

ALDERMEN LEAVE MEETING AND BLOCK BUSINESS

Cause of Trouble Was the Account of Three Aldermen For Their Expenses to Quebec in Connection With Amendments to City Charter. Mayor McKinnon Held They Could Not Vote on Motion For Reconsideration as to Payment. Regular and Special Business Was Not Reached as Result of "Strike"

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council came to an abrupt termination last night before any of the items on the agenda were reached.

The cause of the trouble was the account of Ald. Denault, Brault and Forest for their expenses to Quebec in connection with the amendments to the City Charter. This sum of \$151.02 has lately been bobbing up like the head of King Charles in the novel, and the result has been to temporarily scotch the civic wheels.

HISTORY OF TROUBLE.

The matter first came up on April 6, when the Finance Committee declined to recommend payment of the amount on the ground that a portion of it was for legal expenses and was not accompanied by an authority for incurring such expenses. It transpired during the discussion that Ald. Denault had engaged an attorney at Quebec to represent the City before the House.

Ald. Ewing objected to payment on the ground that Ald. Denault had taken the opposite course at Quebec to that which the delegation was instructed to follow by the resolution adopted by the City Council.

Ald. Denault, however, insisted that he had represented the views of the majority of the Council and had engaged the Quebec attorney on the advice of the City Attorney, who, moreover, was absent on one occasion when the bill came before the House.

In supporting Ald. Denault, Ald. Brault admitted that the question was a little mixed, as the majority for Commission Government, was not the same as the majority in favor of the secret ballot in voting upon by-laws.

Ald. Denault's motion to pass the account for payment was adopted after an amendment by Ald. Ewing asking for a detailed account had been put and lost.

Ald. Ewing afterwards entered a protest against the votes of the aldermen concerned in the matter.

At the bi-monthly meeting on April 20, Ald. Ewing requested that the resolution adopted on the 6th inst. be struck from the minutes as illegal.

The secretary then stated that the City Attorney had advised that no member of the Council could vote on a motion in which he was personally interested, but it was for the Council to decide whether the aldermen in question were personally interested.

Ald. Brault said that according to the advice of the City Attorney the question of personal interest should have been decided before the vote was taken.

Finally, on the suggestion of the Mayor and Ald. Thompson, the confirmation of the minutes was held over in order to obtain the opinion of the City Attorney on the point raised.

LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

Mayor McKinnon presided at the meeting held last night, and the aldermen present were Jenckes, Thompson, Genest, Ewing, Darche, Brault, Prunier and Forest.

After the minutes of the last regular meeting had been confirmed, the question of confirming or otherwise dealing with the minutes of April 6 was raised. The Mayor stated that the City Attorney had advised that

the resolution relating to the Quebec expenses must stand on the minutes.

Ald. Thompson had moved the confirmation when Ald. Ewing said there was no doubt in the minds of the aldermen that the aldermen concerned were interested, but he had not made his objection in the proper manner, through lack of knowledge. Had he made his motion before voting was taken, it would have been sustained.

The minutes were then read and confirmed.

MOVED FOR RECONSIDERATION.

Ald. Ewing immediately rose and moved that the resolution in favor of paying the expenses be reconsidered.

Ald. Thompson—You are too late again!

The Mayor ruled that Ald. Ewing was in order.

Ald. Darche seconded the motion for reconsideration.

Ald. Forest—Have we a right to vote?

The Mayor—I don't think you have, as the motion is a matter in which you are personally interested.

Ald. Brault—I don't know, Mr. Mayor! We are not interested in the fact of reconsidering the motion.

The Mayor—I am advised to be contrary.

Ald. Brault—There will be a break in the meeting. There will not be a quorum.

Ald. Darche—There is a quorum besides those interested.

The Mayor—This motion is before the Council, and if no question is raised on the two aldermen present voting, I shall have to allow it. If the question is raised, of course they cannot vote.

Ald. Forest said he did not go to Quebec for his personal interest, but to represent the views of at least 75 per cent. of the citizens. Unless the City Attorney said he had no right, he should vote.

Ald. Ewing objected to Ald. Brault and Forest voting, as they were both interested. Ald. Brault—I am quite willing to retire, Mr. Mayor. I have no axe to grind in this matter.

The Mayor—There is no reason to retire.

Ald. Brault—I shall, because I think this is a little foolish. We have been at this for three months and have spent our time and money. Ald. Ewing has acknowledged his mistake. I shall retire, as I am not interested in hearing the discussion.

Ald. Ewing again referred to the fact that Ald. Denault had engaged an attorney to oppose the bill, and it was a bit strong to ask the Council to pay his charge for fighting the City Attorney.

The aldermen then sent to Quebec to support the bill, and he objected to Ald. Brault and Forest voting on the motion because they were interested.

The Mayor—Are you ready for the vote?

LEFT NO QUORUM.

Ald. Brault and Forest, with Ald. Prunier, immediately left the Council Chamber. This left only five present, which was less than a quorum.

Ald. Jenckes—The Council adjourns. The Mayor—Cannot we adjourn for fifteen minutes?

Ald. Darche—We go home.

The meeting then terminated for want of a quorum and the regular and special business was not touched.

ENVOYS DROP GEN. CARRANZA

Proceedings Will Be Along a Line to Settle Mexican and U. S. Differences

MEDIATION REPRESENTATIVES OF TWO COUNTRIES WILL MEET IN MONTREAL.

Washington, May 5.—(Special) Information came from Vera Cruz to the War Department today that the Mexican Federal troops have mined the railway tracks from Vera Cruz to Mexico and vicinity in preparation for the utter destruction of the railway in the event that the American forces attempt a march on the capital.

PEACE ENVOYS ELIMINATE CARRANZA.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—(Special)—With the virtual elimination of the Constitutionalists from proceedings aiming at a general settlement



Rear Admiral F.F. Fletcher

of Mexico's ills, the South American envoys to-day began plans to compose differences between Huerta and the United States Government that led to the seizure of Vera Cruz.

Carranza's elimination, at least for the present, was determined upon by the three mediators. They informed him that because of his refusal to agree to a truce with Huerta, they cancelled their proposal that he name a representative to co-operate in mediation negotiations.

Relations with the rebel chief were not summarily broken off. The mediators left open to him the opportunity to enter the proceedings whenever he was ready to accept an armistice.

ZAPATA ISSUES PROCLAMATION.

Vera Cruz, May 5.—A proclamation dated May 1st and signed by Zapata, published yesterday in the local Mexican papers, announces that the southern rebels will, on May 5th, attack Mexico City. It also contains General Huerta and Gen. Blanquet to death.

Zapata's proclamation is regarded as disposing of reports that he and Gen. Huerta were acting together and that Zapata was moving on Vera Cruz with his followers.

May 5th, the date on which Zapata says he will attack Mexico City, is the anniversary of the Mexican victory over the French, and is usually celebrated as a national holiday.

DELEGATES APPOINTED.

Mexico City, May 5.—Mexico's delegates appointed to confer with representatives of the mediating powers are Augustin Rodriguez, Emilio Radbasa and Luis Elguero, who will depart for the scene of the conference as soon as the Mexican Government has been apprised what place has been selected and when the conference is to convene.

The secretary of the commission is Licenciado Rafael Elguera, a brother of one of the commissioners, Luis Elguero.

TO MEET IN MONTREAL.

Mexico City, May 5.—El Pais announced yesterday that the delegates will leave here soon for Montreal to attend the mediation conference initiated by Argentine, Brazil and Chile.

This is the first indication given here that the conference to settle the differences between the United States and Mexico may be held in Canada.

At the same time it was stated that the meetings of the diplomats would not take place in Havana, as had been hinted in some quarters.

MEDIATION LIMITED.

Earlier in the day it became known that in view of the unyielding attitude of the Constitutionalists, mediation virtually would be limited to the arrest of American marines at Tampico and other offences which had brought the Huerta Government and the United States to the verge of war.

This new turn in events ended, in the view of many officials, the chance of solving the entire Mexican problem immediately, though it did not lessen the enthusiasm of the mediators, who will continue their efforts to solve the differences between Huerta and the United States, which directly brought about the present crisis.

Reports of the desperate condition of Huerta at Mexico City continue to circulate and with such circumstantial detail from authentic sources as to leave no doubt of his critical condition.

SHIP ON FIRE OFF CAPE RACE

There Were no Signs of Life on Board and Fate of People a Mystery

POSSIBILITY THAT ALL MAY HAVE BEEN SAVED BY A SHIP WITHOUT WIRE-LESS.

Halifax, N.S., May 5.—An unknown steamer, on fire from stem to stern and with no signs of life on board, was discovered three miles south of Cape Race yesterday by the steamer Seydlitz, Bremen for New York. Her position was given as latitude 41.27 north and longitude 51.07 west. The Seydlitz immediately called by wireless for assistance and response came from the Franconia, fifty miles to the eastward, bound for Boston, and the Olympic, two hundred miles to the west, headed for New York.

The Seydlitz circled around the burning vessel, but the smoke hung so heavy about her that her name could not be distinguished.

As no small boats were discovered in the vicinity and as the Olympic had passed not far from the scene twelve or fifteen hours before, it was believed here last night that the vessel caught fire some time after midnight and that all hands were rescued by some ship which had no wireless.

The weather on the Grand Banks yesterday was moderate and it was thought any trans-shipment could have been accomplished with no great amount of difficulty or danger.

So far as learned last night no steamer equipped with wireless reported herself in distress, although part of a wireless message picked up from some westbound liner Sunday night stated that she was having boiler and engine trouble and was making slow progress into New York.

The position as given by the Seydlitz placed the burning steamer slightly nearer to Cape Race than to Sable Island, but the radio station at Sable Island was the first to pick up the message.

The wireless message from the Seydlitz was picked up late yesterday afternoon. No further word from the Seydlitz had been received last evening and continued attempts of the wireless stations to communicate with her failed. The static conditions were bad, but it was believed that during the night further particulars would be received from the Seydlitz, the Franconia, or the Olympic or a dozen other passenger steamers which are quite likely to have been within the zone of the Seydlitz's wireless call.

PRAYERS FOR AIR CRAFT.

Berlin, May 5.—(Special)—The Tages Zeitung says the Emperor has ordered the insertion in the liturgy of the Lutheran Church of a special prayer for military and naval aircraft.

CONSERVATIVES IN SESSION

County Association Met This Forenoon and Townships in the Afternoon

HON. G. H. PERLEY, G. H. BAKER, M.P., F. R. CROMWELL, M.P., ARE PRESENT.

The annual meeting of the Liberal Conservative Association of Sherbrooke County was held in the Art Hall this morning. Mr. J. J. MacDonald, president, was in the chair. There was a good attendance and amongst those present were Hon. G. H. Perley, Senator Pope, G. H. Baker, M.P., F. R. Cromwell, M.P., M. F. Hackett, K.C., Dr. Shurtleff, K.C.

The principal business was the reading of the reports and the election of officers for the ensuing year.

The officers elected were as follows: President—Mr. Firmin Campbell Vice-President—R. A. Ewing Joint Secretaries—Messrs. Rugg and Panneton (re-elected).

The executive committee was re-elected representing the City of Sherbrooke, the town of Lennoxville, the townships of Ascot and Orford, which comprise the county.

The meeting was most enthusiastic and the utmost harmony prevailed, all sections of the party being in perfect accord.

Murray block as a home for the Association.

Brief speeches were delivered by the retiring and incoming presidents.

E. T. CONSERVATIVES IN SESSION.

This afternoon the annual meeting of the Eastern Townships Liberal Conservative Association is being held.

Speeches were delivered by Hon. G. H. Perley, G. H. Baker, M.P., and other prominent speakers.

NO CHANGE IN TOWNSHIPS

Redistribution Will Not Affect Either Counties of Brome or Missisquoi

QUESTION WAS ONE OF THE DIFFICULT PROBLEMS COMMITTEE HAD TO DEAL WITH.

Ottawa, May 5.—According to information last night, it is understood that the work of the redistribution committee is now completed, and the whole scheme will be reported to the House of Commons on Thursday.

The final details and negotiations between the various members of the committee were arranged late last night, and conclusions satisfactory to both parties have been arrived at in most cases. One of the difficult problems settled last evening was that of the Eastern Townships, and in the new scheme of things there will be no change in that part of Quebec. The county of Brome, represented by Mr. Harry Baker, M.P., and the county of Missisquoi, represented by Mr. Fred Kay, M.P., will remain as they were. It was anticipated that either one or other of these ridings would have been annihilated by merger with other counties.

Eastern Ontario, which has presented some difficult problems with which to deal will likely be in shape within the next few days. Four seats disappear in this end of Ontario, and four seats in the section west of Toronto.

The other provinces are understood to be in shape for presentation to the House.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION KILLS EIGHT.

Panama, May 5.—(Special)—An explosion this morning at the Government of Panama dynamite magazine resulted in the killing of eight persons. Nineteen others were seriously injured. The property was destroyed.

CONGO NATIVES KILL TWENTY WHITE MEN.

Antwerp, May 5.—(Special)—Confirmation of a reported native revolt in the Portuguese-Congo and the killing of twenty white men, including some Protestant and Catholic missionaries was received here to-day. Many other missionaries are said to have fled from the affected district according to a despatch from Boma, Belgian-Congo.

LLOYD GEORGE PRESENTS BUDGET

Revenue is Estimated at \$1,003,275,000 and Expenditures \$1,029,925,000

TO MEET THIS IT IS PROPOSED TO REVISE THE GRADUATED SYSTEM OF INCOME TAX

London, May 5.—David Lloyd George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, introduced his sixth budget in the House of Commons yesterday with the announcement that he had to meet an estimated deficit in 1914-15 aggregating \$26,650,000. The nation's total revenue he estimated at \$1,003,275,000 while he placed the expenditure at \$1,029,925,000.

This deficit alone, the Chancellor said, made new taxation inevitable, but in addition thereto the Government had come to the conclusion that in order to save some municipalities from bankruptcy, there must be a readjustment in the relations of imperial and local taxation. These would entail large additional expenditures by the exchequer. Mr. Lloyd George proposed to set up a national system of valuation under which "site values" would be separated from "improvement values," and under which relief would be afforded the man who improved his property in proportion to the amount he expended to this end. These proposed grants of relief to local taxation for purposes of public health, education, road construction, etc., would entail an additional expenditure by the exchequer of \$21,000,000. Inasmuch as he must have a margin of \$1,000,000 he would have to raise a total of about \$49,000,000.

To meet this he proposed a revision of the graduated income tax. The existing tax on earned incomes up to \$5,000 a year will remain unchanged; On incomes between \$5,000 and \$7,500 the tax would be 10½d in the pound sterling; on incomes between \$7,500 and \$10,000 a year the tax would be 1s; from \$10,000 to \$12,500, 1¼d; while from \$12,500 to \$15,000 the rate would be 1½d. The rate on unearned incomes would be raised to 16d. The allowance for children of parents whose incomes do not exceed \$2,500 a year would be doubled. There would be levied a super-tax on incomes of \$15,000 a year and upwards instead of this super-tax beginning as it does at present, with incomes of \$25,000. With this new graduated scale of income tax rates, rising finally to 16d in the pound, the total income tax, in certain cases would be as high as 32d (approximately 64 cents) in the pound sterling.

FIGHT AGAINST ROCKEFELLER

Motion in U. S. Senate Not to Accept His Money For Agriculture

SENATOR LANE SAID THAT IT WAS COVERED WITH BLOOD AND TEARS OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Washington, May 5.—A determined fight was launched in the Senate yesterday to prevent the Government from accepting Rockefeller money to aid in farm demonstration and the work for the extermination of the boll weevil.

Senator Lane declared that the money of John D. Rockefeller was "covered with the blood and tears of women shot down in the Colorado strike."

The debate was on an amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill which was pending when the Senate adjourned for the day. This amendment reported by the agricultural committee proposed an appropriation of \$600,000, double the amount provided in the House bill for farm demonstration and boll weevil work with clause prohibiting contributions to the fund by individuals or corporations.

At present the general education board, to which Mr. Rockefeller has given millions of dollars, pays a portion of the salaries of 500 employees engaged in this work.

CRUCIFIED CATHOLIC BISHOP

WAS NAILED TO CROSS FOR REFUSING TO SURRENDER CHURCH FUNDS.

San Francisco, May 5.—Among the tales of atrocities told yesterday by the refugees from the west coast of Mexico who arrived Sunday on the steamer City of Sydney is that of the crucifixion of the Catholic Bishop of Chalapa.

According to the account a detachment of the rebel General Zapata's soldiers called on the bishop to surrender the funds of the church. He refused, whereupon the soldiers are said to have nailed him to a cross and left him to die.

NATURALLY.

Maud—Hasn't Miss Oldun got something eyes?
Marie—Well I don't wonder at it. She's been searching for a husband for twenty years.

MILLIONAIRE KILLED BY SON

Hiram Duryea, Civil War Veteran, Met Tragic Death at Home in New York

CHESTER DURYEA WOULD GIVE NO REASON FOR MURDER WHEN TAKEN INTO CUSTODY.

New York, May 5.—(Special)—Hiram Duryea, 81, retired millionaire starch manufacturer, and Civil War veteran, was murdered early today at his home in the Bay Ridge section of Brooklyn, by his son, Chester Duryea. Seven shots were fired by the son into his father's body, causing instant death.

The murder occurred on the porch at the rear of the Duryea home, where both father and son were in the habit of sleeping. About one o'clock this morning Chester Duryea, who is 43 years of age, slipped from his cot into the house, where he kept a number of rifles, revolvers and guns for hunting purposes. He selected an automatic pistol and a magazine rifle, both of which he loaded, and returned to the open air porch. Standing within a few feet of his sleeping father, he fired first from the rifle, and then emptied the revolver.

Chester Duryea would give no reason for killing his father when taken in custody.

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP WATERWORKS.

London, May 5.—(Special)—A bomb and some suffragette papers were found beneath the valve house of the waterworks at Desborough, Yorkshire, yesterday. The fuse failed to ignite.

QUEEN POSTPONES VISIT

Sofia, Bulgaria, May 5.—Queen Eleanor of Bulgaria has definitely decided not to visit the United States this month as she had contemplated. An announcement to this effect was issued yesterday. It read: "In view of events in America, which Queen Eleanor follows with special interest, Her Majesty's visit to the United States has been postponed until the circumstances are more favorable."

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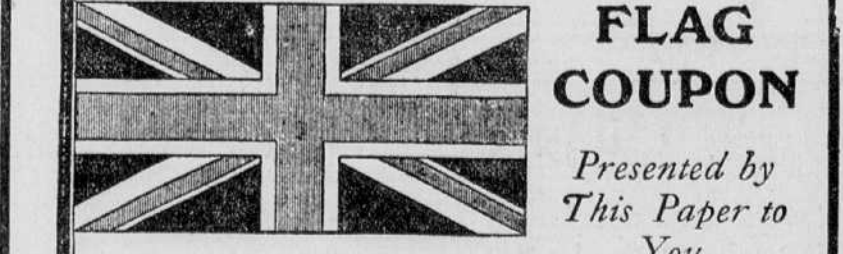
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Toronto, May 5.—(Special)—His Majesty King Terata Mahuta, King of forty thousand Maoris, accompanied by His Majesty (by rights) King Tupu Tanigakawa, and the King Associate Mita Karuka, under the escort of Mr. George G. Paul, also a Maori, is at present staying at the Walker House, in his way to England, where the king and assistant kings will seek an audience with His Majesty King George.

