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COMPARED CONDITIONS IN U.S. AND CANADA Socialists To Accept Office Under Painleve Ministry

Says Government Not Responsible For Depression

Minister of Labor Asserts that This Country Is Suffering Little More Than United States—Mr. Murdock's Speech Was Characterized by a Copious Reading of Extracts of Comparative Figures on Unemployment Between Canada and Other Countries, and Schedules Relating to Business Conditions.

(Associated Press Despatch)
OTTAWA, ONT., April 15.—The budget debate will be resumed this afternoon by L. W. Humphrey, independent member for Kootenay West. The Senate stands adjourned.

Yesterday, Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, replied to the criticisms that had been launched against the Government. Mr. Murdock stated that the King Government had been unjustly charged with responsibility for business depression in Canada, and proceeded by reading a comparison of a list of commercial failures in various lines of business for the years 1914-15-20-21-22-23 and 1924, that such criticism was not justifiable. In 1914, the commercial failures in Canada totalled 2,898 with liabilities of \$38,045,094.00; in 1915, 2,661 failures with liabilities of \$41,162,221.00; in 1920, 1,078 failures with liabilities of \$26,424,301; in 1922, 3,695 failures with liabilities of \$78,068,959; in 1923, 3,247 failures with liabilities of \$65,810,382, and in 1924, 2,474 failures with liabilities of \$64,530,975.

The Minister of Labor also argued that, contrary to statements made by Opposition members, conditions in the textile and the boot and shoe industries in Canada had improved since 1921, and read a comparative statement of returns to prove his case. He also quoted comparative figures to show that Canada was not really suffering much more than the United States in the matter of industrial depression.

W. G. McQuarrie, of New Westminster; J. E. Prevost, of Terrebonne; J. T. Lucas, of Victoria; and J. F. Pouloit, of Temiscouata, were other speakers on the budget.

The financial report of the Canadian Northern Railways was tabled.

CLAIMS CANADA NOT SUFFERING MORE THAN UNITED STATES IN THE MATTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEPRESSION

OTTAWA, April 15.—Resuming the debate on the budget in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, dealt with some criticisms made by Opposition members of the Government's immigration policy.

In answer to William Irvine, Labor member for East Calgary, he read a report from the Immigration Department on the case of a young Britisher who had come to the Calgary district last year and was supposed to have suffered great privation because he could find no work. This man, aged 24, and his family of four, should never have been admitted to Canada, the Immigration Department had concluded. They had one dollar among them when they came. The first farmer (at Condon, Alberta), with whom they were placed, had spent \$50.50 on furniture and supplies for the family. Within three days the young man went to the Land Settlement Board, asking that he be returned to the Old Country with his family. He was persuaded to stay. Shortly afterwards he left the farmer who employed him and went to another. This one he also left. The records showed that the Land Settlement Board had secured seven different jobs for this immigrant on farms. He had left them all, sometimes causing his employers great inconvenience. He had finally written to the Board from Calgary, saying that he had secured a job at \$75 a month in the city and did not care to go back to farm work. But he was still writing to the papers telling of his hard luck and asking that he be deported.

Deportation, said Mr. Murdock, was perhaps the best thing under the circumstances, and he believed that the Department had that under consideration at the present time. The Minister read a clipping from a Calgary paper, which stated that 200 men had been ordered out of the Labor Bureau for declining to accept work. The men were described by the mayor of the city as idlers who should get out of the city.

Explained Details Of Net Debt.
Mr. Irvine had said in his speech that the net debt of Canada per capita was \$540, but he did not indicate how this enormous debt came about. Mr. Murdock felt that to be fair, Mr. Irvine should have pointed out that the war-time Government did not undertake to lighten the accumulating burden of debt, or to effectively impair it.

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C.P.R. STEAMER MONT LAURIER IS DESTROYED

Caught Fire Early This Morning—Firemen Hampered by Dense Clouds of Smoke.

(Associated Press Despatch)
LIVERPOOL, April 15.—Fire broke out at seven o'clock this morning on the Canadian Pacific steamer Mont Laurier, which has just completed repairs at a dock at Birkenhead, across the Mersey opposite Liverpool. By noon the whole fore part of the vessel was reported to be destroyed, with the fire still not under control, dense clouds of smoke hampering the fire fighters.

The Mont Laurier was due to resume her trans-Atlantic sailings the coming week-end.

From the decks of the steamer Inca, at a neighboring dock, the firemen poured great streams of water on the white hot plates of the burning liner, but they made little impression. The cabins and gangways are choked with debris, while smoke and gas filled passages are preventing the entry of men with fire fighting apparatus.

The cause of the fire, which started in the third class accommodations, is not known.

Early this afternoon the third class furnishings on the Mont Laurier had been completely destroyed and the fire was spreading below decks. It was estimated that the damage would reach \$250,000.

One fireman was overcome by gas fumes from the blaze.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH AT N.Y. IS DESTROYED

Origin of Fire Has Not Been Ascertained—Loss Estimated at Half a Million Dollars.

(Associated Press Despatch)
NEW YORK, April 15.—Holy Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church, at Lenox Avenue and 122nd street, was totally destroyed by fire which in an hour this morning at an estimated damage of a half million dollars.

Flames roaring to a height of two hundred feet brought down the heavy slate roof soon after the blaze was discovered, and, with heavy turrets and cornices of stone dropping in their midst, firemen were helpless.

The heat of the flames was so intense that clothing of persons one hundred feet distant was scorched. Members of four engine companies, who were in the church when the roof began to collapse, rushed to shelter under pillars in the west side of the building, while tons of slate and great flaming beams toppled down.

The origin of the fire has not been ascertained.

MAN HAS RIGHT TO SPANK HIS WIFE

MOULTRIE, Ga., April 15.—A man has a right under certain circumstances to place his wife across his lap and spank her, Judge Ogden Parsons ruled in Superior Court here yesterday when he directed a verdict of not guilty in a case of Fred Bannister, a young farmer, indicted on a charge of assault and battery.

Places Canada In Position To Renew Her Trade Relations With Spain On Favorable Basis--Negotiations Concluded Yesterday

Conclusion of Agreement Affords First Instance of Canadian Trade Commissioner Negotiating With a Foreign Government—Canada Does Not Obtain Benefits Accorded British Government by Anglo-Spanish Treaty of 1922.

(Associated Press Despatch)
MADRID, April 15.—(Via Reuters).—Following up the temporary trade agreement between Canada and Spain, which was signed a few days ago, the negotiations were finally concluded here yesterday.

The Spanish Government places Canada in a position to renew her trade relations with Spain on a favorable basis, although Canada has not obtained the benefits accorded the British Government by the Anglo-Spanish treaty of 1922, to which Canada did not, or rather could not, adhere as her tariff placed her in a different position from England. England admits most of the Spanish goods imported by her on a duty free basis.

The conclusion of the agreement affords the first instance of a Can-

WINS PARIS BEAUTY CONTEST



Suzy Vernon won first prize in a beauty contest conducted by a French newspaper. She has appeared in moving pictures.

Painleve-Herriot Cabinet Appears To Be Likely Solution Of French Ministerial Crisis--Painleve To Give Answer Today

Predictions Are Freely Made that a Painleve Cabinet With Socialist Foundation Must Be Expected to Encounter Same Obstacles as Did Herriot Ministry, and that With Issue Over Extreme Financial Policies at Its Climax, Such a Ministry Can Hope for Only a Few Weeks of Life.

(Associated Press Despatch)
PARIS, April 15.—A Painleve-Herriot cabinet appears to be the most likely solution of the ministerial crisis this morning. M. Painleve hopes to give a definite answer to President Doumergue, as to whether he will try to organize a ministry at three o'clock this afternoon.

Predictions are freely made that a Painleve cabinet with a Socialist foundation must be expected to encounter the same obstacles as did the Herriot ministry, and that with the issue over extreme financial policies at its climax, such a ministry can hope for only a few weeks of life.

It is understood that a hint has been conveyed to M. Painleve that while it is well enough to have Socialist support, Socialist dictation must end. In circles close to M. Painleve it is said that besides M. Herriot there would be only a small representation from the outgoing cabinet in the new combination, and that the Senate will be given a bigger share of Government posts, with a view to gaining a better footing for the cabinet in the upper House.

HAS AGREED TO FORM CABINET

(Associated Press Despatch)
PARIS, April 15.—Ex-Premier Paul Painleve today definitely agreed to form a cabinet in succession to the Herriot ministry.

SOCIALISTS WILL ACCEPT OFFICE

(Associated Press Despatch)
PARIS, April 15.—The Socialist party today decided it would allow its members to take office under a Painleve ministry.

TAKING FIXED CHARGES INTO ACCOUNT, C.N.R. HAD DEFICIT OF \$54,860,419

The Net Before Fixed Charges Showed an Improvement During Past Year of \$1,270,687—Report Tabled in Commons.

OTTAWA, April 15.—Taking fixed charges into account, the Canadian National Railways last year had a deficit of \$54,860,419. The deficit in 1923 was \$51,697,674. The net before fixed charges showed an improvement of \$1,270,687. But fixed charges increased by \$4,433,423, swallowing the increase in net and made a deficit of \$3,162,744 greater than in 1923, according to the annual report of the Canadian Railways tabled in the House yesterday.

CONFERENCE RE MINERS' STRIKE IS CONTINUED

No Information as to Course Discussions Have Followed Nor Attitude Adopted by Parties Has Been Divulged.

HALIFAX, N.S., April 15.—The conference between the representatives of the United Mine Workers of America, officials of the British Empire Steel Corporation and the Nova Scotia Government, called yesterday morning by Premier Armstrong and marking the first direct negotiations between the two disputing bodies since Nova Scotia's twelve thousand miners ceased work six weeks ago, was resumed this morning and until it has been completed no fresh developments are expected in the situation. International president John L. Lewis, of the United Mine Workers of America, the president, secretary and international board member for district 26, vice-president J. S. McLurg, of the British Empire Steel Corporation, Premier Armstrong and Hon. William Chisholm, Minister of Works and Mines, constitute the conferring parties who are seeking to find a solution to the labor problem. No information as to the course the discussions have followed nor the attitude adopted by the several parties, has been divulged.

EARL OF BALFOUR ON HIS WAY HOME TO ENGLAND

Left Alexandria Today, Where He Arrived Yesterday from Syria.

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, April 15.—The Earl of Balfour embarked today on his way home to England, having arrived here from Syria, where his presence in Damascus last week resulted in violent demonstrations by the Arab population, which disapproved of his work in aiding the establishment of a Jewish national home in Palestine.

TAX BY-LAW WAS ADOPTED LAST NIGHT BY CITY COUNCIL; RATES FOR LICENSES ARE INCLUDED

Annual Tax of Two Per Cent. on Amount of Rental—By-Law Was Presented by Alderman Tetrault, Chairman of Finance Committee, and Adopted Without Discussion—Third Reading of By-Law Composed the Only Business Taken Up by Council at Adjourned Meeting Last Night.

BY-LAW 459 replacing by-law 351 was given second and third reading and adopted by the City Council at an adjourned meeting of the Council held in the City Hall last night. This by-law, which refers to the issuing of licences, was presented and read by Alderman Tetrault, chairman of the Finance Committee, and adopted on a motion made by Alderman Tetrault, seconded by Alderman Newton.

This by-law provides for the issuing of taxes on the following:

An annual tax, known as "business tax" is imposed and will be collected on all business places, manufacturers, financial or commercial establishments, places occupied as warehouses or stores, arts, professions for means of profit or earning a living, and all persons, companies or corporations exercising these businesses, are responsible for the payment of this tax. But the persons, companies or corporations paying the special tax of the present by-law are exempt from the payment of this business tax.

An annual tax of 2 p.c. on the amount of rental is imposed on all persons paying rent in the city.

An annual tax of \$500 is imposed on all banks doing business in the city, and a tax of \$250 is imposed on each branch of a bank in the city.

An annual tax of \$20 is imposed upon each lawyer, notary, doctor, osteopath or other similar occupation, architect, civil engineer and veterinarian.

A tax of \$2 is imposed on all male residents living in the city of Sherbrooke from twenty-one years of age who have been living in the city for more than six months.

No person, corporation or society can exercise any of the below mentioned businesses without having paid to the city the tax imposed in the form of a licence.

Auctioneer, with auction room, one hundred dollars.

Auctioneer, trustee, liquidator, accountant, auditor, \$25.

Each clerk engaged by an auctioneer to sell for him, \$10.

Security lender, \$100. Money lending companies, \$100.

Junk merchant, \$100.

Public sellers offering such articles as small statues, pencils, shoe laces, stationery, \$100.

Fish merchants or persons selling fresh fish, who do not pay a business tax, \$10. All persons selling fish regularly or from time to time, \$2.

Horse dealers living in or outside the city \$50.

Breweries, \$200. Breweries agents, \$500. Bottlers of alcoholic liquors, \$200. Soft drink bottlers, \$100. Distributors of alcoholic liquors, \$200.

Telephone companies, \$50; Tele-

phone companies, \$200.

Office for sale of railway tickets other than in the railway stations, \$100.

Wholesale skin dealer, \$100.

Oil, coal and gasoline dealers, \$100.

Ice dealer, \$50.

Undertakers, \$50.

Agent for distributing circulars to houses, \$50.

Stock brokers or other persons in such business having a place in the city, \$200.

Milkmen \$5 for each team distributing milk.

Bakers, ten dollars for the first team and five dollars for each additional team.

Farmers, \$10 for the first chair, \$2 for each additional chair.

Shoemaker \$5, with helper \$10.

Amusement Places.

Persons operating a billiard or pool room or place of similar nature \$50 for first table, \$20 for second table and \$10 for each other table.

Theatre proprietors, \$200; moving picture theatres, \$200; dance halls, \$100.

Photographer, \$50.

Life insurance companies, \$50; automobile insurance companies, \$20; fire insurance companies, \$25; accident insurance, \$20; guarantee assurance, \$20; insurance against wind, \$20; insurance on animals, \$20; kennel tax, \$15.

The by-law states that it is forbidden to all persons, societies or companies not residing in the city or not having a place of business in the city to carry on business or deliver in the city by vehicle without having secured a permit from the city and without having paid the treasurer \$100.

No minor child should sell newspapers in the streets or other public places in the city without having paid to the treasurer the sum of 25c.

Very Little Discussion.

The licenses issued by the city authorities are not transferable, but must be used by the people in whose name they are issued.

Very little discussion took place at the meeting and each clause of the by-law met with the approval of the City Fathers, although in several cases the amount of the licence was lowered or raised, as was thought to be advisable.

MURDERER WAS BEHEADED

(Associated Press Despatch)
HANOVER, April 15.—Fritz Haarmann, the local butcher who was sentenced to death last winter for having killed a large number of men and boys, was beheaded at six o'clock this morning.

Accordingly the Seminole started out after the Madeleine Adams. It took nearly twelve hours to pick up the British schooner, which meanwhile had hauled her anchor and was heading due east as fast as her sails and an auxiliary engine could carry her.

The Seminole finally sighted her, and after firing several shots at her brought the schooner to a halt. A prize crew was placed on board and, towed by the Seminole, the Madeleine Adams was brought into the harbor.

An investigation revealed that the vessel had in her hold 4,000 cases of whiskey and champagnes, and 200 barrels of alcohol.

Coast guard officials said a charge of conspiracy would be made against the officers and crew of the vessel, in addition to the charge of violating the treaty. The captain of the Madeleine Adams and a crew of eight men are under arrest and are now being questioned by coast guard officials on board the vessel.

It appeared from information at hand that the Madeleine Adams was unquestionably within the twelve-mile limit at the time of the "deal" with the customs men. This

British Schooner With \$500,000 Liquor Cargo Captured After Twelve Hour Chase

Stated that Men of Vessel Had Tried to Bribe Coast Guard to Bring a Load of Liquors into Port—Charges of Conspiracy and Violating Treaty.

(Associated Press Despatch)
NEW YORK, April 15.—After a twelve-hour chase of about 150 miles the coast guard cutter Seminole yesterday captured the three-masted British schooner Madeleine Adams with her cargo of whiskeys and champagnes worth \$500,000. It was the men of this vessel who sought to bribe agents of the coast guard to bring a load of liquors into port.

ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT NEWS

Gatherings by the Daily Record Correspondents in the Various Communities.

CLEVELAND

The social workers of New London and Richmond Hill will hold a sale of food in the lecture room of St. Francis Church, Richmond, on April 17, commencing at 3 o'clock. Bread, rolls, doughnuts, cakes, etc., will be sold.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Taylor and children were at Mr. C. W. Perkins' on Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Healy spent the Easter holiday with relatives in Westmount.

Mr. G. Banfill and Mr. K. Banfill and daughter were calling at the home of Mr. J. E. Day on Saturday.

Mr. Jas. Smith, of Montreal, and Mrs. F. Mills and son, of South Durham, were week-end guests of Mr. A. Smith.

Mrs. Miller spent the holidays at her home in Rockland.

Mr. Fletcher and friend, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. G. Fletcher over Sunday.

Miss B. Tozer, of Windsor Mills, has been at her home this week and unable to attend to her school duties on account of illness.

Mr. H. Banfill spent a few days last week in Lennoxville and Milby.

All the farmers in this vicinity have closed their sugar camps for the season and report a small harvest of sugar and syrup.

Nurse B. Banfill, of Sherbrooke, was the recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Banfill, at Mr. J. E. Day's.

Nurse Banfill went from here to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright, of Melbourne Ridge, visited at Mr. Wm. Day's one day last week.

GREENLAY

Miss Ada A. Greenlay, of Phillipsburg, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Greenlay, for the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Moore and little daughter, of Sherbrooke, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Moore for the week-end.

The many friends of Mrs. J. W. Bate will regret to hear that she is unable to be around the house, and has been in bed for the past week suffering from neuritis.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late Miss Mina Ward. The sympathy of their friends go out to the family in their sad bereavement.

Mrs. M. M. Gardner, of Waterloo, has been the guest of her aged mother, Mrs. Benjamin Greenlay, for a few days.

Mrs. J. P. Cox was a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Healy, at Kingsbury.

Miss E. V. Greenlay will attend an executive meeting of the Richmond county W.C.T.U. to be held at the home of Mrs. George Dyson, Richmond on Friday morning, April 16.

ONLY THE MOTHER KNOWS

ABOUT THE COUGHS AND COLDS OF THE CHILDREN

It is hard to keep them from taking cold; they will run out of doors not properly clad, or have on too much clothing; play too hard and get overheated, and cool off too suddenly; get their feet wet; kick off the bed clothes at night, and do a dozen things the mother can't prevent.

The prompt use of DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP

will check the cold or cough before any serious lung trouble can possibly develop.

Mrs. Everett E. Keetch, R.R. No. 2, Fredericton, N.B., writes: "My little boy, age nine years, had a dreadful cold which left him with a bad cough. I tried Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and after using three bottles he was completely relieved. I would advise all mothers to use this remedy for their children as it is an excellent medicine."

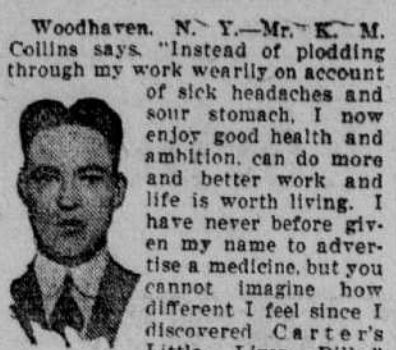
For sale at all druggists and dealers.

When You Feel a Cold Coming On

Take **Bromo Quinine** tablets

to work off the cause and to fortify the system against an attack of Grip or Influenza. A Safe and Proven Remedy. Price 30c.

The box bears this signature **C. H. Brown** Made in Canada.



Woodhaven, N. Y.—Mr. E. M. Collins says, "Instead of plodding through my work wearily on account of sick headaches and sour stomach, I now enjoy good health and ambition, can do more and better work and life is worth living. I have never before given my name to advertise a medicine, but you cannot imagine how different I feel since I discovered Carter's Little Liver Pills."

Carter's Little Liver Pills tonic the whole system through the liver and bowels. They act as a mild and effective laxative in a gentle manner without any bad after effects. At all Druggists.

17. Miss Christina Sims, of Richmond, was a recent guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sims.

Mrs. Taylor, of Windsor, called on Mrs. J. Sims on Saturday afternoon.

RANDBORO

Mrs. R. Evans, of Bishop's Crossing, has been in town visiting relatives.

Mrs. C. E. Speck has returned to her home in Sawyerville, after caring for Mrs. Erle Kingsley and infant daughter.

Mrs. Storey, of Springfield, Mass., who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Erle Kingsley, has returned to her home, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Bennett.

The Misses Mildred and Della Parker have been in Island Brook visiting relatives.

Those in Sherbrooke recently were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Parker, Mr. Albert Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Speck, Mrs. Cyril Smith and Mr. Erle.

Mrs. Buckland has returned to Barnston, after spending a few days with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton.

Miss Copping, of Parker Hill, spent the Easter holidays with her parents at Sand Hill.

Mr. Arthur Worby, of Bury, was at Mr. E. Tannahill's recently.

Miss Helen Cairns, of Bulwer, spent the Easter holidays at her home here.

DANVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dawson, of Shawville, were the guests of Mr. Dawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Findlay, for the Easter holidays.

