau is Re-United With Wife After Twenty-One Years

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 23—Twenty-one years ago Israel Galipeau left Hull to seek his fortune in the wilds of Michigan. A few months after he left, his wife learned that he had been dangerously injured and had subsequently died. During the last two decades she had been mourning his loss and was supporting herself by conducting a boarding house in Hull. But Galipeau, who had lost his memory for many years, is not dead and has been reunited with his wife. It appears that he had received a blow on the head that blotted out his past and it was not until he was confronted with old incidents that his memory returned.

Mrs. Galipeau found her husband in a most remarkable manner. Last July she was struck by an automobile owned by Charles Bellemere, of Hull, and she started an action for damages against the autoist. It appears that she sustained several internal and external injuries and asked for \$2,250. As there had been no legal proof of Galipeau's death, the action was contested on those grounds. Mr. J. A. Parent, K.C., who appeared for Mrs. Galipeau, decided to make a search of records in Michigan in the hope of getting proof of the death.

Galipeau, it appears, settled near

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Gladstone, Mich., and the assistance of the Sheriff at that place was sought. Old musty records failed to bring out the information desired and then a combing of the lumber industries in the State commenced. The result was that Galipeau was found and eventually came to Hull and was identified by the interested parties.

He was apprised of the fact that his wife's action for damages was held up because his permission had

not been given. Galipeau gave assent to the suit, and returned to Gladstone to settle up some business. It is understood that he will move his wife to Michigan after the action has been heard.

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BERGS IN SHIPPING LANE

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THE PILFERING
OF MERCHANDISE

Increase During Past Few
Months Has Been Very
Alarming

The New York Maritime Register in its February issue devotes a special column story on "pilfering" which states:

"About the middle of October, 1919, the joint Committee of the Allied Chambers of Commerce requested their members calling for information concerning pilfering of merchandise received from abroad. Very numerous replies were received and a meeting of the sub-committee in charge of the inquiries met on November 27th to study the answers. The increase in pilfering during the past few months has been alarming. An effort was made to deduce from the evidence received the value of the goods stolen, but this was impossible although in general terms it would seem to run into hundreds of thousands of dollars gold.

One curious feature developed which was that pilfering occurs with frequency in articles sent by parcels post, for which there is no recourse if no value has been declared. Replies were received from steamship agents, adjusters, custom house brokers and the very large houses which handle their own custom house work. There as well as a number of shippers in general expressed their complete conviction that the bulk of the theft occurred on board ship. There is some pilfering in the custom house in Buenos Aires and in Rosario but this is trivial and does not seem to be in excess of what has always occurred. There is also some pilfering in Buenos Aires and Rosario during cartage from custom house to railway to the business houses. It is thought that there may be some pilfering also before loading at the ports of departure, but it is difficult to get information on this point. Some few houses suspected that American factories were short-shipping the goods but this idea received little credence.

The thefts have all the characteristics of systematized robbery by people who know the merchandise and also know the peculiarities of the shippers. It would seem moreover that a widespread international organization was at work for the same characteristics are visible in the thefts of merchandise from Italy, France, Spain and England as from the United States. For instance, one house imported a lot of 30 automobiles. It is the custom of this factory to pack the set of tools in one special corner of the case. A hole was cut into this particular corner of each of 29 cases and the tool sets were removed. Apparently the thieves knew exactly where to look for the articles they desired. Another house which imports dry goods found that zinc linings had been opened, the zinc contents removed, and an equal weight of coal put into the cases which were nailed up. Another house which also imports dry goods had several cases of silk velvet completely rifled and in the cases were found cotton goods of an inferior quality. Each of these cases involved losses amounting to nearly \$10,000—gold. One exporter of silk, from Europe, with the idea of deceiving the thieves changed his form of packing and also his shipping marks but the thieves went direct to the packages and rifled them although they knew beforehand what they contained. Two separate shipments each containing 150,000 sewing machine needles were stolen, the empty boxes arriving in Buenos Aires although in this case the shippers have complete security that the merchandise was loaded on the steamer in proper condition in New York.

One curious feature to be considered is that a merchant makes his custom house declaration in harmony with the shipping documents received from abroad and must pay duty in the custom house in accordance with the declaration. In case he has \$10,000 worth of silk stolen he must pay duty on it just the same, needless to say, is an additional aggravation.

The British steamship companies at first and recently the American steamship companies have included in their bills of lading a clause to the effect that the steamer will not be responsible for pilfering in all cases in which loss can be covered by insurance. When the steamer was responsible for the loss, in turn held the captain responsible, up to a certain point, for theft aboard ship but nowadays the steamer does not hold the captain responsible and in turn the captain does not hold his subordinates responsible. Some steamship companies are far more brazen in their attitude in this matter than others and it would almost seem in some cases that captains shut their eyes to theft in order to remain in good standing with their employers.