KING WILL ATTEND FUNERAL

London, May 5.—Both the King and Queen have signified their intention of being present at the funeral service for the Duke of Argyll, which will take place in Westminster Abbey on Friday. The body will be conveyed to the Abbey on Thursday, and, after the service will be taken to Scotland for interment in the family vault in Argyllshire.

SMALL BOY SAVED TRAIN

Jos. Lesperance Placed Ties on the Track at Elmstead, Near Windsor, Ont.,

YOUTH FLAGGED TRAIN WHEN IT WAS WITHIN FEW FEET OF OBSTRUCTION.

Windsor, May 5.—(Special)—Crazed by the belief that he had suffered some wrong at the hands of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Joseph Lesperance, aged 21, of Belle River, placed some ties on the track near Elmstead, eleven miles from Windsor.

Freight train No. 9, which left Windsor Monday morning at 6.25, was flagged by a small boy, and stopped only a few feet from the heap of ties.

HON. MR. COCHRANE RETURNING HOME

Ottawa, Ont., May 5.—Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways and Canals, sails from Liverpool on Saturday next for Quebec by the Laurentine. He has been in Europe for a couple of months taking a rest.

ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Daily Reports From Correspondents of What is Going on in Various Communities.

JOHNVILLE.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. Clifford Lathrop and Miss Ellen Lathrop, guests of Miss Edna Parker, Martineville Road; Mrs. Ed. Sharman, of Martineville, guest of Mrs. Frank Haseltine last week; Mr. W. E. Lathrop home from Sawyerville for a few days; Mrs. A. E. Jackson and daughter Beatrice, of Sherbrooke, guests of Mrs. F. E. Warner on Friday; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hunting, of Huntingville, calling on Mrs. A. Geo. Lindsay, who still continues very low; Miss Mary Humphrey to Rock Island; Mrs. C. L. H. Smith to Sherbrooke, guest of her son, Mr. R. A. Smith, Moore street; Mrs. W. O. Colby to Livermore, Vt., on business; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lindsay, of Sherbrooke; Mrs. A. Ayer and Master Eric, of Lennoxville, Mr. and Mrs. C. Caswell, of Sand Hill, at Mr. A. Geo. Lindsay's; Mr. Bert Doherty, of Sherbrooke, guest of Miss Gladys Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lyonnais to their home in Martineville, guests of Mrs. Mack.

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Mr. J. O. Rollins, of Brown's Hill, visiting relatives and friends at Reed's Crossing; Mr. N. Lowell at Massawippi recently; Mrs. Goudie, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Merrill a few days to her home in Martineville.

Mr. Dutton and family are moving into the tenement over H. L. Call's market.

Mr. D. W. Wilson in town visiting his son, Mr. P. H. Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Besset visiting her sister, Mrs. Stone at Massawippi; Mrs. Adams in Sherbrooke on Saturday to visit her daughter; Mrs. P. H. Wilson and father, Mr. R. Mathews to Ascot to visit her sister, Mrs. H. Wilson.

Mr. M. Thomas, of Eustis has sold his farm and was in town recently looking for a larger one.

Mr. J. H. Drew, of Eustis has purchased the home of the late Mrs. C. Johnson at Reed's Crossing.

COATCOOK

Mrs. S. W. Andrews had an auction sale of all her household goods on Saturday, May 2nd. Her house has been sold and will be moved to another lot as the new Roman Catholic Church is to be built on this site. Mrs. Andrews leaves for Montreal on Tuesday where she will make her home in the future.

The Rev. Mr. Kinear, of Kinear's Mills, who was in town on Sunday to attend the funeral of the late Wm. Thompson, preached at the Methodist Church on Sunday evening.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Stephen's Church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. H. B. Lovell, Lark St. on Tuesday afternoon next.

The food sale held under the auspices of the W.C.T.U. at the Armory, on Saturday afternoon was well attended. The receipts amounted to over \$30.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tomkins of Richmond; Dr. Allan Thompson, of Ottawa, Mr. Norman Thompson, of Montreal, attending the funeral of the late Col. Thompson; Miss Marion Ward, of Lennoxville, is a guest of the Misses Stevens at the rectory; Miss Bacon, guest of Mrs. F. E. Lovell; Mr. Scott Moulton in town; Messrs. Arthur Trihey and C. A. Stevens of Sherbrooke; Miss Shaw to take up her duties at the Coatcook Sanitarium; Mrs. P. T. Baldwin, home Florida; Miss Bertha Lewis to join her parents in Montreal.

LAKE MEGANNIC.

A dance was held in the Masonic Hall on Saturday evening.

Mr. Jos. Belleau, postmaster at Ste. Cecile, and Mr. D. M. McDonald each state that the maple sugar industry this year was very backward. Very little sugar has been made this season and none offered for sale at the stores.

Word is to hand from Winslow of the death of Miss Bella McArthur during last week.

Miss Annie McLeod, from Springfield, Mass., arrived here last week and is the guest of Mrs. Robt. McLeod, Drumavack, and on Saturday went to Mrs. Stewart's, Victoria Hill, for a few days' visit.

The Elementary School at Spring Hill is to be opened this week for a six weeks' term, with Miss Gamble, from Franklin Centre, as teacher.

GRANITEVILLE.

Miss Graham has finished her school and gone home to Scottstown, Que. This was Miss Graham's first school and the attendance has been twenty-eight or thirty. Under her the children have made good progress, with a marked improvement in discipline. It is satisfactory to know that Miss Graham has been engaged to come back next term.

Mr. Oscar Boulais, who has spent the winter here with his brother Mr. A. Boulais, has gone home to St. Angelo, Que.

Miss Richardson, Rock Island, and Mr. M. Derrick, Smith's Mills, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Colby Blair on Sunday.

Mr. D. A. Salls has moved to Beebe.

Mr. Henry Wood, Apple Grove, is moving into Mr. D. Moll's tenement which has just been vacated by Mr. D. A. Salls.

SAWYERVILLE.

Mrs. Henry Parker, Sr., of Parker Hill, went to the hospital in Sherbrooke on Thursday and was operated on on Saturday.

Miss G. Taylor has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Evans, of Bishop's Crossing, were the guests of his mother, Mrs. R. Evans last week.

A very successful dance was held in the Odd Fellows' Hall last Thursday evening by the young people of



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the town. Robertson's orchestra furnished spirited music for the various numbers. Refreshments were served in the basement.

Mr. Chadcock, who has sold his farm in Randboro, has moved to the village.

The Guild will meet in the Mission Hall on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Jones have moved from Maple Leaf to their new home in the village.

Mr. Metcalfe, of Indianapolis, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Sisco spent the week end at his home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dawson celebrated the 57th anniversary of their marriage last Friday the first of May.

McCONNELL.

Encouraging reports come from Master Arthur Gauthier, who is being treated in the Memorial Hospital, Montreal.

Mr. R. Hibbard has taken possession of the farm he had purchased at Brown's Hill.

Miss Patterson has engaged Mr. Sutton, of North Hatley, to work her farm here.

Miss Myrtle Bice closed her school here last week and has commenced a two months' term at the "Bunker Hill" school as the teacher at that place was obliged to close the school on account of illness some time ago.

The following is the report of the McConnell school examinations:

Grade IV., St.-Julia Bacon 998, Lola Hibbard 803.

Grade IV., Jr.-E. Kezar 852, O. Bacon 822.

Grade III., Elem.-Arlene Chapman 799, Helena Kezar 759.

Grade II., Elem.-John Chapman 702.

1st Primer-Carroll Dezan 505.

SOUTH DURHAM.

Misses M. A. and Ellen Holmes who spent the winter months in the village, returned to their farm the past week.

Mr. John E. Richmond is very ill, and it is feared that he has typhoid fever.

The Ladies' Guild of St. James Church will be entertained on Wednesday afternoon, May 6th at Mrs. Thos. Duff.

Messrs. B. E. Reed and Albert Harriman, of Uxton, in town on Saturday; Mrs. Foster from Beebe, guest of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Elliott; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Watt, of Richmond, guests of their mother and sister, Mrs. E. Richmond, but left on Monday for a few weeks at Abenakis Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Angus Burrill and daughters, Jeannie and Annie a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barton. They left on Monday for a few months with relatives in Manitoba and Alberta; Mrs. C. E. Laughlin home to Whitefield, N.H., and Mrs. A. Evans to Montreal having spent a few weeks with their brother and sister, Mr. James and Miss M.

Mountain; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Church week end at Lisgar with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hughes; Mr. Godfrey Duff the week end at Kirkdale with Mr. S. Pye; Mrs. Calvin Church at Richmond with friends for a couple of days.

HATLEY.

The following notice is taken from a Montreal paper of recent date:—"Ralph E. Howe, vice-principal of the Westmount Academy, has been appointed principal of the new High School in Westmount, beginning his duties next autumn. Mr. Howe's teaching career has been a particularly successful one and his work in Westmount since he joined the staff of the Academy some years ago, has been the subject of much favorable comment." Mr. Howe is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howe of this place. He was born near Burrough's Falls in July, 1874, coming here with his parents when only a little lad. Upon completing his studies at Charleston Academy, Mr. Howe entered Bishop's College, Lennoxville, where he received his degree of B.A. After a course at McGill Mr. Howe decided to engage in the profession of teaching and for three years was principal of the St. John's High School and principal of the Academy at Sutton for one year. For the past fifteen years Mr. Howe has been in Westmount and the present appointment comes as a fitting and suitable recognition of 19 years of faithful, conscientious service. It is also stated in the same issue that Mr. Walter Chalk who for several years has been principal of Westmount Academy, has been delegated to the office of Secretary to the Board and has received the appointment of Supt. of Westmount's Elementary Schools. Mr. Chalk came to Canada from England some years ago and has since been engaged in teaching. In June, 1903, he married Nina E. Howe, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howe, of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Chalk have one daughter and two sons. One little girl died in London, England, in June, 1909, where Mr. and Mrs. Chalk were spending the summer.

Mrs. A. E. Bowden was remembered by the congregation of St. James Church at Easter with a well filled purse, in recognition of her services as organist.

A large sugar party was given on Saturday by Mr. Russell Bowen, and on Monday by Mr. G. C. Poole.

BISHOP'S CROSSING.

Arrivals and departures: Miss Clara Bishop, home from Boston, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Moran; the Misses Sophia and Mary Weyland of Woodon, guests of their sister, Mrs. L. J. Gilbert; Miss Katie McLennan, of North Hill, with Mrs. A. J. Cox; Messrs. C. C. Rolfe and A. Cowan in Burry, Mr. J. B. Hooker in Sherbrooke, Saturday; Mrs. C. C. Rolfe, in Angus with relatives; Mr. Hale Gilbert to Sherbrooke from visiting relatives here; Mr. E. T. Bishop and Miss Vera Bishop, at Burry, guests of his daughter, Mrs. Shirley Clark; Miss Edith McAulay, in Sherbrooke; Miss Vera Bishop to Newport where she has accepted a position as teacher.

Mr. Austin Joyce and family are moving into Mr. Allen Riches' house which was recently vacated by Mrs. Jas. Joyce.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed in the Methodist Church next Sunday evening.

The Rev. Mr. Roy read a report of the financial standing of the Methodist Church here at the service last Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. R. Cunningham of Sawyerville, has purchased a lot from Mr. F. W. Gilbert next to the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and has let the contract to build a house on it.

Mrs. Cunningham, who has been a guest of Lt.-Col. L. J. Gilbert, was called to Eaton Corner by the serious illness of Mrs. Powers on Monday.

AYER'S CLIFF.

Arrivals and departures: The Misses Ward, of Lennoxville, Friday at Mrs. D. L. Paul's; Miss Bessie Badger, of Stanstead, the week-end at Mr. Ben Tyler's; Mrs. Annie Libby, of Hatley, the week-end at Mr. Ivers Wyman's; Mr. Roy Clough, of McGill University, at his home here for the summer; Mr. Edgar Davidson Wednesday at Rock Island; Miss Flaherty and Mr. Edgar Chadsey, of Sherbrooke, Saturday in town; Mrs. A. E. Hurd and sons at Massawippi on Sunday; Mr. Cunningham, of Magog, at Mr. Marshall Rexford's Thursday; Mrs. C. H. Libby, Mrs. Geo. B. Colby at Newport Friday; Mrs. Henry Buck and Miss Bessie Buck at Hatley Thursday; Mr. and Mrs. William Chamberlain at Stanstead Monday; Mr. and Mrs. George Woodard, of Beebe, Sunday at Mr. George Woodard's; Mr. Willis Dustin, of Sherbrooke, Sunday at Mr. D. Dustin's; Mrs. Scott Worthen and Mrs. A. E. Hurd and Master Stanley in Sherbrooke Thursday.

Miss Muriel Fish is quite ill at her home with scarlet fever.

The Ladies' Guild will meet with Mrs. George Davis Thursday, May 14.

Mr. Charles Libby is laying a cement walk in front of his house.

UPPER MELBOURNE.

The W.M.S. of the Melboro Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. F. Beers on Thursday the 7th instead of Wednesday as formerly. This being the last meeting of the conference year all members are requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brown to their home after a few days with friends and relatives.

Mr. N. H. Beers who underwent treatment at the Sherbrooke Protestant Hospital, is slowly improving.

The Rev. Roy, Rector of Gallup Hill Church, is away for a month. A student from Lennoxville occupied the pulpit on Sunday, May 3rd.

A sugar social was given at Mr. W. H. Fowler's on Monday, April 27th by the Willing Workers of the Ridge. The proceeds will go towards the Deaconess Home.

CROSSBURY.

The farmers are very busy preparing the ground for seeding.

Mrs. Chas. Locke and Mr. Frank Maskell have been very ill.

Arrivals and departures include: Mr. E. Nicholson in Angus on business; Mr. Mark Ellis visiting his old home and neighbors before leaving for Marquette; Mrs. Sam Aulis visiting.

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ing Mrs. Frank Turner on Friday; Mr. John Nicholson in Cookshire on Monday; Messrs. Fred Ross and J. Nicholson in Birchton on Friday evening to attend the dance at Mr. J. Pope's; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Aulis, Bulwer, with his parents over Sunday; Mr. Reggie Aulis to Johnville.

CANTERBURY.

Mr. Finlay G. Bennett has been confined to the house with an attack of lumbago.

Mr. Wm. Mayhew took a carload of fat cattle to Montreal Saturday. The Ladies' Guild met with Mrs. Orion Mayhew on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Coates, of Gould Station, entertained in the Hall last Tuesday in honor of their daughter Pearl's birthday. A number of friends were present and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Miss Daisy Sherman is on the sick list.

There is to be an entertainment of moving pictures in the Hall Friday, May 8.

WATERVILLE.

Mr. L. B. McGovern returned to Boston Saturday night, and Mr. W. E. McGovern left Monday for Burlington, Vt.

Mrs. C. A. Hallett, of Sherbrooke, was in town last week, the guest of Mrs. J. Moy.

Mr. Austin Brooks, of Sherbrooke, in town Thursday last.

Mrs. Frank Rowe, who has been very ill at the Sherbrooke Hospital the past three months, was removed to her home last Thursday. Mrs. Rowe is not progressing as well as her many friends would wish.

SCOTSTOWN.

The fine weather of last Sunday brought out a large attendance at the different churches and Sunday Schools.

Mr. Thomas Muir, a former resident of this town, arrived last Saturday from Manchester, N.H., where he has resided for the last few years.

Mr. Soles, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has leased the C. L. Caswell house on Victoria street.

OLIVER.

Arrivals and departures include: Mr. Robertson and son, of Montreal at "Hillcrest" on Sunday; Miss E. Chamberlain, of Lennoxville, week-end at the home of Mr. A. Chamberlain; the Misses Hazel Merrill and Helen Embury home from Magog for the week end; Miss Margaret Hoag at Mr. Bachelder's.

RED MOUNTAIN.

Mr. John A. Melver had a large gathering at a sugaring off, also Mr. William McRitchie.

Mr. Angus McAskle was calling on friends the week-end.

No spring work has been done yet as the roads are very bad and muddy. Some are short of hay for their stock.

LIBBYTOWN.

Arrivals and departures include: Mr. Del Libby, of Littleton, N.H., at home called here by the death of his father, Mr. Burton Libby; Mr. O. H. Wheeler at Mr. E. W. Perry's for a few days; Miss Annie Gillen home from Barnston.

KIRKDALE.

Mrs. J. S. Lyster to Three Rivers guest of Mrs. Adams; Mr. Godfrey Duff, South Durham, guest of Mr. S. Pye over Sunday; Mrs. T. Dowd and son, Richmond, guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Noble.

TRENHOLMVILLE.

On Sunday, May 10, the Rev. Mr. Burnett, of Richmond, will preach in the Methodist Church here at 2.15 p.m. At the close of the service the last Sacrament of the present Conference year will be administered.

Mrs. Bradford, who has been quite ill, is a little better.

Mr. Jas. Knowles is very poorly the past week and is now confined to his bed.

Miss Edith Bothwell, of Melbourne, was the week-end guest of Miss Lyster.

CLEVELAND.

Arrivals and departures: Mrs. John Law and daughter, Miss Nellie, home from Farmington, N.H.; Mr. Tom Knowles, who has finished his school is now at Sunny Side Farm; Miss Jean Stewart, of Sherbrooke, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Stewart; Mrs. Victor Bilton and son Jack, of Calgary, Alta., guests of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bilton; Mrs. T. H. Fulker the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Law on Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Boast neighborhood will hold a social at the home of Mrs. Seth Taylor on Tuesday evening, May 12.

MARLBOROUGH.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. G. M. Willard, home from Sherbrooke, for the week-end; Mr. Austin Cote, in town, guest of relatives; Mr. Karl-rod Willard, in Sherbrooke on Saturday.

The Ladies' Guild will meet in the Church Hall on Wednesday afternoon May 6th.

Service on Sunday next, May 10th, at St. Paul's Church, will be at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Confirmation class on Sunday, May 10th, at 10 a.m. at the Church.

Choir practices in the Church Friday evening, May 8th, at 7.30 p.m.

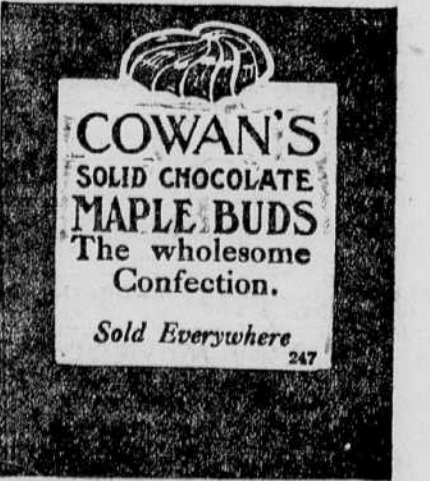
NICOLET FALLS.

Mrs. L. Smith is very seriously ill, her daughters, Mrs. Laxon and Mrs. H. Lodge are with her at present.