The youngest daughter of Mr. P. Myers was struck by an automobile on Thursday last, suffering a fractured collar bone. She was crossing the road behind a team and the motorist was unable to see her until too late to stop his car. She was immediately taken to her home and medical aid procured. She is reported as resting comfortably.

The Misses Ruby and Harriett Philbrick, of Montreal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Philbrick for a few days.

Mr. K. S. Ingalls was in Montreal last week on business.

Mr. Sylvester Robinson is spending a few days in Montreal with friends.

Mr. A. A. Burbank spent several days in Quebec last week on business.

Mr. Dave Pickens, of Montreal, is spending the holiday season in town, the guest of his sister, Mrs. I. A. Olney and other friends.

Dr. Ranger is the guest of his sister, Mrs. B. Bergeron, with whom he expects to spend the summer months.

Judge Seth P. Leet, of Montreal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Morrill, for a few days.

Mr. Henry Carson, of Drummondville, is spending the Easter holiday at his home here.

Mr. Ralph Cleveland, of St. Lambert, is spending the holidays in town with relatives.

Mr. Reginald Yarm, of Three Rivers, is in town for a short time the guest of friends.

Mrs. Flannery and little daughter have been the guests of Mrs. Flannery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Philbrick, for some time.

Mrs. Watson, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Parnelle.

CROSSBURY

The many relatives and friends of Mr. J. A. Simons regret to know that he has been to the Sherbrooke Hospital to have an operation on his arm.

Messrs. M. Trombley and W. Trois have the sympathy of their many friends in their great loss caused by fire.

Mrs. E. Cairns and family, of Clifton, were week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. D. Ellis. Miss Edna Ellis accompanied her home and will remain a few days.

Mrs. S. G. Aulis was visiting Mrs. J. W. Aulis on Thursday.

BURY

The Easter services at the Methodist Church were well attended at both services. Appropriate sermons were preached by the pastor, Rev. E. M. Wilson, B.A., two anthems were given by the choir at the morning service, and in the evening the song service postponed from the first Sunday of April, also partook of all Easter music. The crowded congregation listened to a number of very fine pieces. Mrs. E. A. Stokes, Mrs. M. T. Stokes and Mr. A. Haseltine were the soloists. A trio by the Misses G. Crawford, I. Rogers and Laura Maher was well sung and greatly enjoyed. The pastor's address was listened to with intent interest, treating as it did the hymn sung at the "last supper." The church was most beautifully decorated with flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Doyle, Mr. C. Bradford, Master B. Bradford, Haseltine and Mervyn Doyle, of Sherbrooke, were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Stokes.

M. K. Benoit has greatly improved the appearance of his property in lower town by repairing and painting the same.

Mr. John Leigh, of Montreal, spent the Easter holidays the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Whitehead. Mr. F. W. Barter has pulled down the verandah in front of his residence, and erected a larger one with an upper balcony making thereby a great improvement.

Mrs. Frank Bennett, of Brookbury, was the Easter guest of Mrs. Maurice Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Haseltine, of Cookshire, visited their daughter, Mrs. W. Rogers, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lower are in town visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Harold Lavalliere spent the Easter holidays here with relatives and friends.

The special Easter thank offering meeting of the W. M. S. held on Easter Monday at the Parsonage, though not largely attended, was nevertheless a most helpful meeting. Mrs. (Rev.) E. M. Wilson presided. The W. M. S. Litany was participated in by those present. Rev. E. M. Wilson gave a reading that was distinctly helpful.

Mr. M. K. Benoit returned to Sherbrooke on Tuesday.

CRAWFORDVILLE

The Crawfordville Women's Institute held their meeting at the home of Mrs. S. Crawford on April 3. There was a large number of members and also one new member. The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. S. Crawford, and were approved. Roll call was responded to by the paying of the yearly fees. It was decided to give the boys and girls this year instead of two kinds of vegetables. The girls will have flower seeds and one kind of vegetable seed, and the officers hope that all who take part in the competition will do their best. The programme consisted of readings by Mrs. J. Magwood and Miss C. Scott. The members sent fruit to two members that are sick. At the close all were invited to the dining room, where all enjoyed the refreshments served by the hostess, Miss D. Crawford, and others.

Mr. R. Scott and family have moved from here to Theford Mines.

Mr. J. Cordick was visiting in Crawfordville for a few days last week.

Mrs. T. J. Wallace is still confined to her bed.

Miss D. Magwood is on the sick list with a cold.

Miss Doris Crawford was the guest of Miss J. Wallace on Thursday.

GOULD

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bellevue and daughters, Helen and Catherine, motored to town one day last week from Lennoxville, and were guests of Mrs. Bellevue's mother, Mrs. K. MacAulay.

Miss Annie MacKay, of Cowansville, has been the guest of her mother for the Easter vacation.

Miss Florence Duffy returned home from Montreal for a few days, the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. J. Duffy.

Miss Edith MacCaskill, of Lennoxville, has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John MacCaskill.

Mr. Norman MacAulay, of the Bank of Commerce at Rock Island, has been with his mother for a few days before going to Magantic, where he has been transferred.

Dr. J. F. MacIver, of Montreal, accompanied by his wife and two daughters and Mr. Lindsey, motored to town on Friday and were guests of Dr. MacIver's brother, Mr. R. L. MacIver, for the Easter season.

Easter flowers were placed on and before the pulpit at Chalmers' Presbyterian Church on Sabbath morning in loving memory of Mr. E. K. MacLeod, Keith, who passed away to the life beyond three years ago this season. They were placed by his widow, Mrs. E. K. MacLeod, of Bury, but formerly of this town.

Girls! Women! Improve Your Looks!

How to Make the Glow of Health Shine in Your Cheeks

News of a Simple Treatment That Thousands Find Beneficial

Alas—your bloodless face indicates trouble. Your watery blood menaces your health. What you need is the toning, cleansing assistance of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They will clean out the overplus of bile that makes your skin so murky—they will put new life into the stomach, brace up digestion and make you eat sufficient food to get a blood supply ahead. To look your best and to feel the benefits of good health use Dr. Hamilton's Pills frequently. 25c at all dealers.

MEN AND HORSES

How closely related is man to the more intelligent of the animals is seen in many of the ailments to which both are prone and the remedies to which they answer.

Doctors and veterinarians are often-times surprised to learn of the similarity of their methods of handling the ailments of man and beast.

Sprains, burns, scalds, scratches and many other minor injuries, many everyday ailments, too in men and animals take the same course, and both answer immediately to the same treatment—Absorbine Jr.

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EASTERN STAR HELD SPECIAL AT RICHMOND

Guests of Honor Were the Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Quebec, the Grand Secretary and the Grand Treasurer.

RICHMOND, April 12.—At a special meeting held on the evening of April 6th, Connaught Chapter No. 4, O.E.S., had the honor of receiving an official visit from the Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Quebec, Mrs. Ethel M. Blake, and with her Mrs. Edith Oliver, Grand Treasurer, Mrs. Elsie Sawdon, Grand Secretary, and Mrs. Eva Dyson, Grand Chaplain.

Promptly at 6.30 the grand officers, past grand officers of the chapter and all members and visitors proceeded to the banquet hall. This was indeed attractive with decorations, while the tables were resplendent in cut flowers of emblematic colors. The chapter room was also decorated.

Chapter convened at 8 o'clock. After the usual regular opening ceremonies the grand officers were received and introduced.

The beautiful and impressive initiatory ceremony of the order was conducted by the efficient corps of officers in a manner worthy of commendation. The degrees were conferred upon one candidate. The Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Blake, gave a short but very interesting talk on the high ideals of the order, which was appreciated by those interested in the splendid work. The Worthy Matron Sister Galbraith then presented the speaker with a set of china in token of appreciation of her visit.

Further pleasing remarks were made by the other Grand Officers, the Worthy Patron and past officers of the local chapter.

General Notes

The Mission Band of Chalmers Church held a very pleasing entertainment on Thursday evening, consisting of Easter exercises, recitations and songs, after which slides on "The Prodigal Son," "The Ten Virgins," and "The raising of Jairus' Daughter" were shown.

Mrs. G. V. McLeay entertained Mrs. Ethel M. Blake, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Quebec O. E. S., on her official visit.

Messrs. Roslyn Duboyce, Douglas Pope, Elmer MacLeod, Willis Ginn, Ross Healy and the Misses Roberta Rattray, Lorna McMorine, Edith, Christina and Jean Pepler, May Davis, Loretta Lemoine, Janet and Mabel Jamieson and Nora Moore are home for the Eastern holidays.

Mr. Arthur MacDonald, of McGill University, is the guest of the Rev. and Mrs. J. C. MacLeod for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. G. J. Alexander entertained Mrs. Edith Oliver, Grand Treasurer and Mrs. Elsie Sawdon, Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter of Quebec, O. E. S., on their official visit.

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Dance, I.O.O.F. Hall, Friday, April 13th. Turcotte's.

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No Headache

"THE ONE WHO STOOD BY"

A NEW SERIAL STORY

BY RUBY M. AYRES.

CHAPTER IV.

Continued

She shrugged her shoulders. "Goodness knows! But he does. Why does anyone dislike anyone? Just instinct, I suppose."

"What is he like?" Nina asked. "He's as different from Jeffery as brothers can be. He's much older, too, and not a bit good-looking. And mean, horribly mean! He's got all the money, you know."

"Is he married?" Nina was not really interested, but she dreaded letting the conversation lapse.

"He was," Fay said, with a little grimace, "and his wife left him. I don't blame her. I'd leave a man if he was as mean as Stephen Chancellor." Her eyes looked defiantly across the table at her husband.

"I think Stephen was glad to see her go," he said quietly. "She was a most extravagant, selfish woman."

"Is that what you say about me when I'm not here?" Fay demanded.

She was nervous and unstrung. She suspected every word her husband said, and imagined that he was laying a trap into which he meant her to fall sooner or later.

Nina laughed. "Fay, how silly! Nobody could call you anything like that!"

Fay flushed. "Lawrence doesn't agree," she said shrilly after a moment.

"Lawrence doesn't think it's worth agreeing to," Lambton said carelessly. "You're not eating anything, my dear."

"I'm not hungry."

"Neither am I; it must be the heat," Nina said.

Well, you can't both be in love," Lawrence submitted dryly. He refilled Nina's glass and his own with wine. "Here's to Chancellor and your future happiness together."

Nina was obliged to reply to the toast, but her hand shook, and she spilt some drops of wine on the cloth as she lifted her glass.

She dared not look at Fay, but she felt terribly sorry for her as Lambton went on with cool deliberation: "I am afraid I was rather in the way this morning, Miss Dane. I ought to have been more tactful and have taken myself off before you said good-bye."

"It made no difference; we did not," Fay made a convulsive little movement. Her jealous ear had readily heard and fastened on that little word "we." Her eyes burned as she looked at Nina.

"When are you going to see Jeffery again?" she asked.

"I don't know. Tomorrow, perhaps."

"Of course if you like."

"Tomorrow I'm going to take you to the Masons, Fay," Lambton interrupted. "I forgot to tell you. They've asked us to lunch and tea."

His wife turned on him. "You know I hate the Masons. I don't want to go. I don't have to go."

"I'm afraid you must in this case. I promised."

She bit her lip to hide its trembling. "I hate the Masons," she said again petulantly.

"You seem to hate a good many people, my dear," was her husband's undisturbed reply. He pushed back his chair and rose. "If you will excuse me, I have some letters to write."

As soon as the door had closed behind him Fay turned to Nina, her cheeks crimson, her eyes passionate, mandated.

"Did Jeffery kiss you?" she demanded.

"Fay!"

Fay beat her little hands on the table.

"Did Jeffery kiss you? Did he?" There were tears in Nina's eyes.

"It wasn't his fault," she protested. "Mr. Lambton said that we need not mind his being there, and I thought—I was afraid that if we—if I didn't... didn't... say good-bye properly he might think it strange. But it was my fault, all my fault."

"You mean you kissed him?"

"Yes."

There was a tragic silence. Then Fay started up.

"I believe you're deceiving me. I believe you really are in love with him," she said in a strangled voice. "I believe this is just your way to... to take him from me. You're deceiving me. You want him for yourself, and that's why you've always begged me to give him up. I can see it all now, I can—I don't trust you!"

Nina rose to her feet. She was as white as death. Without a word she took Jeffery Chancellor's ring from her finger and laid it on the table between them.

"You can give it back to him yourself and explain why," she said, and turned towards the door.

"Nina!" Fay seized her arm. "Don't go! I didn't mean a word of it. Don't go! I'll apologize, I'll do anything. I ought to be ashamed of myself. I am—only stay! I didn't mean it!"

She began to cry, and, dreading a scene, Nina came back.

Fay took up the ring from the table.

"Put it on! Put it on!" she ordered.

Nina slipped the ring on to her finger. She felt that she could not meet Fay's eyes. Was there not a good deal of truth in what she had said? Did she not love Jeffery Chancellor, and had there not, perhaps, been some wild hope in her heart of making him care for her when she first told the lie that had led to all this trouble?

Fay mopped her eyes and put her

handkerchief away.

"I think I'm going mad!" she wailed. "I would never have believed I could speak to you like that. Don't remember it, Nina—please don't!"

"It's forgotten already," Nina said, but her heart was heavy.

She had started this game with a seemingly innocent and well-intentioned lie; but who knew when or where it would stop or into what trouble it would lead them all?

BEDFORD AND DISTRICT NEWS

Daily Reports from Correspondents of What Is Going On in the Different Localities.

IRON HILL

Easter morning saw the ground covered with snow, which disappeared before the rays of the sun in a few hours.

Sugarmakers whose sap buckets were not gathered a week ago realized a good run of sap.

Miss E. Benham spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Addie Benham, at Cowansville.

Mrs. George Durkee returned to her home at West Brome for the holidays.

Arrivals to spend the Easter holidays with friends here included Mrs. Kimball and grandson, Roland, of Knowlton, visiting Mrs. Bert Kimball, at Mr. John Tibbits; Mrs. Maggie Beard and Mr. and Mrs. Jameson, of Montreal, at "Argyle Cottage," Mr. Beard intends spending the summer at her home here. She will come about June 1.

Misses Clara, Mary, Rena, and Jessie Hall, of Montreal, have been guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hall.

Miss Barbara Raymond has been visiting with her aunts, the Misses Raymond.

Mr. John Tibbits, jr., who has been here on account of the illness of his brother, Mr. Eric Tibbits, returned home to Connecticut last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason, of Montreal, have been engaged by Mr. Jacob Hastings to assist in the farm work during the summer.

WEST SUTTON

Mr. and Mrs. H. Page and family went to St. Armand on Sunday, guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. French and children were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Strong, on Sunday at North Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. O'Brien and son and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lee and daughter Olga, also Miss Marion Bowers, of Sutton, were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. O'Brien at Cuff Brook farm.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Perkins and son Douglas went to Call's Mills over the week-end to spend Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hooper.

Mrs. N. Rhicard, of Sutton, was calling on Mrs. Geo. Perkins on Friday.

Mr. H. Page and Mr. R. Page went to East Dunham and Frelighsburg on Friday evening.

Miss Pearl Lavery is home from Hartford, Conn., for a two weeks' holiday, a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lavery.

Messrs. B. L. Macey and E. J. Lee went to Sutton on business on Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Marco and Miss Ethel Page visited recently at Mr. and

Mrs. H. Gilbert's at Abercorn. Mr. Wm. Knuckey has returned to his home at Sutton after a month's stay with Mr. E. J. Lee. Mr. T. Dempsey has returned to his home here after a six weeks' stay at the home of Mr. D. Mudgett.

Mr. E. J. Lee went to Richford on Saturday evening to visit his brother, Mr. Clarence Lee, whose health does not improve as fast as his many friends would wish.

VALE PERKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude George and three daughters spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Mary Young, of Mansonville.

Mr. Ernest Magoon spent a couple of days recently with his brother, Mr. W. B. Magoon, of Richford, Vt.

Mr. Stowell, of Sutton, was here on Friday buying maple sugar and syrup.

Mrs. A. Hand has returned to her home in Millington after visiting relatives and friends.

There will be a sugar social on Friday evening, April 17, at the schoolhouse. The ladies will serve sugar on snow, doughnuts and pickles. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. George Darling and two sons spent Easter Sunday with Mr. Darling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Darling.

Mrs. James Brown is caring for Mrs. Joe Jones and infant daughter. Messrs. Archie Levo and Ernest St. Martin, of South Bolton, were guests of Mr. Burton George on Saturday.

Mrs. M. J. George was home for the week-end.

Mr. Burton George was at North Troy one day last week.

Two sons of George, of Sherbrooke, spent the Easter holidays with her sister, Mrs. Ray Gardner.

Miss Dorothy Smith returned to Macdonald College on Tuesday after spending her Easter holidays with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Jones.

Mr. Raymond Wheelock was in Newport on Friday.

ABERCORN

The Abercorn branch of the Women's Institute will hold their meeting on Friday, April 30, at 2:30 p.m. in the Union Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Derrick visited Mr. Guy Williams in Sweetsburg on Sunday.

Mrs. Wady, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. J. St. Francois.

Mrs. Lyndon Fyles and children, of Richford, Vt., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Fyles for an indefinite time.

PHILIPSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Crawford, of Montreal, spent the Easter holidays at their summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Allen spent Easter in Montreal, the guests of friends.

Mr. A. H. Merritt spent the week-end in Burlington with his sister, Mrs. Gates.

Miss Greenlay returned home on Monday night after spending the week-end with her parents at Windsor Mills.

Mr. Joshua W. Deuel, of Montreal, was in town recently to visit

AN IMPRESSIVE SERVICE HELD AT SWEETSBURG

Events on Good Friday and Easter Sunday Were Well Attended—Rev. Joseph Tully, Chaplain of St. Andrew's Home, Montreal, Delivered Easter Message.

SWEETSBURG, April 15.—The regular Good Friday morning service was held in Christ Church at 10 o'clock with Mr. Malcolm Doak officiating. The Story of the Cross was sung at the conclusion of the service.

On Easter Sunday morning the service opened at 10:30 a.m., with nearly ninety persons in the congregation and choir by singing the bright and cheerful Easter hymn, "Christ the Lord is Risen Today."

The Rev. Joseph Tully, chaplain of the Andrew's Home in Montreal, very kindly conducted the service and preached a splendid sermon from the text, "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help." Psalm 121:1.

He referred to the condition of the world today as a result of the fact that Japan has found it necessary to return to the simple life, the elimination of frivolity and excessive expense, also extraordinary activities in the social life. "This measure would very appropriately apply to Canada in her present state," said the speaker.

Mrs. L. Harden sang very sweetly the solo "Simply to Thy Cross I Cling," and the service concluded with a celebration of the Holy Communion, with upwards of fifty persons partaking.

Mr. Robt. Powers, of Cowansville, and Mr. Irving McCabe, of Windsor Mills, very kindly assisted the choir.

Beautiful cut flowers adorned the altar window, organ and one memorial window. Bouquets of daffodils, jonquils and tulips were furnished by Mrs. A. J. E. Leonard in memory of her father and mother, the late Mr. Laforté Jones and Mrs. Jones (sweet peas, roses and carnations were brought by members of Col. J. D. Bulman's family in memory of the late Mrs. J. D. Bulman, and carnations and tulips were furnished by the congregation for the occasion.

General Notes

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Whitehouse and Master Charles sent the Easter holidays in Montreal with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Griggs and family.

Messdames Adna Coburn and E. E. Coburn recently spent a few days in Granby with relatives, but have now returned home to Sunnymeade Farm.

Mr. W. U. Cotton, of Montreal, spent Good Friday, and the Easter week-end at home with his family.

Master Robert Hews and his brother, Mr. Marvyn Hews, of St. Johns, spent Saturday in Montreal, returning on the evening train. The latter spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hews.

Mr. J. S. Hews and Master Robert Hews spent Tuesday of last week in Montreal.

Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McCabe included Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCabe and daughter, Madeline, of Sherbrooke, and Mr. J. Irving McCabe, of Windsor Mills, and son, Mr. Russell McCabe, of Bishop's College.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Cady spent the Easter week-end in St. Albans, Vt., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ashness-Wells and two daughters, of Montreal, Miss May Bulman, of Manchester, N.H., and Mr. Wm. Bulman, of Shawinigan Falls, were Easter guests of Mr. J. D. Bulman and Miss Kate Bulman.

Miss Vina Miltimore motored from Sherbrooke with friends on Saturday and spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Miltimore.

Miss Emma and Master Keith Taylor are spending the Easter holidays at Millington with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor.

Miss Olive Mount spent the Easter vacation at her home in Iron Hill.

Miss Dorothy Henders spent the Easter holidays in Montreal with her grandmother, Mrs. Tildes, and other relatives.

his father, Mr. L. V. Deuel, who is very ill.

Mrs. McKenny, who has been spending the winter at Pigeon Hill, has returned to spend the summer at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deuel and Master Norman Deuel spent the week-end at Brigham, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Crawford.

Miss Stewart, of Montreal, is in town, the guest of her sister, Miss F. Stuart.

Mr. Frank Deuel and Mr. Arthur Norris spent the Easter holidays in Montreal with their families.

WARDEN

Mrs. Julia Wallace and Miss Talbot went to Newport, Vt., on Wednesday to visit friends for a few days.