Insurance companies are increasing their rates and threaten to make still more increases. The attitude of the steamship companies and the captains is a direct invitation to unrestricted theft on board ship. As theft increases insurance rates will increase and the even more brazen to legitimate commerce threatens to be very grave.

The opinion of responsible Maritime insurance agents and adjusters who are in close touch with the situation is that the only remedy is for the steamship companies to re-assume responsibility for pilfering and in case they are unwilling to do so Governmental pressure should be brought to bear to compel them to eliminate this clause.

Immediately after the meeting of the sub-committee on pilfering a cable was sent from the United States Chamber of Commerce in the Argentine to the United States Chamber of Commerce in Washington covering the case. It is a matter that should also receive attention from the National Foreign Trade Council.

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THE PILFERING
OF MERCHANDISE

Increase During Past Few
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Alarming

The New York Maritime Register in its February issue devotes a special column story on "pilfering" which states:

"About the middle of October, 1919, the joint Committee of the Allied Chambers of Commerce requested their members calling for information concerning pilfering of merchandise received from abroad. Very numerous replies were received and a meeting of the sub-committee in charge of the inquiries met on November 27th to study the answers. The increase in pilfering during the past few months has been alarming. An effort was made to deduce from the evidence received the value of the goods stolen, but this was impossible although in general terms it would seem to run into hundreds of thousands of dollars gold.

One curious feature developed which was that pilfering occurs with frequency in articles sent by parcels post, for which there is no recourse if no value has been declared. Replies were received from steamship agents, adjusters, custom house brokers and the very large houses which handle their own custom house work. There as well as a number of shippers in general expressed their complete conviction that the bulk of the theft occurred on board ship. There is some pilfering in the custom house in Buenos Aires and in Rosario but this is trivial and does not seem to be in excess of what has always occurred. There is also some pilfering in Buenos Aires and Rosario during cartage from custom house to railway to the business houses. It is thought that there may be some pilfering also before loading at the ports of departure, but it is difficult to get information on this point. Some few houses suspected that American factories were short-shipping the goods but this idea received little credence.

The thefts have all the characteristics of systematized robbery by people who know the merchandise and also know the peculiarities of the shippers. It would seem moreover that a widespread international organization was at work for the same characteristics are visible in the thefts of merchandise from Italy, France, Spain and England as from the United States. For instance, one house imported a lot of 30 automobiles. It is the custom of this factory to pack the set of tools in one special corner of the case. A hole was cut into this particular corner of each of 29 cases and the tool sets were removed. Apparently the thieves knew exactly where to look for the articles they desired. Another house which imports dry goods found that zinc linings had been opened, the zinc contents removed, and an equal weight of coal put into the cases which were nailed up. Another house which also imports dry goods had several cases of silk velvet completely rifled and in the cases were found cotton goods of an

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PLAY ENACTED IN QUEBEC

Shows at the Allen Theatre
with William Farnum in the
Lead

William Farnum scored another
big hit when he appeared on the
screen yesterday at the Allen The-
atre in "Heart Strings", the new
William Fox production adapted
from a story by Henry Albert
Phillips.

Briefly, the story tells of the won-
derous love of a man for his young
sister, a girl who has made an un-
fortunate alliance with a villainous
creature who would destroy her in
dishonesty and use her as a shield for
his own crimes. As Pierre, the girl's
brother, William Farnum portrays
the character of a strong man who
sacrifices ambition and gives all in
an effort to save his little sister from
the suffering which she faces. All
the characters are well drawn; the
scenes were in a little village near
Quebec and in New York city. The
play is one of intense action, well
worthy of the dramatic ability of the
noted star.

The cast includes Gladys Coburn,
Betty Hilburn, Kate Blanche, Paul
Cazeneuve, Robert Guin and Row-
land G. Edwards. The scenario was
arranged by E. Lloyd Sheldon and
the play was directed by J. Gordon
Edwards.

The same picture will be on to-
morrow also with a comedy, a topic
and other pictures.

Chronicle Files 100 Years Ago.

Confirmation
The Lord Bishop of the Diocese
will hold a Confirmation in the
Cathedral after the close of Lent.
The names of all candidates must be
forwards sent into the Rev. Offi-
cial Mountain: (with the exception
of military candidates, whose names
must be sent to the Rev. J. L. Mills)
A lecture intended to prepare young
persons for Confirmation will be de-
livered on Friday (tomorrow) after
prayers, and be continued on the
following Wednesdays and Fridays
during the remainder of Lent.

Extraordinary Weather
On Saturday morning last, there
were several claps of thunder and
vivid flashes of lightning, and in
the afternoon some heavy showers
of rain which continued during the
night. The thermometer today has
been at 45. The wind rose and the
crows have already made their ap-
pearance.

Chronicle Files 25 Years Ago.