The school closed here on Friday for the summer holidays.

Mr. L. Blain recently purchased an automobile.

Mr. J. Frechette was called to his home in St. George de Windsor owing to the tragic death of his father.



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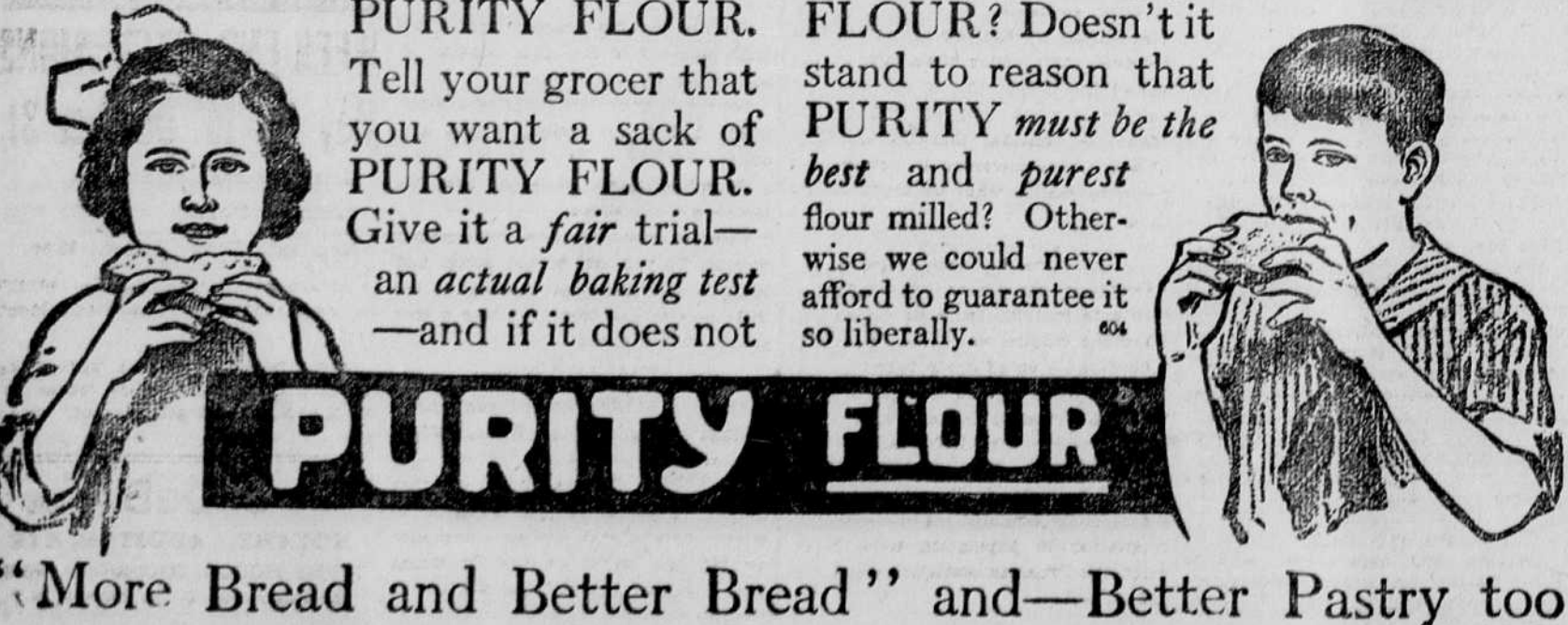
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Gatherings by Daily Record Cor-
respondents in Various
Communities.

IRON HILL.

The W.C.T.U. county convention
will convene in the Union Church
May 26, 27. Mrs. Sanderson, pro-
vincial president, will be present,
also Mrs. A. F. Leggett, Y secretary,
will address the Y's. Mrs. Nutting,
Waterloo; Mrs. Dyer, county presi-
dent, Sutton. All superintendents
and officials in the county are ex-
pected, and a cordial invitation is
extended by the ladies of the Union
to all who can attend from sister
unions. The address of welcome
will be given by Mrs. H. L. Hast-
ings, president of the Union. Ad-
dresses will be given by Rev. J. W.
Martin, Rev. A. F. Fowkes, and a
programme by the Y's. The billet-
ting committee is composed of Mrs.
J. Robinson, Mrs. A. J. Marsh. Dele-
gates will kindly send names to Mrs.
Jas. Robinson, Sweetsburg. Refresh-
ments will be served in the Jubilee
Anglican Hall.

Mr. Edward White, of the French
settlement, went to Montreal Thurs-
day to the hospital for an operation.
Mr. D. F. Sweet Wednesday in
Montreal at the Victoria Hospital,
with Mrs. Sweet, who is progressing
favorably.
Mr. Malcolm Ross, builder, of
Knowlton, was in town over week-
end, looking over his property, and
expects to build a residence thereon
about August.

Mrs. George Eddy, of Gafnesvoort,
N.Y., guest of her grandmother, Mrs.
H. D. Gleason.
Miss Wright reopened school last
week and was a guest of the Misses

Raymond and Freda Jenneau over
week-end.

Mr. Adams, who has rented Maple-
wood from Mr. E. L. Spott, took
possession May 1.

Miss Edith Rusbridge home to
Knowlton after visiting friends at
the hill.
Master Leonard Mount, little son
of Mr. Walter Mount, who has been
very ill with pneumonia, also the in-
fant daughter, are out of danger.

Mrs. Annie McCrum, who has been
critically ill with a complication of
diseases, is convalescent and spent
Friday with her daughter, Mrs. John
Macfarlane.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, of Granby,
motored to Mr. Jas. Robinson's,
Meadowbrook, last week. Mr. Thos.
Robinson, Knowlton, was also guest
at the same home Sunday.

FARNAM'S CORNER.

Arrivals include: Miss Gladys Har-
vey from attending Cowansville Aca-
demy, owing to a severe attack of
quinsy; Miss E. E. Perkins from For-
dyce, having finished her term of
school; Mr. W. Jones, Fordyce, week-
end guest at Mr. D. H. Perkins'; Mr.
Earl Oliver, Sutton, at Mr. D. D.
Harvey's; Miss Annie Shufelt, Sut-
ton, home for the week-end, accom-
panied by Miss Nellie Clossie; Mr.
P. Kirk, Millington, at Mr. D. H.
Ingalls'; Messrs. H. J. Drew and J.
N. Townsend from Sweetsburg on
Friday.

The annual Sunday School Con-
vention for the Dunham district will
be held in the church on the 11th. Two
sessions will be held, one at 2.30
p.m. and also an evening session.
Speakers and delegates from the sur-
rounding circuits will be present and
an interesting and instructive time
is anticipated. The ladies will pro-
vide refreshments for speakers, dele-
gates, etc.

Mr. H. Loiselle, East Dunham, had
the misfortune to lose a valuable
young brood mare for which he re-
cently refused an offer of \$275.

Messrs. W. T. Westover and F. D.
Perkins were chosen as people's dele-
gates to represent this part of the

circuit at the coming district meet-
ing.

At the close of the young people's
meeting on Friday evening the an-
nual Sunday school meeting for the
election of officers and teachers for
the coming year will take place.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Reynolds, Sut-
ton, were guests at Mr. N. H. Har-
vey's on Sunday.

DUNHAM

The basement of All Saints' Church
presented a lively scene on Saturday
afternoon from four to six when tea
was served and a sale of home-made
candy was in progress under the aus-
pices of the Parish Guild. Potted
plants gave an air of cheerfulness to
the room and small tables were ar-
ranged with an idea of comfort for
the guests. Mrs. Baxter poured tea
and the candy table was in charge
of Mrs. C. A. Wood and Mrs. J. Jos.
Selby. About \$27 was realized from
the sale.

Mrs. I. A. Knowlton, Montreal, is
the guest of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Chas. E. Baker.

Mrs. J. G. and Miss Geraldine
Wales, Freighsburg, in town Satur-
day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Curragan and Mr.
Henry Hibbard motored over from
Stanbridge on Sunday afternoon, and
several autos from Cowansville passed
through the same day, which is an
indication that the roads at last
are getting at least passable if not
good.

The ladies of the Methodist Church
will serve tea in the basement of the
Church on Wednesday afternoon from
4 to 6 o'clock.

WEST BOLTON

Rev. W. S. Lennon of Granby, the
chairman of the Waterloo District,
will conduct the sacramental service
at Brill's, Sunday next. As this is
also Mothers' Day it is hoped every-
one will make a special effort to be
present. The financial meeting of the
Quarterly Board will convene in the
lecture room of the Methodist Church
at Knowlton, on Monday May 11th,
at 2 p.m. This is the last regular
business meeting before Conference.

The Secretary Treasurer of Muni-
cipal Council requested that all win-
ter road bills be handed in to him
by the 1st of May not paid as ap-
peared in last week's issue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Church and
Mr. and Mrs. E. Ladd have moved
to Knowlton, where Mr. Ladd will
have a position with Mr. Claude
Buchanan, similar to the one with
Mr. J. Wright the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. George Worden who
have resided at Wm. Major's farm
the past year are leaving for Knowl-
ton.

Messrs. Jolin brothers have moved
to their farm here recently purchas-
ed from Mr. N. W. Snodgrass.
Miss Bessie Bradley from Boston,
Mr. Lionel Allen from Granby, at the
home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
V. J. Allen, for the week-end; Mr.
and Mrs. A. P. Goddard, of Foster,
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H.
Goddard; Mrs. F. H. Mizener, and
Miss Ruby, the week-end with Mrs.
Sarah Williams, Foster; Mrs. T. E.
Miller the week-end with her daughter
Mrs. Thos. Robinson, Knowlton;
Among those here attending the
funeral of the late Samuel Booth
at Waterloo, Friday, were Mr. and
Mrs. Fred McElroy, Mr. and Mrs. F.
Blunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stone,
Mr. George B. Mizener, Sunday at
Hillsdale.

SUTTON.

Car load of shingles just in at
Morrison's, Sutton.

GRANBY.

Mrs. Trotter, of Montreal, a few
days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A.
J. Seale; Mr. J. Gordon Barr, of
Montreal, the week end guest of his
parents; Mr. H. Cook, Sunday in
Waterloo; Misses Marian Clow and
Mattie Keep in Montreal for a couple
of days; this week, Messrs. Eric
Sparling and George Miner, of Mc-
Gill College are home; Mr. Max
Hurlbut, of Montreal, guest of Mr.
George Miner for a few days; Miss
Florence Mitchell Sunday at Water-
loo; Mrs. Young, of Waterloo, in
town on Monday attending the fun-
eral of her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Boyd;
Mr. Coleman MacDonald to Granby,
after the winter at St. Louis, Mo.
Mr. George Keep has purchased the
house of Mrs. Higgins on Denison
Avenue.

Mothers' Day will be observed in
the Congregational Church on Sun-
day by special music and exercises in
Sunday School and appropriate ser-
vices at the regular hour.

MYSTIC.

Arrivals and departures include:
Miss Delia Walbridge, who has been
visiting friends and relatives in the
East, to her home in Vancouver;
Mrs. Geo. Suggett home after a few
days in Montreal; Mr. Fred Phelps to
his home in Hartford, Conn., after a
visit with his parents; Miss Kate
Newell, of Dunkin, at the home of
Mr. W. L. Smith; Mr. William Spokes
in Montreal a few days; Miss
Lillian Bell back to her school; Miss
Lillian Watson, who has been in the
winter in Montreal, home for the
summer; Miss Martha Cochran at
the home of Mr. Fred Ewing, of Bed-
ford for a few weeks; Mrs. M. E.
Bockus called to Franklin, Vt., on
account of the serious illness of her
mother.

Mr. M. E. Bockus is remodeling his
store. When it is finished he will
have one of the finest stores of its
size in the Eastern Townships.

KNOWLTON.

Mr. Cyril Davignon guest of his
parents for the week end; Mr. Har-
old Ralston home from McGill Col-
lege where he has been a student for
the past year; Mr. R. P. Martin and
Mr. Guy McKinnon, both of Granby,
motored to this village on Saturday;
Mr. D. J. McClary to Waterloo on
Saturday.

There will be a missionary meeting
in St. Paul's Church on Thursday
evening next. Rev. Walter Weston,
of Pelly, Sask., will be present.

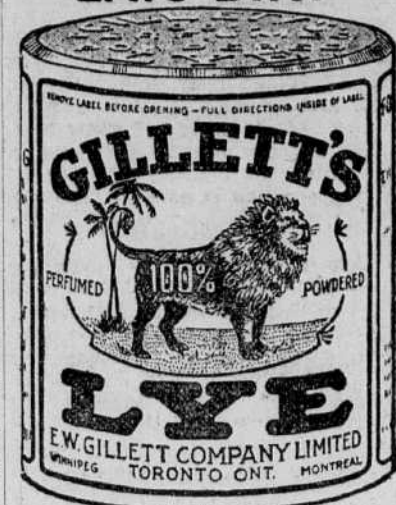
Mrs. A. Blunt is recovering from
her recent illness.

Mr. J. B. McCormick has changed
his place of residence from the Cur-
ties house to the room over his store
in the England Block.

Mr. Percy Hillhouse guest of his
parents over Sunday.

BOLTON GLEN.

Arrivals and departures: — Miss
Ethel Paige from South Bolton where
she has been assisting Mrs. W. Need-

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ham, Jr., the past 4 weeks; Messrs.
M. and John Ross, of Knowlton,
calling on friends in the Glen on
Thursday.

Mr. Alfred Smith had the misfor-
tune to stick a rusty nail in his
foot, which is causing him consider-
able trouble.

Mr. W. W. Brown to Bolton Cen-
tre on Wednesday at Mr. H. and J.
McGill's; Mrs. W. Elston in Magog
for a few days; Mrs. H. Coons, of
Bolton Centre, at her father's, Mr.
T. W. Paige's.

Mrs. Astley Williams, who has been
seriously ill, is much better. Mr.
Williams intends to work on the C.P.
R. bridge gang, under the supervision
of W. Dickerson, of Foster.

WARDEN

Mrs. Frank Wilson and three chil-
dren of Ottawa, at Mr. A. Berry's;
Mrs. W. H. Talbot and Mrs. Arthur
Curtis with their children, visited
their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter
Kneeland, of Frost Village on Sat-
urday; Mr. and Mrs. Bowker attend-
ed the funeral of Mr. Sam Booth at
Waterloo on Friday; Mrs. L. Holden,
Mrs. Kenneth Robinson and Miss Do-
rothy Jenkins, of Waterloo, guests
of Mrs. A. L. Whitcomb last week;
Miss Merle Booth closed her school
on Friday last to attend the funeral
of her uncle, Mr. Sam Booth.

Mr. S. G. Bowker has commenced
operations on the new house which
he has the contract to build for Mr.
William Wallace.

There will be a social in the base-
ment of the Methodist Church on
Friday May 15th.

BOLTON CENTRE

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Webster have
moved back to their home here from
St. Johnsbury, Vt., where they have
resided for the past three years.

Rev. Mr. Westen of Qu'Appelle,
Sask., gave a lecture in the Epis-
copal Church here on Wednesday eve-
ning. His subject was on trying to
arouse the interest of the people in
the Missionary work in Qu'Appelle.

Mrs. E. S. George and Mrs. E. E.
Cousens are on the sick list.

The Misses Baker of Montreal have
opened their summer residence Glen-
mere, at Baker's post for the sea-
son.

BROME CENTRE.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet
at Mr. H. L. Hastings' on Wednes-
day evening, May 6.

Arrivals include: Messrs. Hugh and
Carl Miller, of West Bolton, guests
at Mr. N. W. Miller's on Sunday;
Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Miller and Mas-
ter Harold Miller to North Sutton
on Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs.
George Robinson; Mr. and Mrs. Har-
old Mandigo, of Knowlton, at Mr.
I. I. Mandigo's on Sunday.

SOUTH GRANBY AND GRANBORO.
The little twin boys of Mr. Arthur
Pinsonnault are slowly recovering
from pneumonia.

Mr. S. L. Ryder is very ill and un-
der the care of a physician.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and
Mrs. Jas. Parker, of Granby, visiting
at Mr. W. A. Ryder's on Sunday; Mrs.
Roberts and Miss E. Roberts and Mr.
O. Roberts, of Granby Hill, visit-
ing at Mr. Jas. Sutherland's on Sat-
urday; Mrs. D. Clow to Cowansville re-
cently; Mrs. Diamond to her home in
St. Albans, after a few days visiting
relatives.

DURING SCHOOL LIFE

The Most Important Period, Says Dr.
Mott

Dr. J. R. Mott said that after twenty-
five years spent travelling over the
entire world, he could state with as-
surance that five-sixths of the world's
criminals were such because of mis-
direction during their school lives. Or
the other hand, 557 in every 1,000
people joining the Church did so dur-
ing school age or at least before the
age of twenty.

"That is the decisive period in the
man's life," declared the speaker.
"Its high school students are the great-
est single asset of any nation, because
they have the largest power to let
that be the period of vision-forming
when ideals laid take permanent hold."

"To cultivate the preparatory school
students is the highest strategy," the
speaker continued. "I believe that
nine-tenths of the world's ministers
received their vision of service during
school life. The time to get men for
leaders is when they are schoolboys.
When we consider that the majority
of schoolboys never go to college, we
begin to realize what we must do for
them now."

Germany's Population Grows
Germany will have 80,000,000 in-
habitants in 1930, twice its population
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vital statistics for the empire for 1912.

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to the rescue with 2,000 more births
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THE BOYS' AUXILIARY

The annual meeting of the 'Boys' Auxiliary of St. Peter's Church was held on Friday afternoon, May 1st, in the Church Hall, Mrs. C. H. Brown presiding. The meeting was opened by Dr. Shreve, who then spoke to the boys on the object and work of their Auxiliary. Very satisfactory reports were read by the Secretary and treasurer, showing that during the past year the membership had largely increased, much work accomplished and the sum of \$146.33 raised for missions. Kenneth Wilson, as President; Darryl Gage, Secretary, and Clarence Price, Treasurer, were re-elected to office, and Lloyd Bowen as Vice-President, Kipling Kilburn as assistant literature secretary, were elected. Plans were made for further work and missionary effort and it was decided to have a sale and tea and entertainment shortly. The meeting then closed.

NO. 6 CO. C. A. S. C. SHERBROOKE

No. 6 Co. C.A.S.C. will train this year in Petawawa. They will be in camp with No. 3 Company (Kingston) and No. 5 Company (Ottawa). A meeting of the N.C.O.'s will be held in the company's commanding officers office at 10 a.m. Sunday the 10th inst.

Sergeant Instructor St. J. Sainty (A.S.C.) M. has been ordered to leave Halifax on the 8th of May for Sherbrooke.

An instruction class for N.C.O.'s to qualify will be commenced next week and continued until the company goes into camp.

Recruits desiring to enroll in No. 6 Company may apply daily to any of the N. C. O.'s or to Sergeant Instructor Sainty.

The enrollment of horses will be commenced on the 14th and closed a week before going to camp.

Capt. H. J. B. Keating, C. A. S. C., attached to permanent service at Halifax, has been in the Military Hospital and is now convalescent.