Miss Duboyce, of Knowlton, has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Sewell Newton.

Miss Helen Robb and Miss Marion Robb, of Montreal, are guests of their mother, Mrs. G. A. Robb.

Miss Marian is recovering from a very serious illness, by which she has been confined to the hospital for more than five months.

Mrs. R. S. Marston, who has been suffering for many weeks from a painful illness, has gone to a Montreal hospital to receive further treatment.

Miss Gill, of Montreal, has been a guest of Mrs. S. C. Marston.

Mrs. Jas. Lewis and Miss Rachel were in Waterloo on Friday.

Mr. Grant Kendall went to Sherbrooke and Marlton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Kendall, of Lawrenceville, were guests of Mr. A. S. Kendall and the Misses Main

Children's Cozy Corner

UNCLE JIM'S LETTER

Dear Corner Family:
I am sure every one enjoyed the nice weather over the week-end, but yesterday, in Sherbrooke, at least, was very unpleasant. But we must not complain about rain for it is badly needed. The corner uncle spent three days in the country and enjoyed every hour of each day. I saw several partridges in the woods, some of them quite near me, and the woods seemed to have many of our friends. I heard the hoot-owl, robins, chickadees, pee-wees, and the little phoebe that built a nest over the kitchen window of our cottage was back again and was as busy as ever. I found mayflowers and hepaticas in the woods, but they are not as large and nicely colored as they would be if there had been rain. They arrived much earlier this year, did they not?

I am sure Ruth is busy during the school term for it takes quite a lot of time going back and forth, but it is interesting to ride on the ferry. I remember one pleasant trip across the river at Quebec last summer. It was just at sunset and the beautiful colors in the sky were reflected in the waters of the St. Lawrence, and midway in the river stood the big ship, H.M.S. "Hood." It was a beautiful picture and one that I shall always remember.

There are heaps of letters waiting so I shall have to mention a few names again: Ida Ireland, Sherbrooke, who attends the Central School; Russell True, Bolton Centre, who says he tapped six trees and made some syrup; Freddie Bean, Waterville; Kenneth Price, RR., Sherbrooke, who is only six years old but likes to do the Blot-Outs; Verlie Martin, Brookbury, and Marjorie E. Millar, South Dunham.

We will have more letters and a story tomorrow, so I will close hoping all are having a pleasant week of holidays.

Faithfully yours,

UNCLE JIM.

LETTERS FROM THE CORNER FOLK

Dear Uncle Jim:
I did the Blot-Out for this week. The ice went out of the river last week. I wish you could have seen it, Uncle Jim. It is fun to watch it moving. I was glad to see my last letter in the corner. I do not know if you can read this; I can't print very well.

Your loving niece,
A. LLOYD SMITH
North Wakefield.

Dear Uncle Jim:
I am writing to you again as it is a long time since I have written. I am sending in the Blot-Out. I did the others but did not send them in. Did you go to any sugaring-off parties? I went to one and had a good time. I go to school every day and like it very well. I am ten years old. I will close now wishing the corner success.

Your niece,
ANNA MACDONALD.
Bury.

Dear Uncle Jim:
I have not written to you for a long time. I thought I would write now. My brother and sister have written. I go to school in Quebec and like it very well. My teacher is Miss Jackson and she is very nice. My father is engineer on the Ocean Limited between Levis and Montreal. I am thirteen years of age and am in grade seven at school. We started our Easter holidays Friday and we begin school again on April 30th. I go down every morning on the train and cross the ferry twice a day. It is fun to watch the ferry going through the ice. I will close now as my letter is getting long and I would like to see it in the corner.

Your niece,
RUTH MOUNTAIN.
Charny.

on Friday.

The Rev. F. W. Schaffter, of Waterloo, was visiting some of his parishioners here on Thursday.

Messrs. Jas. E. Lewis, Wellon Lewis, R. Campbell, J. Renaud and A. Deschamps were in Sherbrooke on business on Tuesday last week.

JOHNNY'S ILLUSTRATION

Teacher—Johnny, what is a misprint?
Johnny—'t's when a needle gets in the soup instead of a noodle.

NO PIKER.

Hub—My dear, how can you spend money so when you know I'm on the verge of bankruptcy?
Wife—Well, Bob, if you must go into bankruptcy, why not do it on a generous scale?

IT BEGAN BY TAKING THE STRAIGHT AND NARROW WAY.

did this frock. But that was the slim, vivid rose satin slip upon which hangs this gossamer affair of sheerest flesh colored Georgette and lovely cream silk lace. The rose of silver ribbon, shirred at neckline and small inverted tucks to draw in the waist are charming.

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MRS. JIMMY CALLS ON MRS. BROWN.

By Thornton W. Burgess.

Be neighborly. That's what I say.

Misunderstanding clears away.

—Mrs. Skunk.

Mrs. Skunk, having made her home under Farmer Brown's hen-house, wasted no time in getting thoroughly acquainted with the neighborhood. "One should know all there is know about one's surroundings," said Mrs. Skunk, talking to herself for lack of any one else to talk to. "It is necessary in case something unexpected happens. I cannot think of anything happening to me, but something might. It always is possible."

So every night Mrs. Skunk explored all about Farmer Brown's barn and dooryard. She went where she pleased, for though Bowser the Hound met her the very first night he was most polite. That is to say, he got out of her way and made no attempt to interfere with her. He growled a bit, but he was too old and knew too much to bother her. He had never forgotten a lesson in his youth and since then had taken pains not to disturb a member of the Skunk family.

Mrs. Skunk soon knew all about the barn. She had been under it and in it, for she had found a door open one evening. She knew all about the dooryard. She even had poked her head in the little house of Bowser the Hound. There was just one place she didn't know about and wanted to know about, and that was Farmer Brown's house. At times

there were delicious odors which her nose told her came from that house. But though on more than one night she went all around that house she could find no way in.

Now Mrs. Skunk likes twilight and moonlight best, but it really doesn't make much difference to her whether it be day or night. So if she

happens to feel like it she takes a stroll in the middle of the day. It wasn't long before she discovered that it was in daytime that she most often smelled those delicious odors from Farmer Brown's house. Of course, she also found out that it was in daylight that those two-legged creatures were most often about. But she was so independent that she cared nothing for them. So one morning she decided that she would make a call. She would go up to that house and make a call.

Mrs. Brown was very busy that morning. For one thing she was baking cookies. It was warm and she had left the outer door open. She had just peeped in the oven to see how cookies were baking when she happened to glance toward Black Pussy's saucer on the floor. A rather good looking person dressed in black and white was finishing that milk. Mrs. Brown caught her breath quickly and opened her mouth to scream. Then she wisely did nothing of the kind, but kept perfectly still. She remembered that Farmer Brown often had said that a Skunk will never offend if not offended, and the surest way of not offending is to keep still.

Mrs. Skunk finished the milk in Black Pussy's saucer and then very calmly, quite as if she were used to houses of this kind, began a thorough inspection of the kitchen. Mrs. Brown squatted in front of the oven, hardly daring to breathe, until suddenly she smelled something burning. Then she forgot all but those cookies.

"My gracious!" she exclaimed, throwing open the oven door and hastily pulling out the pan of cookies. Only two or three of them were burned. When she had made sure of this she remembered her caller and hastily looked for her. Mrs. Skunk was standing in the middle of the floor sniffing inquiringly toward those cookies. Suddenly Mrs. Brown recalled that always she had prided herself on her hospitality. She broke off a piece of cookie and tossed it to Mrs. Skunk. The latter tried it and approved it.

And so it was that when Farmer Brown's Boy came whistling into the house he nearly lost his breath at the sight of his mother entertaining a morning caller.

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"My gracious!" she exclaimed, throwing open the oven door and hastily pulling out the pan of cookies. Only two or three of them were burned. When she had made sure of this she remembered her caller and hastily looked for her. Mrs. Skunk was standing in the middle of the floor sniffing inquiringly toward those cookies. Suddenly Mrs. Brown recalled that always she had prided herself on her hospitality. She broke off a piece of cookie and tossed it to Mrs. Skunk. The latter tried it and approved it.

And so it was that when Farmer Brown's Boy came whistling into the house he nearly lost his breath at the sight of his mother entertaining a morning caller.

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CITY BRIEFLETS

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The Ladies' Guild will resume weekly teas in St. Patrick's Ch. Hall, Thurs., April 16th, 4 to 6. Mrs. D. W. Stenson, Mrs. D. McMahon, Mrs. Jas. McGivney, Mrs. Ernest Morin will be hostesses.

Masquerade dance tonight, Elks' Hall, big time, paper hats and serpentine. Steele's Orchestra, 9 till 1. Adm. 75c and 35c.

Miss Old will renew her dancing lesson on Friday at the usual time.

Tonight, "A Day in Court" and entertainment at Cambridge School Assembly Hall in benefit of Rover Scouts. Adm. 35c.

Miss Renet Baker, from Chicago, will be at Bayley's Limited, Thursday, the 16th. Special appointments for corset fittings. No charge for this service. Phone 1600.

The ladies' committee of the Hotel Dieu are making preparations for a tombola in aid of the hospital, and will open the big event with a tea on Monday afternoon next. The tombola is to be held in the auditorium of the City Hall, and the ladies are making special efforts to have their much-anticipated event a success in every detail.

Genuine walnut five-piece bedroom suite in Edwards' windows, regular \$400.00, for \$283.00.

ALL IN READINESS

Nothing remains now but the public presentation of "The Colonel's Maid" to prove to the Sherbrooke public, if proof is needed, that there is room in Sherbrooke for amateur dramatic performances of the highest calibre.

Besides being a well chosen play carefully and intelligently rehearsed and staged, it contains an excellent cast, with the members well known in private life. There will also be an excellent orchestra in attendance, with Professors Sawdon and Havard included.

It is expected that with this combination a packed and sympathetic house can be prophesied for the two performances to be given at the Premier Theatre on Thursday and Friday of this week.

BOARD OF TRADE BANQUET ON MONDAY NEXT

The annual banquet of the Sherbrooke Board of Trade will be held on Monday evening, April 20, at the Masonic Temple, Montreal Street. The guests of honor will be Sir Henry Thornton, K.B.E., president and one of the ministers of the Quebec Government.

The unusual short notice of the banquet this year is on account of the difficulty experienced by the dinner committee in securing the attendance of Sir Henry Thornton, whose time is so fully taken up with his official duties and important engagements in both the United States and Canada. It was only yesterday afternoon that Mr. E. W. Farwell, chairman of the committee, received a wire accepting the invitation. The prominence of the two chief speakers should ensure a full attendance of the business men of Sherbrooke and vicinity. A limited number of tickets will be offered to the public from Thursday morning by members of the committee.

NEW LAW FIRM HAS BEEN FORMED

A new law office bearing the name of Gervais and Rousseau has been opened at 22 Wellington street north, in the Genest block. The members of this firm are Messrs. Cessaire Gervais and Armand Rousseau, both of this city.

Mr. Gervais has practiced law in the city for the past three years. He was formerly a member of the firm of McColl, Gervais and Wolfe, but after some time left that firm to practice his profession alone.

After the death of the late Mr. J. S. Broderick he was appointed revenue lawyer.

Mr. Rousseau was admitted to the Bar in 1924, and has been a member of the firm of Nicol, Lazare and Couture and Rousseau.

Prior to practicing Mr. Rousseau held the positions of deputy clerk of the Magistrate's Court, of the Crown and deputy sheriff.

PARTY OF BOYS ARRIVE AT GIBBS HOME

A party of twenty-four boys in charge of Mr. E. B. Jago, superintendent of the Sevenoaks Home, England, has arrived at the Gibbs Home, Sherbrooke. They crossed from England on the S.S. Andania, and though weather conditions were not pleasant, the arrangements on the ship left nothing to be desired. The Canadian National Railway took care of the party at Halifax, so that the boys made a speedy and comfortable trip. The lads are having

TO-DAY'S RADIO HEADLINERS

CKAC—La Presse. (411 meters)

7.30—Classical music selections.

8.30—Concert from the Oriental Parlor of the Montreal Press Club. Short address.

10.30—Harold Leonard's Red Jackets, from the Windsor Hotel Grill.

KDKA—E. Pittsburgh. (309 meters)

6.15—Concert by the Pittsburgh Athletic Association Orchestra, under the direction of Gregorio Scalzo.

7.45—"Be Kind to the Animals," by W. H. Wentzel.

8.30—Programme arranged by the Pittsburgh Advertising Club.

11.30—Concert from the Grand Theatre, Pittsburgh.

WBZ—Springfield, Mass. (333.3 meters)—6.45—Songs, old and new.

7.15—World market survey.

ing a holiday before starting out for their farm positions on Thursday and Friday of this week. Mr. Vallee has generously entertained the boys at the Premier and Casino Theatres, and the Y.M.C.A., as usual, is allowing the lads the use of the gym and swimming pool.

All members of the first party are placed, but another group of fifty lads will reach here about May 15. The boys are 14 to 17 years old and present a clean and healthy appearance.

ON SALE THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

150 pairs Ladies' sample slippers, patent leather, black, suede, velour, satin, all latest styles. Regular \$5.00 to \$6.50, reduced for this sale at \$3.95. See window display.—F. R. Darce & Fils.

Y'S MEN ENTERTAIN GIBBS' HOME BOYS

A very pleasant evening was spent by the members of the Sherbrooke Y's Men's Club as they did their best to entertain and were entertained by the boys from the Gibbs' Home. In all there were twenty-four boys present last night with the three leaders, Messrs. Keeley, Jager and Allen. After supper served by the Y's Men, a sing song was conducted by Mr. Fenwick Parker. This was followed by solo and chorus parts by the boys from the Home. Then Mr. Parker gave two splendid selections.

Mr. Glen Sampson in the name of the Y's Men's Club welcomed the boys to Sherbrooke and to Canada, pointing out to the boys that Canada was a land of promise in which there would be much of kindness shown, but there were three things that were necessary for the boys, each of whom was valued at around \$30,000 by the state. The three things emphasized were to learn while working to put their whole soul in the matters before them. Second, to work when they worked. Canada and the world needed workers and the gateway to success was a gateway which had over the arch "Industry."

Third, the boys should play when they played. There was too much of dullness in the life where there was no play, and some of the biggest things in life, the destruction of the Armada and a few other things of equal importance had been decided on the playing grounds of Britain. After Mr. Sampson's address, the Y's Men provided a programme when Messrs. Watson, F. Parker, E. M. and J. C. Armitage, each rendered vocal music. One of the splendid contributions to the success of the musical part of the programme was the accompaniment of Mr. G. Parker, who was able to accompany the boys in some of the English favorites. The musical programme was followed by short addresses from E. Johnston, President of the Y's Men's Club; Messrs. T. Keeley and Jager, of the Boys' Home. When the addresses were over the boys were given the freedom of the billiard tables and the bowling alleys, and they continued their pleasant time till 10 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association was held last night, when, in the absence of President and Vice-President, Mr. W. H. Wilson took the chair. After routine business a report was received from Mr. H. V. Haight regarding a souvenir booklet being printed to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of Y. M. C. A. work in Sherbrooke.

Reports were received from the religious work committee report being given by the secretary and indicating that twelve meetings for boys had been held with religious instruction given. The membership report was given by Mr. Armitage and showed an increase of three members over last month. The financial report was given by Mr. H. V. Haight, indicating the position of the Association as similar to last year. The physical report was then given by Mr. Sampson showing a two hundred and fifty increase in attendance at gym classes for the month, while six leaders had represented Sherbrooke at the Montreal Conference.

The General Secretary's report indicated greater activity in all departments than at any previous time in the history of the Association.

New business then being introduced, the first matter considered was a visit from Col. Corson, who is touring Eastern Canada in a campaign to make all Canadians swimmers. This matter was referred to the physical committee with power to act. Mr. Lee, from Toronto, was introduced. Mr. Lee is in Sherbrooke at present to help organize and line up the campaign for the Association. The objective set was given at \$10,000.00, \$5,000.00 to wipe out all accounts for the present year and \$5,000.00 to

ADAMSVILLE PEN LEADS IN EGG CONTEST

Egg-Laying Contest at Lennoxville Experimental Farm Has Reached 23rd Week—Adamsville Pen Holds First Place With Beebe Pen a Close Second.

The Quebec Western Egg Laying contest, which was started at the Lennoxville Experimental Farm in November last, has now reached its twenty-third week and the pen which is entered by The Lennoxville Farm, for registration purposes only, is still leading with a total production of 1,113 eggs. The past week's total for this pen was 51.

As this pen is not eligible for prizes, the first place in the contest is held by the pen of white leghorns entered by Mr. R. E. Wilkins, of Adamsville, with a total production of \$28, and a week's production of 52.

Laurel P. Farm, Rougemont, and the Wm. C. Strong, West Brome, are both holding fifth place with a total of 756, while a draw is also noticed in the twelfth place with a total of 623 for L. B. Pierce, Beebe and H. S. Beane, Beebe.

The following table shows the standing of the pens at the present time: Experimental Farm Station, Lennoxville..... 1113 R. E. Wilkins, Adamsville..... 828 Miss R. G. Knight, Beebe..... 818 H. R. Drew, North Hatley..... 768 Laurel P. Farm, Rougemont..... 756 Wm. C. Strong, West Brome..... 756 R. A. Robertson, Brigham..... 740 Bond Little, North Hatley..... 730 C. D. Calder, Cowansville..... 706 Laurel Poultry F., Rougemont..... 682 Dr. J. L. Todd, Lennoxville..... 627 E. G. White, Lennoxville..... 623 H. S. Beane, Beebe..... 623 L. B. Pierce, Beebe..... 623 W. A. Carr, St. Agathe..... 614 A. A. Margrett, Birtchton..... 607 H. S. Beane, Beebe..... 602 Elmhurst P. Farm, Montreal..... 592 Fred Bell, Ayer's Cliff..... 588 C. Ruiter & Sons, Cowansville..... 277

cover the budget for 1925-26.

Mr. Lee suggested that in order to accomplish this great task it would be necessary to have a general campaign chairman, a list committee, publicity committee, special names committee and ten captains of teams of five. The special names committee is to be responsible for raising \$4,000, and the ten teams to raise \$6,000.

Mr. Haight was named as general Chairman, with Mr. J. G. Armitage, vice-chairman.

The list committee was named as follows: A. M. Sangster, chairman; A. C. Stevens, C. E. Solas, W. H. Wilson, G. D. Wadsworth, M. T. Armitage, G. S. Sampson, R. E. Richardson, E. M. Armitage, A. Echenberg.

Publicity committee, E. G. Pierce, chairman; Bert Williams, I. A. McLean.

Special names committee, D. J. Salls, chairman; W. H. Wilson, H. V. Haight, J. K. Edwards, C. B. Howard, J. R. Sangster, G. D. MacKinnon.

Team: captains, G. S. Sampson, E. T. Harbert, G. S. Lothrop, Jas. Stewart, M. T. Armitage, J. G. Armitage, J. G. Armitage, G. D. Wadsworth, J. R. Sangster, A. Echenberg and A. C. Stevens.

The question of a speaker for the opening meeting was raised and it was unanimously agreed that Captain Tom Best should be invited for Sunday and Monday, April 26th, and 27th.

It was decided to hold the annual meeting of the Association on May 21st, 1925. The chairman appointed a nominating committee to bring in nominations for board of directors and board of trustees; this committee to consist of G. S. Lothrop, J. R. Sangster and E. Johnston.

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT SPEAKS AT CANADIAN DAY PROGRAMME

A novel and interesting event took place at St. Petersburg, Florida, when a regular meeting of the Rotary Club of that place was turned over to visiting Canadian Rotarians to be conducted. The Canadian members of the club left nothing in their way to make the meeting a decided success. Canadian songs were very much in evidence.

Mr. T. J. Parks, a resident of this city, now visiting in the south, made the main speech of the evening. The following account of Mr. Park's remarks were taken from a Florida paper:

"We are kin to you and you are kin to us. For God's sake let us raise our citizenship to the heights where petty difference will be unknown. Let us clean house before we try to clean house for the French, the Belgians, the Serbs or any other country or people," said Thomas J. Parks, in an interesting address on universal peace and universal brotherhood of man.

Calling attention to the colors of the American, the English and the French flags he said they were each red, white and blue. "I do not think it is a coincidence that these three great nations should select these colors. I think it was preordained God wished us to have the same colors and all over the world the American, the Englishman and his Canadian brother and the Frenchman are true to the red, white and blue as their colors. Keep your hearts pure and white, keep your blood red and as clean as the heart, and the blue of the skies will be reflected back on your colors and on a peaceful world. I would like to see every American proud of the magna charta, the bill of rights and the seven bishops, on the first two you built your declaration of independence, and remember if we never had the magna charta and the bill of rights, you would never have had your declaration of independ-

LENNOXVILLE

Octogenarian and More

Mr. John A. Bradley, one of the oldest residents of the vicinity, celebrated his eighty-second birthday on April 12 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Munroe, Clough Avenue, with his family around him, and during the day received as callers many friends from Sherbrooke. Mr. Bradley, who is hale and hearty for one of his years, received many cards and letters of congratulation from friends here and in California, who with him many more years of usefulness and health.