Sacrilegious Thieves
It is said that thieves are now
making a practice of hanging about
city churches, and stealing the caps,
etc., of unsuspecting worshippers,
while they are busy with their de-
votions. An instance is reported
from the Lower Town Church of
Notre Dame des Victoires.

Proposed New Bishopric
The Rev. Mr. Mountain of Coteau,
P.Q., son of the late Rev. Dr. Moun-
tain, Bishop of Quebec, offers to
provide the sum of \$30,000 towards
the founding of a new Anglican
Diocese at Cornwall, Ont., to be
formed out of the Diocese of Mon-
treal and Ontario.

Cannon Made of Aluminum
Mr. P. Allard, of Levis, the black-
smith whose claim to have redis-
covered the old time secret of the
hardening of copper recently made
such a furor, has actually con-
structed a cannon out of aluminum
to which he has apparently given
all the constancy of iron. It
measures 26 inches in length and is
five inches in diameter at the
muzzle. It was recently tested with
a charge consisting of a pound of
powder and stood the test well. The
cannon weighs 14 lbs and if of iron
would weigh 150 lbs. Mr. Allard is
about to make a cannon twelve feet
long which he will send to Wash-
ington for trial. Meanwhile his first
one will be tested at the Citadel.

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One of the triumphs in photodramas in the history of the last ten years was opened for a run at the Auditorium Theatre yesterday when "The Confession" was unfolded for the approval of the Quebec public. And right here is a good time to say that if there were more film productions of this kind there would be no further need of censor boards throughout the Dominion—it is the cleanest, most wonderfully acted, beautifully photographed, and the truest story it has been our good fortune to witness in many months. The cast contains stars who are known throughout the entire world for their ability in character portrayals, headed by the greatest emotional actor of them all, Henry B. Walthall, who we all remember and love from his portrayal of the Little Colonel in "The Birth of a Nation." The story itself runs the entire gamut of human emotions and carries a moral one carries in memory long after the last scene has been shown. At first glance one wonders by such wonderful men as Cardinals Mercier, Gibbons, and O'Connell endorse the picture and recommend it to the public and the religion, but after witnessing the production that question is fully answered and to ones full satisfaction. "The Confession" was shown for its introduction to the Canadian public in the St. Denis Theatre in Montreal, where it was necessary to hold it for sixteen consecutive days, this theatre had a seating capacity of twenty four hundred seats and still it was impossible to accommodate the crowds, and comes to Quebec direct from that run. During its stay at the St. Denis Theatre in Montreal, Manager Crow received many letters on commendation, the following letter was particularly interesting: The Manager, St. Denis Theatre, Montreal. Dear Sir:—As managing editor of the Canadian Catholic Magazine I take pleasure in complimenting you on the Motion Picture "The Confession" I had the pleasure of witnessing at your theatre last Sunday evening. You are to be complimented, My Dear Sir, for having brought this picture to your theatre and it is hoped that Mr. Reed will not lay down his pen but in the future will give the public production of similar interest. I hope this picture embodying the real moral that lives long in the mind of the public will be a means of elevating our screen productions of today. Very truly yours, Vincent V. Cox, Managing Editor. "The Confession" will be shown at the Auditorium both afternoons and evenings all this week.

"Fair and Warmer" at Victoria; Pictures of Winter Sports in Quebec

For sheer absurdity of situation, clever and intriguing acting by a star, sparkling wit in titles and finish in production "Fair and Warmer" presented last night at the Victoria Theatre, with May Allison—dainty and appealing May Allison—as the star, has, to use the effective if colloquial expression, all other pictures we have seen before completely backed off the map.

The hilarious stage success of Avery Hopwood, which was presented for so long in New York, other parts of the country, and in London, with such success, has been done into picture form not only without the loss of any of the intrinsic punch and humor, but with an additional merit. The play which Selwyn and Company offered on the stage has been produced exceptionally well by Screen Classics, Inc.

The cocktail scene, of course, will stand out anywhere. It is considered—and after seeing "Fair and Warmer" last evening at the Victoria, we understand why—the funniest one scene ever written.

The 14th episode of the Pearl White serial is on the same bill as well as a Pollard comedy. The latter weekly contains news of Quebec's winter carnival, races at Exhibition track, Quebec snowshoers, etc.

Enid Bennett Proved Popular at the Empire.

Thos. H. Inc. presents Enid Bennett, Australian beauty, in her latest Paramount "Stepping Out" and it certainly steps, not out but right into popular favor. Many things happen in the life of a young married couple. See Enid Bennett in "Stepping Out" and have a few laughs and shed a few tears.—Comedy and weekly also shown.

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One of the latest to realize the remarkable constructive powers of the medicine is Mrs. Eugene Barrad, keeper of a popular boarding house at 1109 St. Catherine street, who, in an interview, a few days ago, reported that she had gained twenty-five pounds and also made one of the most interesting statements yet published in connection with the Premier Preparation.

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