NOVEL PLAN OF ADVERTISING SHERBROOKE EXHIBITION

A novel plan has been introduced by the Advertising Committee of the Sherbrooke Exhibition in connection with this year's fair.

The committee have secured an automobile, which is suitably decorated in yellow and black, bearing the name and date of the exhibition. This car will be used for outside advertising purposes in the small towns of the province of Quebec and the State of Vermont, which cannot be reached by means of bill posters or to any large extent through the newspapers.

The man in charge will distribute programmes, literature and other advertising matter and wherever possible will post exhibition notices. In this way the exhibition authorities hope to reach thousands of persons who have previously had very little knowledge of Sherbrooke's Annual Fair.

A very artistic and attractive poster, which would not be unsuitable for a dining room, is being circulated by the officials.

Deaths Reported

B. A. HASKELL, WATERLOO, Cowansville, May 5.—(Special)—B. A. Haskell, for many years a resident of Cowansville, and after the death of his wife eight years ago went to reside with his daughter, Mrs. C. A. Nutting, in Waterloo, died on Sunday night.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2 p.m.

CECIL GODDARD, FULFORD. West Bolton, May 5.—(Special)—Mr. Cecil Goddard, of Fulford, died at 1 o'clock on Sunday from an affection of the throat finally terminating in pneumonia. Deceased was in the prime of life and leaves a sorrowing widow and two daughters, mother, two brothers and sister, to mourn his early demise.

LORENA COMEAU, SUTTON. Sutton, May 5.—(Special)—The death of Miss Lorena Comeau at the age of 16 took place at the home of her father, Mr. Israel Comeau, on Wednesday morning after a brief illness. The child, though ill, was not thought to be in danger, but she was found dead beside her mother on the morning of her death. Miss Comeau's funeral took place at the Catholic Church here on Friday morning, Rev. Fr. McGee officiating.

MRS. JAS. BOYD, GRANBY. Granby, May 5.—(Special)—Mary Williams, widow of the late James Boyd, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. George Peasley, on Friday night. The deceased had been in poor health for some time, but the end was quite sudden, and came as a shock to her many friends. She leaves one son, Mr. James Boyd, of Worcester, Mass., and Mrs. Peasley, of Granby. The funeral took place from the Congregational Church on Monday afternoon, Rev. A. F. Pollock conducting the funeral service.

BENJAMIN H. GRIMES, SUTTON. Sutton, May 5.—(Special)—Mr. Benjamin H. Grimes died at his home here on Monday at 4.30 a.m. Mr. Grimes was born in East Dunham, but came to Sutton when only six months old and has resided on the farm where he died ever since. He was 35 years of age on Dec. 7 last. Though in poor health for some three years he only took his bed on Friday last. His wife died twelve years ago. His daughter, Miss Amelia A. Grimes, cared for her father to the end. The funeral will be held at the house at 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday.

KINGSEY. Arrivals and departures: Mr. St. Jean moving to the farm he recently purchased from Mr. Bushell; Mr. E. U. Towne to Danville on business; Mrs. E. U. Towne to Richmond, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.

THE VICTORIAN ORDER OF NURSES

MEETING OF LOCAL BRANCH — GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS WORK IN DOMINION.

The regular monthly meeting of the local association of Victorian Order Nurses was held yesterday in the Daughters of the Empire Club room, Mrs. T. M. Craig, the president, in the chair.

Eight new members were enrolled, and the interest in the Association was increasing.

The movement in regard to Social Service work, in connection with hospital patients would be suspended for the present, but would be carried on in the future.

Mrs. Craig said that as the work of the Civic Hospital was concluded, the V. O. Nurse would shortly leave the city for Montreal.

After discussion, it was moved by Mrs. Mackinnon, seconded by Mrs. Lawrence, that the nurse's salary be paid for the two months of her engagement at the Civic Hospital, by the local association.

The president stated that the work had been very satisfactory, and that Dr. Pariseau, the medical health officer, was more than satisfied.

Mrs. Morrill, convener of the Relief Committee, being absent, Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Gwyn, members of the committee, reported that the response to the appeal made through the Record for furniture to assist a person in need, had been very satisfactory.

Miss Orford, the District Nurse, was not present, being engaged.

Her report was read by Miss White as follows:

Number of new cases, 18; total cases nursed during month (April), 21; cases of more than one visit, 17; average daily hours on duty, 74; average Sunday hours, 34; night cases 4; visits during the month, 135; visits (casual), 23; total, 158.

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

An interesting feature of the meeting was the annual report of the Chief Supt., Miss MacKenzie, R. N., read by the President:

"According to our records," wrote Miss MacKenzie, "in the districts and hospitals throughout the Dominion, have cared for 38,322 patients, and the district nurses have made 381,005 visits, 9,949 of which were in response to night calls. Six hundred and sixty-seven and a half days' continuous nursing was reported, and 57,690 hospital days.

"Comparing these with last year's statistics we find that 7,385 more patients were cared for, 69,466 more visits paid, 2,335 more night calls responded to, and 1674 more days' continuous nursing done than in the previous year.

"The total number of nurses in active service under the Order at the present time is two hundred and seventy, an increase of thirty-eight during the year.

"Fourteen new branches have been opened and eleven branches have increased their nursing staff, viz.: Montreal, Toronto, Ottawa, North Bay, London, St. John's, Sherbrooke, Kelso, Vancouver and North Vancouver."

After touching upon the work on the Pacific coast, the Northwest, New Ontario and in larger centres, the report continues:

"The activities of the Order may be divided very roughly into: first, nursing including actual nursing and instruction, with a view to prevention, and second, training of specialists in district and public health nursing."

"District nursing was a very simple affair at first. The nurse went in, cared for the sick one, put the room in order, and instructed those in charge between her visits, what to do, also, ascertained if proper food would be available for the patient. The horizon is gradually extended, and we find the district nurse taking cognizance of the sanitation, ventilation, living conditions, and general health of the household, mothering the whole family, as it were.

"Again, we find her looking after the sanitation of the city or town, and we also have the development of the Social Service idea. With all this extension the Victorian Order has kept pace and provision has been made in our Royal charter for the training of specialists in all branches of visiting nurse work."

"The Victorian Order is the only organization in Canada that is training nurses in this special line."

PROPERTY CHANGES

Dame H. R. Fraser et al to Edward Reed lot 285 Lennoxville. The price was \$5,250.

Sherbrooke Real Estate Company to the Hall Lumber Company of lots 7-294 and 316 South Ward. Price \$600.

Dame L. E. Panneton to P. J. Wells lot 696 and part lot 699 North Ward. Price \$1,500.

Thomas Tremblay et al to Alfred Blouin lot 710-47 East Ward. Price \$350.

Dame James B. Armstrong to Thos. Eccles residue of lot 477 East Ward. Price \$2,000.

Frederick Shink to David Galbraith part lot 26 range 7 Ascot. Price \$150.

Frederick A. McAuley to Fletcher I. Thompson part lot 8 East Ward. Price \$4,500.

Telephone Bernier to Joseph Vachon lot 9-16 East Ward. Price \$250.

George Long to L. O. Noel part lot 1239 South Ward. Price \$22,000.

E. Skillen; Mr. Daniel Sharpe to Sherbrooke visiting his sister, Miss M. Sharpe; Mrs. J. C. Wright and Miss Gertrude Wright home after the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. Wright, Cleveland; Mrs. Geo. Lockwood, Slattington, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wright.

KINGSBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jameson, of Kingsbury, Que., announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Ida Muriel, to Mr. Harold A. N. Woodard, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Woodard, of Auburn, Me. The marriage will take place on June 3rd.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. A. Crack Wednesday afternoon.

Miss H. Neilson to Greenlay.

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Board of Health Issues Warning CLEAN-UP WEEK May 4th to 11th

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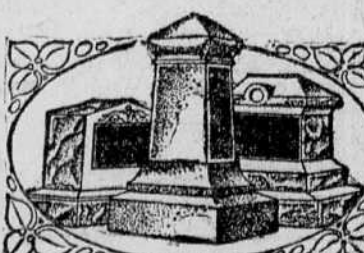
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SPORTING NEWS

FIRST GAME ON SATURDAY

Pick of Capelton And Waterville Teams Line up Against Athletics

HODGE, HAUGHEY AND BLAIR WILL PITCH FOR ALL STARS
—JOHN DORE WILL MAN-AGE TEAM

Arrangements have been made for the first game of the season on the local diamond. Weather permitting, an "all star" team, picked from Capelton and Waterville E. T. League teams, will try conclusions with the local nine. John Dore, the veteran Capelton third sacker, will be in charge of the team, and will have Hodge, Haughey and Blair to do the twirling. Mackay and Prentiss will be on the mound for Athletics.

The local management intends booking some fast teams for the coming summer and will have an announcement in this connection shortly.

The Athletics will practice every night this week.

JUNIOR BASEBALL SCHEDULE

BARACAS HAVE NOT ENTERED LEAGUE—SIX GAMES WILL BE PLAYED

The Baracas have not entered the City Junior ball league as reported in last night's paper. The league is composed of Y.M.C.A., St. Pat's and Shamrocks.

The following is the schedule:
May 9—St. Pats vs. Shamrocks
May 16—Shamrocks vs. Y.M.C.A.
May 23—Y.M.C.A. vs. St. Pats
May 30—Shamrocks vs. St. Pats
June 6—Y.M.C.A. vs. Shamrocks
June 13—St. Pats vs. Y.M.C.A.

BIG LEAGUE RESULTS

International:
Montreal 10, Providence 1
Rochester 6, Jersey City 2
Newark 4, Buffalo 3

National:
New York 4, Brooklyn 3
Boston 10, Philadelphia 7
St. Louis 6, Chicago 5
Pittsburg at Cincinnati—Rain

Amer. Can. League:
New York 8, Washington 2
Boston 9, Philadelphia 1
Detroit 9, Cleveland 7
St. Louis 1, Chicago 0

Federal League:
Kansas City 6, Pittsburg 5
Baltimore 3, St. Louis 0
Chicago 4, Buffalo 0
Brooklyn at Indianapolis—Rain

CLUB MEETING AND PRACTICES

The Athletics will hold a meeting at 7:30 to-morrow night at the Albion Hotel, when the club business will be straightened out, and the officers installed.
The Y.M.C.A. soccer club will practice this evening.
The Baracas baseball team will have a workout on the parade ground.

THE MEN WE NEED

The Farmers Advocate says: "From experience we believe that it is not profitable for the man from the country to try and persuade an immigrant, to whom the very mention of the country is distasteful, to go with him to the farm. Such men are usually failures as farm helpers, and after a short period of from a few days to a few weeks or months shake the country clay from off their hob-nailed boots and hurry back to city rooming houses. If the man loves the city and despises the country leave him there. But this is not the main question. Are we getting the right class of immigrants? We know that some of them are what this country most needs, but are the majority of that class? There is room and to spare in Canada, but at the present stage of her development she needs men willing and ready to get out and till her broad acres. Our great industrial enterprises have taken all the available men, and many a community has been stripped of its native born as well. Canada needs farmers and farm laborers far more than she requires city loafers."

Foot and Mouth Disease

In consequence of an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease at Lowell, near Newcastle, movements of animals have been prohibited within a radius of fifteen miles of Birtley, which means the closing of Newcastle and other local cattle markets.

Vacuum Cleaner

A new English portable vacuum cleaner can be used as a seat, table, cabinet, music stool or pedestal.

Pure Turpentine

Pure turpentine will evaporate from white paper, leaving no trace; if adulterated, it will leave a spot.

MYSTERY IN LACROSSE CIRCLES

Nationals May Join N. L. U. Which Would Result In Disbanding of "Big Four"

OLDER ORGANIZATION APPEARS TO BE BOOMING JUST NOW—SITUATION UNSETTLED

Montreal, May 5.—(Special)—There are rumors afloat that the Nationals will apply for a franchise in the N. L. U. before that organization draws up its schedule next week. Such a move on the part of the French-Canadian aggregation would no doubt result in the disbanding of the "Big Four."

JOE LALLY IN THE WEST
Joe Lally, the veteran lacrosse player, has just returned from a trip through the West, where he has been instrumental in organizing over three hundred lacrosse teams, mostly junior organizations. Lally thinks there will be a great revival of interest in Canada's national game in the future.

OTTAWA WERE "RAILROADED" INTO N. L. U.

G. B. Maguire, who has returned from Montreal, where he represented Sherbrooke at the N.L.U. meeting states that the delegates railroaded Ottawa into the league while he was absent from the meeting, telephoning Sherbrooke for further instructions. Sherbrooke had no objections to Ottawa being granted a franchise if the other teams wanted them in, but think they should have at least been allowed to give their views. The Sherbrooke delegate evidently did not overlook this last point, even if it was a little out of order at the time. It would also be well for the clubs who referred to the weakness of the Sherbrooke team to compare the records of their own games with those of Sherbrooke.

BASEBALL CLUB FOR HIGH WATER

POSSIBILITY THAT A LEAGUE MAY BE FORMED WITH SURROUNDING TOWNS

Highwater, May 5.—(Special)—A meeting was held Tuesday evening in C. R. Crowell's store for the purpose of organizing a baseball club, and it was well attended. The following officers were elected:

Hon. President—F. England.
President—E. O. Bailey.
Secy. Treas.—A. H. Miller.
Capt. and Mgr.—F. A. Kelley.
Ground Committee—Messrs. Kelley and C. R. Crowell.

Finance Committee—Messrs. A.H. Miller and E. Atwell.

The secretary will arrange for the providing of equipment and uniforms.

There is also a possibility that a league may be formed with a few surrounding towns.

An enterprising young florist, in order to increase his trade, displayed this sign in his window:
"We give a packet of flower seeds with every plant."
His competitor across the street promptly sought to meet the competition by placing in his window the following announcement:
"We give the earth with every plant."—Tit Bits.

WHAT QUEEN MARY DISLIKES

The ultra-smart set has no friend in Queen Mary. With the freak fashions and the eccentric pleasures of a certain section of society Her Majesty has no sympathy. It has been known for some time that Her Majesty considered that the latest dances are quite unsuitable for the ballroom, and neither at Buckingham Palace nor at houses which Her Majesty visits will they figure on the programmes. Not that the queen objects to dancing. Indeed, she is very fond of the waltz, schottische, polka, and other graceful dances. It is quite an open secret, too, that their Majesties have expressed their disapproval of the manner in which society nowadays makes Sunday a day of pleasure. The day, by many, is given over to motor-ing, golf, tennis, and drinking. They have also been heard to express the opinion that the habit of going away for the week-end is rapidly destroying the domesticity of the English home. It might also be mentioned that Her Majesty is very particular regarding the manner in which her maids of honor dress, and has said that certain loose fashions in hairdressing do not, in her opinion, add to the attractiveness or dignity of her court ladies.

Largest Hoist in the World

There is now building at Schneck the largest electric hoist in the world. This hoist, which is to be installed in the Crown Mines at Johannesburg, is designed to raise 16,000 pounds of ore per trip from a depth of 3,450 feet at a speed of 3,500 feet per minute. The tare weight of the skip is 8,700 pounds, and the winding rope, which is 2 inches in diameter, weighs 614 pounds per 100 feet. The total weight of the winding motors, excluding bearings and shafts, will be 284,000 pounds, and the maximum intermittent output from these machines will be 2,000 horsepower.

SPIC and SPAN WEEK



Clean Up and Paint Up

COME ON. Let's all get together next week. Let's make our streets—our gardens—our homes—something to be proud of. Let's clean up and paint up. Let's turn our town into the brightest, happiest, healthiest spot in the whole province. Let's reflect our good taste in home beautifying, in the painting we do.

Next Week is "SPIC AND SPAN WEEK"—
Let's make Our Whole Town Spic and Span.

Right now, take a look around your home and see what you need in the way of Paints, Varnishes, Stains and Enamels—then, come in and let us explain the advantages of Martin-Senour "100% Pure" Paint and "Spic and Span" Finishes.



La Cie Codere & Fils (Inc.)

FARMING OUGHT TO PAY BETTER

To the Farmers of the Eastern Townships.

Gentlemen:—
Do you not think that farming ought to pay better? I think it ought.

From time to time we hear a good deal of talk on the problem of young people leaving the farm for city occupations. In common with many others, I am of the opinion that they leave chiefly because farming is not a sufficiently paying occupation.

Now, if farming really does not pay as well as it ought in proportion to other legitimate businesses, do you not think it time that we were finding out why?

At our agricultural colleges and experiment stations we have many skilled experimenters and investigators. These men are there to find out things of value to farmers and to tell about what they find. This is good, but there is a rub in that heretofore almost all the burden of intelligent interpretation of facts discovered has been placed on said investigators and experimenters. I think that is a big mistake, and that a change is in order.

Most farmers have got into the habit of taking, or pretending to take (which is as bad) almost all ready-made advice that is given them by agricultural lecturers. Another sad thing is that many of the latter seem to think that it is up to them to be able to give the last thing in advice, right offhand. These men are only human and sometimes they are right, and then again at other times they may be wrong. The point I want to make is that there might not be so much mistaken advice and so much good advice misunderstood, if, instead of so much dictation of facts, theories and ideas, there could be substituted discussion with and among the farmers of the same facts, theories and ideas.

Wideawake farmers ought to study conditions as they actually are in relation to their everyday farming, with a view toward improving such conditions. Surely every farmer has some valuable experience, or idea, or interpretation of a situation which it would be well for his neighbors to study with him. What is the matter with farmers getting together to study applied farm economics, with a view toward finding out what is what and where it is? Farmers could get together in small bunches wherever possible, and we could all get together once a week, at least, in the Record, if the editor does not object.

I should like to know what some Eastern Townships farmers think about the need of getting down to some well defined system of farm accounting.

I meet farmers, whose sons are away at commercial colleges. This is very good, but where will most of these bright young men go when they graduate? Almost all will go into banks or mercantile offices and few, if any, will return to the farm. This is extremely deplorable. In an age when business method is so important, we are, as a class, the most unbusinesslike of all.

I was in Sherbrooke the other day. I was surprised at the number of banking offices there. I am told that they have eleven. Think for a moment. Those banking offices must pay or they would not have so many.

Compare the relative importance of farm and bank as institutions. Both are very necessary, but the quality of importance differs. Sherbrooke might do with half the number of

banking offices, but what if half the farms now cultivated were, to go out of commission?

Do you not agree that, in general, a business ought to be profitable somewhat in proportion to its importance? But where is the farm that can declare dividends of ten or twelve per cent? In the annual report of the Canadian Bank of Commerce I note that dividends are ten per cent, per annum, with additional bonus of one per cent, payable half-yearly, in all amounting to twelve per cent. There is a reason for this. Efficiency of administration is a large part of that reason, and the systematic accounting that the bank practices is a big factor towards that efficiency.

What is to hinder us from building up just as efficient a system of accounting and general administration of our business affairs as any bank has? Then the farm can take its place in the business world to the mutual benefit of all legitimate businesses, including the banking interests. It is up to us to get busy.

I am, sir, yours faithfully,
L. D. MCCLINTOCK,
Macdonald College Demonstrator,
Cowansville, Que., April 30, 1914.