Easter Sale Held

Yesterday afternoon in Douglas Hall the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church held a sale of cooking, useful and fancy articles and afternoon tea. Easter lilies and spring flowers were used in decoration, forming an attractive feature. The work table was in charge of Mrs. Green and Mrs. Wark, and the food was sold by Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Munroe and Mrs. Lipsey. Mrs. W. J. Marlin and Mrs. James McLeod poured tea, the committee in charge of the refreshments being Mrs. W. J. Lane, Mrs. Titcomb and Mrs. Seale. The guests were received by Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. C.E. White, and Mrs. W. H. S. Downs acted as cashier.

Under an attractively arranged booth the Philatelic Class of the Sunday school, sold fancy articles, lingerie, etc., in charge of Miss Florence McCurdy, Mrs. Brees, Miss Elizabeth Downs and Miss Rowe. The C.G.I.T. girls held a sale of home-made candy at the same time in the alcove of the church.

General Notes

Mrs. R. T. Buchanan, of Montreal, is a guest of Mrs. Peter Parker.

Mr. Harold Bassett has been quite ill for several days.

A new assortment of dress hats at Maybelle's. A full line of matron's wear and some lovely little shapes for children.

ence. Why cannot we be united? If the United States and Great Britain would unite and say never again shall there be a war of aggression, the whole world would stand still and respect that command."

GENEROUS DONATION TO MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Mrs. Hume, regent of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E. has received a donation to the Memorial Hospital, which comes as a pleasant surprise and a most appreciable gift. The amount is two hundred dollars and has been donated by the Richmond Chapter of the I.O.D.E. The letter accompanying the cheque reads as follows: Mrs. George Hume, Municipal Regent, I.O.D.E., Sherbrooke, Que.

My Dear Mrs. Hume,

Enclosed please find cheque for two hundred dollars (\$200) which is a donation for the I.O.D.E. Sanitarium at Sherbrooke. This sum of money is the voluntary contribution of the members of Adolphus Lord Nelson Chapter, I. O. D. E., and their friends of Upper and Lower Melbourne and Richmond. We take great pleasure in sending this gift as we feel that the I.O.D.E. Sanitarium is doing splendid work and deserves the encouragement of practical assistance.

Trusting that the good work may meet with continued support I am, Yours very truly, (Signed) Annie C. Mason, Treasurer, I.O.D.E., Richmond, Que.

Such a gift comes at a time when assistance is greatly needed, and it has been decided that the money will be devoted to the work of painting the building, while the Sherbrooke chapters are now busily engaged in preparing for the annual rummage sale, the proceeds of which can be used in a most practical way. It is anticipated that the chapters will receive the same hearty support this year as in former years during the days of the rummage sale, and that the proceeds will be large enough to meet the wants regarding work to be done at the Sanitarium.

The sale of Chinese handwork

is continuing and has proved successful so far. Though it entails a great amount of time, the officers and members of the chapters have given freely of their time, and are deserving of success.

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IMPORTANT

Proposition For the Equalization of Conditions of the Canadian Citizen Against the Unfair Competition of the Outside World.

February 5.—Mr. Meighen—Proposed Resolution—That, in the opinion of this House, to meet the situation which has resulted from a strengthening in late years of the protective system the world over, particularly in the United States; to give new life to industry and productive enterprise; to preserve and enlarge the Canadian market for Canadian farm products; to stimulate the development of Canadian resources by the Canadian people and thus create employment for our workers; to increase the traffic of our railways by which alone an all-round reduction of freight rates can be secured; and, as well, to provide added revenue and thus bring about a reduction of internal taxation, this Dominion requires an immediate revision of the Canadian tariff on a definitely and consistently protective basis.

That such revision should apply to natural products such as farm products, fish and coal, with no less thoroughness than to manufactured goods.

That to the same end steps should be taken to conserve for Canadian development our essential and irreplaceable resources in material and power.

That while every effort should be directed toward the establishment of a system of preference for preference within the Empire no preference should be given at the expense of the Canadian worker and all preference should be conditional on the use of Canadian ports.

That a tariff Commission should be appointed representative of the three great classes of Canadian industry, Agriculture, Manufacturing and Labour, and be entrusted with the duty of studying Canadian tariff problems in their every bearing and of making from time to time such recommendations to the Government as it deems in the general public interest with the reasons therefor, and with power also, where it finds unfair advantage is being taken of protective duties, of making recommendations to be given effect by the Government for removing or reducing tariff schedules or imposing special excise taxes upon products in respect of which such advantage is taken, and that its reports, findings, recommendations and reasons therefor be given to the public.

That to enable the products of the Western and Maritime Provinces to reach more readily the markets so developed the special transportation burdens borne by these provinces should be shared by the whole Dominion either by contribution to long haul freight costs or by assistance in some other form.

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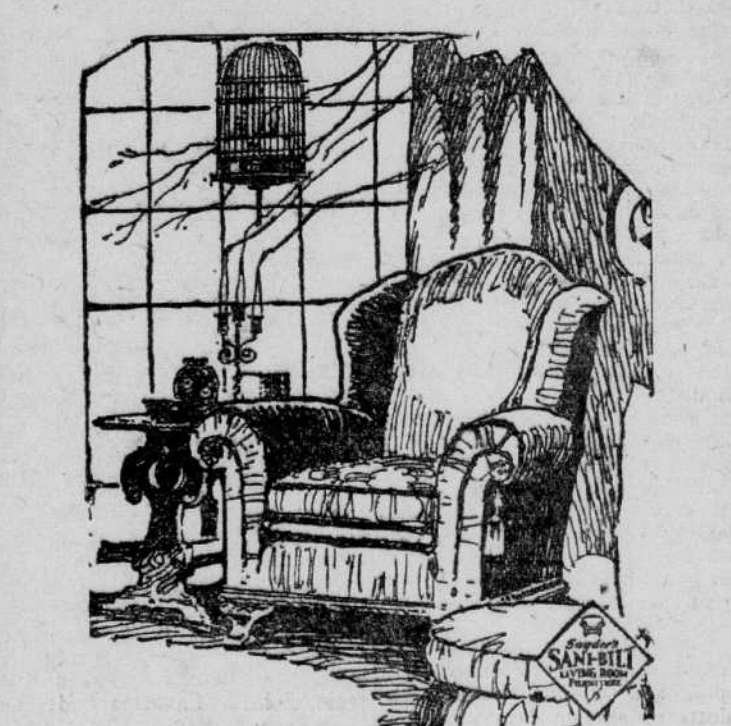
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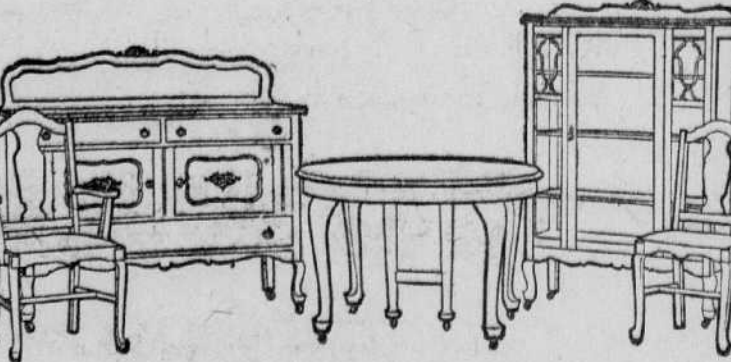
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DR. THORNTON SPOKE BEFORE ROTARY CLUB

Dean of Faculty of Dentistry of McGill University Addressed Local Club on "Relations of a Rotarian to the Community in Which He Lives."

Rotarian Dr. A. W. Thornton, Dean of the Faculty of Dentistry of McGill University, Montreal, gave an interesting and humorous talk before the Rotary Club last evening on the "Relation of a Rotarian to the community in which he lives," bringing out the different points in which a service to the community and the country could be performed by such an able organization as the Rotary Club. The Doctor's remarks were cleverly mixed with humor, and the talk was one which held the attention of all throughout.

"Man," the Dean said, "is not a unity but a trinity. He was a mind, body and spirit and each of these parts must be developed separately. If we want to be successful we must develop our own nature first."

The speaker then referred to the work to be done in the homes as a preliminary work to the betterment of the community. The duties of fathers and mothers in connection with the home training of their children came under three headings, Dr. Thornton remarked. There is the spiritual, the physical and the patriotic aspects of the home life.

"All children must be taught something of the Supreme Being," the speaker said. "They must be reminded of the beauty and mystery of it all." The physical aspect of the home training was another equally important duty of parents, he said, as the future generations of this country depended entirely upon the boys and girls of today.

The speaker dealt at some length upon the training which should be given to children in connection with their country.

Rotary Could Do Great Service.
A great deal, however, could also be done in connection with this work in the schools, Dr. Thornton said. "I think that the Rotary Club could do a great service by carefully observing what is being taught in the schools to the boys and girls. All British traditions should be carefully preserved and taught to the school children of today."

In a most interesting way the speaker then considered separately the different nationalities which make up the British Empire, referring particularly to the characteristics of the Scotch and Irish. A valuable possession had been left to the present generation by these people, and their literature and exploits of earlier days were well worth studying and cherishing.

In speaking about the literature of these people and the famous writings which have been handed down to us by our British ancestors, the speaker said, "our children should be taught the greatest book of all books if they are to appreciate their existence."

Following Dr. Thornton's remarks a hearty vote of thanks was

CITY BRIEFLY

NEW HOTEL PROJECT

The proposed new hotel project will be discussed at a dinner to be held this evening at Steele's Cafe. It is understood that a number of men from outside points interested in the undertaking will be present, and that plans will be fully explained.

EXCELLENT ENTERTAINMENT AT K. OF C. HALL

"Education in the Home" was the topic of the excellent paper read by Madame Saint-Jacques last evening at the Knights of Columbus Hall under the auspices of the Cercle Marguerite Bourgeoys. Madame Saint-Jacques, known to many readers of the French paper, Le Devoir, as "Fadette," and also as a writer of several books, is a woman of wide experience and exceptional talent. The daughter of Senator Desaulles, of St. Hyacinthe, Madame Saint-Jacques belongs to a prominent French-Canadian family, and has climbed the ladder of success in the literary field through long and faithful work. She has a store of knowledge at hand, and though not overfond of public speaking, has consented on various occasions to address an audience. The local society, under whose auspices she appeared last evening, felt gratified to have Madame Saint-Jacques come from Montreal to Sherbrooke, and her practical remarks to the large audience, without doubt, left a deep impression.

"An important problem, often too much neglected," was the explanation of her topic, which covered every phase of relation between the parent and the child, especially between the mother and the children for whose care she is responsible. "Because there are so many failures in life," the lecturer stated, "is because the will power of the child is not properly developed. Parents should be firm but sensible; devoted but practical; always having the love touch that comes through love and understanding, and though the mother has more responsibility regarding the care of children, the father has his, too."

Her remarks were practical in every detail, showing on her part a clear insight into the needs of the child of today, and an earnest desire to impart to her hearers a true idea of their obligations as fathers, mothers and older brothers and sisters, all of whom have a part in the education of the child in the home.

In addition to Madame Saint-Jacques, instructive and entertaining paper, a fine musical programme was rendered. Miss Alice Campbell, vice-president of the Cercle, presided, and Rev. Father Biron, parish priest of St. Jean Baptiste Church, was also present and made a few remarks.

The overture by "Le Club Musical de Sherbrooke" was finely rendered; a piano solo was played by Miss Lucille Moore in her artistic manner; Miss Betty Steel sang with fine expression "Youth and Spring"; Miss Evelyn Veilleux contributed a violin solo, Bohn's "Cavatina"; Mr. Leonidas Bachand sang, "Chant de Guerre Circassien," and Miss Rolande Lamy recited "La Brise," each number receiving hearty applause. Mrs. L. E. Codere and Miss F. Dawson were accompanists for the soloists, and the fine programme closed with "O Canada."

proposed by Rotarian D. A. McManamy and seconded by Rotarian Dr. F. H. Bradley.

ISADORE ROYER STRUCK DOWN WHILE AT WORK

Failed to Turn Off Electric Power—Verdict of Accidental Death Returned at Inquest.

Isadore Royer, fifty-seven years of age, of East Sherbrooke, was instantly killed shortly before three o'clock yesterday afternoon in a shop on Convent Street, while attempting to either remove or place a belt on a machine without turning off the power.

Royer at the time was in the employ of the Sisters of the Congregation of Notre Dame, and was at work with a machine in a building at the rear of the convent, known as the Gilbeau house, which had lately been reconstructed into a garage and a work shop.

Oscar Pelletier, a young man and a friend of the deceased, had been in the habit of calling on the latter while at work in his shop. On this particular afternoon at about three o'clock, Pelletier dropped in to have a friendly chat, and was horrified to see his neighbor lying on the floor in a pool of blood. He at once summoned Chief Couture, who on arrival found that Royer was dead.

The body of the unfortunate man was removed to the morgue, where an inquest was held last evening. Dr. Begin diagnosed a fracture of the temple bone with traces of ecchymosis on the left side of the head, where the victim had been struck, and the jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

As far as can be ascertained it seems that Royer had been in the act of either trying to take off or put on a belt on one of the machines in the shop, in the meantime not turning off the power. In attempting to do this, he had used a piece of two by four timber. The beam, however, in some way became caught in one of the rotating wheels, with the result that it was wrenched from his grasp, striking him on the left side of the head, which resulted in instant death.

The deceased leaves to mourn his loss, besides his wife, several children.

KING BORIS NARROWLY ESCAPED ASSASSINATION

His Car, in Which He Was Traveling to Sofia, Was Ambushed by Band of Supposed Communists.

(Associated Press Despatch)
SOFIA, April 15.—King Boris narrowly escaped assassination yesterday. His car, in which he was travelling to Sofia, was ambushed by a band of supposed Communists. Two of the King's attendants were killed and the driver was wounded. The King was not hit. Troops are searching for assassins.

AS USUAL
April's full of whims and wiles,
Now she frowns and now she smiles.
Well, Spring's wooing her, they say,
So 'tis but a wooed girl's way.

Social and Personal

Mr. F. N. McCrea, M.P., Melbourne Street, returned yesterday afternoon to Ottawa.

Mr. J. H. Blue, who has been on an extended business trip in the West, has returned home.

Mr. E. W. Tobin, M.P., has returned to Ottawa, after spending some time at his home in Bromontville.

Mr. Stuart Bell, of Waterville, was a visitor to Sherbrooke yesterday on business.

Mr. B. E. Tremblay, of Sawyer-ville, was in town Tuesday on business.

Mr. Maurice Cassin, who has been a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital for some time, is now convalescing at his home in Richmond.

Mr. Kenneth Bryce has returned home from Belleville, Ont., where he completed a course at the Ontario Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Miller and two children, Jean and Alfred, Galt Street, are spending a few days in Valley Junction.

Miss Edith Genge has returned to Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, after spending Easter the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Genge, Quebec Street.

Mr. Neil Skinner, of Charney, Que., has been in town for the Easter holidays the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Skinner, Portland Avenue.

Mrs. B. B. Reid, of Beebe, and Miss Bessie Ourett, of Boston, are spending a few days the guest of Mrs. Carrie Glingner, Strathcona Square.

Miss Rhena Wark, nurse-in-training, a patient at the Sherbrooke Hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis last Thursday.

Miss Grace MacKinnon has returned to Macdonald College after spending her Easter vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George MacKinnon, Portland Avenue.

The hostesses at the tea given by the Artillery Cadets Club on Saturday afternoon were: Mrs. Malcolm Mitchell, Mrs. Gordon Hume, Mrs. Brooks Wilson, Mrs. J. C. Stewart and Miss A. Bradford.

Wesley Hall looked most inviting yesterday afternoon when a tea was given by the Women's Auxiliary of the Methodist Church. The tables were attractively arranged with plants and flowers, and presiding at the tea table was Mrs. Dobbs, while the hostesses were Mrs. Mosely, Mrs. Dobbs and Mrs. Hole. Assisting during the tea hour were the Misses Cutler and Byron. Though the inclement weather kept some from attending, there was a good attendance and the proceeds were very gratifying.

Guests registered at the New Sherbrooke House include Mr. C. H. Dingman, of Orford Lake; Mr. D. D. Hyndman, of Groveton, N.H.; Mr. G. P. Butters, of Stanstead; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davison, of Hawkesbury; Mr. J. C. Comeau, of St. Johns; Mr. J. R. Alard, of Coaticook; Mr. R. S. Lloyd, of Winchester, Mass.; Mr. Gaston Lemoureux, of South Ham; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bisson and Mrs. A. N. Bouillon, of Montreal; Mr. T. A. MacLean, of Halifax, N.S.; Mr. Geo. Scott and Mr. R. A. Scott, of Scotstown; Mr. and Mrs. Lafrancois, of Montreal.

Unity Lodge No. 8, I.O.O.F., met last evening with a large turnout of members. The initiatory degree team, under the leadership of its captain, P.G. Bro. James Lowe, conferred the degree on several new members. Also the captain of the first degree team, P.G. Bro. Willard Goulden, announced that he would hold practice for his team next Monday evening in preparation for their trip to Scotstown on May 2nd, when they will confer the degree on candidates there. The entertainment committee promise something special, also refreshments, at the next meeting, which will be held on Monday evening, April 20th.

The children of the Band of Love had a happy party on Saturday afternoon last at the Salvation Army Citadel. About thirty were present and the time was spent in games, a talk on Peter Rabbit and in having refreshments, which included ice cream and cake, chocolate fishes and Easter eggs. Each child also received as a souvenir, a "fuzzy-wuzzy" bunny. When the children were asked, "How many read the stories about Peter Rabbit and the other little wild things of the wood?" nearly every hand went up, and many evidences were given of the children's liking for the bedtime and other nature stories.

PAYMENT OF A LIVING WAGE IS NOT POSSIBLE IN MANY INDUSTRIES

Fact Admitted by Member of the British Independent Labor Party at Gloucester Convention.

LONDON, April, 15.—A notable feature of the independent labor party's convention at Gloucester was a frank admission by Dr. A. Salter, M. P., for West Bermondsey, that payment of living wage was impossible in many industries. He cited as an example that minimum wage of four pounds a week for miners would involve yearly loss of from 30,000,000 to 40,000,000 pounds.

TRIED AND FOUND WANTING
She—You liked my cooking well enough just after we were married.
He—Yes, but I didn't have dyspepsia then.

JOHN SARGENT, NOTED ARTIST, DIED TODAY

Passed Away Very Suddenly—One of Best Known Portrait Painters of Recent Times.

(Associated Press Despatch)
LONDON, April, 15.—John Sargent, the noted artist, died suddenly at his home in Chelsea this morning. Mr. Sargent suffered a stroke at three o'clock and died a few hours later.

John Singer Sargent, probably one of the best known portrait painters of recent times, was born in Florence, Italy, 1856, the son of Dr. Fitzwilliam S. Sargent, Boston physician and author.

With the exception of some half dozen visits to the United States, the last of them in 1903, Sargent has made his home in the European capitals and latterly, since 1884, has lived in London.

Sargent studied painting at the Academy of Fine Arts, Florence, and in Paris under Carolus Duran.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Registrations in the Sherbrooke Division Registry Office during the week-end ending April 14th, follow:

W. W. Fare to Armand Doyon of lot 97 Village of Compton. Price \$1050.

Pierre Simoneau to Aurelius Simoneau of S 1/2 lot 760 East Ward. Price \$1020.

William Morris to W. G. Flynn of part lots 372 and 382 Lennoxville. Price \$400.

Norbert Charron to Wilfrid Vallee of parts lots 37 and 34 Orford. Wilfrid Vallee to Mrs. G. G. Vallee of part 37 and 34 Orford.

CALL'S MILLS

Miss Hattie Darrah, Mrs. J. Edwards and baby Douglas were guests on Friday of their sister, Mrs. D. G. Derby, and family at West Brome.

Mrs. A. Crittenden and Miss L. Crittenden were in Knowlton one day last week.

Mr. Loyd Hawley, from Sutton, was calling at Mr. G. R. Hooper's on Thursday evening.

Miss Addie Harvey, from Sutton, spent the week-end with her friend, Mrs. M. A. Miltimore, from Scottsmore, visited her mother, Mrs. L. M. Call, on Saturday.

Mr. George Crittenden spent Easter with his family here.

Mr. John Edwards spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwards.

Mrs. F. J. Westover is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Nurse Hope Westman; also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Westover in Manchester.

Mr. L. A. Call motored to Knowlton on Saturday. Those from here who were in Sutton on business last week were Messrs. Fred and Donald Edwards, Chas. Pratt, L. A. Call and H. F. Ladd.

CANADIAN SCHOOL TEACHERS VISIT WHITE HOUSE

(Continued from page 1)
WASHINGTON, April 15.—A group of three hundred Canadian school teachers accompanied by Sir Esme Howard, the British ambassador, visited the White House yesterday.