THE SUEZ AND PANAMA CANAL.
The Suez Canal is owned by a stock company, with shares of stock numbering 379,241.

Since 1875 the British Government has been the owner of 176,602 of these shares, for which it paid \$19,855,320.

Through its holding of these shares the British Government exercises a controlling interest in the Suez canal.

The canal cost about \$127,000,000 is 103 miles long, about 28 feet deep, and it takes 17 hours for vessels to pass through it.

During the year 1910 the Suez canal was traversed by 4533 vessels, with a total net tonnage of 16,581,898, and the toll charges were \$130 per net ton for vessels with cargo, 82 cents per net ton for vessels in ballast and \$1.93 for each passenger 12 years of age.

The total receipts of the canal Co. for the year amounted to \$25,168,400; the costs of maintenance and operation to \$3,857,402; payments for fixed charges and in retiring capital obligations aggregated \$6,072,602.

The company's net profits were \$15,908,419, permitting the payment of a dividend of 31 per cent. on the canal company's shares.

The outstanding capital obligations amounted to \$92,484,544 at the close of the year 1910.

The Panama canal is owned by the people of the United States. It is estimated that it will cost, when completed, approximately \$375,000,000.

It will be 54 miles long, 41 feet deep and vessels will be able to go through it, from ocean to ocean, in 12 hours. To pay for this canal the United States Government has issued bonds to the value of \$84,631,989, bearing interest at the rate of 2 per cent. and \$50,000,000 in bonds bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent.

The expenditures on account of the canal in excess of the money received from sales of these bonds have been paid from the cash in the United States treasury.

A traffic report made to President Taft estimated that during the year 1915 10,500,000 net tons would pass through the Panama Canal, of which amount the coastwise trade of the United States, now free from tolls under existing law, was estimated at 1,160,000 tons.

The rate of tolls as established by President Taft is to be \$1.20 per net ton, this being ten cents per ton less than the Suez rate collected in the British controlled canal. Our coastwise trade being free, the

tolls to be collected from the other tonnage, as per this estimate would amount to about \$11,300,000.

The costs of maintenance and operation it was thought would not be more than that at the Suez, say \$4,000,000, which would leave more than \$7,000,000, of about 2 per cent. upon the entire investment of our people.

No one that has studied the trade statistics of the world but appreciates that as the years succeed each other the tonnage passing through the Panama canal will show large annual increases, and experts believe that by 1920 the net income from the canal will be sufficient to enable the payment of instalments upon the original sum invested in the construction of this great enterprise. (Cincinnati Enquirer.)

HAD EXPERIENCE.

Briggs—Would you marry a woman lawyer?
Griggs—No, sir. Even the ordinary woman can cross-examine far too well.

Bad Blood

is the direct and inevitable result of irregular or constipated bowels and clogged-up kidneys and skin. The undigested food and other waste matter which is allowed to accumulate poisons the blood and the whole system. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills act directly on the bowels, regulating them—on the kidneys, giving them ease and strength to properly filter the blood—and on the skin, opening up the pores. For pure blood and good health take

Dr. Morse's "Indian Root Pills"

BISHOP'S COLLEGE

A special business meeting of the Convocation of the University of Bishop's College will be held in the Council Chamber at Bishop's College, Lennoxville, on Tuesday, May 12th, 1914, at 2:45 p.m., for the purpose of nominating members of the College Council to represent the graduates under statute, page 16, and for other business.

By order,
J. C. STEWART,
Registrar.

AUCTION SALE

—ON—

Wednesday May 6th 1914

The undersigned has received instructions from

A. F. SIMPSON, Esq.

who has sold his property and is giving up housekeeping, to sell by public auction at his residence, Main street, LENNOXVILLE,

all his Household Furniture, consisting of contents of Drawing-room, Parlor, Sitting-room, etc., etc., Dining-room, etc., etc., six Bedrooms, etc., etc., Kitchen, etc., etc., etc.
Everything must be sold, as he is giving up immediate possession of house.
Terms, cash.
Sale at 10 o'clock a.m.
JOHN J. GRIFFITH,
Auctioneer.

Insolvent Notice

In the matter of
ARTHUR HAMEL, Merchant,
St. Claude Co., Richmond.

The undersigned will sell by public auction at their office, 335 Wellington street, Sherbrooke, on Tuesday, May 12th, 1914 stock in trade, consisting of:

Dry Goods, Groceries, Jewelry, Fixtures, etc., etc., \$430.21
Book Debts (as per list) 46.66
Sale at 2 o'clock p.m.

Terms, cash.
For the inventory and other information please apply at the office of the undersigned.

BELANGER & BEGIN,
J. P. JUTRAS, Joint Curators,
Auctioneer.

A Brick Limerick

The ancients had trouble to make their bricks,
Without using straw for a binder,
Since those times, the people have learned some tricks,
And the task-masters, too, have grown kinder.
But, alas! you will find, it is true of to-day,
And this we have learned from our mascot,
That good bricks can only be made from good clay,
And the good clay is all in the Corner of Ascot.

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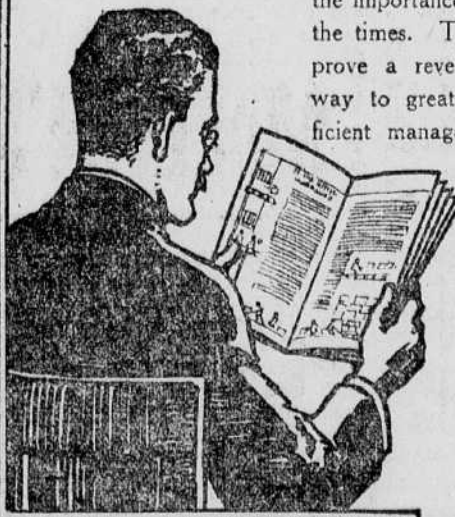
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Pages 6 and 7 Are of Interest to Wholesalers

WHERE is the logical place for the Receiving Room in a Wholesale Warehouse? This book tells you, and backs up its statements with sound, logical reasons why. This one point alone has convinced many a business man of the value of a modern Freight Elevator in stopping business leaks and increasing profits through added efficiency in handling goods and filling orders.

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THE CUSTOMER IS ALWAYS RIGHT

In the co-operative store conducted by an electric service company in Columbus, O., the salesmen are instructed that they must work on the assumption that the customer is right, first, last and always. A dissatisfied appliance customer returning a device and asking for a settlement if first reimbursed with the price of the appliance and later questioned as to the cause of its failure to operate satisfactorily. In this way the customers are taught that the company has faith in the goods it is selling and immediately the faith of the consumer again returns, the result very often being that the money is returned to the company and a new appliance substituted, or the old one is repaired and returned to the customer's residence. No opportunity is lost to instill the "customer-be-pleased" spirit into the salesman of the appliance department.—Electrical World.

GETTING EVEN.

(New York Globe)

Some time since a peevish-looking citizen was seated in a cafe when a man entered, leaving the door wide open. Instantly the peevish party became violently agitated.

"Shut the door, you chump!" he loudly exclaimed. "Where were you raised—in a barn?"

The other quietly closed the door, and then taking a seat at a nearby table he buried his head in his arms and began to sob. Naturally, this touched the heart of the peevish one.

"My friend," said he, going over to the sobby citizen, "I didn't mean to hurt your feelings. I merely wanted you to close the door."

"I am not crying because you hurt my feelings," was the sobby rejoinder. "As you suggested, I was raised in a barn, and every time I hear a mule bray I get homesick."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

THE NEW HIGH SCHOOL.

Dear Sir:—The rumor persistently sticks that our Protestant School Commissioners are still considering the purchase of a new site and the building of a separate and distinct High School. At least, that two of the Commissioners are fighting for this plan and that they are trying to postpone the decision, so that if any new commissioners are elected at the next election they can, as old members of the Board, influence them to vote for their plan. Is this true? Let the present Board pass a resolution at once in favor of the present site and a school for all purposes on the site now in their possession.

Where is the sense—not to mention economy and efficiency and centralization—in spending money for a new site when they already own the best site in the city—a site large enough and in the right position. Surely they have been derelict in their duty long enough in not establishing a sinking fund to pay their bonds, in going into debt to the amount of \$11,000 without committing the further extravagance of buying a new land when they have land enough, and then, to crown it all, by erecting a building for less than 100 scholars with all the attendant costs of another principal, another janitor, another heating and ventilating system, etc., etc.

Let the Board state plainly and at once by regular resolution what they have in mind, and then we, the electors, shall know whom to support or reject at the next election. Let them go slowly on the separate site and school question or we must call a meeting of the ratepayers and let them know who are their masters. Let them tell us at once what they wish, and we will decide if their plans are wise or otherwise.

Yours truly,

ANOTHER PARENT.
Sherbrooke, May 4, 1914.

THE LICENSE QUESTION.

Editor Record.
Sir:—After a careful perusal of the recent article published in your columns under the above caption, and signed "A Lover of the Boys," and earnest and honest effort to ascertain whether the writer is temperate, non-temperate or, as some of his remarks would lead one to think, in that most humiliating and unenviable of all positions, "on the fence," I have decided to take his opinions seriously and to try to answer the letter.

The writer states that "prohibition never has prohibited, and never will, for as long as liquor is wanted it will be made and sold." This statement has not been proved. It is not possible for any one to prove it, much less for any information given in the letter referred to, to prove it. If there is less liquor sold under prohibition—and we know that there is—then prohibition prohibits. If it is more difficult to obtain liquor under such law—and we know and the writer knows that it is—then prohibition prohibits. If the obtaining of liquor is easier for the "drunk" under prohibition law than it is for the respectable citizen—and who doubts it?—then prohibition prohibits. Let us first get a correct understanding of what prohibition really means before we say it does not prohibit.

Murder is prohibited by law. Yet murder is committed every hour. Stealing is prohibited by law. Yet there are thieves in every condition of life. Shall we then declare that the law against these crimes be done away with—that there would be less life taken and property stolen if such were done? Let us be logical, if it is in us to do so. Suppose a herd of cattle affected with a dangerous disease, and Government prohibits any from being removed from a certain area. Would we say that this would be the way to spread the disease? Would we say it would greatly increase it, and foster defiance to all law? Or suppose that auto drivers are compelled by law to use certain colored lights when driving at night for the safety of human life. Will the streets and roads be at once filled with crowding, jostling drivers without lights, running amuck of everything and everybody, on destruction? Or suppose that a city is stricken with an epidemic, and doctors command the patients to be quarantined. Would we rush to the conclusion that their method would be the very one to spread the disease? Recent events in Sherbrooke city re the scarlet fever scourge, yet fresh in the minds of her citizens, bear me out in proof of what I say when I affirm that "prohibition" did "prohibit" there, and that in double quick time more, I say, let us be logical and deal with the liquor scourge by the same methods that have proved useful in other plagues.

It is always a very strange thing that men who will uphold the license law to the very utmost will, in the same breath, admit that it is the cause of men breaking the laws. "Perhaps one or two daily." What other business does this? Does not the liquor business carry its own condemnation with it? What can its influence be on man's morals when he can calmly defy the very laws which protect his business (the very laws which he is so ready to uphold) to his everlasting shame, he said "two or three times daily." Is there not something wrong about a traffic that must needs be licensed and inspected, and fined, and all the rest, lest it do worse than it is doing? Is there anything good about it? I want the reading public to notice that in every letter that has been printed in the Record in favor of liquor, not one word has ever been used that said it was "good." The writers have always been on the defensive. As for the other side, we affirm that it is not good, but wholly, utterly and entirely evil and that continually.

With two sentences in "Lover's" letter I perfectly agree. I quote: "If the money that was spent for liquor was expended for business purposes, would anybody mind the slight increase in taxes? No, for

Do Cans Lead to Cancer?

As yet this has not been proved, but interested parties will find nothing better for corns than Putnam's Corn Extractor, 25c. at all dealers.

CAPTURED CITY OF BENIN

SIR HENRY RAWSON WAS MOST WIDELY BELOVED MEMBER OF NAVAL SERVICE

That intrepid sailor, Sir Henry Rawson, who became Governor of New South Wales, and had the reputation of being the most widely beloved member of the naval service, is commemorated in a biography just published in London.

The expedition against Benin in Africa, the "City of Blood" was the last considerable and important expedition, undertaken by the British navy. Asked for an estimate of the cost and length of time required for success, he named the sum of \$250,000 and the space of six months. He took the city in four months and at a cost of \$150,000.

RAWSON'S MESSAGE FROM THE SKY

When the expedition it was not even known exactly where Benin was; but Rawson made no mistake, and, having got within range where he believed it to be, he had a couple of rockets fired in the direction:—
"Little did the Admiral know the effect these rockets were going to have in Benin. It would hardly be credited that at a mile distant, and fired only in a general direction, they should have pitched into the juju compounds, a Benin woman afterwards described what happened:—
"The compound was thronged with people, when suddenly from the blue appeared two hissing thunderbolts, which fell into the very heart of the sacred precincts. Not a white man in sight! Yet here were two messages from the skies. 'Truly the white men are gods!' they said, and ran panic-stricken from the place."

Nevertheless, though the city was easily taken, there was some sharp fighting on the way up, and the losses, both in officers and men, were considerable. The following extract, from a letter quoted in the book from an unknown correspondent, shows what his men thought of their chief:—

"The Admiral doffed his uniform immediately on landing, and attired only in trousers and shirt and helmet, walked every step of the journey, plodding along with the aid of a walking stick, although he was nearly fifty-five years old. His grand example kept the men well together, and although at times he could hardly put one foot before the other, so great was his fatigue, he gallantly refused the services of carriers. His treatment of the force was most kind and considerate, and when our poor fellows were buried, the Admiral cried as if he had been their father."

The campaign was hardly over when Rawson fell sick with malaria, which left him with an aneurism in the hip joint. He suffered agonies from this disease for the rest of his life. The Benin expedition is an episode of very real note in the history of the navy. But Rawson fought also in China, in Egypt, and on the East Coast of China. He was a favorite of everybody, from King Edward and the Duke of Edinburgh downwards, a great naval tactician, a gunnery enthusiast, and, above all, a model of all many qualities, both in his public and in his private life.

people would have much more money to pay taxes with." "A large amount of revenue money is expended directly or indirectly through the cause of liquor, and such expenditure would not be needed." No stronger arguments than the above can be found in favor of prohibition, for that is precisely what happens when prohibition takes effect. No one will wonder that I find it difficult to locate the writer, whether in favor of prohibition or otherwise.

Mr. Editor, the writer's way of saying the boy is the strangest that I ever heard of. That a boy who would be ashamed to drink in public would make friends with the outcasts of creation in order to find and taste something he never tasted in his life before, going through byways and alleys to get it, and breaking the law besides, is something too absurd to think of. And let me give you a question, the pen of a liquor dealer, which will prove that they have no qualms about giving to minors, if they dare not sell to them. Here it is: "The open field for the creation of appetite is among the boys. After men have grown, and their habits have formed, they seldom change in this regard; and I make the suggestion, gentlemen, that nickels expended in treats for the boys now will return to your tills in dollars after the appetite has been formed." Who shall gainsay this statement?

The writer says: "Liquor will never be abolished by shouting temperance." I do not know of anyone who is doing any shouting, for temperance people are always "sober" people, but I will say that every great reform has been accomplished, first, by people getting together and talking it over; that if it had not been for the temperance movement of the past hundred years, there would not be a sober man, woman or child on God's earth to-day, as, if it were not for Christianity, it would not be safe to walk five rods from our own door. That's what education and agitation has done, and legislation will do the rest. That's the system we have decided upon, and we are "keeping everlastingly at it," and if "Lover of the Boys" had not been asleep as long as Rip Van Winkle he would know it; know, too, that his advice, though old, is good, and was taken long ago. He would know, too, that a man who talks as he does in the last part of his letter, and means it, is far too good a man to have wasted time and energy on the first.

Temperance people and non-temperance people alike want to see consistency. Such an attitude as is shown by the writer deceives nobody, but it does savor of the kind of being who tries to be "all things to all men," and succeeds in being of very little use anywhere. We have more respect for the opinion that is out-and-out in favor of liquor than for one that tries to hide its preference for the business under a cloak of benevolence.

M. E. McCURDY,
Co. Pres. W. C. T. U.

SKINS OF CATS AT FUR SALE

40,000 COATS OF DOMESTIC PUS-SIES PUT AT SALE IN LONDON.

The most tragic item in the last London fur sales were the 40,000 skins of domestic pussies put under the hammer. Where had they come from? This anxious question, put by a visitor, was merely smiled at.

"I can tell you what some of the choice tabby skins go as in the shops. They go as genet skins. Where they come from is another matter. Why ask? Perhaps the old lady who is mourning her pet puss, now lost, is wearing the dear creature round her neck to keep the draught out, without knowing it. Such is the punishment of false sentiment. Many of the cats are English. But most, and the finest are from Holland, Russia and Germany."

The auction room is in obscure College Hill. It has nothing to show that it is concerned with any romance of commerce. One would not associate it with the spacious affairs of those historic companies, the Alaska Company, the Hudson's Bay Company, the Royal Greenland Fur Company, and the Russian Fur Company, their trappers and their territories.

Recently, when a newspaper visitor looked in, the row of men on the rostrum might, from all appearances have been selling waste paper. Yet they were foreign visitors from all the world, several hundreds of them; and one could guess the wealth being dealt with only from one or two items in the catalogues.

500 SILVER FOX SKINS.

Here is one item from the current catalogue of but one full house: Two and a half million skins of musquash or in plain Canadian, muskrat, that innocent rodent of the Canadian musk and lake.

On the same list one sees mentioned 1,100 leopards, 70 tigers, 2,500 Arctic foxes, 30 musk ox, 110 sea otter, and 500 silver fox skins.

There have been explorers who have with some risk and very considerable difficulty, traversed Rupert's Land, and crossed the barren grounds to the Arctic, without even sighting their quest, the musk ox, now a rare beast indeed. Quite a large herd is represented at these sales.

It has been said that the sea otter—that elusive inhabitant of the Alaskan seas, was practically extinct. But when a trapper hears news of a beast whose skin may fetch £500 it is worth his while spending six months looking for the animal. The sea otter is now one of the most precious, as it is the most durable and perhaps the most beautiful of furs. What hunter's hardihood those 110 skins represent it is impossible to imagine.

The auctioneer at the moment had the disposal of half a million skins of the skunk (one would not think that even skunk life could stand regular drainage of that sort). But not a pelt of that pretty American animal was on view. There was no fur at all except on the coats of the buyers.

They eat in tiers of long desks, like good school boys—and a big scholar, too—before the auctioneers, wonderfully intent upon an interesting lesson, looking up now and then to hear an answer given by one of their class which they at once jotted down. The hammer kept falling upon battalions of skunks—the baled and trussed life of the pine woods.

Of the world's four great annual fur sales, perhaps that at Niimi-Norford fair, in August, is the one most people have heard about; there is another at Leipzig, soon after Easter, and one at Ishim, Siberia, in September. But the London spring sale, though the most important of all, is one that is known chiefly to the trade.

Nevertheless, it is there that prices are set to the world, and both sellers and buyers from all quarters attend, and follow its fluctuations with avidity.

THE WHITE PLAGUE

National Movement is Wanted to Stamp it Out

Pathetically intermittent efforts to check the spread of the White Plague continue to be made. But these efforts fail to accomplish any decisive or lasting victory over the foe because there is no persistency or consistency about them.

Statisticians calculate that one house in every five, contains a case of the disease. That is an awful visitation of a deadly Plague. No other ill that flesh is heir to imperils and terrorizes and kills our people to anything like a similar extent. And, for every case struck down with the dread disease, a little group of relatives and even friends are exposed to the contagion.

Probably there is not a living human being in Canada who has not felt the swish of this terrible sword very near to his own head. We all have near relatives or dear friends lying in the pale embrace of the spectre. A spasmodic effort to alleviate these awful conditions is made now and then. A benevolent man opens a Sanatorium that takes care of one-half of one per cent. of the stricken ones; and the rest of the world practically shut their eyes to the fact that the whole treatment of Tuberculosis thus far in our country is a mockery and a sham.

What is wanted is a national defence movement against this deadliest of our domestic enemies. Private philanthropy is as helpless before it as private and unorganized "sharp-shooting" would be to wage a defensive war against a powerful invader.

—Montreal Star.

Iron Fabric For Roads

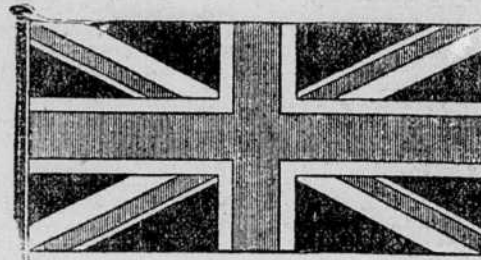
French road builders are experimenting with a mixture of iron fabrics, sand and cement, as a top dressing for highways.

A Flag for Every Record Reader

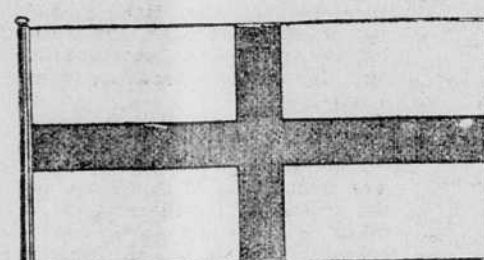
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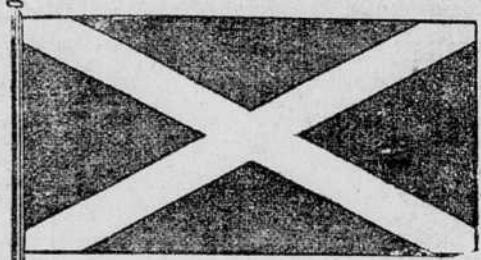
The expense is merely nominal. One coupon and fifty cents will secure for any regular reader of the Record this beautiful flag of the Empire.



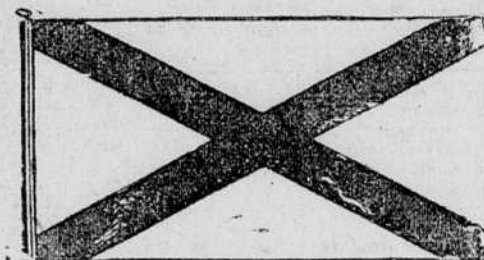
THE UNION JACK



St. George's Cross, as it appears in the Union Jack.



St. Andrew's Cross, as it appears in the Union Jack.



St. Patrick's Cross, as it appears in the Union Jack.

The 24th of May is not far distant. The 1st of July is approaching. Fly the Flag on these and other National Holidays.

Every home in the Eastern Townships should have this Flag.

Coupon is published on another page. Orders will be filled as received while the consignment lasts.

ONE COUPON AND 50c. (Postage Prepaid.)

UNFURL THE FLAG.

CRIMINALS OF INDIA

VALUE OF THE CONFESSIONS OF ACCUSED PERSONS, TO THE POLICE.

Lord Hardinge's Government has communicated to the secretary of State for India the results of an inquiry into the manner in which the police record confessions made by persons accused of criminal offences and the use of such evidence in courts of law. A despatch, dated Simla July 12, 1913, and published yesterday as a Blue-book, sums up the opinions expressed by the various provincial administrations, and indicates the order which it is proposed should be laid down for the future guidance of the police. Lord Hardinge's government, while holding that it would be advisable to adopt certain measures with the object of preventing undue reliance being placed by the police on the confessions of accused persons, consider that there are not sufficient grounds for prohibiting altogether the recording of confessions prior to trial.

The despatch says: "The advocates of prohibition are ordinarily actuated by 2 expectations firstly, that it will do away with one of the principal incentives that the police have for ill-treating accused persons, and secondly, that it will compel the police to rely upon evidence and the pursuit of clues, in place of the confession of the accused as a means of securing the conviction of the guilty."

"Of these two arguments most weight attaches, probably, to the second, which usually influences those executive and police officers who incline towards this policy, although it should be possible to achieve the end in view by other means. But the prohibition of confessions would do little in itself to diminish the risk of the ill-treatment of the accused, because the obtaining of a confession is not the sole or even the principal motive which induces incompetent or dishonest police officers to resort to a mixture of coaxing, threatening, worry, and ill-usage; their object is rather to induce the accused to 'give up' stolen property or to indicate where some clue may be found, and the opportunities of putting pressure on him with this in view would still exist."

"If this is the case it seems to us to be unwise to ignore the proved fact that the novice in crime in this country is frequently unable to keep his guilty knowledge to himself while even the more hardened criminal not infrequently insists upon unburdening his mind and the prohibition of confessions would only deprive the courts of evidence which in many cases may be quite reliable and of value, without ensuring that a higher standard of police investigation will be attained in consequence."

"That confessions, after they are made, are frequently retracted, is not surprising; once the accused finds himself awaiting trial there are his fellow prisoners, and, in some instances, possibly even the prison wardens to advise him to withdraw his statement and adopt a line of defence, which they sometimes suggest. It is easy to represent that retraction can do no harm, while it may turn the scale in his favor, and after the first moment of excitement in which the confession was made these considera-

CAPABLE QUEENS

Royal Ladies Who Could Earn Their Livings

Queen Elizabeth of Belgium, for instance, possesses a doctor's diploma of the University of Leipzig. Besides she is an excellent musician and plays piano and violin with great skill. Failing to obtain jobs in these lines she would make a good taxi-cab driver.

Queen Mary of England paints, sings, and is clever with her needle. Queen Victoria Augusta of Germany is a specialist with the camera and produces a special kind of art photo. Queen Wilhelmina of Holland paints miniatures and porcelain, while Queen Maud of Norway is a distinguished playwright, using the pseudonym of Graham Irving. She is also a competent bookbinder, dressmaker, and painter.

"Carmen Sylva" (Queen Elizabeth of Roumania) is a world-famous poetess and novelist. Helena, Queen of Italy, has jokingly remarked that, in case of need, she could easily earn \$400 a week in the music halls of London or New York as an expert swimmer and riflewoman. What is less known, she is a devoted archaeologist.

SLIT-SKIRTS BANNED

Viennese Women May Not Wear Them at Balls

Field Marshal Baron Feteke, commander of the Budapest garrison issued new regulations forbidding women to appear at military balls and similar functions in slit skirts. The Hungarian women, however, refused en masse to attend the ball at the Budapest casino. The function was consequently postponed. One of the indignant women, in an interview, says: "We obey the command of the mode imposed by Paris or Budapest but not by the commander of the garrison. We like the slit skirts. Besides, we have got the dresses and we cannot afford to buy fresh ones every few days, like the 'wives of the generals.'" She seemed overjoyed at the idea of young officers being forced to dance with women whose age corresponds with their husband's exalted rank.

or other small fish, sprinkle them with fine oatmeal instead of flour, and when cooked they will look as if they had been fried with egg and breadcrumbs.

HOUSEHOLD RECIPES

Peel and boil as many parsnips as required, cut in slices, spread each slice with a little butter, and pour over them a teaspoonful of sauce made by boiling two tablespoonsful of flour with milk, a little butter, and pepper and salt to taste. Serve hot.

Barley Pudding

Put a breakfastcupful of pearl barley to soak in a pint of milk for one hour, then place in a saucepan, and simmer gently for an hour on the side of the stove, stirring occasionally to prevent burning, then turn into a basin, and when cool mix in thoroughly two whole eggs with a little ground cinnamon and sugar to taste. Pour into a well greased dish, and bake for three-quarters of an hour.

Creamed Haddock

Take a fresh haddock and fillet it. Butter a shallow dish, and put in the haddock. Squeeze the juice of half a lemon over it, add one ounce of butter, cut into small pieces, season with pepper and salt, and cover the dish. Bake for twenty minutes. Make a teaspoonful of white sauce, add to it the liquor in which the fish was cooked. Bring to the boil, pour over the fish, and serve. Garnish with slices of lemon.

Macaroni Balls

Boil two ounces of macaroni till tender, then cut into small pieces. Beat up the yolk of an egg, add an ounce of grated cheese, and salt and pepper to taste. Stir in the macaroni, and put the mixture into a saucepan. Stir well and cook for several minutes till the egg is quite set. Turn out when cold, flour the hands, and shape the mixture into balls. Egg and breadcrumb them and fry in boiling fat.

White Soup

Take six potatoes, three onions, four ounces of crushed tapioca, one pint and a half of milk, two quarts of water, and one ounce of butter. Cut up the potatoes and onions and place in the water, which must be boiling, and boil for three-quarters of an hour. Then rub through a sieve and put back into the pan. Add the butter and salt and pepper to taste. Boil for another half hour, add the milk, and allow to boil once more. Then serve.

Electric Mail Wagon

Forty-five electric mail wagons were put in service in Vienna after an exhaustive test lasting more than 15 months.

Dusting the Corners

To lighten the burdens of housecleaning a new dust brush has a telescoping handle for reaching otherwise inaccessible places.

QUEBEC LEADS IN SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

DURING THE YEAR 1910 1,124,800 WERE ATTENDING SCHOOL IN CANADA

Ottawa, May 5—School attendance in Canada is set forth in a statistical work just published by the Census Branch and based upon the last census. The total population between the ages of 6 and 20 years was 2,141,905 of which number 1,124,800 were attending school in 1910. The percentage is 52.51. Of the total 991,534 were Canadians, 58115 British, and 75,151 foreign born.

In the Eastern provinces the highest percentage of attendance between 7 and 14 years of age was in Prince Edward Island, with 84.60 per cent., closely followed by Ontario with 84.27 per cent., Nova Scotia with 82.86 per cent., Quebec with 80.96 per cent., and New Brunswick 80.05 per cent. In the West, British Columbia led with 75.33, Saskatchewan second with 74.61, and Alberta 62.83.

In 1911 Prince Edward Island had one school for every 196 of the total population; Nova Scotia one for every 185, New Brunswick one for every 186, Quebec one for every 290, and Ontario one for every 376.

Quebec and Ontario show the greatest percentage of children between 7 to 14 years attending school for more than six months, it being 76.47 per cent. of the total number in Quebec and 74.43 per cent. in Ontario. In the Maritime provinces the percentages rank from 62 to 67, and in the west from 43 to 61.

A STORM WARNING FOR CITY MANAGERS

As a basis for the new city manager form of government there must be an impartial and scientific investigation of the existing government. Not only will it reveal the good and bad features, and furnish statistical information for comparing the new with the old administration, but will give the city manager reliable figures on which to base his budget and guide himself as to the city's needs. If such an investigation is not made, reliance must be placed on the word of holdovers, who, it can be safely assumed in most cases, are inimical to the new order.

The new administration, struggling as it will be, even under the best of conditions, with an untried machine, will be still further handicapped by the necessity of guessing at figures, which are at the foundation of a business administration. That would be an anomalous condition, for the commission-manager form is an effort to run a city as one would a business, and that business is headed for the rocks which has not satisfactory figures on its past operations.

In Dayton, fortunately, a municipal research bureau had been at work for some years before the new form of government was inaugurated. Its work, City Manager Waite testifies, has been invaluable. In fact, he has gone so far as to intimate that without it they would be hopelessly at sea, instead of proceeding, as they now are, with confidence in the basis for their decisions.—Engineering Record.

"Daily Record" Want Advertisements

BIG RESULTS FOR LITTLE MONEY.

RATES: 15 words or less, 15c. each insertion; one cent for each additional word. Six insertions for the price of five. If charged weekly rate does not apply.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

TABLE GIRL WANTED—APPLY Albion Hotel, city.

COOK GENERAL WANTED—MRS. Wm. Farwell, Dufferin Ave.

HOUSEKEEPER FOR SINGLE GENTLEMAN wanted at once. Must be good cook. Apply Box 62, Record.

CAPABLE GIRL OR MIDDLE-AGED woman wanted at once for general housework. Good wages paid. Apply Mrs. G. O. Sawyer, Lennoxville, Que.

YOUNG WOMEN, AGE 20 TO 30, desirous of becoming trained nurses, communicate with Supt. City Hospital, Bath, Me.

CAPABLE GENERAL SERVANT wanted at once. Apply Box 65, Record.

GOOD PLAIN COOK WANTED AT once. Wages, \$20 per month. Apply Box 64, Record.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—NO washing. Ironing. Second maid kept. Apply Box 62, Record.

COMPETENT AND ACCURATE stenographer for business office. One with considerable practical experience preferred. State experience and salary expected. Box 70, Record.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—Apply to Mrs. J. R. Simms, 39 London St.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED FOR general housework. Mrs. A. W. Blue, 21 Victoria St.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—Small family, no washing. Box 74, Record.

TABLE GIRL WANTED AT THE New Grand View Hotel, Bury.

TWO TABLE GIRLS WANTED—\$15 per month each. Apply Chateau Frontenac.

GIRL WANTED TO HELP WITH general housework. Apply to Mrs. J. G. Cochrane, Georgeville.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—who can cook. Apply Box 76, Record.

AN ENGLISH-SPEAKING GENERAL servant girl wanted for a small family. Apply 39 Racine Park.

TEACHERS WANTED.

ELEMENTARY TEACHER WANTED for Victoria School, Hampden, half a mile from C.P.R. station, at McLeod's Crossing. Must have elementary diploma. School to begin 1st May 1914, for a term of eight months. Salary, \$30 per month. Apply to John Black, Sec'y-Treas., Scotstown.

PROTESTANT TEACHERS, holding model and elementary diplomas, wanted for the school municipality of Phillipsburg. Apply, stating salary wanted, to D. L. Titterton, Sec'y-Treas., St. Armand Station, Que.

ONE QUALIFIED PROTESTANT teacher for school district No. 1, Echo Vale, Municipality of St. Armand. Salary, \$80 per month. Term, six months. School begins first Monday of May. M. D. McKenzie, Sec'y-Treas., Marshboro Mills, Que.

TWO EXPERIENCED TEACHERS wanted that can give references to teach in St. Catherine de Hatley, dist. Stanstead county, for nine months, to commence about September 1st. Small schools, board very reasonable. Salary, \$50 per month. None but qualified Protestant teachers need apply to J. D. Chapman, Sec'y-Treas., Ayer's Chq., Que.

EGGS AND POULTRY FOR SALE.

TURKEY EGGS FOR SALE—HAVE forty healthy Bronze Turkey Hens mated to a lot of husky, vigorous young toms, over 20 lbs., on free range. Eggs now ready. Good hatch and delivery guaranteed. \$4.00 per 15 eggs. Few toms left. Yamaska Poultry Farm, St. Hyacinthe, Que.

PURE WHITE WYANDOTTE EGGS, \$1.00 per setting, \$4.00 per 100. Mammoth Pekin Duck eggs, \$1.50 setting. E. S. Millmore, Knowlton, Que.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—R. C. Brown Leghorns, that laying strain, \$1.00 per 15 eggs. W. V. Sims, Richmond.

EGGS FOR HATCHING FROM R. E. and O. Bred-to-lay single comb White and Brown Leghorns. Apply to R. E. Ord, Bury, Que.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

YOUNG GIRL, KNOWING ENGLISH and French, stenography, desirable position in an office. Apply Box 75, Record Office.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BLACKSMITH FOR GENERAL REPAIR work wanted at Bromptonville. Brompton Pulp & Paper Co.

SHERBROOKE RAILWAY POSTAL clerk examinations soon. Skilful men questions free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 926 M., Rochester, N.Y.

RAILROAD FIREMEN, BRAKEMEN, \$120. Experience unnecessary. Send age, postage. Railway, care Record.

BLACKSMITH FOR GENERAL WORK wanted. Good prices paid to right party. Nap. Mercier, Weedon, Que.

MAN WANTED TO WORK ON farm. Apply Thos. Morrison, East Sherbrooke.

A FEW EXPERIENCED SALESMEN wanted. Must speak both languages. Splendid opportunity for right men. Apply Eichenberg Bros.

TO LET.

NEW STORE TO LET, WITH TENEMENT upstairs if wanted. Store will be completed by 1st May; 60x25; east side of Wellington. Apply Bonner's Lunch Cart.

THE BUSINESS BLOCK, 201 Wellington St., to rent. Apply on premises. G. A. LeBaron, Prop.

PLEASANT THREE AND FOUR-roomed tenement to let. Main St., Lennoxville. All new. G. W. Taylor.

ONE SIX-ROOM APARTMENT TO let. All modern conveniences and first-class finish. Apply to Geo. Long, Tel. 91.

NO. 56 MELBOURNE STREET TO let. Contains 11 rooms, modern plumbing, heated by hot water, stable and garage. Possession May 1st. Apply W. A. Hale.

OFFICES AND BEDROOMS TO LET. Apply to C. F. Olivier, 119 Wellington St.

SELF-CONTAINED HOUSE, No. 14 Stanley Ave., in north ward, to let. Pleasant, comfortable home. Apply J. E. Smith, Record Office.

114 BELVIDERE STREET TO LET. Apply, after 6, to J. W. Lindsay, 77 Queen St.

HOUSE TO LET—SIX-ROOMED tenement. Modern conveniences. Apply J. Brown, 9 Fulton Ave.

THREE MODERN, FULLY FURNISHED, beautifully located cottages for rent on Massawippi Lake, near North Hatley. For full particulars address G. A. LeBaron, Sherbrooke, Que.

SIX-ROOMED TENEMENT, 73a Queen, to let. Apply 5 Portland Ave., or Phone 390.

SELF-CONTAINED HOUSE TO LET. All modern conveniences. Apply A. Perrault, agent C.P.R., Lennoxville.

EIGHT-ROOMED TENEMENT—APPLY Mrs. H. Desruisseaux, East Sherbrooke Hotel.

DESIRABLE RESIDENCE FLAT, one office, to let in York Apartments. Apply to R. Seiveright, Office No. 1, in building.

OFFICES AND BEDROOMS IN DUFFRENE-BUILDING—modern, central and comfortable—37 King St. Phone 349.

SIX-ROOMED HOUSE TO LET ON Oliver St. All modern conveniences. Apply 132 Wellington St.

PASTURE TO LET FOR TWELVE head of young cattle. Apply W. A. Hyndman, Huntingville, Que.