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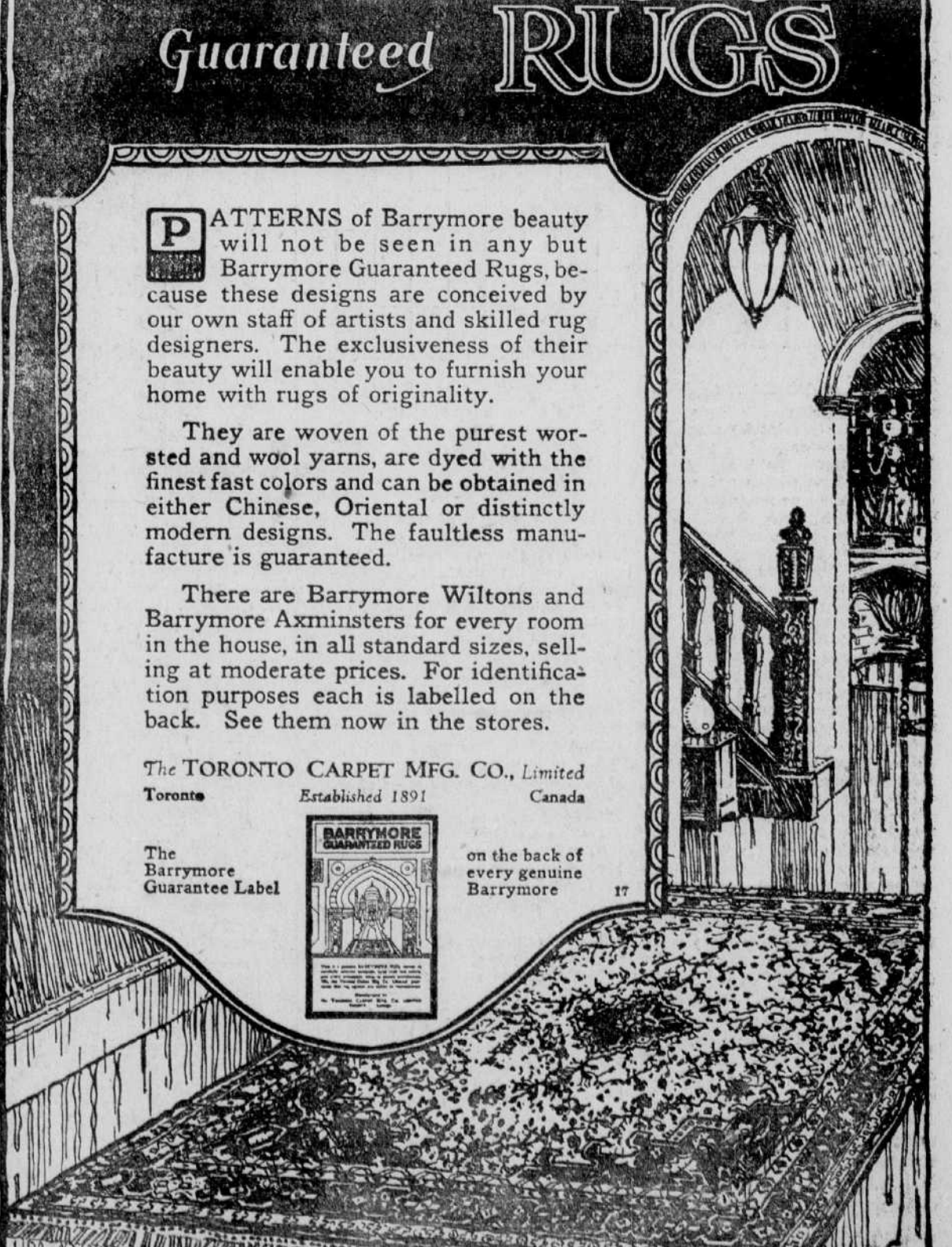
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HAPPENINGS AT COWANSVILLE AND DISTRICT

General News Notes, Reports of Meetings and Personals of Interest to Cowansville Residents.

COWANSVILLE, Que., April 15.—Mr. Wm. Robinson, of Montreal, was a guest of his cousin, Mr. Ross Dunn, and family, on Good Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hibbard, of Granby, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. McClure over the week-end.

Miss A. Lorne has returned from an extended visit with relatives in Valleyfield and Beauharnois.

Miss Dease spent Easter in Toronto the guest of her sister.

Miss Pauline Church spent Easter in Montreal the guest of her mother, Mrs. Evelyn Church.

The infant daughter of Rev. R. W. Carr and Mrs. Carr was baptized in the Congregational Church on Easter Sunday morning, receiving the name Jean Lillian. Rev. H. Alenby officiated.

Miss Emma Gleason, accompanied by Miss Hartnett, of Montreal, spent the Easter holidays at the home of the former here.

Miss Romana Cotton spent Easter with her friend, Miss MacKinnon, at Lachute.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Miner and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Knott at West Sherford on Good Friday.

Mr. W. Logie, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Barker.

Mr. Arthur Craig, of Montreal, was a recent guest of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Craigie.

Prof. Lockhart, of Macdonald College, was an Easter guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Lockhart.

Mr. Chauncey Hulburd, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hulburd.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Derick and family, of Abercorn, were Easter guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Rulter.

Mrs. W. G. Brown is spending this week in Point Fortune visiting her parents.

Miss Ethel Benham spent the school holidays with her mother, Mrs. Percy Benham.

Mrs. George Nightingale had the misfortune to slip from a stepladder and fracture a rib.

Miss Annie Gauthier was an Easter guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. Drake.

Very largely-attended and inspiring services were held in all the churches on Easter Sunday. In Trinity Church holy communion was observed at 8 a.m. The children's special service was held in the afternoon, when Rev. Mr. Tully, of Montreal, gave a most in-

GENERAL NEWS OF DIXVILLE AND DISTRICT

Reports of Meetings, Personals and Happenings of Interest to Residents of Dixville.

DIXVILLE, April 15.—A very pleasant gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer S. Wright on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Gladys Gilson and Mr. George Petersen, whose marriage is announced to take place in the near future. Miss Gilson was the recipient of a large number of beautiful and useful gifts from her friends, and these were accompanied by many good wishes for her happiness. After the gifts, which were opened by Mr. Petersen, had been duly inspected and admired he, in a neat little speech on behalf of his bride-to-be and himself, thanked the friends for their kindness and good wishes. Games were enjoyed for a time, after which nice refreshments of sandwiches, cake, coffee and ice cream were served.

The friends of Mrs. Reginald Mayhew will be glad to learn that she was able to return home on Saturday from the Sherbrooke Hospital, where she recently underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Huntress Mayhew, of Island Pond, were in town on Saturday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Mayhew.

The Mission Circle will meet with Mrs. W. T. Parker on Thursday afternoon, April 16.

Mr. E. E. Gilson, of Sherbrooke, was the week-end guest of his brother, Mr. J. A. Gilson, and family.

Owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. A. C. Dixon, the evening service at the Baptist Church on Sunday was cancelled. The morning service was kindly conducted by Rev. Grover K. Tyler, of Coaticook.

Messrs. Orson, Fred and W. A. Wallis were called to Island Pond on Sunday by the illness of their mother, Mrs. Julia Wallis.

The special mission at the Baptist Church began on Monday evening, with Rev. W. A. Gunton and Mrs. Gunton in charge. The pub-

lic is cordially invited to these services.

Mrs. Howard N. Plowman spent Easter at Sherbrooke, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Berwick.

Mr. E. T. Holmes and Miss Doris Holmes, of Richmond, were in town on Monday.

Mr. Stuart Gooley, who has been ill for the past few weeks, left on Monday for Montreal for special medical treatment. He was accompanied by his uncle, Mr. E. M. Drew, and Mr. W. T. Parker.

Mr. Hector Tangway is installing a gasoline pump on the corner near his shop.

Mr. Reginald Mayhew was in Sherbrooke the first of the week to visit Mrs. Mayhew, who is a patient at the Sherbrooke Hospital.

The school here closed on Thursday for the Easter holidays. The teachers, the Misses Sutton and Parkhill, have gone to their respective homes at Barnston and Boynton.

Rev. Mr. Gunton is conducting evangelistic services at the Baptist Church here for two weeks. He commenced Monday evening, April 13, assisted by Mrs. Gunton, who presented the gospel in song. Everyone is cordially invited to these services.

Mr. and Mrs. W. George Mayhew, who have spent the winter at Daytona Beach, Fla., expected to leave on Saturday, April 4, for the return trip by motor. Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Smith, of Coaticook, who accompanied them, have returned by rail.

Miss Whiteher, of Barnston, who has been spending several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Grady, caring for Mrs. Nelson Beaton and little son, has returned to her home in Barnston.

A most unfortunate accident occurred on Wednesday at the auction sale of Mr. Joseph Breton, when his young nephew, Master Breton, was seriously injured by the falling of a heavy cupboard. One leg was broken and he received severe bruises about the head. Dr. O. Birs was called and removed the lad to the home of his father, Mr. Fred Breton, at Coaticook, where his injuries were attended

to.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie W. Bailey and family, who have spent the winter with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Eggleston, are moving into the Fairbanks' house across the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene W. Young, of Peterboro, Ont., were recent guests of Mrs. Young's brother, Mr. Eugene R. Smith, and family.

Mr. Fred Bellows, of the C.P.R., was at his home here on Thursday. Mrs. Caroline Major has moved into the room recently vacated by Mrs. Diana Norris and Mr. and Mrs. Alinger.

Mrs. Ernest Outler was visiting friends at Coaticook on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman T. Moffatt and daughter Norma, of Montreal, were Easter guests of Mrs. Moffatt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bailey.

Rev. A. Cecil Dixon is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Bernice Grady, of Barnston, is spending the holidays at her home here.

Mrs. Irving Gooley was at Coaticook on Saturday, the guest of Mrs. E. A. Akhurst.

The Sunshine Society will meet in the classroom of the Methodist Church on Friday afternoon.

Easter service was held in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The church was attractively decorated with ever-

greens, cut flowers and potted plants. Besides the usual Easter hymns, solos were sung by Mrs. T. E. Bishop and Mr. T. E. Evans and a recitation given by Miss Katherine Evans.

Misses Rachel and Fedora Collet, of Disraeli, spent the Easter holidays at their home here.

Mr. F. A. Card was in Sherbrooke last week.

Miss F. R. Bishop was in Coaticook at Mr. Ayton Cromwell's on Saturday.

Mrs. V. Welter and daughter Madeline, of Montreal, and Mrs. Gendron and children, of Sutton, spent Easter with their mother, Mrs. M. Weir, and other relatives.

Mr. J. W. Andrew and Master Keith Bishop were in Sherbrooke recently.

Mr. A. G. Westman was in Disraeli last week.

Mr. Raymond McHarg, of Sherbrooke, spent Easter with his mother here.

Mr. Wm. Tite has gone to Montreal, where he has a position.

Miss P. Baird spent the week-end in East Dudswell with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Oldfield.

Mrs. E. O. Cote, of Lancaster, N. H., is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Andrew.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Harrison, of St. L. Tite, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bishop and children, Ross and Norma, were in Sherbrooke on Saturday.

Mrs. E. J. Lolselle and son Chester, of Montreal, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. An-

draws.

Rev. Father Lanctot, of Sawyer ville, has been a guest of Rev. Father St. Laurent.

Miss Margaret Clark is home after spending some time with Mrs. R. W. Jenkerson at Bury.

Mr. J. Collet and children were in Theford on Sunday to meet Mrs. Collet, who has been ill at her father's, Mr. Nadeau's, for some time, but is now much improved in health.

Mrs. G. C. Batley and Miss Alice Thompson have returned to their homes at Bury after spending a few days with the former's daughter, Mrs. Roy Rolfe, who recently underwent an operation in Sherbrooke and has been quite ill since coming home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Jenkerson and son Cedric, of Bury, and Mrs. V. Welter and daughter Madeline, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McKenzie the first of the week.

Dance in Brookbury Hall, Friday, April 18th.

KINGSEY

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lockwood spent the week-end in Danville the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Carson.

Mr. E. Hamel has gone to the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Sherbrooke, to undergo an operation.

Miss L. Shaw, of the Wales Home, and Mr. E. L. Hall, from the Wales farm, were recent guests at Manleywood.

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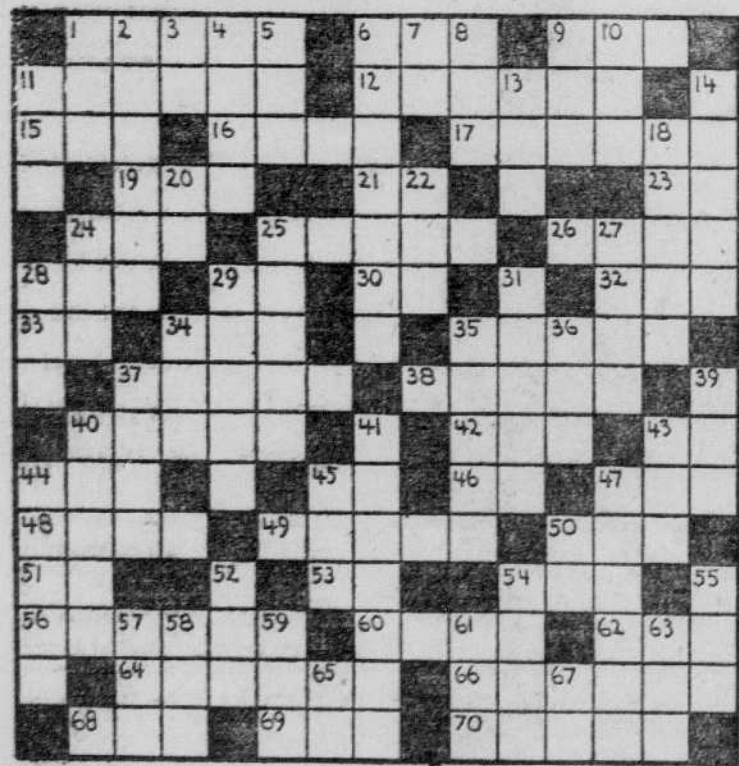
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HORIZONTAL

- 1—To frighten
- 6—A metal device for stamping out coins
- 9—To open (poet.)
- 11—The East Indian cedar
- 12—To take up by absorption
- 15—A color
- 16—To go by
- 17—Shining
- 19—Obtained
- 21—Preposition
- 23—Interjection
- 24—A number
- 25—Word opposed to "here"
- 26—A sheepfold
- 28—Stray dog
- 29—The older (abbr.)
- 30—Canadian province (abbr.)
- 32—Possessive pronoun
- 33—Latin for silver (abbr.)
- 34—Personal pronoun
- 35—Man's name
- 37—A visitor
- 38—Enclosed court of a Spanish house
- 40—Man's name
- 42—A musical instrument (abbr.)
- 43—In this or that manner
- 44—To swab
- 45—Maigence (chem sym)
- 46—Man's name (familiar)
- 47—An unruly crowd
- 48—Greek god of war
- 49—An inland waterway
- 50—Upper part; crown
- 51—Ruthenium (chem sym)
- 52—Girl's name (familiar)
- 54—Conjunction
- 55—To shut up within walls
- 56—To load
- 57—Suffix denoting condition
- 58—Sagacious
- 59—Highly ornamented
- 60—Took food
- 61—A wheel track in a road
- 70—A kind of coffee

VERTICAL

- 1—An episcopal jurisdiction
- 2—A testy old man
- 3—Prefix meaning "to"
- 4—Enraptured
- 5—Period of time
- 6—To swell out
- 7—Prefix, a form of "in"
- 10—To recede
- 11—Kind of sorcery practiced by negroes of W. India
- 12—A wooden pin
- 13—Lacking interest
- 14—Man's name
- 15—An anesthetic
- 18—Inn
- 20—Preposition
- 22—Sphere
- 24—To pull with great effort
- 25—A lock of human hair
- 27—A Middle East State of U. S.
- 28—Cry of the crow
- 29—A very thin, broad piece of any substance
- 31—Pertaining to birth
- 34—The total
- 35—Fundamental
- 36—A cardinal number
- 37—To regard open-mouthed
- 38—Top of a fireplace serving as a shelf
- 40—A drinking-bowl
- 41—A small ring
- 42—To soak in a liquid
- 43—Girl's name
- 45—Prefix meaning "ill; evil"
- 47—A hill, the site of the temple at Jerusalem
- 50—Preposition
- 52—Skill
- 54—A cruel Roman emperor
- 55—Small
- 57—A flat article woven or plaited
- 58—Custom
- 59—A continent (abbr.)
- 61—A title in Portugal and Brazil
- 62—Station (abbr.)
- 63—A day of the week (abbr.)
- 67—A South Atlantic State of U. S. (abbr.)

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle



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CANADIAN TRADE CONDITIONS.

In spite of the fact that business conditions have not shown any marked improvement along lines that are noticeable to the individual man of business, yet the trade reports for the first months of the year tell of important increase in the country's commerce.

Agricultural Progress, referring to this, says: "If Canadian exports during January and February are an indication of what may be expected during the year, 1925 should be for Canada a very satisfactory trade period. In these two months the total exports are valued at \$147,163,702, compared with \$138,688,509 for the corresponding period last year, which must be considered a fine showing when it is taken into account that Canada's exports are not stimulated by extensive credits or loans to foreign customers. In February, alone, there was registered an increase of \$3,000,000 over figures for the corresponding month last year, the increase being due chiefly to a stronger demand for animals and their products."

This movement is in the right direction and if maintained cannot fail to bring about improved times in all communities.

CANADA'S DESTINY

From time to time some one on this side or the other of the international boundary broaches the subject of Annexation. There is a little talk and nothing more is heard of it for the reason that there is no active sentiment in favor of it either in Canada or the United States. "If the United States ever cherished any notion of absorbing Canada, she threw away her chance in 1866, when our Senate, for insufficient reasons, abrogated the reciprocity treaty of 1854—'floated through on champagne'—which was negotiated with the tacit understanding, among some statesmen upon both sides of the line, that it might develop relations leading to annexation," remarks the Boston Transcript. The writer continues as follows: "Since that time the tariff policy of the United States toward Canada and the industrial awakening of the Dominion, which finally succeeded her repeated requests for closer trade relations and their refusal in this country, Canada has developed a spirit of independence which has transferred many great American industries to Canadian soil. When in 1910-11 President Taft succeeded in negotiating a mild reciprocity treaty with the Dominion Government, the people of Canada not only rejected it but overthrew the government of the idolized Wilfrid Laurier, which was responsible for its negotiation. The relations between the two countries are friendly, even to cordially, and will so continue, notwithstanding American indifference to reasonable Canadian proposals, but they do not make for the annexationist spirit in either country."

The American continent is large enough for two great nations and there is no reason to doubt that this Dominion is destined for a high place among the great countries of the world.

FISH HATCHERIES.

The Eastern Townships as well as other sections of the Province and the Dominion has its fish hatcheries. There is a constant demand by Fish and Game Clubs for the stocking of this lake or that lake, this stream or that stream. And there is no lack of discussion as to the net results to be obtained.

It is interesting to note that the Government has been carrying out investigations in this connection. The experiments have not resulted very favorably for the fish hatcheries. The matter is summarized in an article in an exchange as follows:

"Two years ago Mr. William Duff, M.P., as Chairman of the British Columbia Fish Commission, called attention to the fact that there was no clear proof of the usefulness of fish hatcheries. Following up this criticism, the Biological Board of Canada has made two attempts to determine the number of trout fry which survive to September out of a known number which had been distributed in natural trout streams in June. The story of the first attempt has just been published in Contributions to Canadian Biology, the official magazine of the Biological Board of Canada. The article describes what became of 10,000 trout fry which were distributed June 15, 1923—5,000 in Gunstone Brook and 5,000 in Buck Brook, two natural trout streams near Aylmer, Ontario. The little animals were watched day and night for nearly two months. At night a lantern and an electric flashlight were used to keep track of them. From the first day they were planted in the brook they disappeared very quickly, being eaten, chiefly by rock bass, and to a less extent by larger trout. That the fry were eaten was proved by finding the remains of their bodies in the stomachs of their enemies. On seining Gunstone Brook Sept. 15, 1923, only 174 fry were found alive out of 5,000. In Buck Brook 1,520 survived; but this is accounted for by the fact that this brook was largely cleared of enemy fish by seining before the 5,000 were distributed in it. During the autumn, winter and following spring some of the 1,520 continued to disappear, so that by June, 1924, only ten per cent. of the original 5,000 remained alive. How many of the total would live to be adults or four-year-olds? The importance of all this to anglers and summer campers is obvious. They wish to make certain that most of these fry will grow to maturity and afford better sport than is to be had at present, and its importance to the general public is seen in the fact that Ontario spends about \$50,000 and the Dominion about \$370,000 on the artificial breeding of fish."

PARAGRAPHS

Exercise is just synthetic work.

Another little menace worth noting is the jaywalker.

A jaywalker is merely a pedestrian until it happens.

Free speech is vanishing. Ah well; so few of us have

anything to say.

Still, some people who like us have few commendable qualities except their taste.



Another thing that makes the tired business man tired is the kind of show provided for tired business men.

There's a trick in this "free radio" business. You must pay for your own telegrams.

No political scandals are in sight now, so you can't make money by speculating in whitewash.



To be wholly frank, the enjoyable part of a cold bath is getting out of it.

Repentance: A small boy being disturbed by the last dish of ice cream stowed away.

Suspenders serve as well as a belt, except that they afford nothing to lean your dinner against.

"To loosen a fruit jar cap, soak it." That is the orthodox method of making the taxpayer looser, also.

Correct this sentence: "I'm not very hungry," said his sweetie; "just order me a glass of milk."

PRESS COMMENT

THE UNORTHODOX DAWES.

(Vancouver Sun)
How the old diplomats must despise Dawes! Almost anybody can understand what he says.

PICTURESQUE STATESMEN.

(Ottawa Journal)
In the days of D'Arcy McGee Canada was governed by picturesque statesmen. Politics was their life work and we thought them great men. Our political leaders today take on more and more the manner of business men, and Governments have become great spenders.

TRUE SECURITY FOR FRANCE.

(Christian Science Monitor)
Sensible men have long ago rejected the system of a balance of power. The see-saw which in past days may have suited a number of shortsighted diplomats in England has now become extremely dangerous. It is making war a perpetual menace to alternate between a strong Germany and a weak France on the one hand, and a strong France and a weak Germany on the other hand.

The notion that when Germany becomes too powerful, France and England must unite against it, and when France becomes too powerful the weight of England as well as of Germany must be directed against France, is a notion that it is to be hoped is forever exploded. Those who are closely acquainted with the secret desires of the diplomats of England are well aware that, except for a few old-fashioned persons who cannot realize that times have changed, nothing would please British politicians more than a genuine Franco-German solidarity.

NO GRÆCO-TURKISH WAR.

(Boston Transcript)
Greece is reported to be "itching" for another war with Turkey over the expulsion of the OEcumenical Patriarch, although neither country is in a position to wage a war. A conflict so initiated, especially if indirectly in consequence of the successful Greek loan of \$50,000,000, would forfeit the confidence of the world in Greek good intentions. Great Britain, who aided and abetted the Greeks against the Turks in the last war, is in no position again to back Greece on the issue of the Patriarchate, for she will not permit any Patriarch with political power to linger for a moment in London. Moreover, the Lausanne Pact distinctly provides that the Hellenic churchman may remain in Turkey only on the same condition that applies to the American missionaries and other sects, viz.: that he shall exercise no political authority. Greece has received more moral support in the past than she would win again should she wantonly fan the never-dying flames in the Balkans.

PESSIMISTS AND PIONEERS.

(Toronto Globe)
The cure for pessimism, as Sir Arthur Currie points out, is to consider the past, the present and the future of Canada. Suppose the pioneers who carved out homes for themselves in the wilderness had dropped their axes and sat down to mourn over the comforts of civilization they had left behind! But pessimism and pioneering do not agree. Later on we had pioneers in railway building, in commerce, in manufacturing, in religious missions, in schools, in responsible government, in Confederation. Courage and initiative have never been lacking in Canada.

There is just as much courage and initiative in Canada today as there was in the last century. That was amply proved in the Great War, and what is needed today is to direct all the energy evoked by war into constructive work. The country needs more inspiring leadership than that of misery-mongers who are sad because they are out of office.

SHOULD A DOCTOR TELL?

(Ottawa Journal)
One is inclined to doubt the story cabled from London, that physicians attending Lord Curzon, and convinced that his hour had come, sought the printing of a special edition of one of the London newspapers containing an announcement of his recovery, hoping that this would buoy him up. The doctors, so the story goes, had been keeping their bulletins from the dying Marquis, but upon his insisting that he have his paper, they acquiesced in this "bedside edition" with its false, though cheering, news.

The report, if true, prompts the question: Why shouldn't a doctor tell a patient, especially of the moral and intellectual calibre of a Curzon when the night has come that knows not morn? "Let me meet my God awake!" exclaimed Maria Theresa, when her physicians sought to ease her death with morphine; and surely she expressed the wish of many patients. Death is not the terror in our day that it was in ages past. A mystery it still is; but not clothed with that terror which drove men so to dread it in times long gone.

"There is no death! What seems so is transition; This life of mortal breath Is but a suburb of the life elysian, Whose portal we call death."

This, expressed by Longfellow, may not be the philosophy of all of us; but it is the belief of increasing numbers; and one may well challenge the right—if such right be claimed—of a physician withholding the truth, and sending one to death without knowing that the last great journey has been embarked on.

One cannot tell what passes through the mind and before the vision in those last twilight hours before mortality and death; but surely one would like to know the truth; to know the truth so that in the last moments of existence all that intelligence could bring to bear for fortitude and strength for preparation and farewell could be summoned to one's aid. That, surely, would be better than to be the victim of deception to the end, to be treated as a coward to the finish, to start upon the last long trail without knowing that a journey was beginning.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

EARLY SETTLERS ON MISSISSQUOI BAY.

QUOI BAY.

To the Editor of Record:

Sir,—In the recent issue of the Record, which was dedicated to the industrial development of these Eastern Townships of the Province of Quebec, in the stated chronology the first families were reported to have arrived at Missisquoi Bay from 1787 to 1792. After giving the matter a careful consideration and consulted many outside sources of information I have arrived at the conclusion that they really arrived in 1782 and there exists a strong possibility that a few families may have located there in 1781. You will note the enclosure of a copy of a petition from some of the early settlers which can be accepted as actual proof that some of them were there in 1783 and there exists evidence of a less conclusive character that they had been on the ground some time before they petitioned for locations at all.

This petition, of which a copy is enclosed, is peculiar among all of the petitions pertaining to this section of the country as it contains the longest list of signatures of any that is known to me. The orthography which I have carefully copied is antique and the extensive use of capitals is somewhat in vogue in these days but these do not serve to conceal the indignation that the aggrieved parties are attempting to voice and the fact that there was something crooked in St. Johns in those days stands as a matter of their recorded belief. With a knowledge of the facts of the situation the pathos of the appeal stands out in relief. These people had already settled on the land and begun the building of homes and the establishing of a means of subsistence, when their presence at the Bay became known to the authorities. They were ordered to move at once to the lands that had been set aside for the settlement of Loyalists and neglecting or delaying to do so were threatened with forced removal and the destruction of their rude homes. You know something of the longing for the ideal conditions obtaining after once tasting the delights of a sojourn here so they even in those days were loth to deprive themselves and their posterity of the felicity that a residence here was sure to entail.

As a further interesting fact there will be found on the personal files of the correspondence of George Washington in the archives at Washington several letters written by the Father of His Country to "my friend Mr. Metcalf at Missisquoi Bay," and attached to these copies are many of the replies from Mr. Metcalf showing him to have been more or less intimate with the great George. The dates of these missives are from 1775 to early in 1777 when no replies seem to have been received. Sending several letters and receiving no replies George seems to have become anxious and finally ordered General Hazen to proceed from Hazen's Notch to Missisquoi Bay and locate the domicile of my friend, Mr. Metcalf and report on his wellbeing.

General Hazen's report is attached and is in substance as follows: "I proceeded as ordered to Missisquoi Bay and after some difficulty located the domicile of Mr. Metcalf which had evidently been evacuated for some time." This was dated some time in September, 1777.

In following further the career of Mr. Metcalf we find that the people of some place in New York State (I think Whitehall) petitioned the English authorities to spare Mr. Metcalf, that he was a good man and had only been misled by the lure of easy gain. This petition is preserved and is on file in the Archives department at Ottawa. He was evidently excused as we find a further petition from him for a grant of land in the Gaspé district as a reward for services rendered the British Government. He was evidently a professional spy who had been located at Missisquoi Bay by the rebellious colonists, and his whereabouts becoming known to the British he was quietly attached by them and Gen. Hazen found his home "evacuated" when he called. Metcalf was evidently pardoned and accepted service under his former wars.

My letter has grown beyond the bounds originally intended and I will excuse you if you will divide it into sections to read it, but knowing the strict accuracy which has become almost a tradition with the "Record," I could not resist the impulse to set them right on this ground so I thought that by bringing the matter to your notice and laying before you the proof of my contention you could achieve in an incalculably short time what would require on my part weeks and perhaps months to accomplish.

Yours very truly,
C. O. JONES.
Bedford, April 4th, 1925.

The Petition.

The petition referred to above is as follows:
"To His Excellency Henry Hammett, Esqr., Governor in and over the Province of Quebec and Territories thereunto belonging, etc., etc."

"The Petition of the Subscribers humbly sheweth:

"That the fifth day of Octr. in the year of our Lord, 1783, we, with many others Petitioned His Excellency Frederick Haldimand Esqr., the then Governor and commander in Chief, for a tract of land East of Missisquoi Bay, for each of us to receive his Portion of Land, allowed the Government for services but not being able to obtain the same, we petitioned for an Answer to our Petition until late in the Winter Following, and we being Desirous, to Gilt in some way of Living again, and to retrieve a little of our Losses (by Cultivation) which we suffered during the unhappy troubles in North America, which losses were very considerable with some of us, and very sorely Felt'd by Every One of us and your humble Petitioners would not be under necessity of troubling you, had they at present what they have lost, and were obliged to leave in the hands of the Enemy, since they from the beginning of the late troubles in America, adhered to British Government, and joined the British forces in the year 1777, but since, as above mentioned, were desirous to git in some way of living, we bought a tract of land of Mr. Robertson, of St. Johns, and some of us settled thereon before Ever his Excellency Frederick Haldi-

man, Esqr., the late Commander in Chief, had Given Orders or Pointed out Places for the settling of Loyalists, but so it was, that since some of us had settled at the Bay of Missisquoi, and Others could not move, when the orders came out for to settle at the appointed Places, by Reason of Sickness and Others Hindrance in their Families, and all of hoping that we should Yit Git the land in the Parts we Petitioned for, but so it was, since we did not Go, to the Place or Places pointed at, we were struck off the Provision list, part of us since the 24th of May last, the Others at Different times after, but all of us since the 24th Octr. last. Wherefore we most Humbly beg your Excellency in your Clemency, and love to Your Fellow Men, who have sorely suffered During the late Rebellion both in body and Estate, and Orders that the Provision and Others Donations Allowed to Loyalists, by Government, Should be given to us from the time that Every one of us, and Families were struck off the Provisional list. And we humbly beg your Excellency will Please to Condescend, to favour us with an Answer, Withere we Shall have Provision, Or no, for it is Our Opinion that all Loyalists, settling in the Province of Quebec, are Allowed Provisions whether on Kings Land or, not, if within the Provinces line. Moreover we beg to inform your Excellency, that we little expected, Nithere do we think, that it is Government's intention, or any order, from our Most Gracious King, and his Parliament, that all such of his true and faithful subjects as Your Petitioners, Should be struck off of all benefits from Government, as Donation of Provs. and Other Things, Allowed by Govert Except such and only such, who settle in them Perticular places which Perhaps through the Indication of Self interested Gentlemen, has been put into the head of the late Commander in Chief, to Pointe out for Settling of the Loyalists in the Province of Quebec. Further more, we doubt, Yae we are most sure, that there is some underhand Dealing with the Provs. as for instance at St. Johns, etc., For we sent a Petition to Your Excellency Decr. last, and we Never heard thereof, Wherefore we beg Your Excellency will Please to condescend to direct Your Answer to Chn. Wehr, Lieut. Royl, Yorkers at Missisquoi Bay, and of the care of Mr. Alexr. Taylor at St. Johns, and if Your Excellency will Most Graciously Please to Grant us our Petition, Your Petitioners as in Duty bound Shall Ever Pray.

"(Sgd.) Christian Wehr, Conrad Best, Christian Mavor, John Ruiter, Adam Deal, John Cole, Ludwig Streif, George Feller, Josamind Drow, Ludwig Streif, Junr., Jacob Thomas, Philip Ruiter, John Van Vorst, James Henderson, Alexr. Taylor, Missisquoi Bay, Feb. 7th, 1785."

MASSAWIPPI

The cantata "From Olivet to Calvary" will be presented here by the Ayer's Cliff Choral Society at the Union Church of Friday evening, April 17th. This fine production has been given at the "Cliff" and Hatley very recently, and is spoken of very highly. The efficient leader, Rev. Thomas, the pastor here, is very kindly giving the people of this community, the benefit and pleasure of listening to this beautiful production. A cordial invitation is extended to all of this place and surrounding districts to attend. Eight o'clock is the hour set for the opening.

On Thursday a bush fire had been set on the Demers' farm. A strong wind drove the sparks along to Maris Brown's field, and soon the grass was blazing in a wide circle. It became necessary to call for help, and a gang of men and women worked fast for some time before it was under control. Several furrows were plowed around the field to accomplish this.

Mrs. W. A. Hunting, of Huntingville, has been the guest of Miss A. Hitchcock, a few days this week.

Miss Elinor Turcott, of North Hatley, is spending a few days of her Easter vacation with her grandmother at Elm Cottage.

Miss Alice Whitcomb, of Sherbrooke, spent the week-end at "The Willows."

Mrs. Morse and Miss Hall, of Sherbrooke, were in town Saturday.

NORTH HATLEY

Mr. A. W. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Robertson and two children, of Long Beach, Calif., are recent arrivals here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. LeBaron have returned home, after a pleasant winter in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Dance at Hatley Centre Town Hall, Fri., April 17th. Proceeds for North Hatley Memorial Monument.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Call and Mr. A. L. McKay accompanied by Mrs. H. A. McCrae, of Sherbrooke, spent the Easter week-end in Montreal.

Miss Hazel Tait returned to MacDonald College on Tuesday, after the Easter season at her home here.

Mr. A. R. Virgin spent the Easter holidays at his home in Concord.

Mr. Evans Kezar has returned home after spending the winter in Concord.

Mr. Bruce McKay spent a short time at Coaticook this week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baldwin.

Mr. Wm. C. Clark has disposed of his fine bunch of beef cattle to Mr. Openshaw the local butcher. The price paid was approximately seven cents per lb. He has also some choice Shorthorn cows for sale. See ad. in this paper.

WATERVILLE

On Thursday afternoon, April 9, a large number of members attended the Ladies' Aid, which was entertained by Mrs. Peasley at her home. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess at the tea hour.

The many friends of Mrs. Arthur Blair will be pleased to know that the operation on her eye performed by Dr. Tomkins was most successful and that Mrs. Blair is progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Osgood and Miss Elizabeth Osgood motored from Montreal and have been guests of Mr. J. R. Moy.

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More space is devoted to the British royal family by the press of the Empire than at any other time in the memory of man. It is a tribute to the King and Queen and their sons and daughter, that this should be true. Perhaps the very breadth of freedom enjoyed in Britain and the self-governing Dominions is one reason for this. In no country in the world is a monarchical system more firmly established; in no country in the world is there more freedom for the subject than in Britain and the sister nations of the Empire.

Beginning in the reign of Queen Victoria, expanding in the time of King Edward and in these days of King George, the bond of affection between monarchy and people has blossomed into the fruit of mutual respect and affection. Each has a better understanding of the other's position and burdens; each knows that the other is human and subject to all the mental and physical trials that are attendant upon the journey through life. In the last fifteen years or so the younger members of the present royal family have taken their part in the activities of the Empire's life to an increasing degree. More active than the King himself has been Edward Albert Christian, Prince of Wales.

At thirty years of age the Prince is the most travelled and the most popular royal personage the world has ever known. Most people are aware of that. The secret of his popularity is personality. The cultivation of natural qualities and aptitudes have added to his charm. As an ambassador of Empire he has to equal. He has seen most of that Empire and met and conquered its people. Canada and Canadians know him well and are proud to hail him as fellow citizen and owner of the E.P. ranch in Alberta.

South Africa is to be his domicile for the next few months, and he will visit Argentina and Uruguay before he returns home. The Boers of some districts are sore because his long itinerary does not permit of his visiting them. Some of them, including men who fought against the British in the South African war, have told Premier Hertzog in

blunt language, what they think of arrangements that do not permit of their extending a home greeting to the Prince. Hertzog himself is no lover of Britain, yet even before he attained office he supported the invitation to the Prince in eulogistic



He has a vigorous, alert mind.

terms. He has pressed it since the elections of last year made him Premier; and nothing that his government could do to make the visit a success will be left undone.

Who Will He Wed?

In Britain the hope is revived that the South African tour is a prelude to the marriage of the Prince

That is only a hope; there is no more certain knowledge there than in Canada that such will be the case. Rumor has assuaged him a dozen times in little more than a month. He has out-bachelorized the rumors, and the charming ladies who were mentioned are all married or engaged to others. It is certain that parental and state persuasion both have been exerted to get him to the altar. Probably some charming foreign princess has more than once been the object of grave intimation to him. He is declared to have stated with emphasis that he does not want to marry yet, and that when he does it will be an English girl. Millions of sympathetic hearts around the Empire will agree that he ought to have some say in the choice of a life partner. British royalty has more freedom in such selections than it used to have; witness Princess Mary, the Duke of York and Princess Patricia. And the choice on the European continent has dwindled since the war and revolutions have made havoc of many reigning houses.

Whether his engagement is announced during his tour or on his return to Britain, is a secret that the royal family and its advisers are guarding well. What interests the Prince most at this time, is the prospect of seeing new sights, and meeting with new individuals. He will make a tremendous tour of an old country where buried cities more ancient than the pyramids are being brought to light by explorers and archaeologists, and where mystery has its abiding place. Natives of some of the many tribes in the various colonies and districts embraced in South Africa, will parade and manoeuvre before him in the chain armor their ancestors wore centuries ago. Strange rites and ceremonies, so old that their origin is blotted out by the mists of years, will be performed for his benefit. Like his brother the Duke of York, who with the Duchess has been in South Africa for many months, he will shoot big game. Above all he will get first-hand impressions of another part of the Empire over which, in the course of time, he will be called to rule. That is the most important thing.

In His Grandfather's Day

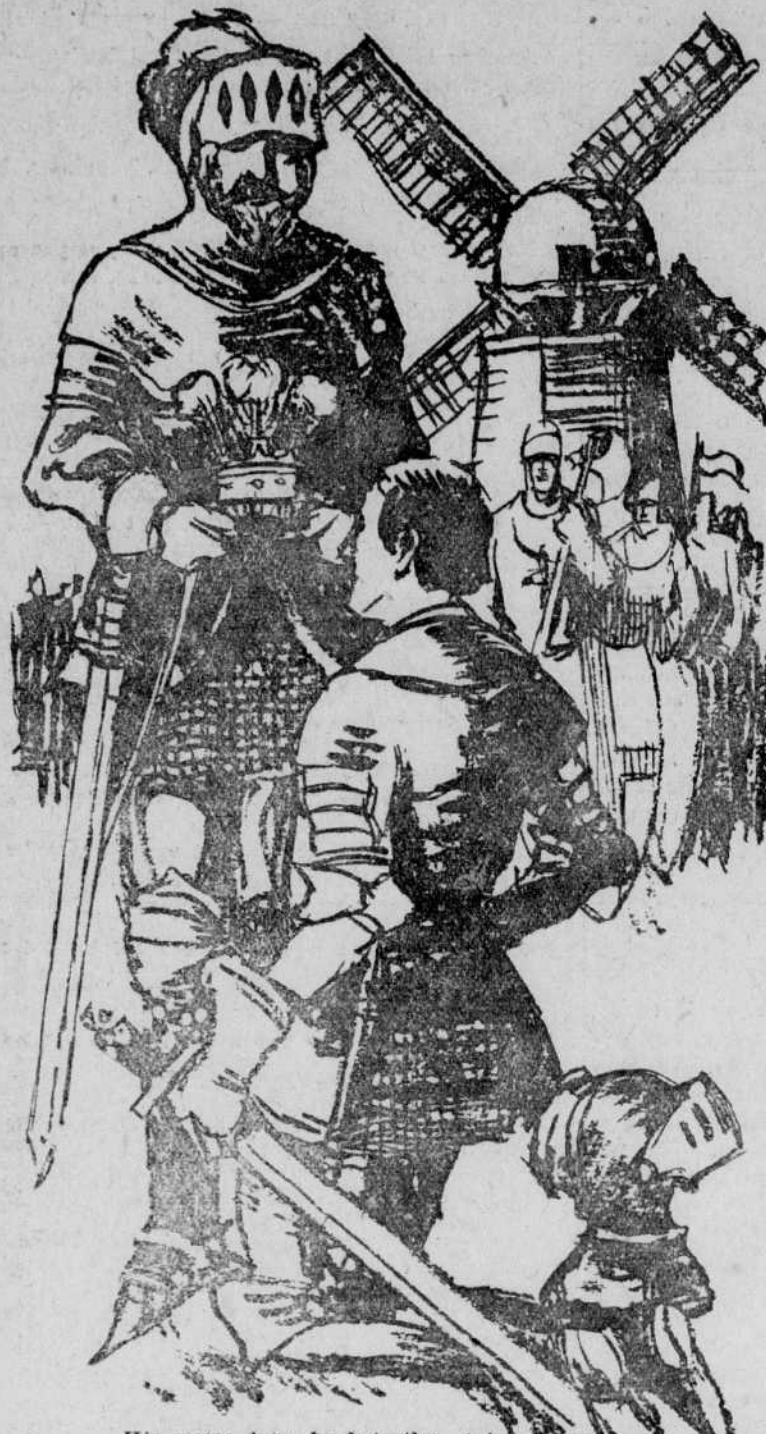
The world has had some revelations of late regarding the upbringing of the Prince of Wales' grandfather, the late King Edward. It could be best described in one word, "Restriction." Until after his marriage his life was lived by rules and regulations, mostly drawn by his father, the Prince Consort,

though Queen Victoria also had a hand in shaping them. At least she had much to do in seeing that they were carried out. A visit to France in his youth was a pleasant interlude for him. He was only fourteen, but Sir Sidney Lee in his recent biography says "the young prince thrilled Paris and Paris thrilled him." Prior to that no heir to the British throne and no British monarch had visited Paris for 400 years. When he was able to insist upon and take more liberty, Edward made many a trip to the French capital and formed friendships there, some of which were not only enjoyable in a social sense, but of great value in paving the way for the entente cordiale, which in later years was to save Europe.