SELF-CONTAINED HOUSE, 34b London St., to let. May 15th. Six nice rooms, all modern conveniences, just painted and papered throughout. Rent reasonable. Apply W. R. Webster.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

SELF-CONTAINED TEN-ROOM house, Warren St., Lennoxville. Apply E. W. Dundin, P.S.B., Wellington, city.

BAKERY, RESIDENCE AND FARM for sale. E. Faucher, North Hatley.

COTTAGE FOR SALE—TWO ACRES land, 14 miles from busy town of East Angus, Que., near post office. Linda. To be sold at once. Apply C. Berry, Beebe, Que.

FARM FOR SALE—THREE MILES from East Angus, Que., town of Eaton, known as the Thomas Berry farm, 50 acres fertile soil, with buildings. Terms easy. Apply C. Berry, Beebe, Que.

FARM OF 227 ACRES FOR SALE, known as the Bullard farm, near Capleton. This farm has been used by the late John Bullard as a stock farm. Two large barns, dwelling house and other buildings, schoolhouse on farm, four other schoolhouses within the radius of one mile. The farm is principally cleared land, plenty of wood for fire use. Apply to James O'Connor, Capleton.

MANUFACTURER WANTS AGENCY manager to open office and manage sales force for fast-selling public utility. Excellent money-making proposition for man who can qualify. \$500 to \$2,000 cash required, fully secured. Should make \$5,000 to \$20,000 first year. Will stand closest investigation. Address Manufacturer, 102 Church St., Toronto, Ont.

Coaticook House—Popular Home for Travellers. Eug. Bouchard, Prop.

FOR SALE.

CADILLAC, 1910, FIVE-PASSENGER car for sale. Has just been thoroughly overhauled and painted. Tires filled with Day's resilient tire filler. Will sell cheap to quick buyer. Apply at Sherbrooke Motor Mart.

HART MOTOR BOAT FOR SALE—25 ft. by 4 ft. 6 in., 40 h.p. six-cylinder motor. Seats six; fully equipped; speed, 22 miles. Also 60-h.p. h.p. Emerson racing motor. Both bargains. J. E. McCrear, Sherbrooke, Que.

HALF H.P. ELECTRIC MOTOR, \$350; sewing machine, \$10. Both in repair. McConnell, 135 Wellington St.

100 POST CARDS, POSTPAID, 35c. Big assortment of lovers, comets, games, animals, friendship, views, etc. Record Emporium, Beebe, Que.

FOR SALE—A FULL LINE OF 1914 McLaughlin-Buick autos; also the following good second-hand cars overhauled and fully guaranteed: 1 seven-passenger Clermont-Bayor, 1 five-passenger Pierce-Racine, 1 five-passenger Wayne, 10 five-passenger McLaughlin-Buicks, 2 two-passenger McLaughlin-Buicks, 2 five-passenger Fords, 1 two-passenger Ford. Easy terms of payment to responsible parties. G. A. LeBaron Auto Sales Co., Sherbrooke.

TELEPHONE POLES, 25 FT., 6, 7, 8, 10 to 50 ft. long; also cedar posts, 8 to 12 ft. long, for sale. O. T. Anderson, Bury.

ONE "OLD TOWN" CANVAS-COVERED canoe. Good as new. Apply Box 71, Record.

FOR SALE—THREE STEEL WHEEL cases, 5 ft. diam. by 1 ft. high, open; one steel pentstock, 8 ft. diam. by 67 ft. long; one steel pentstock, 6 ft. diam. by 21 ft. long; one Knowles' power pump, 14 in. x 16 in., stroke double acting, with 14 in. shaft, balance pulley wheel, bridge and brackets, to operate the above pump under a head from 8 ft. up. The whole to be taken as it stands today at the old pumping station, on lot No. 571a, north ward, city of Sherbrooke, the price to be divided into three classes, as follows: One for steel, one for pumps and water wheel, one for two beams. City Water Dept., Sherbrooke, Que.

THE ROCKS—HOME OF AYRESHIRE cattle. Extra good teats and milking qualities. Cows and calves for sale. Phone, Waterloo, Que. James Gaw, Rollins Hill, Que.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ROOMS TO LET, WITH BOARD, IF required; English family; 89 Bowen Ave. east; five minutes' walk from Grand Trunk.

FIVE OR SIX-ROOM FLAT WANTED in central location, with all modern conveniences. Apply Box 60, Record.

IF YOU DESIRE TO BELL YOUR farm because of inability to work it properly, or wish to divide your farm and sell one-half of it, write, giving full particulars, lowest prices, etc., to Eastern Townships Immigration Society, Sherbrooke, Que.

EXCELLENT BOARD AND GOOD rooms. Modern conveniences, very central, 37 King St. Phone 349.

PAIR OF WORKING OXEN WANTED. Address Box 253, Lennoxville.

LOST AND FOUND.

FRIDAY, A POCKETBOOK containing \$37 was lost from 66 Laurier Ave., Depot St., St. Francis St., Bush's yard to City Office. Return Ludger Cantin, 66 Laurier Ave. Reward.

BIRTHS, Marriages and Deaths

BIRTHS.

DREW—At Dixville, Que., May 1st, 1914, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Laurin L. Drew.

DREW—At Lennoxville, Que., on April 28, 1914, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Drew.

PARKER—At Hatley, on Friday, April 17th, 1914, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Parker.

MOUSLEY—At Hatley, on Monday, April 27, 1914, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Mousley.

DEATHS.

LIBBY—At Libbytown, Que., on May 2nd, 1914, Burton Libby in his 92nd year.

HASKELL—At Waterloo, Que., May 3rd, 1914, Benjamin Alonzo Haskell, in the 89th year of his age.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends who assisted in the burial of our father and grandfather; also for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Goodin and Family.

Canterbury, May 4th, 1914.

Great American Desert.

Maps showing Southern California to be an island and North America in deformed shapes to the north and west, with unheard of rivers and mountain ranges, are among the collections of the Montana State Historical Society.

"The Great American Desert" was a rather large area a few decades ago including Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, most of Texas, and parts of Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona.

The geographers of those days remarked briefly that the region where wheat farming has been carried on for the past twenty-five years was "not adapted to agriculture, and, save for the roving red men of the plains, is uninhabited."

Small Loans to Citizens.

The Berlin Municipal Council have approved of a scheme for setting aside a sum of 300,000 marks for the purpose of making small loans to citizens whose means have become temporarily straitened through no fault of their own, but owing to the present economic conditions.

Frozen Meat Diet.

It would cost \$750,000 extra to feed the troops in the United Kingdom on fresh British meat instead of frozen meat, Colonel Seely stated recently.

1847 ROGERS Silver Plated Flatware

Still retains the lead of all flatware on account of its wearing qualities and neatness of design. The "1847" is the original make of Rogers, and although there are many others Rogers makes on the market today, none can compare with the "1847." We will be pleased to quote prices on any articles you may want in this line.

R. J. Spearing

Goldsmith, Diamond Merchant, 33 Strathecona Sq., Bury, Quebec.

CITY NEWS

The Japanese Fair and Cafe is being continued this evening at the Baptist Church.

The Mission Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. Conley, 42 Magog St., Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. L. E. Chamberlain has removed into his new house, No. 6 Fulton Ave.

The Young Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will meet this evening with Miss Van Vleet 50a London St.

Miss S. McDonald, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. M. Murray, East Sherbrooke, left yesterday for Cornwall, Ont., accompanied by Mr. Murray, to attend the funeral of a relative.

A loose white faced sorrel horse was found at 1.30 this morning by the police on Belvidere street, and taken to the police station stables.

Two hours later the Sherbrooke Pure Milk Company reported the loss of a horse by phone. As the description given tallied with the one found, it was handed over to them.

FIRE AT UNION CEMETERY.

A grass fire broke out in the Union Cemetery, Belvidere street, at 2.10 p.m. yesterday. It is supposed to have been started by passers-by throwing lighted cigarettes or cigar stubs within the enclosure. The brigade was called and extinguished the flames before any serious damage was done. Nos. 1 and 2 Stations answered.

AMBULANCE CALLS.

Lord's private ambulance was called by Dr. Browning this morning to remove Mrs. A. R. Dumbo from 32 London Street to the Sherbrooke Hospital.

The municipal ambulance was called this morning by Dr. Daignault to remove Alice Breton from 26 St. Henry street to the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital.

POINTS ON PALMISTRY.

Smooth, conical fingers are a sign of talkativeness and levity. Strong, knotted fingers show prudence and capacity.

A palm too slim, narrow and feeble indicates instinct without capacity.

If the palm is too large the person is coarse and animal-like.

If the outer joint of the fingers forms a knot, the person has well-arranged ideas.

The individual who has knots at the middle joints of the fingers always has a place for everything and everything in its place.

Intellect belongs to knotted fingers, grace to smooth ones.

The person whose fingers are smooth and pointed is guided wholly by inspiration, and never has a reason for what he does.

The hard, wrinkled hand which is opened to its full extent with difficulty shows intractability, a mind without planity.

Large hands mean a close attention to minute details.

Broad nails show the owner to be bashful and gentle.

RESTRAINING ANNA SHAW

Although women can practice as bachelors in Norway, the Government of that country will not allow them to teach. Three years ago Miss Anna Shaw, an ordained Minister of the Methodist Church visited Christiania as a delegate to the Women's International Convention, and it was expected that she would deliver a sermon during her stay there. The Minister of Public Worship, however, prohibited her from doing so, basing his prohibition on the Norwegian law which makes women ineligible for office in the army, the navy or the church. An appeal from this decision was made to the Council of Ministers of State. By a vote of four to three they decided adversely to Miss Shaw; but she had the satisfaction, as she says, of knowing that the premier voted in her favor.

—London Chronicle.

TOILETTES OF QUEENS.

(London Standard)

An enterprising Belgian journal has made inquiries as to the amount expended annually by royal ladies on their toilettes, and has found the following facts: Queen Victoria of Spain easily takes first place as the best dressed royal lady. She obtains all her dresses from Paris, and has never to the great firms of the Rue de la Paix a sum of no less than £3,000 a year.

The German Empress has all her dresses made in Berlin at a cost not far below £4,000. An equal sum is expended by the Czarina, who dresses in private very simply, and only goes in for expensive robes on state and festival occasions, which, however, are not frequent in view of the retired life of the Russian Imperial family. The same sum represents the cost of dresses to the wife of M. Poincaré.

Queen Elena of Italy spends only about £3,200 a year, while the dress budget of Queen Elizabeth of Belgium does not exceed £2,000. Her neighbor, Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, dresses still more modestly, and spends on her toilette only a few hundred pounds.

HEALTH AND HYGIENE

Dr. Pariseau Delivered Instructive Lecture in East Sherbrooke Last Night

THE CAUSES OF TUBERCULOSIS AND INFANTILE PARALYSIS WERE SPECIALLY DEALT WITH

Under the auspices of the Board of Trade Dr. Pariseau last night lectured on health and hygiene in St. Jean Baptiste Hall, East Sherbrooke. The audience was composed principally of ladies. Deep interest was shown in the lecture from beginning to end. In the course of his remarks the doctor made an appeal for the co-operation of the citizens in the work of the health department, the object of the lectures being to make the co-operation of an enlightened nature.

The greater part of the lecture was devoted to a study of the causes of tuberculosis and infantile paralysis. It was pointed out by remarkable statistics that tuberculosis causes more deaths than all the other common contagious diseases combined.

"While tuberculosis carries off the full grown man," said the doctor, "infantile paralysis takes the child from its mother's knee, and though we are all doomed to die, our lives and the lives of those around us, might be made by the application of ordinary principles of hygiene, longer and more agreeable."

It was with his statistics and interesting comparisons that Dr. Pariseau made his telling points and his audience was most profoundly impressed when in a vivid manner he pointed out that the work of uniting the two great oceans by means of the Panama Canal, would never have been possible had not the U. S. government made the very wise move of using the principles of hygiene for the prevention of malaria, which would have carried off the workmen as quickly as they were turned on.

By means of his well chosen slides the lecturer described the progress of tuberculosis from the first germ to the extinction of the lung.

Dr. Pariseau laid the causes of infantile paralysis to a great extent at the door of bad milk, contaminated by the fly or through improper handling. A strong appeal was made to mothers not to treat their infants with soothing syrups. All these, he showed, contain narcotics.

After the lecture, which lasted a little over an hour and a half, Mayor Hebert, Vice-President of the Board of Trade addressed the audience, thanked them for their attendance and exhorted them to their part in promoting the sanitary conditions which went for the making of a healthier city. He closed by a special word of thanks to Dr. Pariseau for his instructive and practical words.

DUMPING COMMENCED YESTERDAY IN EARNEST.

Mr. Beaman has furnished Dr. Pariseau with particulars relating to the number of loads which were dumped yesterday at the various places set apart for this purpose by the city authorities in connection with "Clean up Week."

The total number of loads was 52. Of these 23 were taken to Magog street, 26 to Brompton Road, 12 to the incinerator, 12 to the ground near Noel's factory on Wellington street, and 9 to Johnson Avenue, East Sherbrooke.

It is expected that this number will be greatly increased by Thursday and Friday.

PLOT BY BECKERS TO FREE GUNMEN

Lieut. Becker, Brother of Ex-Lieutenant Charles Becker, Named in Charge

HIS WAS "MASTER MIND" BEHIND THE PLOT TO GET GUNMEN FREE WHO SHOT ROSENTHAL.

New York, May 5.—Police Lieutenant John Becker, brother of the late Lieutenant Charles Becker, whose second trial for the murder of Herman Rosenthal will begin in the Supreme Court on Wednesday morning, was named yesterday by Carl Dressner, the confessed perjurer, of the "master mind" behind the plot to free the four gunmen who shot Rosenthal.

It was John Becker, according to Dressner, who "manufactured" the tissue of lies, which Dressner placed before Justice Scott on April 11th, two days before the gunmen were electrocuted. It was John Becker, according to Dressner, who promised him a reward for his services and who sent him to the law offices of Charles G. F. Kringle and Lionel H. Kringle to swear to the false affidavits which were sent to Governor Glynn as a part of the moving papers in the gunmen's final appeal for clemency.

Dressner has put his charges against Lieut. John Becker in the form of an affidavit which is locked up in District Attorney Whitman's safe. He repeated the contents of the affidavits yesterday to a group of newspapermen in the Tombs. The District Attorney, it is understood, has corroborated for Dressner's remarkable story, and will take criminal action after the second Becker trial.

But the palm for simplicity belongs to Queen Mary of England, who has all her dresses, with the exception of those for state occasions, made at home under her own supervision and with her own co-operation, so that her budget is the lowest of all.

ABSOLUTELY THE MOST WONDERFUL PICTURES YET SHOWN IN SHERBROOKE!

HIS MAJESTY'S THEATRE

To-Night at 7.30 and 9.00

ADAPTATION OF THE APOCRYPHAL INCIDENT AS CONTAINED IN THOMAS BAILEY ALDRICH'S POETIC TRAGEDY

FOUR PARTS "Judith of Bethulia" FOUR PARTS

THE ASSYRIAN CONQUEST OF JUDEA. FOUR EPIC, EDUCATIONAL REELS.

A TRIUMPH IN FILM. A MARVELLOUS PICTURE.

SOME PRESS COMMENTS:

"One of the three greatest films, if not actually the best film, the world has ever seen. The scenes showing the attacks by Assyrians on the inhabitants of the city are unparalleled in the realm of moving pictures."—Pearson's Weekly.

"The most animated we have seen. The assault on the walls of Bethulia is admirably portrayed."—Sunday Times.

"One of the finest historical pictures I have ever seen."—Wellcome Square, London. J. Grosop.

CASINO

"THE BELLS OF AUSTRI." Donnie feature in two acts. The plot is located in Mexico. Full of intense action, intrigue, treachery and jealousy.

"ACROSS THE HALL." Keystone. Oh! yes; there are other comedies but—

"MADAM DU BARRY." Eclectic Colored

"HER FIRST LESSON." Princess.

"THE HOUR OF YOUTH." Thausauer

Financial and Market News

COUNTRY PRODUCE

STEADY EGG MARKET

Montreal, May 5.—A steady feeling prevails in the egg market owing to the continued good demand for actual consumption and cold storage account, consequently an active trade is doing and prices show no change. We quote prices as follows: Straight receipts, round lots, 22c to 23c; straight receipts, single cases, 23c; selected stock, single cases, 25c; No. 1 stock, single cases, 21c.

EASIER MAPLE PRODUCT MARKET

Montreal, May 5.—Owing to the more liberal supplies of pure maple product coming forward from the country an easier feeling has developed in the market and prices for syrup have declined 2c to 5c per tin and sugar 3c to 1c per pound. At this reduction the demand continues and the market is fairly active with a good trade passing. Pure maple syrup, 8-lb. tins, 65c to 70c; pure maple syrup, 10-lb. tins, 80c to 85c; pure maple syrup, 11-lb. tins, 87c to 90c; pure maple sugar, per lb., 10c to 11c.

HONEY PRICES DECLINE

Montreal, May 5.—On account of the falling off in the

T. VINEBERG'S

Special For Friday And Saturday

Just received from one of Canada's leading manufacturers

25 Ladies' Suits\$18. to \$30. will go at **\$12.00**

for these two days only

Men's Suits for \$12.

Worth Double This Amount

T. VINEBERG

147 Wellington St.

RECTORY HILL.

Arrivals and departures include: Miss Hattie Neill to Reedsdale where she is engaged to teach; Mrs. Thos. Patterson and son, Ernest, to Mrs. Allan Watts, of Lysander; Misses A. Stewart and Lulu Longmoor guests of friends here during the week.

The Ladies' Guild met with Mrs. R. Leith on Thursday.

It keeps the idle rich busy supplying copy for the sensational jour-

TRAIN SERVICE TO MEGANTIC

Stated That C. P. R. Will Continue Mixed Trains to and From Sherbrooke

TRAVELLING PUBLIC EXPECTED THAT THEY WOULD GET 6 PASSENGER ONE WAY

It is understood that the C.P.R. will change the time of the departure of the morning train from Sherbrooke to Lake Megantic on the first of June. If the present rumor is correct the travelling public along this route will not be very well satisfied with the change.

The new time table will call for the departure of the train from Sherbrooke at about nine o'clock instead of at seven at present. The time for leaving Lake Megantic in the afternoon will be about the same as at present.

It was confidently expected by the patrons of this service that the company would run the return train as a straight passenger and not a mixed train as it is the intention of the company to do. Travellers and others who have to use this train were looking forward to the withdrawal of the mixed so that they could make better time into Sherbrooke, and not jog along as at present, behind empty box cars, and suffer all the discomforts of a freight train when approaching or leaving a station.

CHRISTIAN COUNSEL.

Little Sister—"Oh, mamma, George has just upset the tea table and broken my dolly and all your nice dishes." Little brother (badly frightened)—"Yes, mamma, and let's be sorry, but don't let's be mad!"—Harper's Magazine.

MASTER OF ARTS AT BISHOP'S

Alumni Association Will Memorialize Convocation to Raise Standard of Degree

COMMITTEE WILL OBTAIN INFORMATION FROM OTHER UNIVERSITIES AS TO THEIR M. A. DEGREE.