In his love for Paris and France, and in the French affection for him, the present Prince of Wales is like his grandfather. He often visits the French capital, incognito, and goes as freely about the city as he does about London. But he has to acknowledge many salutations for the Parisians are quick and proud to recognize him, and prouder still when he acknowledges their salutes. He has had far more freedom, as did his father King George, than King Edward had until he was of mature years. Both the King and his eldest son have justified those who had their training and guidance.

If any one ever doubted the mental capacity of the Prince of Wales, as some did that of King Edward when trying to make him live according to rule, they changed their minds long ago. In childhood, as in youth and early manhood, the Prince gave and gives every evidence of an alert bright mind, and a capacity for absorbing information that few possess. There are always flatterers and time servers where royalty is; but there are sincere, frank speaking men in London, who speak from personal knowledge when they say that the Prince would make a first-class business man. He understands business, they say, which is more than could be claimed for a good many princes who have figured with more or less prominence on the pages of history.

It can be said of the Prince of Wales that he really lives up to his motto, "Ich Dien" ("I serve"). For months at a time he is "scheduled" for engagements that inaugurate social movements of a wide and varied character, provide for the extension of Empire trade; the laying of foundation stones of halls of learning. He visits great industrial establishments and meets the



His motto dates back to the hard-fought field of Crecy.

from the humblest to the highest, on friendly terms as one British citizen with another. He heads campaigns for funds for hospitals, for the sick and the blind; he visits men still suffering from the shock of war; he says and does

It would be a fine addition to the many books and stories written and published about Britain's royal

families, if the Empire could have an absolutely authentic account of that motto which fits the Prince so well. That it goes back to the thirteenth century is assured. The merest mention of it will recall to many the school-teacher story of the battle of Crecy fought between the English and the French, on August 26, 1346, on French soil. In that terrific struggle King Edward III, and his son, the Black Prince, were prominent where the fighting was the fiercest. While the English were celebrating their victory the body of the King of Bohemia was found, wearing the now familiar fleur de lys crest with its motto, "Ich Dien." The delighted King Edward, in the presence of many brave and distinguished knights, bestowed it upon his gallant son. From that time it has been the motto of the Prince of Wales. None who have won the crest or borne that title have honored them more than the man who carries them today.

The Early Years

The lack of snobbery in the Prince, and the manner in which he makes those in his presence feel at ease, is a matter of natural gifts and sensible training combined. When it was decided in 1912 that he should go to Oxford as an ordinary student and not as a specially privileged or titled person, the whole nation approved. The wisdom of such a decision was almost at once apparent in the real friendships that he formed, and the real interest that he took in the life of the people. He won students and citizens alike by his own qualities; not because he might some day be King of Britain and the Dominions beyond the seas, but because of himself. Prior to entering Oxford University he was in the navy for a while as a cadet on H.M.S. Hindustan. He liked the life, became a good sailor and is one to this day. At Oxford he joined up with the officers' training corps, and took his work and drill seriously.

College studies ended with the outbreak of war. On August 7, 1914, the Prince of Wales was gazetted a second lieutenant in the Grenadier Guards, and though Lord Kitchener and other members of the government tried to prevent it he subsequently got to the front and played a man's part. "What does it matter if I am shot? I have four brothers," is his reported answer to Kitchener's first refusal. In years to come some biographer may give the world more details of that interview and the Prince's remarks; in the meantime we like to believe that they have been correctly reported; they appear to be characteristic.

MEGANTIC CO. HAPPENINGS KINNEAR'S MILLS

Mr. Andrew Smythe, of Inverness, was here on Thursday on business. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lowry entertained a large number of friends to a sugaring off on Tuesday evening last week. Mr. J. James Miles, of Lyander, is the guest of his granddaughter, Mrs. Allan Guy. Mr. Alfred Davidson, who has been dangerously ill, is now slightly improved.

MILAN

Mrs. Katie Morrison and son, Master Alexander, were at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Murray, for Easter. Mrs. John Bailey, of Lake Megantic, was here at the home of her father, Mr. A.G. MacDonald. Mr. Norman MacLeod was at home for a few days last week. The Intermediate School closed on Thursday, April 9th, for the Easter holidays, to reopen Monday, April 13th. Miss Wilson went to Granby for the holiday. A sugar social was held in the hall on Thursday, April 9th, under the auspices of the I.O.O.F. Quite a large gathering attended and all report a good time. Miss Katie MacLeod, of Mont-

real, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewen MacLeod.

Miss Louise Breyer, of Scotstown, and Miss Eleanor Breyer, who is attending Macdonald College, spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. Eddie MacLeod was in Montreal last week.

Miss Frances MacDonald, of Sherbrooke, spent Easter with her relatives here.

FITCH BAY

The April meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held on Tuesday afternoon, April 21, at the home of Mrs. F. H. Rider. Topic: Franchise Department.

Miss Beryl Carson has returned after spending the Easter holidays at her home in Denison's Mills. Miss Marjorie Carr and Miss Alice Thayer, who are attending the Knowlton Academy, spent the Easter holidays at their homes here.

Mrs. C. P. Rider and Miss Clara Johnson spent Friday of last week in Newport.

Mr. G. L. Pelkie and Mr. Kenneth Pelkie were in Sherbrooke on Sunday to see Mr. Raymond Pelkie, who is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Miss Irene Evans entertained a few of her little friends on Friday afternoon in honor of her eleventh birthday.

LEARNED PLAIN

Miss Mabel Kilton, of Montreal, spent the Easter holidays at her uncle's, Mr. Henry Sherman's.

The friends of Mr. Orlan Taylor, who recently underwent an operation in the Sherbrooke hospital, will be pleased to learn that he is making good progress towards recovery.

Mr. Ernest Rowe and little daughter Arlie, of Stanbridge, have been the guests of her mother, Mrs. A. Sample.

Mr. Robert McKee, of Leeds, visited his brother, Mr. John McKee, and other relatives here recently.

Miss Frances Patterson spent the week-end and holidays at her home in Bolton Centre.

Mrs. C. M. Bates and little granddaughter, Doreen Bates, spent Easter in Island Brook with Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Stevenson.

Mr. C. Brown, who has been very poorly for several weeks, does not gain as fast as his many friends would wish.

Sugaring is about over for this year. The sugarmakers in this section have started gathering their buckets.

MOE'S RIVER

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bailey were Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Leonnais and children, of Martinville, and Mr. E. Bailey, of Ives Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forgrave, of High Forest, were the recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Austin.

Mr. John Austin has returned from spending two weeks with his sister, Mrs. John Forgrave, at High Forest.

Miss Mary Richardson spent her Easter holidays with her aunt, Mrs.

Suiter, at Milby.

Miss Allene Hyatt, of Hyatt's Mills, spent Tuesday last week with Miss Mildred Webster.

Miss Hilda Sutton, of Baldwin's Mills, has been spending her holidays with her mother, Mrs. Arthur Draper.

Mr. Walter Sherman and son, Harold and Miss Marion Sherman, of Sawyerville, were recent guests of Mr. C. F. Haseltine and Mr. J. A. Sherman.

Miss W. Benoit, of Hatley, is spending a week with her grandmother, Mrs. W. Benoit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Merrill, of Eaton Corner, spent Easter with her mother, Mrs. J. Martin.

COMPTON

"Little Brown Jug," a comic temperance drama in three acts will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Anglican Church on Wednesday evening, May 6, in the town hall. The story as portrayed in the play is full of clean, spontaneous fun and promises to furnish a most enjoyable evening's entertainment.

Mrs. R. J. Kennett and daughter, of Sherbrooke, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Wm. Munroe.

Mrs. Elmore Taylor spent the Easter holidays at her home in Sawyerville.

Miss Rugg, who has been confined to her bed for the past week with a severe cold, is convalescing.

Mrs. Wm. Wharram, of Stanstead College; Mrs. F. M. Webster, of Windsor, and Miss Etta Munroe, of St. Johns, were in Compton for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Robert Smith, of Montreal,

has been in Compton the past week, to visit her mother, Mrs. Quarrus Bliss.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ponerey spent Easter in Lennoxville, the guests of the Misses Davis.

Mr. Stuart Alls, of Montreal, spent Easter in Compton with his mother, Mrs. T. Boudreau.

Mr. Harry Norton, of Ayer's Cliff, motored to Compton on Sunday and called at the home of Mr. and Miss Rugg.

MILBY

Miss H. Boyce, of Grand Mere, is at home for a brief holiday.

Miss Tambs motored from Sawyerville on Saturday afternoon. Miss Davidson left on Friday for Beebe.

Several accepted the invitation extended by Mrs. Libbey for the last sugar treat of the season.

Mrs. E. Cox, who has been on a visit, has returned home.

The Easter service in the church was very well attended. Music was most appropriate for the occasion. Mrs. Brewer, of Compton, presided at the organ most acceptably.

Mr. P. Penfield left this week for Montreal for an indefinite time.

Mr. G. Pocock, who has been the guest of Mr. George, left Saturday for Montreal.

LISGAR

The many friends of Miss Annie Hughes are pleased to hear of her gaining so quickly after her operation in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Placey, of Sherbrooke, spent the Easter holidays



Politician Parrot Prize of Cruise

"William Jennings Bryan" is perched on the wrist of a lady passenger from the Canadian Pacific S.S. Montreal and was one of the prizes brought back from a 29-day cruise of the West Indies. W.J.B. won the "finest bird contest" from 499 competitors on the strength of his fluency in French, English and Spanish. Inset is shown the Montreal which will repeat the cruise next year.



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NEWS BUDGET OF INTEREST FROM FOSTER

Reports of Meetings, Personals
and Happenings of Interest to
Residents of Foster.

FOSTER, Que., April 15.—The subject for the Easter sermon on Sunday morning in the Creek Church delivered by the pastor, Rev. C. Huxtable, was St. John 6:33. Two beautiful Easter anthems were rendered. At the close of the service the communion was administered. Potted plants and cut bloom were used for decorations.

Stella, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bell, was moved to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, on Friday morning after being ill for about three weeks; she was accompanied by her mother, who is remaining in the city until after the operation, and by her physician, Dr. Paintin, who returned the same evening.

Mr. Walter Phelps was in Montreal over the week-end, returning home on Monday accompanied by Mrs. Phelps, who has been under treatment in the Royal Victoria Hospital for several weeks.

Mr. Orval Quilams, who has been confined to the house with blood poisoning in his foot, necessitating it being lanced several times, is able to be around a little this week.

Mrs. Alvin Hillhouse Sr., was in Waterloo nearly all last week assisting in the care of her father, Mr. John Greer, who has bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ellison, of Sherbrooke, were here for the Easter holidays spending the time with Mrs. C. H. Young at Mr. H. E. Bell's.

Miss Aleda Snodgrass and Mr. Woolley, of Cookshire, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Snodgrass on Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Burns and two children, of Montreal, were here for the Easter week-end holidays, which they spent with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Lional Allen, of Granby, were week-end guests of Mr. V. J. Allen.

Dr. Irwin, of Waterloo, was calling on his daughter, Mrs. M. B. Williams, recently who is not improving very fast.

Miss Mildred Hume was in East Farnham last week-end visiting her friend, Miss Mabel Collins, who was home from Eastman.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Inglis spent Sunday in Waterloo with her father, Mr. John Greer.

Mrs. Sydney Taylor spent a day in Knowlton last week, and was accompanied home by Mrs. Thomas Knowlton, who spent a day here.

Mr. Clair McLaughlin was home from Montreal for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Spencer and son, of Stukely, spent Easter Sunday the guest of Mr. Aaron Whitehead, and attended Church at the Creek. Miss Ethel Spencer was a guest of Mrs. Lena Quilams on the same day.

Mr. Joe Fisher, of Montreal, was here for the holidays, the guest of Mr. F. G. Johnson.

Mrs. Velma Stuart is stopping with Mrs. E. Hume.

Trucks have been through this section picking up a large amount of syrup, for which from ten to twelve cents was realized.

Miss Myrtle Richard, of Montreal, spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Richard.

Miss Francis Willey, of Stanstead College, is home for the holidays, the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. C. Inglis.

Mr. and Mrs. Nason Ingalls, of Cowansville, were the guests at Mr. W. Phelps' for the week-end.

Mr. Malcolm Crowhurst was home from Richmond for the holidays.

Mrs. Douglas, of East Farnham, is visiting relatives here.

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"VIOLET DAY" WAS A SUCCESS IN KNOWLTON

Sale of Violets Realized \$31.50
—Voting on By-Law No. 98
Will Take Place on April 27
—Other News and Personals
of Interest.

KNOWLTON, April 15.—That "Violet Day" has proved to be successful here was shown when it was made known that the proceeds resulting from the sale of the flowers amounted to some \$31.50. Other cities and towns in which the day was recognized realized the following: Waterloo \$113.88, Cowansville \$160, Sherbrooke \$160, Farnham \$63, Bedford \$39.52; total \$576.88. This amount will be divided among the Sherbrooke, Farnham and Sweetsburg hospitals, particulars as to the division to appear later.

In Knowlton violets were sold by the Misses Dorothy Watson, Muriel Duggan, Marguerite Stone and Dolly Crandall. Miss Watson is particularly grateful to Mrs. W. E. Eldridge, Miss Carr and Miss Thayer for their untiring efforts in assisting with the making of violets, as well as all others who helped willingly.

Public notice has been given by Mr. J. E. Fay, secretary-treasurer of the village that voting will take place on Monday, April 27, on by-law No. 98, to authorize a loan of \$4,500 to provide for the extension of the waterworks system on the Conference grounds, and to use larger water pipes; also to authorize the issue of debentures to obtain said sum. The poll will be held at the county house from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., when it is hoped all citizens will cast their votes, approving or disapproving the by-law.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kennedy and Miss Godeu motored from Montreal and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Godeu.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vail and children spent Easter at East Hill with relatives.

Messrs. Jack and Tom Erskine went to Montreal for the holidays. Mr. Carmichael spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Hunter, of Foster.

Mr. Frank Marsh, of McGill University, is spending the holidays with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jason Marsh, Miss Gladys Marsh, of Montreal, also spent Wednesday and Thursday of the past week with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frost, of Richmond, Vt., were Sunday guests of their son, Mr. Ray Frost, and family.

Among the Easter guests here are Miss Marguerite Knowlton, Miss Mary Cousins, Miss Edith Owens, Miss Florence Pettes, Mr. Eugene Hall, Mr. Orrin Rexford, sr., all of Montreal; Mr. Harry Carmichael, of Cowansville; Miss Ivy Porritt, of Verdun, and Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Mizener and Miss Alice Mizener, of Farnham.

The adjourned vestry meeting of St. Paul's Church was held on Easter Monday morning at 10.30 o'clock with a fair attendance. The rector, Rev. Canon Carmichael, presided. The meeting opened with prayer, after which the minutes of the January session were read and approved, and reports from the various officers were given, the financial statement showing a balance of \$31.75. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the choir, Mrs. Fay, the organist, and the various societies of the church, also to Messrs. Pibus, Macfarlane and Williams for their share in bringing up the finances to such a creditable issue. A committee was appointed to revise the envelope system and discuss the betterment of finances in general, consisting of the rector, wardens, secretary-treasurer and Messrs. H. S. Foster and K. Erskine. The officers elected in January are as follows: J. E. Fay, rector's warden; L. H. Pibus, people's warden; F. N. Williams, vestry clerk; B. M. Macfarlane, treasurer; delegates to the synod, Senator Foster and Mr. F. A. Knowlton.

Mrs. A. A. Senft has returned from a month's visit in Montreal.

Mrs. H. W. MacGowan has gone to Montreal to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Benham.

Guests of Mrs. H. F. Wood during Easter were Mr. and Mrs. Walcott, the Misses Dyke, Mrs. Laramie and Miss Stewart.

Mr. H. W. Parks went to Montreal for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Aylmer have returned to Montreal, after spending two weeks at Lethan Grange.

Senator and Mrs. Foster, Mr. G. B. Foster, Col. and Mrs. Leggett and sons, Col. Stairs and son, Mr. and Mrs. F. Murray Smith and daughter spent the Easter holidays at Lethan Grange.

Miss Florence Rollins, of South Bolton, was a holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Armstrong.

EAST ANGUS

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Planché and sons and Mrs. Hector Ross were visitors to Sherbrooke on Friday.

Mrs. George Edwards, of Cookshire, spent Friday the guest of Mrs. M. Brundage.

Mrs. Perkins and little daughter Barbara returned to Rock Island on Saturday after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brundage.

Miss Nine Brundage, nurse-in-training at a Montreal hospital, recently spent a few days with her parents.

The many friends of Miss Inez Matthews are pleased to hear that she was one of the successful graduating nurses from the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ross and children, of Sherbrooke, spent Easter the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Planché.

Mr. Jack Hillman, of Sherbrooke,

spent the week-end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Hillman.

At the regular meeting of Protector Rebekah Lodge, to be held on April 20, there will be initiation. Old members of the degree staff are requested to be on hand Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock in the I.O. O.F. Hall for practice.

Mr. and Mrs. George Flaws, of Cookshire, spent the week-end the guests of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Stevenson.

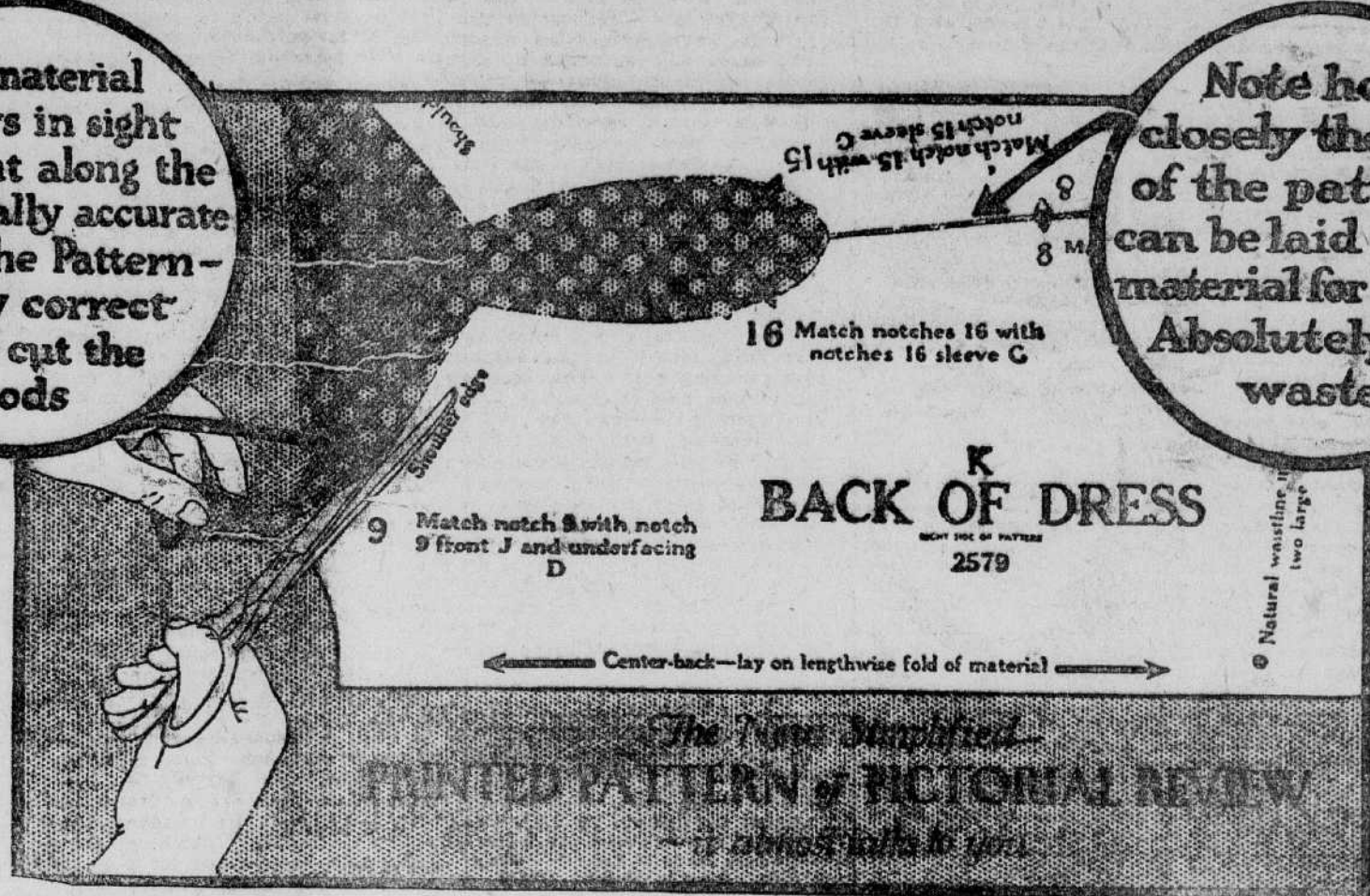
Mr. Edward Cowling, of Montreal, spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cowling.

Miss Amy Stoddard, of Montreal, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stoddard.

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Sterling—		
Demand	4.78 1/4	4.78 1/2
Cables	4.78 1/4	4.79
France	.0514	.0514
Belgium	.0504	.0504
Italy	.0410	.0410
Switzerland	.1933	.1934
Holland	.3994	.3998
Spain	.1425	.1426
Germany	.2381	.2381
Sweden	.2698	.2698
Norway	.1601	.1601
Denmark	.1840	.1841
Czechoslovak	.0296	.0296
Brazil	.1088	.1088

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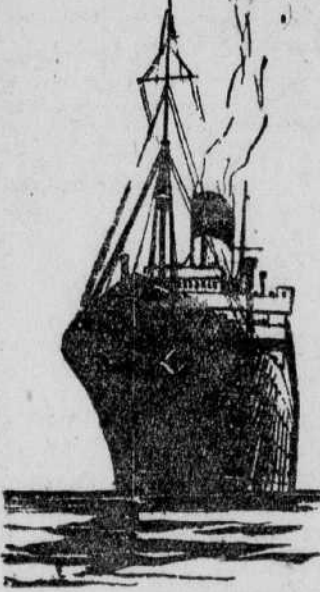
	Bid	Asked
Can. Loan—		
1925	100.35	100.55
1931	102.25	102.50
1937	104.20	104.25
Victory Loans—		
1927	102.80	103.00
1933	105.25	105.50
1934	103.85	104.10
1937	108.90	109.10
Renewal—		
1927	101.85	102.20
1932	103.30	103.40
Refunding—		
1928	100.65	100.95
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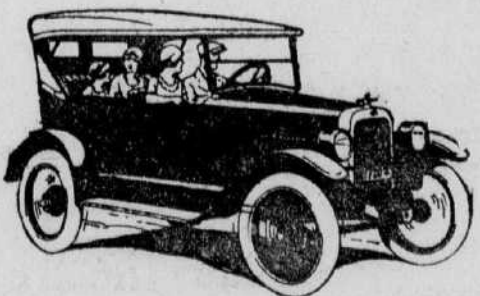
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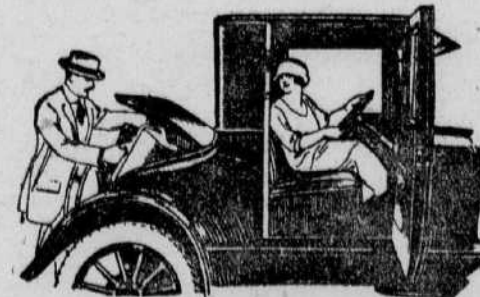
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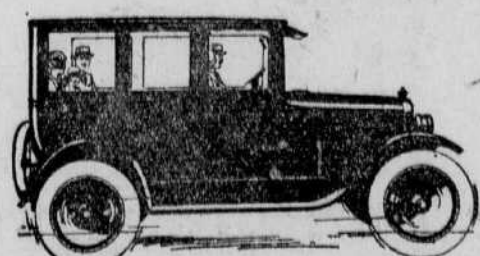
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LATEST NEWS

SIR WILLIAM PETERSEN ON WAY TO OTTAWA

Refused to Discuss Details of His Negotiations With Canadian Government.

(Associated Press Despatch)
NEW YORK, April 15.—Sir William Petersen, general director of the Thompson Steamship Company, and the London American Marine Trading Company, whose vessels would be subsidized by the Canadian Government under the scheme to lower ocean freight rates from Canadian ports to the Old Country, which is now under consideration in Ottawa, arrived today on the Olympic en route to the Dominion Capital. Sir William refused to discuss the details of his negotiations with the Canadian Government. He will likely appear before a committee of the House of Commons

ITALIAN MOVE CLOSING DOOR TO NEGOTIATIONS

Italy Requested Egyptian Government for Delimitation of Frontier Between Egypt and Tripoli.

(Associated Press Despatch)
LONDON, April 15.—A Reuters despatch from Cairo says that the newspaper Al Siassah learns from an authoritative source that the Italian minister on Monday made verbal communication to the Egyptian Government of a request by the Italian Government for delimitation of the frontier between Egypt and Tripoli in accordance with the agreement drawn up by Vittorio Scialoja, as Italian Foreign Minister, and Viscount Milner, as British Secretary for the Colonies.

The newspaper says that the Egyptian Cabinet met on Monday and Tuesday to consider the request, which caused great astonishment in Egyptian political circles, coming at a time when conversations are in progress for a friendly settlement of the question, and when the Egyptian Government had decided to appoint a committee of experts to examine into it. The newspaper adds that the Italian communication closes the door to the negotiations.

The newspaper declares that Sheriff Bey Sabri, director-general of foreign affairs of the Egyptian Government, is reported to have handed to the Italian legation on Tuesday night a reply equally as cordial, but just as firm, as the Italian communication.

In its reply, according to the paper, the Egyptian Government states it is unable to accept determination of the frontier according to the agreement "made with a foreigner," in which the Egyptian Government did not participate, and expresses the opinion that the Italian reference to the "Milner-Scialoja agreement" was probably due to a misunderstanding, as the Egyptian Government is not aware of any agreement of that name.

The newspaper Journal Du Cairo declares the situation is very acute. It foresees that British intervention is inevitable.

which has been named to investigate the North Atlantic shipping "combine." This prevented him from discussing shipping matters previous to his appearance before the committee, he declared.

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SPORTING NEWS

GOOD AND POOR
BASEBALL ON
OPENING DAYShocker Turned Back Washington
—Dodgers Downed Phillies
and Braves Beat Giants.

(Associated Press Despatch)
NEW YORK, April 15.—The 1925 baseball inaugural yesterday called forth more than 233,000 to witness a typical opening day's conglomeration of very good and very bad performances.

Teams in both major leagues ran a diamond gamut from the utterly mediocre to the thrilling spectacular. The unusual American League base running marathon between Cleveland and St. Louis, in which the Indians outwitted the Browns by a twelve run spurt in the eighth inning to win by 21 to 14, claimed the major interest of fandom. Thirty-four players, almost enough for four complete teams, were rushed in relays to the merry-go-round, ten pitchers were belted for thirty-nine hits, and twelve chances in the field were misused before the rivals declared an overnight truce.

Three creditable pitching performances were turned in by Pete Donohue, of the Cincinnati Reds, Urban Shocker, of the Yankees, and Dazzy Vance, of the Brooklyn Robins. Donohue recorded the seasons' first shut out when he blanked St. Louis Cardinals by 4 to 0, allowing but six hits.

Shocker was scored on once at the Yankee Stadium by the champion Washington Senators, who were trimmed by Miller Huggins team by 5 to 1.

A round trip hit in the sixth by the rookie outfielder, Ben Pashal, after he had previously driven home Shocker with a single, and another by Bob Meusel, were the deciding hits of the game.

After being scored on in the first inning, Vance pitched shut out ball against the Phillies and the Dodgers brought home a 3 to 1 triumph, clinching the game with a double steal. Vance allowed only five hits.

A four run rally in the third was responsible for the defeat of the Giants at Boston. Both Frisch and Groh, who had been laid up for several days with injuries, were able to play.

The Philadelphia Athletics and Boston Red Sox put on a fence breaking exhibition at the expense of nine batters. Five homers were poked out as the Mackmen came from behind in an uphill struggle to win by 9 to 8.

Detroit got away to a winning start on a one run margin over the White Sox by 4 to 3.

Grover Alexander joined the ranks of home run hitters as the Cubs took a decision over the Pirates by 8 to 2, by scoring six runs in the seventh frame.

In all fifteen major league play-off gained a one lap start on Babe Ruth in the home run hitting con-

test.
The results of the games played yesterday follows:

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
At New York	R. H. E.	
Washington	1 7 1	
New York	5 9 0	
Batteries—Mogridge, Russell and Ruel; Shocker and O'Neill.		
At Philadelphia	R. H. E.	
Boston	8 12 1	
Philadelphia	9 13 3	
Batteries—Ferguson, Ross, Wingfield, Kallio and Picinich; Baumgartner, Rommel, Groves, Harris, Walberg and Perkins, Cochrane.		
At Detroit	R. H. E.	
Chicago	3 5 2	
Detroit	4 9 0	
Batteries—Thurston and Schalk; Leonard, Doyle and Woodall, Basler.		
At St. Louis	R. H. E.	
Cleveland	21 19 2	
St. Louis	14 20 10	
Batteries—S. Smith, Speece, Edwards, Buckeye, Shaute and Myatt; L. Sewell; Bush, Grant, Wingard, Davis, Stauffer and Severeid.		

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
At Brooklyn	R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	1 5 2	
Brooklyn	3 4 0	
Batteries—Carlson and Henline; Vance and Deberry.		
At Boston	R. H. E.	
New York	4 8 2	
Boston	5 8 1	
Batteries—Nehf and Snyder; Barns and Gibson.		
At Chicago	R. H. E.	
Pittsburgh	2 9 3	
Chicago	8 9 2	
Batteries—Yde, Songer and Smith; Alexander and Hartnett.		
At Cincinnati	R. H. E.	
St. Louis	0 6 1	
Cincinnati	4 6 0	
Batteries—Haines, Day, Sherdel and Schmidt; Donohue and Hargrave.		

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE		
At Toronto	R. H. E.	
Toronto	6 13 0	
Baltimore	7 9 1	
Batteries—Smith, Glazer, Thomas and Manion; Oden, Earnshaw and Cobb.		

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING		
Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	0	1.000
Detroit	1	0.100
Cleveland	1	0.100
Philadelphia	1	0.100
Washington	0	1.000
Boston	0	1.000
St. Louis	0	1.000
Chicago	0	1.000

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Won	Lost	P.C.
Brooklyn	1	0.100
Cincinnati	1	0.100
Chicago	1	0.100
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Philadelphia	0	1.000
St. Louis	0	1.000

SPORTING NOTES		
REGATA TO BE DISCUSSED AT MEETING		
A meeting of all local canoeists and those interested in water sports has been called for tomorrow night at eight o'clock in the Levesque-		

CANOEIST LEFT
GENOA ON HIS
WAY TO ROME

Hopes to Complete Trip Before
April 25, One Day Before Time
Limit Expires for Winning His
Wager.

(Associated Press Despatch)
GENOA, April 15.—Hoping to reach Rome on April 25, one day before the time limit expires for winning a wager on paddling his canoe from England to Rome, George H. C. Smythe, Canadian canoeist, left here yesterday after an enthusiastic reception by Genoese sportsmen. Late yesterday afternoon Smythe had arrived from Spezia, fifty miles from Genoa.

Despite having fought the currents of Genoa harbor for six hours before arriving here, the Canadian paddler was in the best of spirits. He said his canoe, which carries about 120 pounds of baggage, is holding up well after its long passage across the English Channel, through the rivers and canals of France and along the Mediterranean coast.

Smythe arrived at Marseilles on March 20. He has encountered much unfavorable weather during his adventure. Smythe set out last August from Nova Scotia to paddle to Rome, except for the trip across the Atlantic.

Chevalier boat house on the Magog River.

Several important matters are to be brought up at this meeting, including arrangements in connection with the annual regatta. The officials hope that all interested will make an effort to be on hand.

SENIOR HEXATHLON

The report from International on the Senior Hexathlon has just been received and shows Sherbrooke seventh on the list of Y.M.C.A.'s for the continent, of which there are 1,739 Associations in the United States and Canada. Sherbrooke also came second for Canada. The points for the Canadian Associations are St. John, N.B., 3038; Sherbrooke, 2822; Halifax, 2719; Fort William 2706; Belleville, Ont., 2655; Kitchener, 2502.

It is worthy of note that K. Bryce, of Sherbrooke, had the highest individual score for the Belleville Association with 572.

The records made this year are for short potato race 13-3-5 seconds; 160 yard potato race 38-3-5 seconds; running high jump, 5 feet, 10 inches; fence vault, 6 feet, 10 inches. L. Bryce, of Sherbrooke, getting 6 feet, 7 1/2 inches, or 2 1/2 less than the record. 12 lb. shot put, 48 feet; standing broad jump, 10 feet, 5 ins.

The reports show that sixty-four competitors scored over 400 points and 16 over 500. The report for Sherbrooke was 472 made by F. McEwen.

In connection with this contest there are some specially important facts, first there were 5939 competitors, against the previous record of 4823. Brooklyn central had a higher score than at any previous time in the history of the contest with 5490 as compared to 5429 of the previous record of Toronto Central in 1920.

GERMAN MURDER
FIEND PAID THE
DEATH PENALTY

Fritz Haarmann, Convicted of
Murder of Twenty-six Men and
Boys, Stepped to Guillotine
This Morning.

(Associated Press Despatch)
HANOVER, Germany, April 15.—"I am guilty, gentlemen, but hard though it may be, I want to die as a man."

With these words Fritz Haarmann, Hanover butcher, convicted of the murder of twenty-six men and boys, stepped to the guillotine early this morning and a moment later his head was severed. He was pale and nervous, but made the same dramatic gesture of bravado which he maintained during his sensational trial.

In accordance with German law, twelve highly respected German citizens were chosen as official witnesses of the beheading. Dressed in high silk hats and black Prince Albert coats, they assembled at six o'clock before the guillotine, which was hidden from their view by a curtain.

The guillotine had been erected in a secluded spot of the prison grounds. Next to it stood an altar with a crucifix. The prosecuting attorney, stepping before the altar dressed in his official judicial robe, read the sentence and the court opinion again to the assembled panels of judges, who likewise wore their official robes, and had them once more confirm the sentence.

When this was done, Haarmann, garbed in a grey prison uniform and handcuffed, was brought from his cell. As he faced the judges and witnesses he nervously changed from one leg to the other and blinked incessantly, but otherwise showed no emotion.

Haarmann listened in silence as the prosecuting attorney briefly repeated the sentence and the agreement of the judges to execution of the verdict. Only as the curtain before the guillotine was withdrawn did the realization of death seem to dawn on him, and for an instant he appeared to be paralyzed.

But as the death bell sounded he pulled himself together and in a few unemotional words acknowledged himself guilty and ready to have the sentence executed, adding that he felt sorry for his actions. Then, with a sudden show of bravado, he turned to the witnesses, exclaiming: "I am guilty, gentlemen, but hard though it be, I want to die as a man."

A few moments later the blade was dropped.

SEEDING IN THE
WEST IS QUITE
WELL UNDER WAY

(Associated Press Despatch)
WINNIPEG, April 15.—The seeding of the crops is well under way in many parts of western Canada and will be general towards the end of this week, according to the first weekly seeding and crop report of the Canadian National Railways for 1925, received at the general headquarters of the system yesterday. Throughout the Prairie Provinces the moisture conditions are reported to be such as to induce the farmers to put an increased acreage of land under seed. Excellent weather with drying winds is the report generally throughout the province of Manitoba, which conditions have enabled the farmers to get on to the land earlier than usual. Prospects are reported to be good with plenty of moisture in the ground to ensure germination.

Ploughing on high land is general and seeding will be well under way by the end of the week. From Saskatchewan the reports show that the higher land is being worked and that seeding will be general by April 20th if the good weather continues. While deep wet spots in some areas of the province will retard seeding to some extent, plenty of moisture is reported everywhere, which, with good warm weather, will bring the seed along rapidly.

In Alberta some districts report that part of last year's crop remains unthreshed. Favorable weather and plenty of moisture has enabled the farmers to get on the land. Although in some districts seeding is reported under way, another ten days or so will elapse before the seeding operations become general.

A number of points in all three provinces report that increased acreage will be seeded this year, partly on account of better prices obtaining for last year's crop, partly on account of good moisture conditions and partly because of the earlier date at which spring is commencing. Considerable breaking of new land is already being done.

CONSPIRATORS
FAILED; PLACED
UNDER ARREST

Had Planned to Take Possession
of Government While President
Was Away from Capital.

(Associated Press Despatch)
BOGOTA, Colombia, April 15.—A coup d'etat was frustrated Sunday when a group of army officials, who planned to take possession of the palace and the government, were arrested and thrown into prison.

The conspirators purposed to take advantage of the absence of President Nel Ospina from the capital. The president had been on a visit to various departments of the republic, but he suddenly returned on Sunday, and the arrest and confinement of several army officers and some young officers of lower grades stationed in the capital followed.

SAYS GOVT. NOT
RESPONSIBLE

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ers' Association and stated that 1,351 factories had been closed in Canada. On being pressed for more detailed information, this gentleman had furnished to the Department of Labor a list of 1,251 factories which he claimed were closed. Of these, but 24.5 per cent had gone out of business between January, 1923, and January, 1925.

Charges Made Regarding
Depression.

The Liberal Government, stated the Minister of Labor, had been unfairly charged with responsibility for business depression in this country. In 1914 the commercial failures in Canada totalled 2,898, with liabilities of \$35,045,094. In 1915 there were 2,661 failures, with liabilities of \$41,162,221; in 1920, 1,078 failures, with liabilities of \$26,424,301; in 1921, 2,451 failures, with liabilities of \$73,299,111; in 1922, 3,695 failures, with liabilities of \$78,068,959; in 1923, 3,247 failures, with liabilities of \$69,810,382; and in 1924, 2,474, with liabilities of \$64,530,975.

Mr. Murdock read into Hansard the comparative statement of returns from the textile and the boot and shoe industries in Canada during a number of years. He sought to show that these industries were not nearly as unprosperous as some Opposition members had said they were, and also that conditions in these trades had improved since 1921. The Minister of Labor also quoted comparative figures to show that Canada was not really suffering much more than the United States in the matter of industrial depression.

Candidates in United States.

Members of the Opposition had stated that conditions of unemployment in the United States were very much better than those in Canada. Yet, declared Mr. Murdock, the New York Times on March 8 last had pointed out that the United States ranked as third highest in the world in the rate of unemployment within its borders. Great Britain was first, Austria second, United States third, while France and Finland had the lowest rate. The article in question had given the number of those unemployed in the United States as 2,100,000 out of a population of 110,000,000, and Canada a total of 10,540 unemployed, or a rate of 19 out of every thousand. While he was inclined to think that at times during the past winter the number of unemployed in Canada greatly exceeded that estimate, and possibly might have at some stage reached as high as 40,000, still the high rate of unemployment in the United States as compared with Canada should not be overlooked.

Clashed With Hon. R. J. Manion.

Mr. Murdock clashed with Hon. R. J. Manion (Conservative, Fort William), when he quoted the latter as saying that one-third of Canadians were ready for annexation. Mr. Manion demanded a fuller quotation which revealed that he had made this statement "not as his own opinion, but as that of an 'outstanding Canadian.'" Mr. Murdock went on to say that the difficulty was that misleading press despatches had gone on the subject. The Chicago Tribune carried an item under the caption "Canada hears one-third of nation would join United States." The despatch said that talk of secession had come up in the House, and that one of the Conservative leaders had "struck to his guns and offered to back up his assertion with facts."

Mr. Murdock went on to recall an occasion when Dr. Manion had been accused of avoiding the necessity for voting in the House. Dr. Manion having denied "this, Mr.

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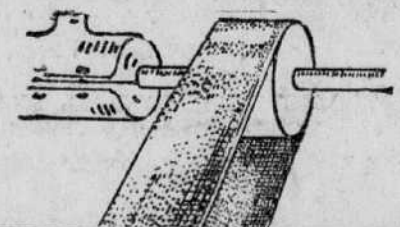
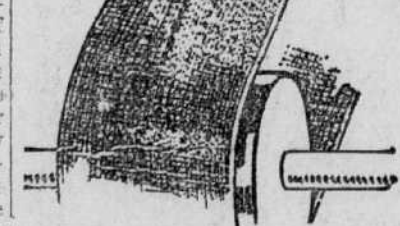
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Murdock had taken the trouble to look into the records, which he said showed that the member for Fort William had absented himself from quite a number of divisions. Dr. Manion then challenged the Minister of Labor to read his own record, which he felt sure would not be a much better one. Mr. Murdock had not his own record handy, but invited inspection. He added very much to the amusement of the House: "There must be a few votes of mine lost last year, because certain gentlemen opposite wanted to uphold the honor and dignity of Parliament. But except for that—"

The incident closed amid much laughter, members recalling that the Minister of Labor was charged with unparliamentary conduct in connection with a withdrawal from the Home Bank, and remained out of the House last session while the charges were investigated.

Trade Conditions Not As Bad As Reported.

The Minister of Labor went on to read reports of conditions in Canada to show that trade conditions were not so bad as the Opposition members would have the House believe. Mr. Murdock remarked that it was just as well not to "get the blues" too soon, nor to believe the country was really going "to the merry bow-wows."

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agency of the prime minister's visits to the United States. That, too, was Tory propaganda, and the man who made the statement received his monthly instructions and monthly pay cheque from the city of St. Louis, Missouri. There was nothing wrong with that. The senator was out, ostensibly by the Canadian labor press, to various factories, Railway Telegraphers, but why asking to be informed as to how many bulletins could be utilized such among labor in view of the possibility of an election. As a matter of fact, the Canadian labor press 1921 as "a fine example of crawling had no standing in Canadian labor, fishing." The Conservatives at that time did not have the nerve to make the changes in the tariff propaganda."

Mr. Murdock read the press reports of the speech by Senator Giesau Robertson, referring to the fre-

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