The committee appointed by the Alumni Association of the University of Bishop's College, to consider the advisability of memorializing Convocation to raise the standard for the degree of Master of Arts, held their first meeting last night in the Council Chamber of the University. Those present were E. A. Robertson, M.A., M.D.; Professor Boothroyd, M.A.; Professor Call, M.A.; Rev. W. H. Moorhead, M.A. It was decided, after much discussion, to obtain from all the Canadian universities full information as regards their M.A. degrees, and from this information to draw up a scheme which, if approved by the next meeting of the Alumni Association, will in due course be laid before Convocation.

Mr. Moorhead was asked, and consented, to get the necessary information regarding other universities.

Dear old lady—My good man, what on earth are you doing on my lawn? Crafty Old Fraud—Bless yer, kind lady! I'm that hungry I got to eat grass. Dear Old Lady—If you go round to the back you'll find the grass grows much longer and thicker there. Punch.

Daily News Specials From Eastern Townships

TROUT FISHING IS NOT GOOD.
Iron Hill, May 5.—(Special)—Very few trout have been taken from the brook since the season opened, owing to the high water.

STILL MAKING SUGAR.
Canterbury, May 5.—(Special)—The farmers in this section are still making sugar, and it is of a good quality.

LAKE CLEAR OF ICE.
Oliver, May 5.—The ice went out of Lake Memphremagog on Monday and there is now quite a stretch of clear water.

CONTRACT LET FOR COAT- COOK'S NEW ARMOURY.
Coat cook, May 5.—(Special)—The contract for the new armoury to be erected here has been awarded to Mr. Wm. Welch.

NEW BLOCK FOR COATCOOK.
Coatcook, May 5.—(Special)—Mr. J. B. Smith has let the contract to Mr. I. Grenier to build a business block on Child Street to contain two stores. Operations have already been commenced.

CUT FOOT WITH AXE.
Brisette Corner, Hatley, May 5.—(Special)—Mr. P. H. Wilson sustained a painful injury when he cut the top of his foot with a sharp axe. He will be unable to work for some time as a result.

LARGE SHIPMENT OF SEED POTATOES.

Richford, Vt., May 5.—(Special)—Mr. E. J. Courser, the seedman here has shipped one thousand bushels of seed potatoes during the past few days to parties in Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, New York including a few small shipments to Canada.

MILLS START OPERATIONS

Lake Megantic, May 5.—(Special)—The mill of Mr. D. M. McDonald at Spring Hill, is starting up this week with Mr. Neil McDonald as manager. The yard is pretty well filled up with logs, which will be cut up during the summer.

Mr. Nap Rousseau is building a new saw mill at Spring Hill, and has bought up quite a lot of logs during the winter.

GRANBY LADY CELEBRATES 93RD BIRTHDAY

Granby, May 5.—(Special)—Mrs. Wheelock Hale celebrated her 93rd birthday on Monday, May 4th. She resides with her daughter, Mrs. Lincoln, and although not physically strong, she is mentally as bright as any person in the prime of life. Mrs. Hale received the congratulations of a host of friends on Monday.

SUCCESS OF E. T. MILITARY OFFICER.

Bishop's Crossing, May 5.—(Special)—Lt.-Col. L. J. Gilbert has received notice from headquarters that he successfully passed the theoretical portion of the Militia Staff course held in Quebec during the past winter, and has been authorized to report at Kingston, Ont., on May 18 for the practical portion of service. Lt.-Col. Gilbert is the first officer in the Eastern Townships to take this course. He received telegrams and letters of congratulation from many out of town friends, also has the congratulations of his friends in this place.

NEWPORT MAN DROPS DEAD.

Newport, Vt., May 5.—(Special)—Mr. B. O. Spaulding, of Newport, dropped dead at the Opera House at Hardwick, Friday evening April 24, shortly before 8 o'clock. He was with a party of friends going in to hear Bishop Leslie's lecture and had just stepped up to the window to buy a ticket when he fell and died almost instantly, death being caused by heart trouble. He was about 63 years of age.

SOUTH STUKELY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Peters, of Edmonton, are here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Peters, and Mr. and Mrs. I. Taylor, who are the parents of Mrs. Peters.

News has just reached here of the death at Foster of Mr. Cecil Goddard after a long and painful illness. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. W. R. Peters and cousin of Mrs. C.M. Spencer of this town.

St. Matthew's Guild meets on the afternoon of Thursday, the 7th inst, with Mrs. E. Rollins.

Mr. J. W. Booth has rented the house and small piece of land adjoining his farm to Mr. Warren Whitehead.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spencer gave a sugar party to a large number of their friends last Thursday evening.

Mr. T. Collins, who was formerly bookkeeper for the Dominion Marble Company, which has suspended work for the present, has decided to remain here and try farming on a small scale on the farm owned by the above company. Mr. and Mrs. Collins have made many friends here.

Mr. E. W. Martin has returned from the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, and is slowly improving in health.

Much regret is expressed here at the death of Mr. Luke W. Knowlton, of West Derby, Vt. South Stukely was his birthplace and home until he grew to manhood. He was the second son of the much respected L.H. Knowlton, who was for many years secretary-treasurer of this municipality. Messrs. A. A. Sargeant and L. E. Knowlton, of this town, are cousins of the deceased, and W.K. Knowlton a more distant relative.

The first automobiles of the season passed through here last Sunday afternoon.

CONSIDERED OTHERS.

"How can you smoke those vile cigarettes?"

"Many great men have done the same thing. Robert Louis Stevenson smoked cigarettes."

"I know that, but Stevenson had the decency to go to the middle of the Pacific Ocean to do it."

SWALLOWS AT LAKE MEGANTIC.
Lake Megantic, April 5.—(Special)—The swallows have arrived here. They were first seen on Sunday, May 3rd.

ICE FIRM ON BROMPTON LAKE.
Kingsbury, May 5.—(Special)—The ice still holds firm on Brompton Lake, and the lumbermen cannot get their logs through.

AUTO WRECKED.

Sutton, May 5.—(Special)—An auto driven by Mr. Crandall struck a bad place in the road near the Abercorn cheese factory on Sunday, breaking an axle and a spring to the car and burying itself in the mud to the hubs. Luckily the young ladies in the car, though badly shaken up and frightened, were not hurt.

ROAD TRAVELLERS HAVE TO MAKE LONG CIRCUIT.

Trenholmeville, May 5.—(Special)—The roads are drying up at present, but are very rough in places. The Barker hill was all washed out in the spring and should be fixed, as it is very inconvenient for the people using that road, they having to go all the way round by Richmond.

ROADS GOOD AT COWANSVILLE.

Cowansville, May 5.—(Special)—The Road Committee have begun work by starting the steam roller over the streets made last fall. This will make them the best in this part of the country. Even McNab avenue, where it was feared that the frost might make trouble, has come out in good shape, thanks to the thorough underdraining given it when making the street.

GROWTH OF CUSTOMS RECEIPTS AT ABERCORN.

Abercorn, May 5.—(Special)—The customs receipts collected here the past year show an amount of \$5,000 in excess of the previous year. The receipts for port of Abercorn in 1908-09 were \$3,001.16; in year 1913-14, \$24,906.90. It will thus be seen that the growth of the customs business here during the past five years has been very large.

FARM PROPERTIES SOLD.

South Granby, May 5.—(Special)—Mr. Edgar Parker has sold his farm to Mr. St. Jean, of Granby, for the sum of \$3,600, stock and implements included.

Mr. J. B. Purdy has sold his farm to Mr. Gideon Parent, of St. Alphonse, for the sum of \$7,200, with stock and implements. Mr. Purdy has brought a place in Granby on Denison avenue, known as the Lewis place.

SPOKE ON CONSOLIDATION.

Dunham, May 5.—(Special)—Mr. J. C. Sutherland of the Department of Public Instruction, Quebec, was in town on Saturday to address the ratepayers and all interested in the consolidations of schools. Among those who attended from a distance were Mr. W. F. Vilas, M.L.A., Cowansville; Mr. E. Buzzell, Mr. A. L. Gilman, Cowansville; Rev. E.M. Taylor, inspector of public schools; Mrs. P. A. Ruiter and Miss Muriel Ruiter, Cowansville, and several other teachers and members of the Cowansville, Dunham Village and Town School Boards, were present to hear the address on this much discussed and important question.

C. P. R. OPENING SUTTON BALL LAST PIT.

Sutton, May 5.—(Special)—Mr. Welch, roadmaster on this section, was in town on Monday looking after the opening up of the Sutton ballast pit. A steam shovel has been sent here and flat cars to fit up two work trains, while boarding vans have also been sent for the men, and the work of fixing the tracks, installing the steam shovel and getting the work started is going ahead rapidly, a large force of men being at work. Ballast will be hauled to the south from Sutton for the present.

SLAUGHTER-PRICE DAILIES AND THE POSTOFFICE.

(Ottawa Free Press)

Commenting on the increase in the price of the Winnipeg papers delivered by the publishers to subscribers in that city, to 10 cents per week, the Montreal Star remarks that there is a tendency on the part of newspaper publishers all over the continent to increase subscription rates.

In some American cities the price of delivered papers ranges from \$5.50 to \$8.00 a year. In several western Canadian cities the price has been raised to \$5.20 a year. In Ottawa the price is \$3.60 a year.

This tendency to increase subscription rates has not yet struck Montreal. Daily papers published in that city are still being sold by mail at \$1.00 a year and less. In this manner large circulations are secured by these papers far beyond their legitimate spheres as newspapers. The net amount received by the publisher for such subscriptions pays only 1-4 to 1-2 the cost of the white unprinted paper.

Because of the increased amount of newspaper mail the facilities of the post office department have been overtaxed and an insistent demand for greater remuneration has been made by the railway companies. A year and a half ago the department advised newspaper publishers generally that an increase in postage rates on newspapers was contemplated, following the demand by the railroads.

Careful investigation since that time has proven that the cities of congestion are the cities of Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg, from which cities many tons of those slaughter-price newspapers are shipped by mail every day.

The post office department has not yet taken action concerning the daily newspapers which are circulated at nominal prices, although a reasonable interpretation of the regulations of the department would indicate that such publications are not entitled to second class mailing privileges. Section 61 of the regulations reads, in part, as follows:

"Subscriptions obtained by offering a premium, prize, or other consideration of such a value as to

COME EXAMINE AND COMPARE

A great many are buying these spring suits now to have them ready for the bright days when one feels

The Joy of Living

and the pleasure of being able to make one's appearance dressed in accordance with the new season.

MAY WE SHOW YOU OUR BEAUTIFUL SPRING SUITS?

Garments of exceptional worth, prices reasonable and pleasing. See our Suits at \$15.00 and \$18.00.

**Suits for the Boys**

They come from makers who specialize in boys' garments, doing nothing from year to year but making boys' clothing and making it right. We invite mothers to call and see the new spring wearables for the boys.

Priced from **\$3.50 to \$10.00**

—STAR CLOTHING HALL—
J. ROSENBLUM AND CO.
THE STORE THAT SETS THE PACE

LIBERAL MAJORITY IN THE SENATE

WHEN PRESENT VACANCIES ARE FILLED NUMBER WILL ONLY BE 15

Ottawa, May 15.—The death of Senator William Gibson sees the rapid drawing to a close of the Liberal majority in the Senate.

There are 87 members of the Senate and at present there are 51 Liberals, 33 Conservatives and three vacancies so that when the successors to Senators Cox, Ross and Gibson are appointed the Liberal majority will be but 15. When the nine new Senators from the West are added the majority will be six. At the general election of 1911 the Liberal majority was 47 with two vacancies. There are 33 Senators over 70 years of age, and twenty of those are Liberals.

have for effect the circulation of a newspaper at a nominal price will not be accepted by the department as bona fide subscriptions. Similarly, a publication, the subscription price of which is low, will be considered as being circulated at a nominal price and therefore not entitled to transmission by mail at any lower rate than the printed rate of one cent per two ounces or fraction thereof to each separate address.

Some of these slaughter-price dailies, indeed, have not only sold their subscriptions at nominal prices, but have combined with the nominal price a prize or contest scheme which has brought the cost of the newspaper down to practically nothing at all.

It is difficult to see how the post office department can maintain that a newspaper which contains from \$3 to \$5 worth of white unprinted paper is not being sold at a nominal price when subscriptions are received by the publisher at \$1 or less. It might be noted by the department, also, that some of these identical newspapers find it necessary to increase the price of subscriptions in their home cities to \$5.20 a year.

Surely the determination of what is a nominal subscription should bear some relation to the actual cost of the white paper consumed and to the price which the publisher finds it necessary to charge in the city of publication.

The call for increased subsidies by the railroads is caused largely by the congestion of their cars by these slaughter-price dailies in the three cities named. The department proposes, by increasing all newspaper rates, to penalize all newspapers for conditions due entirely to the acts of a few.

The first duty of the post office department would seem to be to insist upon a reasonable obedience of the regulations on the part of the newspapers which have been guilty of consistent and flagrant violations before imposing any further burdens upon newspapers generally. Not till then should the newspaper press of the country be saddled with further mailing charges.

HOT AND COLD.

"Every time I see grandfather's sword I want to go to war."
"Well?"
"But every time I notice grandfather's wooden leg I cool down."

REAL SHOTS IN DUEL IN FRANCE

CAILLAUX AND D'AILLIERES FIGHT THEIR "DUEL." NO CASUALTIES

Paris, May 5.—Joseph Caillaux, ex-minister of finance, and Fernand d'Aillieres, M. Caillaux's opponent in the recent election to the French chamber of deputies, fought a duel yesterday with pistols. M. d'Aillieres fired twice at his adversary, but neither shot found its mark. M. Caillaux fired in the air. The duellists were placed twenty-five paces apart. The encounter took place in the Parc des Princes.

M. d'Aillieres was M. Caillaux's opponent in the recent election to the Chamber of Deputies. Referring to the killing last March of Gaston Calmette, editor of the Figaro, by M. Caillaux's wife, he posted bills in the constituency saying clean elections would refuse to become "accomplices in crime." M. Caillaux consequently challenged him to a duel. Arbitrators decided that the case was not proper for a duel but Caillaux insisted upon real shots being fired.

CARRIAGE OF NEWSPAPERS

Question of Increase Was Discussed in House of Commons

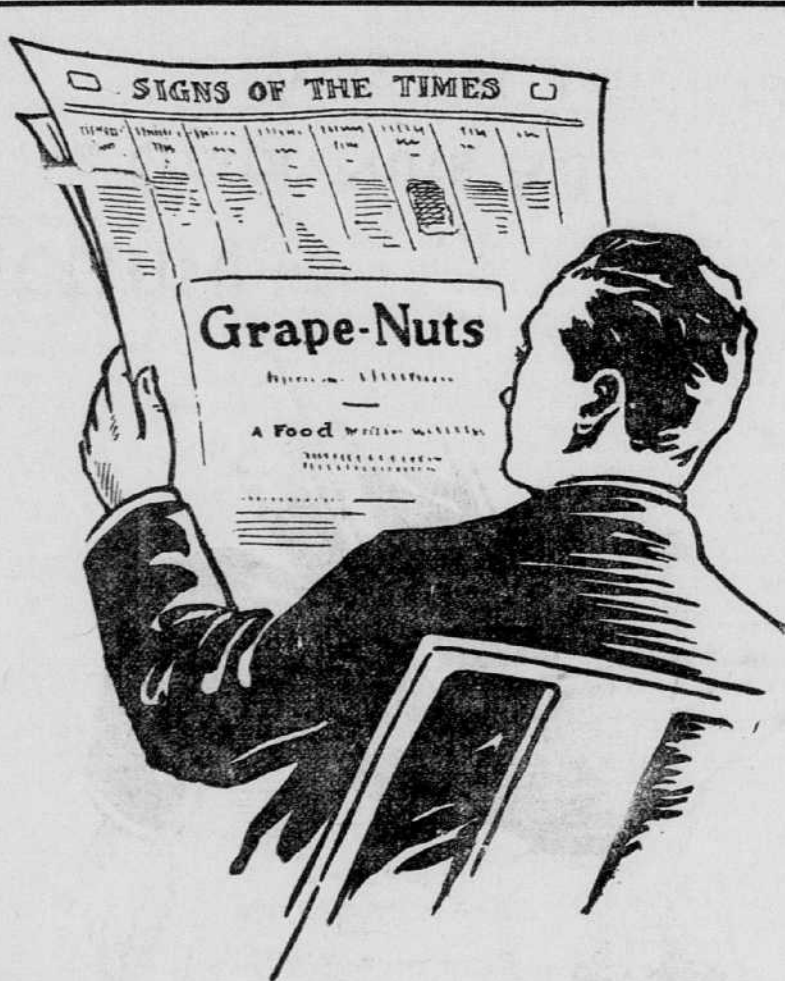
OBJECTION MADE TO ANY INCREASE BEING MADE ON LEGITIMATE NEWSPAPERS.

Ottawa, May 5.—Regarding the negotiations with the Canadian Press Association, Hon. Mr. Pelletier, in the House of Commons yesterday, said the one quarter of a cent a pound rate on newspapers in Canada was the cheapest in the world. It did not begin to pay the carriage. In England the rate was one cent per copy and in the United States one cent per pound. The Canadian newspapermen had shown a good spirit in the negotiations. They agreed that the rate was not high enough.

Hon. Frank Oliver, as an old newspaper publisher, said the rate was made low so as to help the trans missions of newspapers to a sparse population over a vast area. Conditions in Canada were exceptional. "Any increase in the rate would mean a burden on legitimate newspapermen whereby they would have to carry a burden now laid on the Post Office Department by the vast quantities of papers that are really advertising sheets."

BUT SOMETHING TO DREAM OVER.

Suspicious Mamma—Ethel, who detained you at the door just now when Mr. Spooner went away?
Ethel (smoothing her rumpled hair)—Nothing to speak of, mamma

**Sometime—****a Grape-Nuts Ad****May Set You Thinking**

Grape-Nuts ads have set many people thinking, who for years have been suffering from constipation, liver complaint, headache, "nerves," and various other troubles arising from indigestion.

Thousands are learning that one common cause of indigestion is the lack of mineral salts—phosphate of potash, iron, sulphur, etc.,—in the ordinary diet.

This is true of white bread, for, as is well-known, nearly all the mineral salts are removed from flour in the milling process just to make it look white and pretty.

Scientists tell us this lack of mineral salts in food is causing actual, if slow, starvation, for these salts are absolutely necessary for the growth and maintenance of body, brain and nerves.

What set people thinking was that the "ad" pointed out the cause of their trouble, and why Grape-Nuts would probably help them.

A ration of Grape-Nuts—along with other food—supplies what is lacking in the ordinary diet, because Grape-Nuts—made from whole wheat and barley—contains all the nutritious elements of these grains, including the invaluable mineral salts.

Grape-Nuts is an ideal food ALL the time. Comes ready to eat from the package, fresh, crisp and appetizing. Digests easily and quickly.

If one of these days a Grape-Nuts ad sets you thinking, and a trial of the food starts you on the Road to Wellville, you'll know.

"There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts

—sold by Grocers everywhere.

Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont.