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JAPS TO WITHDRAW TROOPS FROM SIBERIA BUT WILL NOT GIVE UP CONTROL OF STRATEGIC POINTS

Will Keep Vladivostok and Vicinity; Chinese Eastern Railway and Railroad Junction in Trans- Baikal Region; Several Other Governments Are Contemplating Withdrawing Consulates in Case Social Revolutionaries Join Moscow Government

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Although planning to withdraw the bulk of her troops from Siberia, Japan will not relinquish control of Vladivostok and vicinity, the Chinese Eastern railway and the strategic railroad junction in the trans-Baikal region, according to information received here. Japan appears to be proceeding with plans to remove troops now guarding the long line of the Siberian railway in the Amura and maritime provinces. It has been in these long stretches that the heaviest Japanese casualties have occurred and that the principal conflicts with the Russsians have arisen.

Japan's plans in the trans-Baikal apparently are still in doubt. The Chinese Eastern railway connects with the trans-Siberian line at a point about 100 miles east of Chita and it is said that the maintenance of troops at that point would mean control of all the Siberian railway eastward to Chita. Meantime, it was learned today, that several government, other than the Japanese, are planning to withdraw their consulates from Siberia in case the social revolutionists now in control, ally themselves with the Moscow government.

TOKIO, March 7.—The cabinet has approved the withdrawal of the Japanese troops from Siberia in April, after the repatriation of Czecho-Slovakian contingents has been completed. It is said that the Czechs will all be on their way home by March 20.

GRAND TRUNK IS IN LUCK HE SAYS

President Hanna of Canadian National Railways Thinks Government Step Wise

OTTAWA, March 7.—In the course of his speech before the Canadian Club here Saturday D. B. Hanna, President of Canadian National Railways, in referring to what he termed the sequel of the G.T.P. shareholders over the agreement of purchase gave it, as his opinion that they were lucky indeed that the government was taking over that line and that the affair had gone so far.

He referred to the cheap freight rates existing in Canada, which were about 8-10 cents per mile, and added that if the Canadian railways were given the same rate that existed in South Australia, namely 2.64 cents, it would be possible, on the investment of one and a half billion dollars, that they would pay not only 5½ per cent but they would pay 5½ on the whole national debt of Canada and on top of that they would have left $100,000 to buy new equipment.

Mr. Hanna stated at the present time the National Railways had 24 vessels on various routes. On the Pacific coast it was expected a service would be started to South Africa returning by Singapore and Hong Kong. The government he said, was giving a great deal of thought to passenger service and before very long the minister of marine and fisheries would have something to say in this regard. The total program is to complete 65 ships with a gross tonnage eof 385,000, a very impressive fleet of Canadian government freight cruisers.

Mr. Hanna was more enthusiastic and optimistic regarding the government venture in taking over the railways, but warned the cabinet to keep their hands off the managerial end. "While so far there has been freedom from political interference and it is understood we must from meti to time lay our plans before the members, action must rest with the directors and managers in the carrying out the work without either members of parliament or cabinet ministers attempting to participate in managerical capacity."

STEAMER ARRIVALS

Montcalm at London from St. John.
Canada at Halifax from Liverpool.
Celtic at New York from Liverpool.
Royal George at New York from Southampton.
Lapland at Southampton from New York.

WHITE TROOPS CUT RED LINE

HELSINFORS, March 7.—The Finnish general staff has received news that the White troops in the Murman region have penetrated the lines of the Bolshevik forces and now are approaching the town of Repol.

Advices from Helsingfors Saturday reported that the bolshevik had begun a new attack on Finland, attacking the Finnish positions at Sutrvi fter a hevy artillery bombardment.

ESTIMATES IN FEDERAL HOUSE ON WEDNESDAY

OTTAWA, March 7.—Estimates for the coming fiscal year will probably be tabled on Wednesday, should the debate on the address continue on Tuesday, as it is said.

The cabinet council had the estimates under consideration at its meeting yesterday and work on them it is understood is now practically concluded. Although the question has not yet been taken up in full council it is considered likely that some provisions will be made for an improved standard of salaries for judges.

PRINCE'S TRIP TO AUSTRALIA PUT OFF

LONDON, March 7.—The sailing of the Prince of Wales on his trip to Australia which was set for Tuesday, has been postponed for a week. The postponement was because of an outbreak of influenza on board the Renown on which the Prince is to make the voyage.

The vessel has been placed under quarantine at Portsmouth.

TERRIFIC STORM STRIKES IN THE EAST; RAILROAD SERVICE IS CRIPPLED; HITS NEW YORK FOR SECOND TIME THIS WINTER

BALTIMORE, Md., March 7.—(Associated Press)—The eastern shore of Maryland was swept last night by the worst storm in many years. The steamship Cambridge is fast in the ice off Claiborne, on its way to Baltimore, with many passengers aboard.

All bay shipping is delayed. Small boats have scurried to harbor. Rail traffic is hampered greatly by fallen wires and snowdrifts.

Lowlands Overflowed

CUMBERLAND, Md., March 7.—The temperature dropped to four degrees below zero at Altamont, Md., today. The cold wave stopped the rise in streams. The Potomac had overflowed lowlands and covered the tracks on the Romney branch of the aBltimore & Ohio railroad.

Snow 12 Feet Deep

TROY, N. Y., March 7.—All city and interrurban trolley service is tied u by the storm. Only a few trains managed to reach heere today. Some required two locomotives. Twelve-foot snowdrifts are reported.

Cold Checks Flood

PHILADELPHIA, March 7.—Clear skies and a drop in temperature today checked the rise of flood waters in the rivers and smallers tsreams of eastern Pennsylvania, which overflowed Friday night, doing great damage. Reports from all sections said conditions were returning rapidly to normal.

The storm which raged from 8 o'clock Friday night until shortly before daylight, was one of the most severe of the winter. Snow piled up and trolley service was at a standstill.

Virtually every stream near here overflowed its banks and ice gorges swept away bridges and railroad tracks. Scores of houses along the banks of the swollen streams were washed away and many mills and factories had to shut down because of flooded boiler booms.

Men, women and children marooned in their homes were rescued in boats, some of them being taken from second-story windows.

Towns along the Schuylkill and Susquehanna rivers appeared to be the heaviest sufferers, Reading, Lancaster, Harrisburg, Williamsport and Wilkes-Barre reported heavy damage. Parts of all these towns were inundated and much of the surrounding lo wland was under water.

New York Suffers Again

NEW YORK, March 7.—The storm king paid another visit to New York yesterday just as the city was beginning to recover from the $5,000,000 blizzard of a month ago. The metropolis struggled with a pelting rain, a driving sleet storm and a biting snow squall. The wind reachede a velocity of 60 miles an hour, which boded ill for shipping.

The rising wind whistled through the canyons in the skyscraper district, making walking well night impossible. It unloosened signs, toppled chimneys and smashed great plate glass windows along Fifth Avenue, causing enormous damage.

Texas Fruit is Injured

DALLAS, Texas, March 7.—Temperature below freezing in parts of Texas the last few days have damaged the early fruit crops in some sections, reportes today indicated.

Trains Held Up

MONTREAL, March 7.—The effect of Friday's and Saturday's snowstorm was felt throughout the province today and over Saturday night. Trains from the maritime provinces and Burlington, Boston and New York were many hours' late today and in some cases were cancelled. The Chicago train, due at 5.45 a.m. arrived at 9 a.m. Others were marked "indefinitely late."

Slide Buries Track

PORTLAND, Maine, March 7.—A snowslide near the Crawford house in the White Mountains, which buried the tracks of the Maine Central railroad 40 feet deep, contributed to the isolation of this city today. For the first time in a generation Portland was cut off from communication with points outside. It was announced that the service on the mountain division will be suspended indefinitely.

New England Hard Hit

BOSTON, March 7.—The effects of the successive rain, hail and snow of yesterday were felt to a disastrous event by the railroads of New England today. The situation was its worst in Maine and New Hampshire.

Fifty Mile Gale

HALIFAX, March 7.—This city was swept by a 50 mile gale on Saturday night and early on Sunday but no serious damage was done. The steamer Northland with a large passenger list and a full cargo of freight is held in port at Yarmouth until the storm abates.

URGE REDUCTION IN NEWSPAPERS

Newsprint Situation in United States Serious; Would Cut Down Advertising

NEW YORK, March 7.—Immediate reduction of 10 per cent in the consumption of newsprint paper by all newspapers, and a request to advertisers to reduce their space 10 per cent during the present emergency were urged in a resolution adopted here today by the board of directors and paper committee of the American Newspaper Publishers' association.

The general sentiment of the publishers attending the meeting, the resolution states, "was that the situation, while serious does no justify government action or the passage of any of the various measures which have been introduced in congress in the belief that the results already achieved, the higher prices for sheet paper and the adoption by newspapers generally of the spirit of the resolutions above will finally meet the situation.

SASKATCHEWAN TO HAVE JOINT BOARD

REGINA, March 7.—Representatives of provincial boards of trade will be here on Tuesday for the purpose of forming an associated board of trade of Saskatchewan.

SPECIAL MEETING OF LEAGUE COUNCIL

PARIS, March 7.—A formal call by the allied supreme council for an extraordinary meeting of the executive council of the league of nations, to be held at Paris on March 12, for examining the question of sending an investigating committee to Russia under the control of the league, has been issued.

The commission which it is said the league of nations executive council will decide to send to Russia, will consist of 10 members. It is understood France, Great Britain, Italy, Japan and Belgium will supply five of the members, each selecting its own representative. The council will decide which of the smaller nations will be represented on the commission.

ULSTER MISSION WAS A SUCCESS

ELFAST, March 7.—The Ulster delegation which has been visiting Canada and the United States returned here today. The Reverand Louis Crooks said that the mission had been a triumphant success and that the American people were absolutely with Ulster. Those against Ulster were, "vociferous hyphenates in no wise representing true Americans."

Mr. Crooks added: "Our point that home rule was purely a domestic affair and that America had nothing to do with the international relations of a friendly power was received with enthusiasm throughout the United States."

WORKERS WOULD USURP THE RIGHT OF GOVERNMENT

Crown Counsel Andrews, in Address to Jury, Says Revolution Planned

WINNIPEG, March 7.—(Canadian Press)—"The purpose of those conspirators was to form an organization of the workers with the object of forcing, by this industrial strength, compliance with all their demands, or, in other words, to usurp the functions of government in this country."

The statement was made with emphasis by Mr. Andrews, K.C., counsel for the crown, in the trial of the eseven strike leaders, who on Saturday continued his address to the jury. Mr. Andrews spoke throughout the day, and it is probable that he will not conclude his address until a late hour Monday afternoon.

Counsel dealt in great detail with correspondence with the "red" leaders, reports of speeches, and pamphlets and books, and other propaganda seized in raids throughout the country, and claimed that all were of the untmost significance in establishing that a revolutionary movent had been in progress for considerable time and only been checked by the failure of the general strike at Winnipeg, the bold statement of the conspirators to bring things to a head.

He spoke of meetings east and west as having been engineered with the object of paving the way for the Calgary conference. Having asked what the definite object of this conference was, Mr. Andrews answered his question by asserting:

"Unquestionably and uncontradictably it was to form what was afterwards known as the One Big Union and the purpose of the One Big Union was by getting into one big organization, labor, by strikes and threats of strikes, to compel compliance with all their demands; to ben in fact," counsel continued, "the one and only governing body in Canada and so introduce by means which had been carried on in Russia the soviet form of government."

Uses Sarcasm

Sarcasm was the principal weapon of oratory indulged in by the crown counsel. Ivens, who was made the arget of this sarcasm, was called the "Mad Mullah let loose in this community."

"This man who calls himself a minister of the gospel," was another expression by Mr. Andrews, and "this man who is called the Rev. Ivens."

It was announced that Mr. Trueman will be the first for the defense to address the jury. The order in which the other counsel, Ivens and Pritchard will speak is not known, but it is understood that R. A. Bonnar will have the privilege of addressing the jury last. As some of the addresses of the seven who will speak for the defense will be of great length, it is doubtful if the case will be in the hands of the jury before the last day of the week.

GERMAN PRINCE CHAPLIN RIVAL

Cousin of Kaiser Indulges in Rough and Tumble in an Hotel

BERLIN, March 7.—(Associated Press)—The fashionable Adlon Hotel dining room was the scene of a rough and tumble fight last night between Prince Joachim Albrecht of Prussia, a cousin of the former Kaiser, and high guests and Captains Klein and Roughevin and Madame Klein, members of the French mission.

The hostilities were due to the French people refusing to stand while the orchestra was playing "Deutschland Uber Alles." Joachim and his friends hurled candles, crockery and other things at the French party and Captain Roughevin was beaten and had his clothes torn. Captain Klein was escorted out of the dining room by waiters who defended him.

TWO ARRESTS FOR ROBBING BANK

WINNIPEG, March 7.—Sandford H. Follett and Charles Bevans, were arrested here tonight by Detective Young on a description from the New York police, where they are wanted to answer a charge of bank robbery. It is alleged that Pollett, who was a clerk in the bank, took $5400 from the Battery Park branch of the National bank, Broadway, and that he shared it with Bevans. Upon arrest they had $1000 on their persons.

PARIS-BUCHAREST TRAIN MISSING

BUDAPEST, March 7.—The Paris-Bucharest train over the Simplon route has not put in an appearance at Szegdin for five days. The delay is attributed to Croat-Serb disorders at Agram.

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA GOING TO EUROPE

NEW YORK, March 7.—The New York Symphony orchestra, 93 strong, will sail April 1 for an extended tour of Europe. The opening concerts will be held in Paris May 4, 6 and 7.

MAYO COMPANY'S LUMBER MILLS ARE BURNED DOWN

DUNCAN, March 6.—Fire Friday night destroyed the mill and planing mill of the Mayo Lumber company which operates close to Shatlam Station. Despite the efforts of employees the fire made rapid headway and it was found impossible to save the mill and planing mill and about half the timber.

FAMOUS TOURIST HOTEL BURNED

OLD POINT COMFORT, Vo., March 7.—The Chamberlain Hotel, a famous tourist resort, erected by permission of congress on the government reservation fortress Monroe was destroyed by fire late tody that started in a room on the ground floor. So rapid was the spread of the flames that in two hours nothing was left but ruins. The hotel was valued at $2,000,000.

ALLIES WILL TAKE DRASTIC MEASURES IF WHOLESALE MASSACRE OF ARMENIANS BY TURKS IS NOT STOPPED AT ONCE

LONDON, March 7.—The allies despatched a note to the Turkish government yesterday. The terms were not disclosed, but it is understood they are drastic and will be followed by drastic action should the necessity arise. The proposed allied military control of Constantinople is not to be in accordance with the terms formerly applied, according to the peace conference plans, which, however, have not as yet been fully matured.

The idea of the conference, it is indicated, is to impress upon the Turks that the world will not tolerate massacres, such as those of the Armenians last month. This has been unsuccessfully attempted through threats from the conference that unless massacres ceased, the peace terms with Turkey would be much more severe than otherwise, and now the allies plan to make some sort of a military demonstration at Constantinople. Just what form it shall take it is understood has not been decided, but a speedy decision is expected, as Great Britain, France and Italy have agreed that quick action is necessary to save hundreds of lives.

The allies have enough troops in Turkey to control Constantinople if it be necessary to resort to force, but the allied premiers are believed to be convinced that this necessity will not arise. They are of the opinion it appears that when the Turkish government finally comes to the realization that the allies mean business, the situation will be considerably clarified. This is the first point in the plan of the conference.

Some reinforcements for allied troops in Turkey arrived on the scene this week and more will follow. The weather conditions in Cilicia are unfavorable at present for the starting of a new military operation but the allies agree that it is absolutely necessary for the French to retrieve quickly and at any cost their recent losses in Cilicia as the view in conference circles is that the Turks undoubtedly think the allies are tired of fighting and that their notes and warnings have little backing.

As outlined, the plan is to show the sultan that this is not the case, no matter how distasteful further military operations may be now to any of the allies. What the conference really would like, according to the reports of statements at meetings here, is for the United States to augment her naval forces in Turkish waters but there seems to be little expectation that this can be brought about.

Although the premiers are not attending the sessions just now, the peace conference as it is now constituted has full powers to rearrange the outline of the Turkish treaty within a fortnight, but the confreres are not planning to hurry with the document, now that the reports of massacres have been confirmed. Their attitude is that the Turks must conform to the European interpretation of civilized government before any treaty shall be handed to them.

TWO BOYS DROWN IN COLUMBIA RIVER

Fatal End to Hockey Game on River at Trail; Brandon Hazlewood and Harold Begen Lost; Two Others Also Go Through But Pull themselves Out

TRAIL, March 7.—A double drowning occurred this afternoon at 4.45 o'clock at Trail when two boys, Brandon Hazlewood and Harold Begein went through the ice while playing hockey on the ice across the Columbia river from Trail.

The boys, along with four others were playing near the shore when the puck was driven away out near the edge of the ice towards the middle of the river. Brandon Hazlewood skated out to get the puck but just before reaching it the ice gave way beneath him and he fell through into the water. Three other boys, A. Stiff, V. Matthews and Harold Begein had also gone out near the edge of the ice and were holding hands at the time that young Hazlewood went through and their combined weight in one spot proved too much for the thin ice which gave way and precipitated all three into the water.

Frantic efforts were made to rescue the boys all of whom were good swimmers, by L. Stiff and F. Matthews brothers to two of the boys in the water.

Swimming as best they could with their clothes on and seeking for a firm hold on strong ice A. Stiffs and V .Matthews managed to haul themselves out on to the ice and finally to the shore. The other two boys, however, could not get to sufficiently strong ice, and within two or three minutes disappeared from view.

Other people coming to the scene, the two drowned boys were finally got out of the water by means of long poles, after they had been immersed for about an half an hour, but despite the strenuous efforts of Drs. May and Thom and recucitation, which were continued for over an hour, neither of the boys could be brought round again.

Brandon Hazlewood was 14 years old, and the only child of G. W. Hazlewood, druggist, of Trail, and Harold Beguin was the only boy of George Begein, a carpenter employed at the Trail smelter.

SIX KILLED IN JITNEY CRASH

BURMA, India, March 7. — Six persons were killed when a "jitney bus" in which they were riding was struck by a Central passenger train at a crossing tonight. The driver of the bus, which contained five passengers, attempted to cross in front of the train, it was said.

DISABLED STEAMER IS ABANDONED

BOSTON, March 6.—The shipping board steamer Guilford Norfolk to Boston, which was reported disabled 15 miles off Nantuckett shoals early today, was abandoned later and had becoome a menace to navigation tonight, according to a wireless message received here from the steam Pocahontas, which stood by during the day. The captain and crew, who were taken aboard the Pocahontas this afternoon, were later transferred to the destroyed Dale and were taken to Newport, R. I.

GOVERNMENT NOT AFRAID OF VOTE

No Doubt Felt That Opposition Amendment Will Be Defeated

OTTAWA, March 7.—No doubt is felt in the ministerial circles that when the vote is taken the opposition amendment to the address will be defeated by a substantial majority. There is however, considerd speculation as to what the majority will be. Last session, the government could generally summon a majority of 40 or so. The coming vote, it is thought, will show a government majority of from 30 to 35 although opposition supporters are hopeful that the majority may be still further redeuced.

Every effort is being made to conclude the debate by Tuesday An arrangement to this effect has been made between the party whips.

PRESIDENT WILSON ACCEPTS ALLIED PREMIERS' PROPOSALS ON ADRIATIC QUESTION BUT MAKES RESERVATIONS

United States Is Willing to Leave Determination of Common Frontier to Italy and Jugo-Slavia; Will Not Agree to Memorandum of Dec. 9 Being Withdrawn; Cannot Approve of Execution of Terms of Treaty of London

WASHINGTON, March 7.—President Wilson accepts, with reservations, the proposals of the British and French premiers that Italy and Jugo-Slavia undertake a settlement of the Adriatic question. He says if Italy and Jugo-Slavia prefer to abandon the so-called buffer state containing an overwhelming majority of Jugo-Slavs and desire to limit the proposed free state to the Corpus Separatum of Fiume, placing the sovereignty in the league of nations, without either Italian or Jugo-Slavia, the United States is willing to leave the determination of the common frontier to Italy and Jugo-Slavia. The president says he cannot "possibly join" in the premiers' suggestion that the memorandum settlement of Dec. 9 be withdrawn; declares that "Albanian questions should not be included in the proposed joint discussions" and reiterates that the United States cannot approve of the execution of the terms of the treaty of London.

Finally he expresses the hope that the allied government will not find it necessary to decide on a course which the American government, in accordance with its reiterated statement, will be unable to follow. The president's note to the premiers was despatched Thursday and is now being considered by the allied supreme council at London. Meantime negotiations between Jugo-Slavia and Italy are proceeding.

"Regarding the character and applicability of the treaty of London the president is pleased to speak with less reserve on account of the frank observations of the French and British prime ministers. He is unable to find in the exigencies of military strategy only sufficient warrant for exercising secrecy with a government which was intimately associated with the signatories of the treaty of London in their task of defending human freedom and which was being called upon for unlimited assistance and for untold treasure.

"The definite and well accepted policy of the American government throughout its participation in the deliberation of the peace conference was that it did not consider itself bound to secret treaties of which it had previously not known the existence. Where the provisions of such treaties were just and reasonable the United States was willing to respect them. But the French and British prime ministers will, of course, not expect the government of the United States to approve the execution of the terms of the treaty of London except insofar as that government may be convinced that those terms are intrinsically just and consistent with the maintenance of peace and settled order in south and eastern Europe."

The absence of an American representative with plenary power is regretted and may have been a source of inconvenience but the president can recall several instances where decisions in the supreme council were delayed while the British and French representatives sought the views of their governments, and he is convinced that time would have been saved and many misunderstandings avoided if before actual decisions had been reached and communicated to the Italian and Jugo-Slav delegations this government had been given ample indication of the fact that the British and French governments intended radically to depart from the memorandum of December 9.

In conclusion the president desires ot express his concurrence in the view of the British and French prime ministers that a speedy settlement of the Adriatic question is of urgent importance. But he cannot accept as just the impeded suggestion of his reply for the failure to reach a solution.

Text of Note

President Wilson's note to the premiers on the Adriatic situation follows:

"The president desires to express his sincere and cordial intent in the response of the French and British prime ministers received on February 27. He notes with satisfaction their unaltered desire to reach "An equitable solution in conformity alike with the principles of the peace conference and of the legitimate, though conflicting aspirations of the Italian and Jugo-Slavia people. He further expressed intentions regarding certain assential points to urge upon the governments interested that they should bring their desires into line with the American point of view.

"The president is surprised, however, that they should find in the statement of his own willingness to leave to the joint agreement of Italy and Jugo-Slavia the settlement of their common frontiers in the Fiume region any ground for suggesting the withdrawal of the joint memorandum of Dec. 9. In this he could not possibly join. The memorandum presents deliberate and disinterested judgment after months of earnest discussion. It constituted more than a mere exchange of views, it was a statement of principles and a recapitulation of the chief points up-

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PRESIDENT WILSON ACCEPTS PROPOSAL

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on which agreements had been reached.

"There was thus afforded a summary review of these points of agreement of the French, British and American governments, and the memorandum should remain as it was intended to be, the basis af reference representing the combined opinion of the governments."

In referring to the common frontier in the Fiume region ,the president had in mind the expressed desires for the two interested governments to abandon the project of the free state of Fiume as defined in the memorandum of Dec. 9. If, as he understands, the government of Italy and the government of the Serb-Croat-Slovene state prefer to abandon the so-caled buffer state, containing an overwhelming majority of Slavs, and desire to limit the proposed free state to the corpus separatum of Fiume, placing the sovereignity in the league of nations without either Italian or Jugo-Slav control, then the government of the United States is prepared to accept the proposal, and is willing under such circumstances to leave the determination of the common frontier to Italy and Jugo-Slavia.

In this connection the president desires to reiterate that he would gladly approve a mutual agreement between the Italian and Jugo-Slav governments, reached without prejudice to the territorial or other interests of any third nation, but Albanian questions should not be included in the proposed joint discussion of Italy and Jugo-Slavia, and the president confirms that he cannot possibly approve any plan which assigns to Jugo-Slavia what she is deprived of elsewhere.

Concerning the economic outlets for Jugo-Slavia in the region of Scutari, suggested in the note under reply, the president desires to refer to the memorandum of Dec. 9 as making adequate provision to meet the needs of Jugo-Slavia.

MOVIE TO BOOST CANADIAN SUBJECTS

MONTREAL, March 7.—A million dollar photoplay production company for Montreal is the latest development in the moving picture world here, with plans for the establishment of a motion picture production plant in this city.

It is to be known as Patricia Photoplay, Limited, and its object will be the exploitation of Canadian and Imperial subjects for Canadian picture theatres. A. Reynolds Allison, an English producer and playwright, is in the city in connection with the project. The first will be a big production "The Re-Birth of A Nation," illustrating Canada's new status following the war.

DRUG STORE SAFE OPENED: $700 STOLEN

WINNIPEG, March 7.—The safe at the Liggett drug store at the corner of Main and Logan was opened today and $700 stolen. Later the police arrested William Phelan, who worked in the store, at the Leland hotel on suspicion. It is said all the money has been recovered. The man will appear at the police court this morning.

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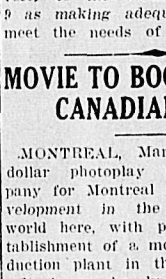

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Every woman at some period or other in her life may suffer from just such disturbances as Mrs. Caligure, and if there is no interested friend to advise, let this be a reminder that this famous root and herb remedy has been overcoming these ailments of women for more than 40 years.

If any complications exist, write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of many years' experience is at your service.

Kootenay Lake General Hospital Society

Notice of Annual Meeting

In accordance with the bylaws of the society the annual general meeting will be held in the board of trade rooms, on Ward street, on Tuesday, March 9, 1920, at 3 p.m.

Membership Condition—All annual subscribers of the sum of $10 are members of the society eligible to take part in the election of Directors for the ensuing year.

GEORGE JOHNSTONE, Secretary.

IRELAND WOULD GET BIG AMOUNT

By New Bill Country Entitled to Value of Land Purchase Scheme

NEW YORK, March 7.—Addressing the Canadian Club here on the Irish question Philip Whitelaw Wilson, special correspondent of the London Daily News and formerly a member of the British house of commons stated that under the Lloyd George bill now before parliament Ireland would receive as a gift the entire capital value of the land purchase scheme, amounting to half a billion dollars or $100 for every man, woman and child in the country.

Mr. Wilson declared that the bill did not divide Ireland. It followed the colonial precedent exactly, he said. In Canada each province joined the dominion of its own consent. The same arrangement was successful in bringing Natal into the South African unions and New South Wales into the commonwealth of Australia. While Ulster was given a separate parliament England would welcome the union of Ireland which time would bring about if mischief makers would only take a holiday. Mr. Wilson said that it was utterly untrue that the majority of Irishmen desired independence. In Ulster the people were almost unanimous against such a solution, and Ulster was the industrial brain of the whole country.

The recent municipal elections had shown that the Sinn Fein, under proportional representation, could poll less than half the votes and this lefet DeValera in a difficult position as he knew his entire program could never be carried out. He was therefore seeeking a compromise, which was displeasing to those of his followers who wished to use Irish questions for ulterior motives, and who had no idea of welcoming a settlement which would in fact "deprive many of them of their occupations as agitators."

De Valera had weakened his influence by stating that he wanted Germany to win the war. "This," said Mr. Wilson, "would have meant the humiliation ,not of England merely, but of Canada and the United States. It would have subjected Catholic Belgium to intolerable insults for all time and would have meant that numberless Irish soldiers would have died in vain for liberty."

VETERANS COMPLAIN OF LAND SCHEME

VANCOUVER, March 7 (Canadian Press). — Recommendation that returned men in British Columbia refrain from taking up land under the federal soldiers' settlement act until a number of alleged defects in the present system are remedied has been adopted by the provincial executive of the Great War Veterans' association in session here. Delays were the principal feature of the complaints made. It claimed that when the act was framed the government had Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba and Eastern Canada in mind, and that conditions in British Columbia are so different that there should be a separate board with powers almost equal to those of the soldier settlement board in Ottawa for administration of the act in this province.

Other important resolutions passed favored an increase in pensions to a maxmum of $100 a month, reversion to the 1919 fisheries regulations on the Pacific coast, adoption by the government of the Great War Veterans' reestablishment scheme for physically fit men, and condemnation of the $40,000,000 federal emergency "dole."

WORK TO HASTEN TREATY SETTLEMENT

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Various methods of hastening action on the peace treaty were discussed at conferences among Republican and Democrat senators as a result of the apparently universal sentiment of the leaders that nothing in the direction of compromise would be gained by further delaying the decisive vote.

It was said no final conclusions were reached, though it was predicted in some quarters that tomorrow's session would see a formal agreement to limit debatae on the six reservations which remain to be disposed of under the present program before the senate gives its attention to article 10. It generally is conceded that by the direction of this article, the treaty will stand or fall and all of the leaders have said they were anxious to get through with details and start the fight on the main issue.

WHOLE FAMILY IS WIPED OUT

TORONTO, March 7.—A family of four was wiped out in the northeast section of this city at noon today through the explosion of a can of benzine, followed by fire. The victims were: Albert Foster, aged 36, a tailor; his wife and their two children. The mother and children perished in the kitchen where the explosion occurred, but the father lived until 7 o'clock this evening, when he died in the Toronto hospital.

Dinner was being prepared in the kitchen when the tragedy occurred. It is thought Foster was trying to fit a spout in a can of benzine and was standing too close to the cookstove which caused it to explode.

BUSINESS PROFITS TAX PROTESTED

ST. JOHN, N.B., March 7.—Members of the St. John board of trade who returned on Saturday from Ottawa, where they protested to Sir Henry Drayton against the business profits tax, said tonight that the financee minister told them that the country needed the money of the profits tax and if the tax was not re-imposed this year some other form of taxation either through the present income tax or other means would have to be resorted to in order to gain the required funds.

The delegation protested against re-imposition of the tax on the grounds that it was inequitable and unjust upon the capitalized business and manufacturing firms; that it penalized enterprises and discouraged expansion.

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Council May Recommend That Whole of the Province Be Included

LONDON, March 7.—In addressing the Ulster unionist council last Friday Sir Edward Carson the Ulster Unionist leader recommended that Ulstere abandon its opposition to the Irish home rule bill and accept the bill now before parliament, asys the Daily Mail today. The newspaper describes this as the most important development in the Irish situation in many years and says it is bound to have a profound and far reaching effect.

After the meeting, Sir Edward and the other delegates returned to their respective districts to consult the local associations on the decision, which is to be taken at another meeting of the council to be held in Belfast next Wednesday. "In view of the leaders advice" the Daily Mail continues, " it is hoped the new bill will be accepted substantially by Ulster, but it is possible the council will recommend the inclusion of the whole of the province in the area of the parliament instead of six counties."

Sir Edward Carson further said he believed that any form of home rule was bad for the country but it must be remembered that the home rule act of 1914 was on the statute books and that unless an amending measure was passed it would automatically come into force the day peace cwas officiallly declared, and then Ulster would be placed under the control of the Dublin parliament. He said he did not wish to influence their opinion and if they decided to reject the new bill he would oppose it.

FIGHTING FIFTH HOLD REUNION

SASKATOON, March 7. — More than 300 members of the famous "Fighting Fifth" battalion gathered here on Saturday in reunion celebration. Veterans arrived from all parts of the province. The event closed with a banquet in the evening, at which Gen. Dyer, of the regiment, was the principal speaker.

A feature of the gathering was the appearance of more than a dozen men who had remained known as "missing" until they identified themselves over again at the banquet table. Telegrams from absent members were received from all parts of Canada, including Vancouver and Halifax. It was decided to make the reunion an annual event.

LABOR WOULD ELECT RUSSELL

WINNIPEG, March 7.—At a meeting of the socialist party tonight Charles Stewart declared that R. B. Russell, now under sentence for his activities at the strike of June was their ideal candidate for the next provincial elections. He stated that in the campaign even the labor party would be bitterly opposed by the socialists. He said that bolshevism as it is in force in Russia looks pretty good to him.

HONOR MEMORY OF ADMIRAL KOLCHAK

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Memorial services attended by representatives of the diplomatic corps were held at the Russian embassy Saturday in honor of Admiral Kolchak, who was executed by the Bolsheviki Feb. 7.

JUDGES' WAGES MAY BE RAISED

Salaries Have Not Been Increased For Nearly Forty Years

OTTAWA, March 7.—(Canadian Press)—Increased salaries for judges was the principal matter taken up at a meeting of the council of the Canadian Bar Association here yesterday afternoon composed of eminent counsels from every province in the dominion, a deputation waited upon members of the government and pointed out that there had been no increases in the stipend paid to judges during the last 35 or 40 years, notwithstanding the abnormal increase in the cost of living.

Hon. C. J. Doherty, Hon. A. L. Sifton, and Hon. N. W. Rowell received the deputation, which was made up of Robert McKay, K.C., Toronton; F. E. Meredith, Montreal; W. J. Tupper, Winnipeg; J. A. M. Patrick, Yorkton; H. A. Mackia, M.P., Kamloops; M. G. Teed, St. Johns; Hector McIsaacs, Halifax; A. B. Warburton, Charlottetown; Louis S. St Laurent, Quebec; and Sir James Aikins, Winnipeg, president of the Canadian Bar. Progress reports were submitted by Chief Justice Mathers, Manitoba, on egal ethics, and by Dr. R. W. Lee, Dean of the Law Faculty of McGill ,on legal education. The council was entertained at dinner in the evening by the Rideau Club.

It was decided to invite Right Hon. Viscount Cave, one of the members of the judicial committee of the privy council, and former home secretary in the Lloyd George administration to deliver the annual address when the association meets in Ottawa on Sept. 1, 2 nd 3 next.

Mr. Justice Ord resigned as honorary treasurer of the association and was succeeded by G. F. Henderson, Ottawa.

TORONTO SCENE OF C.P.R. BANQUET

MONTREAL, March 7.—For the first time since its inauguration four years ago the annual banquet of the Canadian Pacific railway will be held outside Montreal next Saturday evening at the King Edward hotel, Toronto, when officers of the company will entertain about 800 of the staff from all over Canada, the United States and England. Addresses will be given by Lord Shaughnessy and President E. W. Beatty, K.C.

The plan of holding these annual dinners of Canadian Pacific officials at various points in Canada will be continued and the probability is that the 1921 dinner will be held at Winnipeg.

VILLA HEADED BANDIT GANG

El PASO, March 7.—Francsco Villa himself commanded bandits who robbed the northbound Mexico City train near Corralites last Thursday, when 33 passengers were killed and several, including one American, held for ransom, according to survivors arriving here.

MEN'S DRESS SHOES

Mahogany Calf, Goodyear welt, round or receding toe. Price, $8.50 to $13.00

Gunmetal Calf, Goodyear welt, round or receding toe. Price, $7.50 to $13.00

C. ROMANO

THE SHOE MAN

ABANDON SCHOONER; SOME ARE SAVED

NEW YORK, March 7.—A wireless message received here tonight says that the schooner Eva B. Douglas, Buenos Ayres to New York, was abandoned 150 miles off the Delaware Capes. The British steamer Vasari picked up her captain and 11 of the crew.

BICYCLE RACE OPENS

NEW YORK, March 7.—The six day bicycle race, commonly known as the "poor man's horse show," opened in Madison Square Gardens one minute after midnight, with 14 teams competing. Goulet and Magin, last year's winners, were the favorites. Among the entrants is a Canadian-American team, made up of Arthur Spencer and Peter Drobach.

STEAMER ASHORE

SYDNEY, N.S., March 7. — A steamer, which, it is feared, is the Dominion Coal company coaler Cape Breton, went ashore at Scattario Island at 10 o'clock this morning and tonight observers from Long Point, on account of the heavy seas which were pounding against her hold, held fears that she was doomed to become a total loss. The Reid-Newfoundland steamer Kyle left North Sydney to go to her assistance tonight.

LONDON TO PARIS AERIAL SERVICE

LONDON, March 7.—An aerial service was inaugurated today between Paris and London. On her voyage, the Goliatah carried five passengers safely.

SMALLPOX BAN TO BE LIFTED TODAY

MONTREAL, March 7.—Elsar Pelletier, secretary of the board of health for the province of Quebec, announced tonight that the smallpox quarantine on the province of Ontario would be lifted, effective midnight Monday.

The quarantine has been in force for the past two months.

The Average Person Uses Sugar On His Cereal Because It Needs It

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FIFTY MILLIONS IN LAND LOANS

Over Thirty Thousand Soldiers Qualified; Large Sum for Equipment

The latest figures of the soldier settlement board to February 14, show that $56,936,078 in loans have been approved. The number of loans approved is 19,859 and the average loan $2867.

The advances were made for the following purposes:

Land Purchase	
Amount for purchase	$31,520,554
Improvements	4,082,849
Stock and equipment	11,897,691
Charges on Dominion Lands	
Improvements	1,478,838
Stock and equipment	4,146,648
Mortgages on Privately Owned Land	
Encumbrances	1,824,015
Improvements	657,882
Stock and equipment	1,327,601
	$56,936,078

The board also reports a total of 6115 soldier grant entries.

Large Numbers Qualify

Up to Feb. 7 the agricultural branch received 47,534 applications for qualification certificates, and of these 35,213 were approved, from the following provinces:

British Columbia	4388
Alberta	9661
Saskatchewan	8877
Manitoba	6078
Ontario	3182
Quebec	1010
New Brunswick	892
Nova Scotia	714
Prince Edward Island	411

BIG PRIVATE TELEPHONE EXCHANGE

The size of the private telephone exchange grows with the erection of every hotel or office building of any considerable proportions. The largest ever constructed is that of a New York hotel which has been recently opened to the public. It occupies 3165 square feet of floor space, having an operating room 110 feet long by 15 feet wide, a terminal room 30 feet long and 25 feet wide, a restroom 23 feet by 15 feet, and a locker and wash room 30 feet by 14 feet. The operating force consists of one chief operator, one assistant chief operator, eight supervisors and 110 attendants. The switchboard consists of 23 positions. Thirteen positions are equipped with Telautographs used for paging and announcing only. The switchboard has a capacity of 3340 extensions and 180 trunks. The hotel has telephone service in each of its 2200 rooms, and there are forty public telephone booths served by four switch boards connected with the main switchboard. The following gives some idea of a few of the items which make up part of the telephone sytem: 630 fuses, 1170 condensors, 2400 relays, 5350 lamps, 38500 jacks, 750,000 soldered connections, 7,926,000 feet of wire.

60,000 NAMES ON WALLS OF CHURCH

A church will be erected in Notre Dame de Grace, a suburb of Montreal, upon the walls of which will be inscribed the names of every man who died for Canada in the great war. The church will be used by the combined congregations of the Anglican Church of the Good Shepherd and Trinity church. Sixty thousand Canadians were killed.

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WEST KOOTENAY, HOLDEN AT NELSON

Between E. Johnson, Ben Solomon, William Jacobs, Joe Hagberg, Charles Lundberg and Arthur Blandell, Plaintiffs; and Dany & Brandon, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of a warrant of execution issued out of the above court, dated the 21st day of January, 1920, and to me directed, I have seized the defendent's interests in the undermentioned goods and chattels, and will offer the same for sale at my office, court house, Nelson, B.C., on Wednesday, the 10th day of March, 1920, at the hour of noon.

4000 ties (more or less), near Gold Hill, B.C.

1500 logs (more or less).

1 20-H.P. engine and boiler (Gear Scott & Co.).

Terms of sale: Cash.

Dated at my office this 24th day of January, 1920.

JAMES H. DOYLE,
Sheriff of South Kootenay.
(6747)

TENDERS WANTED

Under and by virtue of an order of court I am authorized to receive tenders for the purchase of the following real estate, known and described as Lot Eighteen (18), Block Fifty (50), City of Nelson, Map 266. Terms cash. Offers for the purchase of this property should be sent to R. C. Crowe, Esq., Trail, B.C.; solicitor for the administratrix. (6735)

EXAMINATION FOR SCALER'S LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that examination for the licensing of Scalers in and for the Province of British Columbia, will be held in accordance with the following schedule:

Cascade—March 11th.
Nakusp—March 13th.
Castlegar—March 17th.
Nelson—March 18th.

Intending applicants should notify the District Forester, Nelson, from whom application blanks may be obtained. (6577)

TIMBER SALE X2117

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 25th day of March, 1920, for the purchase of License No. 2117, to cut 123,000 feet of Cedar, Fir and Hemlock, and 543,750 lineal feet of Cedar Poles on an area situated on Fish River, near Benton, Kootenay Land District.

Three (3) years will be allowed for the removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Nelson, B. C. (6487)

TENDERS WANTED

We are open for bids from contractors covering:

1. Sorting chain.
2. Piling green lumber.
3. Operating lath mill.

Lumber chiefly spruce, some fir. Saw mill capacity 80,000 to 85,000 feet daily, and lath mill 20 to 30 M daily.

Successfully tenders will be required to put up a bond of $500.00 to insure faithful performance of contract. U. G. C. Saw Mills, Limited, Hutton, B.C. (6643)

Mining and Markets

STORM UPSETS STREET TRADING

NEW YORK, March 7.—Business on the stock exchange Saturday dwindled to meagre proportions, trading being delayed half an hour because of the storm. Wire communication was much disturbed and helped to curtail the operations of the short session, but the tone turned firm soon after the heavy opening, with moderate strength at the close.

Motor shares and their specialties provided most of the diversion at extreme gains of two to 7¼ points, but metals, of the secondary groups also food shares and specialties of the class represented by Famous Players and Lowes, were fairly active, advancing one to five points.

There was little inquiry for rails. Steels and equipments moved narrowly with nominal changes at the end. The only backward issues were oils, but short covering replaced most losses in that division. Sales amounted to 235,000 shares.

The bond market was dull and irregular changes among the more important issues holding within fractional limits. Trading in the popular international was light and without feature. Total sales, par value, $5,375,000.

There was a sharp reaction in foreign exchange, the London rate delining to $3.57¾ after the close of the market. This wiped out much of the gain in two preceding days and probably resulted from denials that European gold imports were imminent.

Decrease of almost $32,500,000 in actual excess reserves, leaving the total excess at a bare $2,700,000, was the striking feature of the clearing house statement. The actual loan account showed no material change.

Closing Quotations

	Open	High	Low	Close
U. S. Steel Com.	97⅜	96¾	97	97¼
Utah Copper	71¾	71¼	71	71¾
C. P. R.	121¼	121½	121	121¾
Willy's Overland	24⅝	23⅝	23	24⅜
Studebaker	87½	86¼	87	87¼
General Motors	259¼	252	258	258½
Pierce Arrow	56¾	55¼	55	56⅜
Texas Oil	152¼	179½	181	

DOMINION CARS COMES TO FARE

MONTREAL, March 7.—For the first time in recent years stock of Dominion Cars left the local market on Saturday with dealings of 2100 shares. The price rose two points to 62, then eased to 61. Next on the active list was National Breweries which advanced a large fraction but lost it later. Laurentide moved up to a new high at 93 and reacted to 91¾, a net gain of half. Spanish River was strong at the opening at 87½, but eased to 8½ a net loss of one point.

The preferred reached its previous best for the year at 130, but closed a large fraction lower at 129. Sugar closed at 95⅝, a net loss of 1¾. Abitibi rose 20 to 280 and held the gain. Lyall gained three points at 88 and Tucketts was up six at 56. Cement lost two at 93, and Riordan lost 1½ at 182, and Brompton, Car preferred and General Electric were each fractionally lower.

Total trading, listed 12,062; bonds $123,250.

RETURN OF BOREDOM

When a man has a toothache it appears to him that his former toothacheless state was one of perfect bliss. Why did he complain of such trifles as too little money, prices too high, and no houses to live in? If he can but get rid of his pain, he will never complain of such trifles any more.

He gets his tooth out; and immediately complains as of old.

Was it not the same with the war?

It weighed upon our spirits. "Let us get rid of slaughter and air raids," we said, " and we shall value every moment of our relieved existences."

The war is over, says a writer in the English Daily Mirror. We are all complaining.

And, particularly, ennui has returned; boredom is with some of us.

The inanity of things, the vacuity of time, evidently oppresses certain persons who advertise in the newspapers for "something to do" with the leisure their money gives them. One of these wanted "suggestions for how to spend a holiday" recently. Others daily appeal for first aid for the fed-up feeling. Almost one can hear them asking for air raids again. Anything to relieve monotony.

It seems, certainly a little ungraceful, after so much suffering surmounted, so many dangers overcome. But it may be in itself a symptom of the anaemia produced by the prodigious blood-letting of the war.

Men felt a like lassitude just a century ago after the Napoleonic epic was over; and, in the beautiful image of a child of that time, Alfred de Musset, the century was an eagle with eyes staring at the sun, but with clipped wings unable to soar towards it. What wings? The wings of youth. For youth lies dead on the battlefields.

In some such way ye account for the return of boredom. It will pass. It will pass when the new youth grows to manhood, without hampering memories of the tragedy just ended.

PRINCE OF WALES HIGHWAY A LINK

The new highway now under construction between Ottawa and Prescott, which will link up the Canadian capital with the New York State highway is to be known as Prince of Wales highway.

SHARP BREAK IN SILVER PRICES

NEW YORK, March 6.—Silver, Friday $1.27¾.

LONDON, March 6.—Silver, Friday, 77⅞.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 7.—Sterling exchange strong, 3.54¼ for 60 day bills and 2.57¾ for demand.

Canadian dollars 88.00; French francs 8.20; Belgian francs 8.55; Italian lires 6.35.

LOAN QUOTATIONS

MONTREAL, March 7.—The following were the asked prices for bonds at the close of the market today:

War loans: 1925, 95; 1932, 94¾; 1937, 99¾; 1922, 98; 1927, 99; 1937 100; 1923, 98; 1933, 99; 1924, 96½; 1934, 96.

DOMINION CANNERS RISES AT TORONTO

TORONTO, March 7.—Crippled wire service between New York and Toronto did not tend toward activity on the Toronto exchange on Saturday morning. Black Lake common in the unlisted section, engineered a monopoly of the trading. Dominion Canners sold up two at 61½, closing at 61.

Tuckett's Tobacco developed sudden strength, an opening sale at 62 being followed by a spurt to 55½, a net gain over Friday of 4½ points, and with the closing bid further advanced to 56. Spanish River moved up 1¼ to 86¾, but the closing bid was lowered to 85½. Brazilian was dull and down ⅜ at 47½; MacKay at 76 was off one point, Canada Steamships were up one at 75 and Dominion Iron was off half to 71. Trading in the war bonds dwindled to insignificant proportions.

WINNIPEG GRAIN QUOTATIONS

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oats—				
May	96⅛	97	95⅝	97
July	91⅞	92¾	91⅜	92¾
Barley—				
May	153½	155¾	153½	155¾
July	146½	148½	146¼	148½
Flax—				
May	513	516½	511	516½
July	484	488½	483½	488½
Rye—				
May	185	190	185	189½

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 7.—Eggs weak, butter strong; cheese and potatoes without new feature.

Cheese, finest easterns 26½ to 27.

Butter, choicest creamery 61 to 62.

Butter, seconds, 58.

Eggs, fresh 68; selected 57.

Potatoes, per bag, car lots 390 to 490.

GRAIN MARKETS

CHICAGO, March 7.—Sharp new upturns in the value of corn took place today largely as a result of a proposed huge flour sale to Europe on credit. The market closed strong 2¼ to 3⅜ net higher, with May 144¼ to 144¾ and July 138⅛ to 138½.

Oats gained ½ to 1¼ cents and in provisions the outcome was a set back of 7½ to 35 cents.

BRETON PEASANTS GETTING RICH

All his life the Breton peasant, so familiar to Canadians because of the place he has occupied on the canvases of painters, has been satisfied to struggle along to make a bare living from his few acres, perhaps to save a hundred francs or so to provide the "dot" when his daughter is married. Year after year he has given his energies and his strength to his small leased farm.

But now according to an exchange with the return of peace and the prices which are changed for foodstuffs throughout France the peasant farmer of Brittany has come into fortune, at least for him In Brittany there are no middleman, no brokers to run up prices and keep the greater part; so when the Paris hotel keeper or the tourist purchases the products of the Breton peasant's toil he does it direct. Milk selling at six cents a quart represents a small fortune in Brittany, as fortunes run there; as do eggs at 10 cents apiece and butter at from $1 to $1.50 a pound. Potatoes at five cents a pound also prompt the Breton to raise large crops of tumbers, and even the sardine industry shows a neat profit when these small fish sell at one cent each

Sometimes the peasant will sell, sometimes he won't especially is this true in meats, and the owner of cattle must be solicited several times before he will put his veal or mutton on the market at 60 cents a pound or more. Even at this rate the prices are lower than those in Paris.

An idea of the fortunes being made by the peasantry in Brittany is shown in the report of one who pays $240 a year rental for the lease of a small farm. He proudly admits that the last year has netted him the sum far beyond the wildest aspirations of the Breton farmer of the pre-war days.

A "perfect lover" is one with a keen dramatic instinct that he can convince himself of his eternal love for one woman—at a time.

Applause has made fools of more men than criticism.

AGRICULTURAL REVIVAL NEEDED IN BRITAIN

In a recent speech Lloyd George said that agriculture was the greatest industry in the land, but that it had received little encouragement. Since 1871 the number of people engaged in Great Britain in the cultivation of the soil had been reduced by 600,000 or 700,000 men, and but for the war this process might have continued. During the war, however, it had been discovered that this neglect of agriculture had brought the country close to disaster. If Germany had pursued the same policy Germany would have collapsed within a year. But in spite of the blockade and with a much poorer soil than Englands, she was able to hold out for four years.

Great Britain, he said, cannot again take chances she took before the war. She came too near disaster. During the war the agricultural community made a special effort, increasing the productive area by one and three-quarter million acres. Before the war the grain imported was three-fifths of the whole. During the war three-fifths were home-grown and two-fifths imported. There must not, he said, be a return to pre-war conditions. There must be a settled policy in regard to agriculture. He thus referred to some of the advantages of home production.

"You have a market here at your own doors. It is computed by men who understand this business that you can raise in this country on food commodities 150 millions worth which is now brought from abroad. If you can take away 150 millions of what we have to pay across the water the sovereign would look up. It is not a question merely of increasing exports. It is a question also of diminishing imports which are capable of being produced in this country without increasing the cost of living. I think you can do that."

All this sounds like protectionist argument, and some will be surprised that he does not follow it up by proposing protective duties on food. Against this, however, public opinion in Great Britain seems to be too strong. He proposes a guarantee of prices to the farmer, a guarantee to the tenant of security of tenure, and a guarantee from the farmer of maximum production. He refers also to scientific state aid and technical instruction. He would also take strong steps to lure the people back to the land.

"Men have been drawn to foreign lands by placards on the wall with attractive pictures of what is awaiting them when they cross the flood. We shall only keep the population on the land and bring others back to there when England herself will be a better placard than any you can paste on her walls. Let us chase away the appalling dullness of the villages and bring back the old country life of England. Make the country more attractive, as it is much healthier for brain and soul and heart than the towns."

The success of this policy would mean that Great Britain would send fewer agricultural laborers abroad and import less grain from abroad. It would reduce the adverse balance of trade against Great Britain adn make her to a large extent a self-contained country. Of course large quantities of food would still have to be imported, for Great Britain is and must be a country primarily of urban industries, commerce and shipping. But no doubt the drift away from the countryside has gone too far, and it is wise to check it.

A SMALL CRITIC

Some children have excellent taste even though their knowledge may be limited. An example is that of the little girl a subscriber tells about who had just read the funeral oration preached by the Rev. Billy Sunday in Norfolk, Virginia, recently, on the late John Barleycorn. "She asked if Mr. Sunday did not have something against Mr. Barleycorn? I told her that he considered him an enemy, and therefore felt very unfriendly toward him. 'Well,' she said, 'I don't think a preacher should have used those last words he said about him.' I asked her what were they. She remembered well. 'Old John is dead and gone to hell, and there I, hope forever may dwell.'"—The Outlook.

"Does your husband expect you to obey him?" asked the visitor.

"Oh, no," said the fair one, "he's been married before."

NEW MINISTER TO PEKIN WORKED HARD

Mr. Beilby Francis Alston, the new British minister at Pekin, certainly deserves the job. He has been in the running for years and is understood to have wanted the post very badly Criticisms have always varied about him, but the middle view seems to be the correct one, namely, that he will be a good, useful, diplomatic representative, without in any way being brilliant

His early upbringing was all in his favor, since his father was Sir Francis Alston, one of the lights of the Victorian foreign office. His education was mainly abroad, where he was trained for the foreign office in which he has worked through all the grades, beginning in 1890. His chief posts have been at Copenhagen, Buenos Ayres and Pekin, of which he became the councillor of legation in 1911-12 and charge d'affaires in 1913 Even in those days people talked about him as a certain minister of the future

Mr Alston's utility to the foreign office has not lain in the permanency of his occupation of diplomatic posts He is the diplomatic tourist. Whenever there was a mission going or a conference being held Mr. Alston was always approached. He was present at a conference on copyright in Paris (1896), at three sugar conferences at Brussels, and was sent with Prince and Princess Alexander of Teck to the coronation of the king of Siam at Bangkok in December, 1911. Whenever foreign diplomatic representatives came here it was a moral certainty that Mr. Alston would be attached to them He specialized in this sort of attachment t distinguished Chinese visitors to Great Britan who came either on a mission or some royal function such as a coronation. This explains why he holds the Grand Cross of the Double Dragon of China, and why he is Commander of the White Elephant of Siam.

There are those who say that Mr. Alston will never "set the Thames on fire." Perhaps not, but he will make few or no mistakes For years when he was at the foreign office he was atthe head of the Far Eastern section, or attached to it, and used to receive visitors who came to inquire into important events of the day affecting that part of the world. Mr. Alston used to handle them beautifully, though perhap they went away thinking they had not learned much. His critics might say that Mr. Alston had not much to tell them, but anyway, his visitors were pleased, and he had no enemies. Otherwise he is not specially distinguished; he is, in fact, the businesslike type of diplomatist, and the government at home will be able to rely on him. He will never get the foreign office into trouble, and it is something for the foreign office to be able to count so confidently on one of the young men whom it has trained His tendencies are not particularly literary, but he does endeavor to study oreintal matters, and it is his knowledge of these that has sent him to the Far East rather than his knowledge of Orientals

COMPLICATED WATCHES

That the art of making complicated watches of high quality survives in London is shown by a clock and calendar which was recently submitted to the Kew tests, being the first watch of its class to be so submitted. In the first place it strikes the hours and quarters in passing, though it can be made silent if desired, and in the second it is a minute repeater. It has an elaborate calendar mechanism showing the name of the day of the week, the name of the month, the date of the month, and the phases of the moon. The date of the month is indicated by a pointer moving day by day round a semi-circular scale; an account is taken of leap year, the mechanism being constructed on a four years' cycle. The dial measures just over two and a half inches in diameter.

The two flags that were flownover headquarters during the desperate battle that were fought by the Canadians at Passendaele are now prized possessions of St. Paul's church in Toronto One of the flags was flown over the headquarters of Gen. Plummer of the Secondy Army at Cassel, and the other over Gen. Currie's headquarters at Poperinghe. But, after all, flags did not get much into the actual fighting in this war, as is shown by the fact that the flag at Poperinghe was 14 miles from Passchendaele, and he one at Cassel 24 miles away.

WAGES NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR HIGH COST OF SHOES

Senator Calder, of New York, called at the department of labor on official business the other day, exercising a senatorial prerogative, he took occasion to assert that high wages are responsible for the high cost of living. "Here's an illustration," said the senator. "Yesterday I paid $12 for the pair of shoes on my feet, and before the war they retailed for $6. High wages are the cause." Ethelbert Stewart, one of the expert investigators and statisticians of the department, was present and heard the senator's grief against labor. "Suppose we get the facts on the high cost of shoes," suggested Stewart. "This department has just completed statistics on wages and costs of productions in six of the largest shoe manufacturing plants in the United States. Before the war the average labor cost in a pair of shoes was about 37 cents. Since 1914 the wages of shoeworkers have been increased 65 per cent., and the average labor cost on a pair of shoes today is 68 cents. It requires about three square feet of leather to make a pair of shoes for a man. This leather costs the factory on an average of 87 cent a foot, or $2.61 for a pair of shoes. Add to this the 68 cents paid the shoeworker and you have a total labor and material cost of $3.29. The difference between this sum and the $12 you paid was added after the shoes left the workingman's hands. With this showingg of facts, it is hardly fair to charge high wages with being responsible for the exorbitant cost of shoes." The senator said the information was both interesting and important, and that he would in the future be more careful in holding labor to account for the high cost of living.—C. C. Houston, in Labor, Washington, D.C.

TOLD BY THE GOLFERS

The story of the crow which carried off a golf ball has brought in its train a certain number of parallel cases, but the misadventure of balls have yet to be chronicled fully. They would make a fine show, from the football which the bulldog carried off, none daring opposition, to the golf ball which was elected from a hole by a frog. The story of the solicitor of Newary who killed a 2-pound fish with a drive has often been told. But often golfers have been a little shy of retailing too often the strange history of the salmon which leapt from a river and caught a golf ball as it was in flight, and how the salmon was carried on the bank by the ball's impetus and there secured, with a trophy firmly wedged in its mouth. The cow that carried the ball along the fairway on to the green is too trite for further celebration, but a golfer of fame has recorded that he once found seventeen golf balls in a heap of fresh sand outside a rabbit warren on Scots course, Brer Rabbit having evidently become bored with the persistence of their arrival into his "bunker."—Manchester Guardian.

A SCHOOL COSTUME

A new school costume for three large schools for girls in Tokio is reported in a Japan society bulletin. The freshmen girls will have jackets fashioned of pink material and skirts of violet. The second year girls will wear blue jackets and third year madens, in virtue of their greater maturity and advancing wisdom, will be privileged to have their coats cut from brown cloth. The Tokio schools making the change are the Girl's Commercial School, the Yamawaki Girls' High School, and Atomi Girls' High Sshool.

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A German Trade Scheme

The Germans are trying all sorts of schemes in order to secure raw material, without paying the heavy prices which world market conditions and the low value of the mark burden them with. One of the most impudent propositions that have been made is that submitted by Luis Baruch of Hamburg to the Chilean government.

At the last session of the directive council of the Sociedad Nacional de Fomento Fabril a letter was submitted by the minister of industry, which had been received from Baruch, a wool merchant, in which the writer sets forth the urgent difficulty which will be likely to continue for some considerable necessity in the German cloth mills of raw material, and the time in finding the wherewithal to pay for same. As a way out of this problem, a brilliant proposal is made to the Chilean government. The wool producers in Chile are to send a portion of their produce on deposit to a bank in Hamburg, and receive in return the cloth, etc., required in Chile in payment for the raw material.

It is thus pointed out that the material would thus go practically direct from producer to manufacturer and back to consumer without extra expense. The raw material required in Germany is wool (fine and coarse), hair of goats, alpacas, lamas, horses and bullocks.

Herr Baruch declares he enjoys the complete confidence of the banks and the German manufacturing community, that he will be pleased to submit complete details of the scheme on receipt of reply.

After due deliberation, the council passed a formal resolution, "That a report be remitted to the Ministerio de Industria that in the opinion of the Sociedad, the most practical and convenient plan will be for the manufacturers in question who have machinery and operatives and no material, to transport their plants to Chile, where they will find material in abundance (which can be easily verified by reference to published figures of production), and which could most likely be obtained with greater facilities for payments, than is the case in Europe.

If Germany could get raw materials on this basis, without putting up any cash for them, and at the same time sell the manufactured goods in return it would certainly soon grow wealthy. It would be able to milk other countries of their raw materials and take the profits of manufacturing the finished products. In this case the proposition was not accepted. It would be interesting to know if it has been made elsewhere and, if so, with what results.

Without Profit World Would Stagnate

The profit-system, so often attacked by those possessed of communist and similar theories, is the only system which has so far been discovered which will keep the world up to the state of production necessary for the sustenance and support of the people of the world.

It may be unfortunate, of course, but the governing fact is that the average man or woman does not work for the love of working, but in order to gain some reward. It is not just a matter of gaining a living, but of gaining a better living or some other reward which stimulates the human being to his best efforts. If it were just a matter of gaining a living, we could all get along very much as do savage tribes. We would eat and perhaps be able to clothe ourselves enough to conform to primitive conventions but we would not make any progress. It is the prospects of gaining "profits" in some form or other which stimulates most of us to do better work. It is the competitive spirit—founded on the idea, invariably proved true, that if we do our work a little better than the other fellow, give a little better service than the other fellow, invent something which the other fellow has not thought of, do more for our fellow men, dsiplay more courage, or more ability or more enterprise than the other fellow, we shall gain more "profits" than the other fellow, these "profits" sometimes being in cash or property, sometimes in fame, sometimes in the increased respect in which we are held by our fellow men, sometimes in the gaining of positions of power in the state.

If there were no such things as "profits," if none of us could rise, if we were all on the same level and could not get beyond, if none of us could gain more than the average, there would be no particular incentive to make the best of one's opportunities. Nothing could be gained by special effort, or by giving special service. Hence, in the overwhelming majority of cases, the special effort would not be made, the better service would not be given. Mankind would stagnate.

The Hart Insurance Case

The action of the provincial government in giving the insurance on the Pacific Great Eastern railway to Hart, Gillespie & Todd, the firm of which Hon. John Hart, minister of finance, is the senior partner, requires explanation.

Questions and answers on the order paper of the legislature have divulged the fact that in spite of the fact that the minister of finance's firm was one of the highest if not the highest tenderers, it was given the business.

The commission on this insurance, at the usual rate, amounted to about $2000. The fact that the deal was a profitable one for Mr. Hart's firm is not the most important point, however. The important point is the extreme impropriety of the government doing business in this way with its own members. Even if the minister of finance's firm had been the lowest tenderer, which it was not, the ethics of the cabinet's action would have been doubtful, but to have given Mr. Hart's firm the business at a higher rate than that quoted by insurance firms whose senior partners did not have the advantage of being members of the cabinet appears to be indefensible.

COMMUNICATION

WAR! WAR! WAR! WHEN LEAGUES FAIL

To the Editor of The Daily News:

Sir:—The following is from the pen of a war veteran who was on active service for king and country in France when the armistice was signed and fo rseveral months after, and has taken particular notice of the political situation. The allies, knowing the treachery of the Hun, sounded "cease firing" and signed the armistice two months too soon, as subsequent events have shown. There is not a distinguished soldier or statesman who does not believe that there will be another great war.

The peace conference in Paris, instead of bringing balm to the wounded and tortured lands, has been like an irritant upon a festering sore. Amongst the allied and associated powers there is a relief that the curtain has been pulled down, for a time at least, upon the bloody catastrophe of the last five years. Yet none of them are satisfied.

The governments of the world are perfectly conscious of the evil ahead. They are getting ready for it with tremendous preparations for the bloody conflict. Europe is still seared with the agonies of the tragedy of 1914-1918, and while we are advocating that disputes between nations should be submitted to an international court our governments are building more effective and stronger instruments of war than ever before. Will the combination of the greater democratic nations, acting on the principle that to be ready for war is the best guarantee for peace, be successful in preventing war? I do not believe so. I have never talked with a statesman or soldier in France England or Canada, or from the United States, who believes so. War departments are preparing. If straws show the way of the wind and if shadows are any indication of the vicinity of the substance it is difficult to conceive that many years will elapse before the spectre of world fury again blots the sun.

Nothing has so flourished since the signing of the armistice, as the cause of peace, except the manufacture of guns. The league's propositions for "universal reduction of armaments" and "the freedom of the seas" have been fine phrases, but apparent signals starting an international race for the best material in martial equipment. In fact, the Marathon for martial supremacy was on years before the war, with Germany in the lead, and now, after the elimination of the central powers, at least for a while, the race seems all the more feverish and exciting between the three or four which are left.

Nations in Ferment

The booming of cannons in the world war was not the funeral dirge of national hatred. The league of nations has not been its obituary. The great struggle was not Armageddon ushering in the new earth. If some one dropped in from Mars just now it would be hard to convince him that we had finished the "war to abolish war." It would be rather difficult to persuade such a one, were he to come, that the flood of war was over, and the dove of peace with the olive branch of promise, had come to stay; for the Martian would see Ireland in open revolt, Italy's army holding Fiume, Japan with an army in Siberia, Uncle Sam "barely tolerating" Mexico, Egypt and India in ferment, China seething against Japan's occupation of Shantung, Admiral Kolchak desperately fighting Russian Reds, and to augment all these, many local bellicose demonstrations, and gigantic appropriations and preparations for more military power.

Are there any signs whatever that steps are being taken or will be taken to reduce the burden of war and remove its menace? Unbiased candor compels one to see and admit that the activities of recent belligerents hold out no such hopes. The public found hope for a time in Wilson's "fourteen points" and enthusiastically heralded them and their author as harbingers of future peace. But concurrently with the enunciation of these fourteen hopes, there were in every nation movements favoring the creation and maintenance of greater military equipage. At the peace table France and England demanded a large quota of the spoils to protect them from future sallies of the enemy. American sentiment for a great standing army and navy is taking definite shape in the present session of congress. In consequence there will be, or already has been, nivolved greater expenditure than that of any militaristic nation previous to the outbreak in 1914. The very draft of the peace treaty, which in conjunction with the peace league, had for its avowed aim the prevention of future wars, contains provisions virtually authorizing the continuance of militaristic methods. Britain scouted the freedom of the seas, claiming that because of her natural insularity and her far-flung possessions she should by right maintain her great navy. The same argument is put forth by other governments. The first law of nature applies to national affairs, and each nation is anxious for self-preservation, to be a little better prepared than the best.

Hon. G. E. Chamberlain, chairman of the United States senate committee on military affairs, says: 'It is foolish to assume that situated as we are, it will be safe for us to scrap our navy, dismantle our forts and abandon our rifles. I think I can lay down a proposition on which all thoughtful men will agree, which is, that absolute disarmament will be neither safe nor desirable. Nations are only composite reflections of human beings. So long as men are greedy, nations will be greedy. So long as men are unjust, nations will be unjust. So long as men seek what is not theirs, nations will hunger for conquest. So long as policemen are required to protect your homes, a military arm will be needed to protect your border from the invader. When locks and vaults can be discarded throughout the earth, military arms may safely be thrown into the sea. Thus, if I am asked if we will have to adopt measures of permanent military preparedness, my answer is positively in the affirmative.

Earth-Hunger Rampant

The was a disposition to assume that as the result of cooperation between Great Britain, France, Japan, and the United States during the war, there could be no possibility of disruption in the future. But unfortunately, there is no assurance that this friendly relationship will be preserved. The constituency of every nation in the proposed league are men and women subject to like passions as we are. They are not angels, and the majority do not even profess godliness. As long as individuals covet that which belongs to someone else, nations will be obsessed with analagous earth-hunger. As a consequence of this, we see small nations facing crises on the peace eve, and military adventurers ignoring the Paris conference and seizing what they want. The meaning of these things and many others, is not nebulous. It is clear that the Versailles treaty was a military treaty, as vindictively martial as was the treaty signed at Vienna by Castlereagh, Talleyrand, Frederick William and other. Count Berchtold, former Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, has said: "Already the question of war guilt is vanishing before that of the guilt of this peace, and already lines for the next war are clearly visible and equally unavoidable."

The nations will not be asleep this time. Hardly was the ink dry on the drafted peace treaty when Japan's navy program was announced for the new construction for this year of several battle cruisers of the 40,000 tons each, thre light cruisers, five first-class destroyers, five second-class destroyers and several submarines and gunboats. The United States secretary for war, says: "I hope there will be no other war, but the work of preparing this country to assume its place in the forefront of such a fight—and there may be another war—should be begun at once." England has recently made an appropriation of $320,000,000 for aircraft—just one branch of military equipment; and France has appropriated $200,000,000 for similar purposes.

If Uncle Sam Stays Out

In case America does not join in the league of nations, and the sentiment is strong that she should not—Josephus Daniels, secretary of the United States navy, declares: "We must prepare to spend hundreds of millions of dollars on submarines, airplanes, and fortifications. From end to end, we must plant our coasts with mines, so that they bristle with destruction. Our harbors must become potential hells, ready to let go at the push of a button, and blow to pieces any invading fleet. Our navy must be bigger by many fold than any other that has been dreamed of by nations bent upon world conquest. It must surpass in strength and numbers of vessels the combined navies of the world, and our taxes must be levied accordingly. From the pursuits of peace our engineers, chemists and experts, must turn to fashioning devices of destruction. Manufacture of the things which make life easy must give way to production of the things which make life hard. Instead of tractors we must build tanks, instead of labor-saving machines, guns; instead of canals, great fortifications. In a word, we must become a super-Prussia. Militarism and navalism must be interwoven with the warp and woof of our industrial life. It must dominate our education, and to some extent our religion. We must be a national porcupine, bristling with guns, and so trained to use them that no nation dares to touch us."

These fiery beacons, lighted by men high on our political walls, are dread tokens of the gathering forces. All this means that the recent conflict has not extinguished animosities, but increased them. The outlook in Europe is threatening. Nations are watching one another like wild beasts in a jungle. Blood and iron rule. Huge camps and seas crowded with horrible ships of war and leviathan air craft of terrible destruction will soon meet the eye at every turn. They are preparing for a terrible conflict. Let the flower of manhood in all nations once meet on the field of slaughter, armed with the terrible instruments of destruction now being invented, and the human mind is utterly incapable of picturing the untold horrors which will take place. The prophet watchman proclaims war, and war there will be.

Read Joel III., 9-14.

THOS. PASSMORE.

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TORONTO HAS BRASS BAND OF BLIND MEN

If a blind musician who memorizes whole works of music without the use of his eyes is a prodigy, what is a brass band composed of twenty-six blind men?

Toronto has that band.

It was organized last September and will make its first public appearance soon.

Its members, most of whom have been blind all their lives, are engaged in mastering the intricate mysteries of the various brass and wooden musical instruments.

But their mastery of their parts, which in band music, are a technical hodge-podge of harmonization, rests and stops, is the great miracle.

These blind men study their music with their fingers. Their music is written on long strips of brown paper with the Braille system of raised lettering.

You see a band or an orchestra, no matter how expert, with its music set before its players. The Blind Men's Band must memorize every note of its music.

Mr. Joseph M. Dawson, bandmaster of the 30th Regiment, who took the band of the 244th Regiment overseas, is director of the Blind Band.

Last September, Mr. C. W. Carruthers and several other leaders in the interests of the blind in Toronto, decided that an instrumental band would be a most suitable form of interesting recreation for our blind many of whom, as piano tuners, had a good grounding in music.

Mrs. Lionel Clarke, wife of the new lieutenant-governor, was asked to interest herself in the securing of the musical instruments, and after a great deal of difficulty, persuaded the military authorities to let the blind men have the instruments of the 5th battalion.

The blind men took to the band idea instantly, and the band now numbers twenty partly trained members and six beginners. There are a number of piano tuners and several ex-soldiers in the band, all of whom have received practical training in music at the Brantford Institute for the Blind.

The players prepare their own music. Bandmaster Dawson selects a simple piece of band music and gathers the players together. He then reads each instrument's part to the blind player, who writes it out in the Braille characters. Each player then takes his music home, memorizes it, plays it; and at the weekly practices, which are held in the King street broom factory, the bandmaster corrects any misinterpretations, and plays over any obscure passage.

ORIGIN OF CAMBRIC

Cambri, the French town which has been the centre of recent fighing, is interesting because of its manufacturers. In 1530 a purse af gold was offered in behalf of Henry VIII. of England to the workman who would produce the finest linen for the king's shirts. The prize was won by the weavers of Cambri and the material was called cambris, in honor of the town in which it was made. So fine was the linen that there were one hundred and twenty or more threads to the inch. Straighway it became the fashion for all fine underware, collars, cuffs, handkerchiefs and baby dresses to be made of cambric.

REVIVING A SCANDAL

In connection with the death of Gaby Deslys, the dancer in Paris, it is remarked that at her door was laid the downfall of the Portugese royal destiny in 1910. The scandal, encouraged at the time by press agents, was that the young King had became infatuated with the actress, so much so he accompanied her on a trip to Paris at a critical political juncture, and in spite of the warnings of his ministers that such conduct might cost him the throne, King Manual did loose his royal heritage but it is doubtful if the alleged escapade or others of a similiar nature had anything to do with the case.

ALBERTA'S COAL

"Alberta now has adequate equipment and labor to produce annualy ten million tons of coal from this province," states the Chief Inspector of Mines. This amount was not reached owing to labor troubles. In the month of December, nearly 800,000 toms were mined making a total for the year of 6,000,000 tons. Journal of Commerce.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

(From the Daily News, Mar. 7, 1910)

G. M .Annable, of Moose Jaw, brother of J. E. Annable of this city, passed through Nelson on Sunday to Trail, to inspect a timber property.

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Judge Forin left last evening for Revelstoke, where he will hold court tomorrow.

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Mrs. D. Grant, of Silverton, who has been spending the winter in the east with her parents, returned home Saturday.

VARIETY THE SPICE OF LIFE

It was his first day as a boot, and he was having a tough job executing orders. The sergeant, considerably exasperated, yelled:

"Say, what did you do on the outside?"

"I was a bookkeeper, sir."

"I thought so," the sergeant commented.

The next morning after a series of fizzles, the company's commander again picked him out.

"Say, what did you do on the outside?"

"I was an electrician, sir," was the response.

"Eh?" the sergeant replied. "I thought you told me yesterday you were a bookkeeper."

"I was, sir," replied the unabashed boot. "But I got another job."—Judge.

THIRTEEN HIS LUCKY NUMBER

Private W. H. Teeple, of 205 West Borden avenue, New York, like Prsident Wilson, scorns the hoodoo number "Thirteen." Here's why:

He was born on Friday, the thirteenth.

He enlisted on the thirteenth.

He was sent to camp on the thirteenth.

He was assigned to regiment No. 13 in the Marine corps.

There were thirteen other men in his bunk house.

He sailed for France on the thirteenth.

There were thirteen boats in the convoy.

He was on the ocean thirteen days.

He landed in France in the 26th.

LONDON BEGGARS

It is not unlikely that the present wave of crime will be accompanied by a considerable increase of beggars and imposters on the streets of London. At the end of the Napoleonic wars 100 years ago the nuisance became so great that the establishment of some organization to cope with it was called for.

The London Mendicity Society, which was then formed, dealt successfully with the trouble at the time and has kept abreast of it since Its workers anticipate a revival of the nuisance, pointing out that the introduction of conscription took into the army a considerable number of men who live, as a rule, by imposing upon the public. In London alone well over $100,000 is given away haphazard every year to beggars in the streets, and the society states that the average beggar probably earns more than the average working man. There is hardly a beggar whose record is not tabulated at the society's offices, where, in addition to nearly 90,000 such life histories, many curious and plausable notices, which may have been the means of helping imposters to accumulate small fortunes, are also carefully preserved. In some cases as many as 30 convictions are known to have been recorded against this class of offender.

Begging letters have been stimulated by the war, which has provided an opportunity for people to seek help on the ground that they have been thrown into difficulty by it, and the society has been busy distinguishing between the genuine and the fraudulent applications. It posseses a quarter of a million records of beging letter writers.—London Times.

PEARY'S SUCCESS

Robert Edwin Peary, who died recently, made eight journeys to the far north. Many times he narrowly escaped death, which in manifold forms had ended the lives of nearly a thousand ambitious explorers before him. He endured all the hardships and sufferings that the human frame can withstand, even to the cutting off of his own frozen toes, and spent all the money he possessed in the effort to climb to the top of the world. At last on the morning of April 6, 1909, he ended his last march to the north, "actually too exhausted to realize at the moment that his life's purpose had been achieved." He slept several hours, and upon waking made this entry in his diary:—"The pole at last! The prize of three centuries, my dream and goal for twenty years, mine at last! I cannot bring myself to realize it. It seems all so simple and commonplace."—Boston Herald.

Three billion silver dollars were shipped from San Francisco to Chino on Christmas day.

YELLOW FEVER

In 1916 the Rockefeller foundation sent a sanitary commission to Ecuador for the purpose of arranging with the Ecuadorean Government to take the responsibility of eradicating yellow fever from Guayaquil. The proposal was accepted June 10, 1918, when a celebrated bacteriologist arrived and began his work. He succeded in discovering the germ which causes yellow fever, his investigations promising to produce not only a preventive, but also a cure for this malady.

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ERMS FOR DESCRIBING GROUPS OF ANIMALS

Many persons are quite at a loss know how to describe groups of imals and birds, other than the st familiar, as cattle and chick-s, for instance, to groups of which e terms herd and flock are ap-ed. If the cattle happened to be a, however ,one should say a ove, and in the west a small oup of cattle would be a bunch, ly large numbers constituting a rd. But how would you describe group of lions or a number of ars?

As to birds one should say: A vey of partridges, a bevy of ails, a nide of pheasants, a wisp snipe, a flight of doves or swal-ws, a muster of peacocks, a siege herons, a building of rooks, a ood of grouse, a plump of wild-wl, a stand of plovers, a watch nightingales, a flock of geese and cast of hawks.

One says a herd of swine—or more ually in America, a drove of hogs flock of sheep and a herd of ats. A swarm of bees is correct d familiar, as is a shoal of her-ngs. A number of whales are a hool, and school is generally used describe collections of miscellan-us fish. In the case of wild ani-als we have a skulk of foxes, a ck of wolves, a troop of monkeys, pride of lions, a sleuth of bears and a gang of elk.—New York Evening Post.

YUKON LEGISLATURE WILL SIT IN APRIL

DAWSON, March 7.—The Yukon legislature has been formally summoned to assemble here for the annual session in April.

PRAIRIE TOWN TO HAVE COLONIZATION BRANCH

REGINA, March 7.—A meeting to form a Saskatchewan branch of the Western Canadian Colonization organization will be held here on Tuesday at which Mayor Brown of Medicine Hat and others will speak.

PERPETUAL MOTION

The nearest approach to perpetual motion was a clock constructed in 1774 by James Cox, a jeweler of Shoe Lane, London, Eng. This clock kept the scientific world guessing for years. The energy that made it run was derived from changes in atmospheric pressure—a barometer was the sole motive power. Ferguson, the scientist, saw this clock; said it unquestionably would run until its parts wore out. The last heard of it, it had been sent as a gift to the Chinese emperor, from whom it later was stolen.

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WINLAW'S RECORD YEAR FOR POSTS

WINLAW, March 6.—Mrs. W. H. O. Hill arrived from England and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts, who sold their ranch here, left for the coast.

Mrs. E. Rolland went to Nelson for a few days.

B. Benniger spent a few days in Nelson on business.

This has been a record year for the number of cars of posts and cordwood, up to date 20 cars have been shipped.

JAPANESE MINING G

TRAIL, B.C., March 7.—T. W. Bingay, comptroller for the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company, returned Friday from the coast, where he was on business.

Miss E. Gavirlik has taken a position at the Consolidated office.

Y. Horibe, metallurgical engineer for the Melsubishi Mining Company, Ltd., at Tokyo, Japan, is in the city on business for his firm.

Miss K. Ritchards has resigned her position at the smelter office, and left Friday night for her home in Edmonton.

Mrs. George Owen left Trail Saturday for Seattle, Tacoma, Victoria, and other coast points. Mr. Owen accompanied Mrs. Owen to Rossland.

R. C. Crowe was a business visitor to Rossland today.

Miss Agnes Austad has resigned her position at the Bank of Montreal and expects to leave in the course of a few days for San Diego, Cal.

J. D. McNeil was a visitor to Rossland Saturday.

Miss Elsie has accepted a position on the staff of the Bank of Montreal.

W. Ehlers has recigned his position at the Trail Mercantile, and will leave shortly for the coast, where he has accepted a position. Mr. and Mrs. Ehlers will be missed by the younger class.

H. Lamb has received a new two-ton traffic truck for heavy transfer business.

John Black has returned from Vancouver, where he was called by the serious sickness of his mother.

SLOCAN CITY NEWS

SLOCAN CITY, March 5.—Dr. Feare of Silverton paid a professional visit to town Wednesday and Thursday.

George Long, of the Meteor Mine left on Monday for Portland, Ore, where he had been called owing to the serious illness of his brother, E. Long, who visited here last summer for several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Long.

A. MacQueen of Kaslo was a visitor in town on Wednesday.

ROSSLAND RESIDENT DIES IN HOSPITAL

ROSSLAND, March 6.—Alex Munn, who was ill at the hospital for the past fortnight, died Friday morning.

G. A. Lafferty left Friday evening for Spokane, going by way of Yahk to join his father, Dr. Lafferty, who will accompany him there.

Miss Helen Grigor arrived home Friday from Cranbrook, on account of the schools being closed for a few days.

Dr. J. W. Frank of Nelson arrived in the city Friday afternoon.

L. A. Campbell returned Thursday afternoon from a trip to the Boundary.

APPLEDALE ITEMS

APPLEDALE, March 6.—H. Wynne and H. Russell of Slocan City were visitors here on Sunday.

G. Wright, who has taken up a pre-emption at Kinnaird, left on Tuesday with a car of effects.

Mr. Lilu of Saskatchewan, who has bought a ranch here, is expected to arrive shortly.

Mrs. Cork was a visitor to Mrs. Kennedy's at Lemon Creek on Monday.

The Ladies' Progressive Association held their meeting on Wednesday. A full attendance was present and another member was enrolled. They decided to have a social in the near future in connection with the library, to help raise money to build new cupboards in the hall for the library books.

NEW DENVER INSTITUTE MEETS

NEW DENVER, March 5.—The New Denver Women's Institute held their first public meeting at the Bosun Hall yesterday afternoon. There was a large turn out of the members. Mrs. McLean of Nakusp occupied the chair. The meeting was opened by the singing of the National Anthem. Mrs. McLean introduced Mrs. Chalmers of Thrums, who gave a most excellent address on the work and aims of the Women's Institute. Mrs. Harris was elected president, Mrs. Gomm treasurere, Mrs. Kirk secretary. The five directors elected are: Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Gomm, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. H. Nelson and Mrs. O. V. White.

CASTLEGAR NEWS

CASTLEGAR, March 6.—Miss Carter, principal of the Pass Creek Schools, is spending the week-end in Castlegar.

W. A. Hafty, who was in Nelson for a few days has returned home.

Mrs. Harry Gage, of Vancouver, and Mrs. J. D. Foggo of Nelson, are the guests of Mrs. Laurie for a few weeks.

A large number of Castlegarites attended the dramatic entertainment at East Robson last evening, which was produced by the women of that centre. Everyone was well pleased with the performance.

Captain Davidson, who commanded the ferry here, reports the auto season is commencing and nearly every day cars are crossing, coming from Trail or Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Farmer paid a visit to friends in Rossland last week.

Miss McKenzie of the Castlegar school, and Miss Robertson of Kinnaird went to Nelson last evening for the week-end.

The planing mill of the Edgewood Lumber company, which has been closed down for repairs for some time, starts up again next Monday, and as soon as the conditions permit the main mill will resume operations.

BEST COMMERCIAL APPLES CHOSEN

BEST COMMERCIAL

APPLEDALE, March 6.—At a meeting of the Slocan Valley United Farmers a discussion took place regarding the varieties of fruit which are most suitable for growing in the valley for commercial purposes. The meeting favored the following varieties:

Apples—Wagner, Jonathan, McIntosh Red and Delicious; Transcendant crab.

Pears—Beax Anjou, Bartlett.

Cherries—Bing, Royal Anne, Morello.

Strawberries — Magoon, Parson's Beauty.

Raspberries—Cuthbert.

If ranchers will combine to plant the varieties selected, car lots can be made up and better prices obtained than would be the case if each rancher grew a few varieties not commercially successful.

Three new members joined.

KOOTENAY GIRL DIES IN SOUTH

SYRINGA CREEK, March 6.—News has been received by wire of the death of Muriel, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hirst of Allandale, Syringa Creek, at San Diego, Calif.

Miss Hirst was for some time a pupil at St. Johephs school, Nelson, graduating with honors in the commercial course. She entered the office of F. C. Moffatt, barrister, Nelson, leaving that position to take up one at the sanatorium, Balfour, where she remained for two years.

She resigned that position last September and went to the coast, where she was employed for a short time before her marriage, which occurred in November last to C. R. McDougall, who was a member of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces, and was for some time a patient at the Balfour sanatorium.

After the wedding the couple went to San Diego to reside, and her death occurred in the hospital there.

DATES FOR ALLAN CUP ANNOUNCED

TORONTO, March 7.—Dates for the Allan cup were announced here tonight by Secretary Hewitt. The winners of the Sons of Ireland vs. University of Toronto series will meet the O.H.A. champions in the Allan cup semi-finals on March 22 and 24. On Friday, March 26, and Monday 29, the eastern representatives and Falcons, of Winnipeg, at Fort William will meet in the Allan cup final.

In the meantime the juniors, will also be busy, Loyala College of Montreal will play the O.H.A. junior champions for possession of the O.H.A. Memorial cup, won last season by University of Toronto Schools. Selkirks, western title holders, will play the winners in the final. In case the aren ahere can be secured, Loyala College and the O.H.A. champions will cross sticks here next Saturday night.

Granite and Kitchener will attempt to settle the title race in group two on Wednesday night and the successful team will play Hamilton on the latter's ice on Friday, with the return game here on Monday.

CHAMPIONS CLASH ON THE GOLF LINKS

NEW ORLEANS, March 7.—Walter Hagen of Detroit, national open golf champion, in a big rally defeated Jim Barnes, western open champion of St. Louis, over the country club links here today, one up in 37 holes.

CANADIANS MEET IN CALIFORNIA

MOOSE JAW, Sask., March 7.—Headed by John Benson, of Outlook, over two thousand residents of Saskatchewan took part in the great parade of Canadian tourists recently held at Ocean Park, Cal., under the auspices of the Canadian Tourists' association, at a mid-winter picnic and reunion. There were over 14,000 Canadian tourists present at the reunion.

HOLLAND VOTES TO JOIN LEAGUE

THE HAGUE, March 7.—The first chamber of the Dutch parliament yesterday voted for adherence of Holland to the league of nations, 31 to 2. The second chamber cast an affirmative vote on February 19.

COL. KNIGHT HEADS MANITOBA MOUNTIES

DAWSON, Y.T., March 7.—Col. R. S. Knight has been promoted to the command of the Manitoba Division of the Canadian Mounted Police, Winnipeg and will leave here soon to take up his new duties. Maj. R. E. Tucker has reached here to take command of the Yukon division in succession to Col. Knight.

REDS ON OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE POLES

LONDON, March 7.—Large forces of Bolshevik have opened an offensive against the Poles on both sides of the Pripet region, says a despatch to the Central News from Berlin.

The despatch adds that the Poles report the enemy was repulsed with heavy losses.

CITY OF KIEL PLANS FREE PORT

BERLIN, March 7.—The city of Kiel, no longer a naval base, is planning construction of a free port on the Wiker Bay, north of the main town, taking the town of Hamburg as a pattern.

MANITOBA MAY HAVE SHARE OF ROCKEFELLER FUND

WINNIPEG, March 7.—Dr. George E. Vincent, head of the Rockefeller foundation, and Dr. Richard M. Pearce, director of the division of medical education, are here to open enquiries as to the eligibility of the University of Manitoba to share in the benefits of the recent gift of $5,000,000 to the foundation. They will make a leisurely survey of the provincial institutions' facilities and methods, but no announcement of the result will be forthcoming for some time.

CHAUFFEURS AND TEAMSTERS WILL NOT JOIN STRIKE

CHICAGO, March 7.—Members of the Chicago teamsters and chauffeurs' union today voted not to join the strike of "insurgent" railway expressmen called yesterday in an effort to enforce demands for an increase in wages of $35 per month.

Big game herds are increasing rapidly on the four United States big game reservations.

AVERAGE MAN DIGS GRAVE WITH TEETH

If you are a woman, you will live longer than the average man.

It is an old saying, but very true to-day, in spite of the stress of the modern woman's life and the physical conditions to which she is subject.

Statistics prove the truth of the saying.

Nine hundred and five spinsters out of every 1000 at twenty-five years of age reach forty-five; 652 out of every thousand reach 65; 119 reach eighty-five, and eight attain the age of ninety-five.

On the other hand, only 879 males out of 1000 at twenty-five years of age reach forty-five; 569 sixty-five; 64 eighty-five, and three ninety-five.

That married men live longer than bachelors was mentioned as a curious fact by an official of an assurance company to the writer, while, although in the long run women live longer than men, a man of twenty-five has more chances of living to be fifty than a woman of the same age.

On the other hand, if a man and a woman have both reached the age of fifty, the chances are that the accounted for by the difference in temperament.

Clergymen and farmers are popularly supposed to be the longest living people. Compared with enginedrivers they would seem to lead a very placid existence, and yet that latter have a good longevity average. Altogether nearly three times as many males as females die a violent death.

Proper living, of course counts for everything. Hard work never killed anybody, but to quote a popular saying, "the average man digs his grave with his teeth." Abundance of food and ease shortens life; while people who take frequent drinks shorten their lives by about six years.

Which brings us to another curious phase of the subject. The percentage of suicides among innkeepers is greater than in any other occupation. According to the last available figures it amounts to fifty-eight per 1000 suicides, as compared with ten among miners and the same number among railway workers.

In regard to mortality among children, Providence and the law of average seems to strike a fairly even balance. While twenty per cent more male children die of consumption than females, twenty-five per cent more girls die of cancer than boys. Nearly forty per cent more girls die of whooping cough than boys.

Again, while rheumatism and athritis cause the death of fifty per cent more girls than boys, pneumonia and asthma results in the death of fifty per cent more boys than girls.—Tit-Bits.

EMPTY HOUSES SEIZED

Southwark is the first place in London, says the Manchester Guardian, to make a start with the ministry of health's plan for taking possession of unoccupied houses and converting them into flats as a means of relieving the housing congestion.

The ministry of health act gives the department the power to make use of empty buildings in this way either in consultation with the local authorities or independently where these are showing insufficient enterprise in housing. In London the stage reached is that all the boroughs have now prepared lists of the houses in their districts suitable for conversion. It may seem odd that there are any empty houses to convert, but as a matter of fact, there is a very large number, usually large, old houses that have come down in the world and can no longer be let as they are, which would well repay conversion into flats.

The owners of many of them will not consent to any interference with their property, but there are now legal powers to see that the public necessity overrides merely personal objections. The cost of the alterations will be borne by the local authorities, who will let the flats at an economic rent, if possible.

The ministry is at present examining the many government hotels throughout the country that are no longer wanted for war purposes, with the view of finding how far they can be used for housing families. If this can be arranged it would be a much quicked way of relieving the housing situation that altering empty houses. Some of these hotels are large places and could accommodate thousands of people. Some of the biggest of the hotels are in London. Many of them of course, which were put up to accommodate munition workers, are not suitably placed for housing people in peace-time.

CREAM OF TARTAR FROM COAL TAR

At the January meeting of the New York section of the American Chemical society, announcement was made of a newly discovered method of making coal tar yield tartaric acid and other important substances. The inventors and patentees are John M. Weiss and C. R. Downs, respectively manager and chief chemist of a firm of chemical manufacturers.

The basis of the process is a method of building up various substances from maleic acid obtained from benzol, one of the derivatives of dark and viscid coal tar. Of these the most welcome to the housekeeper and the trade is tartaric acid, which hitherto has been made from the cream af tartar, a solid found in the bottom of wine casks and employed principally in making baking powder. The United States before the prohibition wave engulfed the vineyards where wine grapes are raised, produced 10,000,000 pounds of cream of tartar a year and about 1,000,000 pounds of tartaric acid. As the cream of tartar cannot be obtained except through the fermentation of wine, the grape juice industry is unable to supply the household want hitherto filled from the vats of the vinter.

By the new process citric acid, lactic acid and succinic acid can also be derived.

The synthenized maleic acid can also be employed as the basis of dyes, medicines and perfumes. The inventors believe, in fact, that it will open up an entirely new gield of synthetic organic chemistry.

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Worn-Out, Weak Men and Women Testify

Chatham, Ont.:—"For many years I suffered with stomach trouble and I tried many remedies but they seemed to be a failure—my stomach seemed to be getting worse instead of better. One day I came in possession of a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and took it. My stomach seemed completely cured. I have great faith in this medicine and hope any sufferer that reads this will give the 'Discovery' a trial. Once tried, you will never be without it."—C. TITUS, Jr., 28 Duke St.

New Wiltshine, P. E. I.:—"I suffered three years with bronchial asthma. I was so weak I could hardly walk three steps at a time. I could not sleep so would get up and stay up the rest of the night. One day a friend advised me to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery so I sent to my druggist for a bottle and when I had taken half of it I felt a great deal better. When I used that bottle I sent for two more, and when I finished the third bottle I was completely cured.

"It is over two years since I first took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and I have not been troubled a day with asthma since."—ALEX McLEOD.

Hamilton, Ont.:—"I have suffered with rheumatism for the last five years and I have only taken three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Anuric (anti-uric-acid) Tablets and three bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and am nearly cured. I also had that dread disease, Spanish Influenza, leaving me in a terrible condition. Only those who have had it know what an awful condition it leaves one in. I am sure if it had not been for Dr. Pierce's medicines and advice I certainly would have died.

"I want to recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines to any sufferer with kidney trouble or to anyone rundown after having the 'Flu'. Also try Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for constipation."—MRS. ESTELLA CRANBY, 54½ James St. North.

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While excessive thinness might be attributed to various and subtle causes in different individuals, it is a well-known fact that lack of phosphorus in the human system is very largely responsible for this condition.

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A harmless and effective preparation to relieve the pains of Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lame Back and Lumbago is Hamlin's Wizard Oil. It penetrates quickly, drives out soreness, and limbers up stiff aching joints and muscles.

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Get it from druggists for 30 cents, if not satisfied return the bottle and get your money back.

Ever constipated or have sick headache? Just try Wizard Liver Whips, pleasant little pink pills, 30 cents. Guaranteed.

General News of the City

WANT EXCURSION FOR THE KOOTENAY

Boards of Trade Invitation for Passenger Agents Wired to Vice-president

With the object of bringing through the Kootenay the excursion of C.P.R. district passenger agents, who will convene this week in Montreal for a two-day conference before going on tour, J. R Hunter and Fred A. Starkey last night sent a joint wire to vice-president D. C. Coleman, of Calgary, asking him to use his influence to have the excursion party routed through the Kootenay.

Mr. Hunter signed the message as president of the Nelson board of trade and Mr. Starkey as commissioner of the Associated Boards of Trade of Eastern British Columbia. J. S. Carter, district passenger agent at Nelson, leaves this morning for Montreal, to participate in the conference and tour. The tour will not be completed till near the end of the month.

VETERANS GUESTS AT WHIST DRIVE

About 50 veterans and their friends were present at the whist drive and social given by the Ladies Auxiliary to the G.W.V.A. on Saturday evening, in the G.W.V.A. rooms, at which several musical numbers were rendered.

In the drive three of the four prizes were won by ladies, the men's first prize being won by a lady playing in the place of a man. The ladies first prize was won by Mrs. J. Nickelson; the consolation prize by Mrs. J. Lundie. The men's first prize wa swon by Mrs. T. Langlands, and the consolation prize by J. Hope.

While refreshments were being served after the drive, Mrs. H. H. Pitts rendered two vocal solos, "I Hear a Thrush at Eve," and "A Japanese Love Song"—to her own accompaniment at the piano; Little Miss Walker gave three piano selection, "Melody of Love," "Beautiful Ohio Waltz," and "Beautiful Star of Heaven"; and G. A. Pratt contributed two violin selections, "Chanson Triest" by Tschaikowsky, and a "Serenade" by Gounod.

LADIES' AID UNITES LECTURES AND TEA

Mrs. G. A. Wilson's circle of the Methodist Ladies' Aid entertained during the tea hous Saturday afternoon in Trinity church, realizing about $40.

During the afternoon lectures were given by Dr. Isobel Arthur on "Health Conditions," and Miss La Rose on "Home Nursing." Miss Freda Hume delighted the audience with one of her clever readings and Mrs. J. T. Andrews sang several solos.

FRACTURES ARM

While Charles Maltby, shipper for the Canadian Explosives, Ltd., was proceeding to Powder Point, on Saturday, he met with an accident, which resulted in his receiving a fractured arm.

MORE PERSONS EMPLOYED

Reports from British Columbia firms to the employment service of Canada indicated that an increase of 1316 persons was registered during the week of Feb. 7 in comparison with the preceding week. For the week ending Feb .14, a further increase of 141 persons was expected

PROHIBITION AMENDMENT TO BE ARGUED TODAY

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The constitutionality of the Prohibition amendment and portions of the enforcement act will be argued tomorrow before the supreme court. The question is involved in original proceedings brought by Rhode Island to have the amendment declared invalid and its enforcement enjoined, as well as in appeals from Kentucy and Massassachusetts where federal courts have sustained legislative amendments.

Attorney-General McCrane of New Jersey will formally ask for permission to bring proceedings similar to those of Rhode Island and to participate in the arguments. This permission is customarily granted.

MAY AMEND INFANTS' ACT IN SASKATCHEWAN

REGINA, Sask., March 7.—This session of the legislature has given consent to amendments to the Infants act, under which the custody of the children up to the age of fifteen is vested in the mother, and after that age in the father, with provisions for the judge ousting the right of either in favor of the other for cause.

DRUGGISTS PROFITEER ON WHISKEY DOSES

NEW YORK, March 7.—A strong movement in favor of establishment of government agencies for selling whiskey on prescriptions has been started as a result of the profiteering by druggists. As high as $12 per pint for very poor whiskey was charged.

NEWFOUNDLAND BISHOP DIES

SYDNEY, N.S., March 7.—Rt. Rev. Michael Power, Bishop of St. George's church, Newfoundland, died here this morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cozzolino, following a brief illness from pneumonia.

GARBAGE RATES MUST PAY COST

Mayor Declares Will Not Let Any Deficit be Met Out of the Taxes

"While 50 per cent of the cost of scavenging was not met by receipts, and became a charge on the funds of the city, in 1919, we will have a different system for 1920," declared Mayor J. A. McDonald Saturday night.

"Whatever way of making receipts meet expenditures in that department is adopted, I will not stand for any part of the cost being taken out of the taxes," the mayor declared. "The service must be paid for by the parties benefitting."

To replace the rate of 25 cents per month, which ran the city into the hole last year, Mayor McDonald suggests 25 cents per can of garbage removed.

In order to get the garbage rates fixed and in force early, the mayor may call a special meeting of the city council for some night this week.

OBITUARY

McGAULEY

The death took place in his home at Castlegar, on Saturday, of Robert, T. McGauley, aged 19. Until recently the young man was attending high school in Nelson. The body is at the Standard Undertaking parlors.

MOFFATT

Aged 72 years, James Moffatt, who since last August had been visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Hodgson of Cranbrook, died at the latter's home on Feb. 25, 10 days after a paralytic stroke. He was a native of Amherst, N. S. Mr. Moffatt is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Hdgson, formerly of Nelson; by his granddaughter, Miss Helen Hodgson, of the teaching staff of the central school; by another daughter, Mrs. H. G. Hunter, of Kansas City; and by three sons, Howard, Lloyd and Osborne, all of Perdue, Sask.

Grape prices have more than doubled in California since prohibition.

STOMACH DISORDER

ONLY 6 MONTHS TO LIVE

Read What B. B. B. Did for Him

Mr. Hanz Kehki, Magnolia, Alta., writes:—"Some years ago I became very sick from stomach disorder, which the doctor told me had started from drinking bad water. I tried local doctors, but finding I got worse from day to day I went to a doctor in Edmonton. He told me that I must have an operation, and that if I didn't I couldn't live any longer than six months. I told him I had better die after six months than be cut to pieces. I did not have the operation, but returned home. No one was there to meet me at the station, because they did not know I was coming. I felt so bad I couldn't walk farther than 10 yards without resting. It took me 6 hours to walk 2 miles; the distance from the station to my home.

Some weeks later I read an advertisement about your Burdock Blood Bitters. After I had used one bottle I felt much better, and after I had used three bottles I was completely cured; therefore you see your B. B. B. has saved my life, and I cannot praise it too highly."

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Every Home In Canada Needs "FRUIT-A-TIVES"

To those suffering with *Indigestion, Torpid Liver, Constipation, Sick or Nervous Headaches, Neuralgia, Kidney Trouble, Rheumatism, Pain in the Back, Eczema and other skin affections*, "Fruit-a-tives" gives prompt relief and assures a speedy recovery when the treatment is faithfully followed.

"Fruit-a-tives" is the only medicine made from Fruit—containing the medicinal principles of apples, oranges, figs and prunes, combined with valuable tonics and antiseptics.

50c a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

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The Daily News Job Department carries the largest stock of envelopes in the interior of British Columbia.

It can supply them in any quantity from 250 up to 100,000, printed or plain.

The envelope with address, or name and address in the corner, is good advertising and gives a better impression than a plain envelope.

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Which Will SAVE TIME and MONEY in Your Business

Our output of office stationery is the largest in the interior and it may be that our experience can be applied to your advantage in connection with forms for use in your business.

If we can help with suggestions we shall be glad to do so.

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Notices—Birth or Marriage Notices, Death Notices, Funeral Notices, Cards of Thanks, In Memorium Notices, 2½c a word, minimum 50c. List of Wedding Presents or Floral Offerings, 10c a line.

Black face capitals three times the rate for ordinary type.

Black face type, double rates for ordinary type,

Black face capital headlines, 25c.

Local Reading Notices — 2½c per word each insertion. In black face or machine capitals, 3c per word. Black face capitals 4c per word, 25 per cent discount if run for one month or more. Where advertisement is set out in short lines the charge is 12½c per line for Roman type, 15c for black face, and 20c for black face capitals. Minimum charge 35c.

56 Births

BORN—On Feb. 12, at Orillia, Ont., to Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Johnson, formerly of 1918 Carbonate St., Nelson, an eleven pound daughter. Mother and daughter are doing well. (6743)

10 Male Help Wanted

WANTED—Dishwasher, male or female. Apply The Grill. (6749)

WANTED—Eight first class millwrights. Apply to Wilder & Riggs, Boulder Creek, B.C. (6750)

WANTED—General agents for Diamond Motor Gas, agency worth fortune, motorists buy on sight, big profits. Diamond Manufacturing Co., 524-Colman Building, Seattle, Wash. (6748)

WANTED—Planer mill foreman; first class man to take charge of plant; must be able to file for resaw. East Kootenay Lumber Co., Ltd., Jaffray, B.C. (6736)

WANTED — 10 log cutters; paying $1.75 per thousand feet; good timber, under ten logs to thousand feet. Level ground. Salmo Cedar Company, Park Siding. (6741)

COEUR D'ALENE MINES

WANTED — Miners, $5.75; muckers, $5.75; timbermen, $6.25; eight hour shift; steady employment; no blankets needed; modern boarding and rooming houses, with bath, steam heat, electric light, reading rooms; good houses for rent to men with families. Write or apply to Mines' Employment Office, Geo. T. Edmiston, Mgr., Wallace, Idaho. (6668)

CHEMISTS and Laboratory Men wanted in hundreds of Canadian Laboratories. Get effective training by home study. Write for Free Prospective. International Correspondence Schools, Montreal. (6606)

WANTED—Steam engineer holding 2nd or 3rd class certificate. Kootenay Shingle Co., Ltd., Salmo, B.C. (6656)

WANTED — At once, one millwright, two tail sawyers, one carriage rider. Otis Staples Lumber Co., Ltd. (6678)

WANTED—Cook and cookee, also number good woodsmen; none other required. Wages $5.50 per day for logging camp at Erickson, B. C. J. B. Winlaw. (6679)

WANTED — Competent planer mill foreman; two Berlin machines; must be able to file 6 in. band saw. Apply D. St. Denis, Nelson, or F. C. Robinson, Summit Lake, B.C. (6680)

Saw Filer Wanted

WANTED—By March 15th, thoroughly experienced saw filer for saw mill with 8,000 ft. capacity. Lumber chiefly spruce, some fir. Double cutting band saw, edger and cluster edger, slasher, lath and trimmer saws. Apply stating wages required, either with or without helper, at your own option. U. G. G. Saw Mills, Limited, Hutton, B. C. (6617)

Saw Mill Foreman Wanted

WANTED—By March 15th, first class saw mill foreman for double cutting band mill. Capacity about 85,000 ft. daily, chiefly spruce. Apply stating wages required to U. G. G. Saw Mills, Limited, Hutton, B. C. (6616)

Planing Mill Foreman

WANTED—By April 1st, thoroughly experienced planing mill foreman to handle mill of 100,000 feet. Must be capable of handling cast feed planers, etc. Apply at once, stating experience and wages required. U. G. G. Saw Mills, Limited, Hutton, B. C. (6615)

Saw Mill Yard Man

WANTED—At once, capable man to take charge of our saw mill lumber yard. Will control pilers of green stock and loaders to planing mill. Saw mill capacity 85,000 feet daily. Apply stating wages required to U. G. G. Saw Mills, Limited, Hutton, B. C. (6614)

Engineer Wanted

WANTED—At once, chief engineer for saw mill having 85,000 feet capacity. Applicants must have second class B. C. papers and are requested to state wages required. U. G. G. Saw Mills, Limited, Hutton, B. C. (6613)

11 Female Help Wanted

WANTED — Experienced waitress at Nelson Cafe. (6752)

WANTED—Girl for general housework for couple weeks. Mrs. Russel, 206 Victoria St. (6751)

GOOD WAGES for home work. We need you to make socks on the fast, easily learned Auto Knitter. Experience unnecessary. Distance immaterial. Positively no canvassing. Yarn supplied. Particulars, 3c stamp. Dept. 82c Auto Knitter Co., Toronto. (6677)

12 Situations Wanted Female

COMPETENT stenographer desires position. Apply Box 6654 Daily News. (6654)

35 For Rent

TO RENT—Offices on upper floor K. W. C. block. Apply A. Macdonald Co. (6685)

14 Furnished Rooms to Rent

FURNISHED ROOMS—Clean, comfortable, steam heat, shower baths, $2.25 per week, $9.00 and $10.00 per month. Y.M.C.A. (6681)

23 Property for Sale

FOR SALE—Ranch of 20½ acres, directly in front of the C.P.R. Hotel at Balfour, B.C. Fifteen acres of which consists of bearing fruit trees. Cottage, barn, etc. Has 1040 feet water frontage. Apply Mrs. Proctor, 1639 Monterey Ave., Victoria, B.C. (6672)

FOR SALE—Five acres near station, P.O. and school; fenced; two acres cleared. Box 6671 Daily News. (6671)

142 ACRES for sale, or will trade for land near Nelson. About 60 acres under cultivation. This land adjoins Fort Pitt, Sask., and is the centre of Fort Pitt settlement. No buildings, fenced on three sides. Price $2500 cash. P. O. Claassen, Castor, Alta. (6674)

FOR SALE—8 room house, stone foundation, three 50-ft. lots, fruit trees. Latimer and Cherry. Cash or terms. Box 962, Nelson. (6660)

FRUIT RANCH to rent. Apply Strathcona. (6682)

FOR SALE—7½ acres in town of Creston, known as Block C, and part of Block B. Apply to owner, J. B. Barreau, Vancouver, General Delivery. (6283)

A SNAP—4 roomed house, cash $375, or terms. Box 1137 Nelson. (6598)

FOR SALE cheap, or exchange, eleven acres, cornering Shoreacres station; well fenced; over three hundred trees, house and barn. What offers? Frank Sheppard, Saskatoon, Sask. (6624)

FOR QUICK SALE—Baker Street property, Harry Bldr's residence. With 3 lots $5500; with 5 lots $7500. Apply H. & M. Bird. (6641)

$2500 buys 6 room house, 4 lots, 20 bearing fruit trees, small fruits, lawn and garden, and large chicken house. Corner Delbruck and Stanley. $500 cash, balance as rent. Clear title. Apply J. S. Goulding Box 434, or Phone 489L. (6637)

32 For Sale or Rent

FOR SALE OR RENT—110-acre ranch, 23 head cattle; 2 story barn, 36x24, also barn, 14x36; 10 cows to calve soon, one recently calved; 4-room 2-story house, 32x16. Price $5000. Apply Sku Singh, Crescent Valley, B.C. (6744)

40 roomed rooming house, full up to the top, in central location. Good buy or rent. Box 17, Trail, B.C. (6734)

22 Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Dry 16-inch wood and shingle kindling in bundles. Furniture moving. F. Williams, Transfer. Phone 246R-1. (6390)

WANTED—For delivery April, 1½ tons seed potatoes, any good variety, white preferred. State price when writing. Porteous, Queen's Bay. (6601)

28 Miscellaneous Wanted

HAVE YOUR TREES pruned and grafted. Phone G. H. Fraser (6229)

DRESSMAKING, alterations and fur work done at moderate prices. Phone 176, Mrs. Totera, Svoboda Blk. (6670)

Second Hand Dealers

THE ARK pays cash for second hand furniture, stoves; 606 Vernon, Phone 651. (6684)

26 Machinery for Sale

FOR SALE—Forty-horse engine and boiler, complete, carriage, gummer, blower and countershafts. Price $600 cash. Machinery located at Needles, B.C. For full particulars apply to John deVeer, Acme, Alta. (6447)

FOR SALE—Sawmill, capacity twenty thousand per day. Box factory, capacity one thousand per day. Sash and door machinery. All electric drive. Allen & Norris, Grand Forks, B.C. (6146)

34 Tachers Wanted

WANTED—Teacher for Harrop school; duties to commence after Easter. Apply Secretary, E. Harrop, Harrop, B.C. (6740)

24 Business Opportunities

WILL let a contract to a man with a saw mill to saw a large amount of fine timber. Will deliver logs to mill or contract them. Apply Box 6610 Daily News. (6610)

52 Farms Wanted

WANTED—To rent farm, with two or three cows, team of horses, all implements, five room house with good cellar and water, about half mile from school, near Nelson. Apply Box 6626 Daily News. (6626)

27 Machinery Wanted

WANTED—One horsepower electric motor in good condition. Write giving full particulars and price to News Publishing Company, Ltd., Nelson, B.C. (6689)

19 POULTRY & EGGS

EGGS for hatching—S. C. White Leghorns, pen No. 1. Ferris cockerel, selected, heavy laying pen, $2.50 per 15; pen No. 2, $1.50 per 15. J. B. Bliss, Nelson. (6726)

FOR SALE—Cheap, two geese, 1 gander (Toulouse), 13 exhibition Columbia Wyandottes. W. Davies, Selwyn St., Phone 434R1. (6722)

HOUDAN Setting Eggs, must be from pure bred stock. State price, etc. William Cooper, R.R.1, Aldergrove, B.C. (6673)

FOR SALE—20 Leghorn pullets, good laying strain; pair geese, 1 roan horse, 9 years old, 900 lbs., perfectly sound and good worker; dump cart; light wagon, good condition; one cutter, also sleigh. Owner leaving town. Mrs. S. A. Jenson, Silverton. (6664)

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CHOICE COCKERELS and Trios, Leg-Leghorns, Anconans and Reds. Eggs for hatching in season. A. H. Blumenauer, Box 443, New Denver, B.C. (6687)

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WHITE LEGHORNS—Have a few real good cockerels for sale, bred for show and egg production. F. J. Harbinson, Cranbrook, B.C. (6688)

FOR SALE—Peerless 200-egg incubator, nearly new, $22. H. Orchard, Nelson. (6581)

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HATCHING EGGS—Rose Comb Brown Leghorns; single comb Rhode Island Reds; two thirty per fifteen. Address Box 71, Grand Forks, B.C. (6518)

HATCHING EGGS, S. C. White Leghorns, Hoganized, very good winter layers. $1.50 for thirteen eggs. Mrs. Dickson, R. R. No. 1, Nelson. (6623)

"BUFF ORPINGTON EGGS" for sale—Pure bred stock; per setting of 15, $2.00. Delivery after March 7. J. B. Gallagher, Harrop, B.C. (6633)

20 Livestock for Sale

FOR SALE—Registered pure bred Ayrshire cow, good milk and butter cow; bred to pure Ayrshire bull, due to freshen next month, third calf. Price $150.00. W. Burke, Fruitvale, B.C. (6746)

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FOR SALE—Pure bred registered Jersey bull, three years old; also good sound ranch horse. Apply to Capt. R. Ellis, Boswell, B.C. (6600)

FOR SALE—One team horses, harness and wagon; also fresh cow, separator. Twenty laying hens and saddle. 313 Mines Road, Nelson. Phone 103L2. (6605)

HOLSTEIN bull calves, choice of two; bred from splendid milking record stock; pedigrees on application; prices $2.50 and $2.00. M. Catheart Scott, Newgate, B.C. (6625)

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Spitz Pomeranium dog, small size, gentle and affectionate. Price $15. Mrs. J. Hoogerwerf, Nakusp, B.C. (6636)

21 Livestock Wanted

CHESTER WHITE or Yorkshire Brood Sows in pig wanted. Send full particulars to Frank Martin, Gray's Creek, Kootenay Lake. (6713)

37 Boats and Automobiles

FOR SALE—Launch, 24 feet long, 5 ft. 6 beam; with top and side curtains, good sea boat, in first class condition—12 h.p. two cylinder Barber engine. Also galvanized iron boat house, 30 feet long. Apply R. M. Bird. (6665)

FOR SALE — Launch, 28 feet long, Reynold's engine, 15-20 h.p., also boat house, 40 feet long, considered one of the best boats on the lake. Cornall, R. R., No. 1, Phone 462M4. (6603)

18 Articles for Sale

FOR SALE—1 40in. blower; 1 Berlin band resawer, No. 342, with filing outfit complete; 1 Acme shingle machine and packer; half-mile double track No. 18 steel rails; 1 circular resaw; 1 jack ladder, including drive and specials complete; four pairs imber buggy wheels; top saw frame and arbor complete; 1 13x16 in. engine; 1 14x18in. engine; number line rolls with chain drive, boxings, pulleys, etc. At Ducks Creek, B.C. J. B. Winlaw. (6737)

FOR SALE—Eastman Kodak, postcard size, in first class condition; with tank developer and trays. Reasonable. Address P. O. Box 704, Nelson. (6667)

FOR SALE—Stevens Armory Model Target Rifle, 22-calibre, in best of condition, $20.00. A. H. Sanderson, Sandon, B.C. (6733)

54 Articles Wanted

WANTED—Canoe, in good condition. Apply Box 6727 Daily News. (6727)

WANTED—Buckboard or light buggy. Must be in good repair and reasonable. Write particulars, P.O. Box 92. (6640)

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News of Sport

CARPENTIER TO TOUR CANADA

NEW YORK, March 7.—Georges Carpentier, French heavyweight champion, will visit the principal cities of Canada while on his tour of this country under the management of Jack Curley. The tour will begin May 3 and will last ten weeks. It is possible that the Carpentier-Dempsey fight may be staged under Curley's auspices if the big Californian gets his troubles with the United States government settled in the meantime.

LOTS OF GOOD HOCKEY AHEAD

TORONTO, March 7.—The statement from Vancouver that the winners of the Pacific Coast league will not consent to meet Ottawa in Toronto excites no interest here. There is too much good hockey on the cards. It is more doubtful if the Arena could be secured to stage the Stanley Cup games. On Tuesday, March 16 and Thursday, March 18, Sons of Ireland, of Quebec, meet Toronto 'Varsity, total goals scored in the two games to decide the event. The winners are to play the winners in the O.H.A., on March 22 and 24 in the semi-finals for the Allan Cup and the finals for this trophy with the western champions are set for March 27 and 29. With such a programe served up to them for the balance of the month, Toronto hockey fans can hardly spare time to think about the professional end of the game, and the baseball season is not far off.

EDMONTON ESKIMOS BEATEN ON HOME ICE

EDMONTON, March 7.—For the second time this season the Edmonton Eskimos were defeated on their own ice when the Selkirks nosed out a win in overtime play the score being 6 to 5. Having secured a two goal lead by outplaying the visitors in the first two periods the local team relaxed in the third and the selkirks tied up the score. In the overtime Joe Simpson broke away from his own goal for a rush and shot which won the game.

ST. PATRICK'S TEAM TAKE GAME FROM QUEBEC

TORONTO, March 7.—With St. Patricks out of the running for the National Hockey League title this season, the crowd that witnessed St. Patricks wallop Quebec here on Saturday were comparatively small. The local team was the better of the two and appeared able to score when they felt so inclined. The result was 11 to 2.

SCOTTISH TEAM WILL NOT COME

TORONTO, March 7.—The Sunday World's Montreal correspondent wired Saturday that the D.F.A. officials last Monday received a cable from Con Jones stating that Newcastle United had declined the invitation to tour Canada this summer. No reason was given for the refusal, but Jones stated that he would be in Glasgow, Scotland, at the week end and would endeavor to have the Glasgow Rangers or Celtic to make the trip.

The World says: "Failing to secure a Scottish league club, Jones would go back to England and approach the following clubs in the order given—Everton, Chelsea and Aston Villa. These are all first division clubs and would be big drawing cards on a tour across Canada. "A cable is expected from Jones this week announcing the team that will come to Canada and then the D.F.A. tour can be mapped out and the financial arrangements completed.

INDIAN BASEBALL PLAYERS TO TOUR

MONTREAL, March 7.—A team of full blooded Indian baseball players from the Caughnawaga reservation here will tour America in the coming summer. Louis A. Courette who weighs 350 pounds is manager of the club and is arranging the dates. Players who have already signed with the Indian club for the tour are Chief Pine Tree Nelson, Chief Red Eagle Smith, Chief War Devil Lafrance, Joseph Tarbell and other chiefs from Philadelphia and elsewhere, big Six Jacks is playing captain and Peugen Regs business manager. The team has secured the Boston Braves uniform, and with the additional playing force they are open for a challenge from all clubs in Canada and the United States.

MASSACHUSETTS CHAMPION WINS RACQUET TITLE

BOSTON, March 7.—Charles S. Peabody, Massachusetts champion, yesterday won the National amateur squash racquet title, defeating Stanley W. Pearson, of Philadelphia, who had held it for three years. The score of the match was 4-15; 11-15; 15-12; 15-11; 15-11.

FALKINER WINS

LONDON, March 7.—In billiards Inman failed in conceding Falkiner, 1500 in 16,000, the latter winning by 1109.

The Swiss government is creating an aerial fleet.

At THE THEATRES

Miss Bertha Farner, one of the most gifted singers of this continent, who will appear with her company on Thursday at the opera house, made her musical debut at the age of 17 with the Tivoli Opera company of San Francisco, in the same theatre in which Alice Neilson and Tetrazzini made their initial appearances.

During her musical career she has appeared as soloist with the Los Angeles Symphony orchestra, with the Mancini Opera company of New York, the English Grand Opera company, the San Carlo Grand Opera company, and other famous organizations.

Abroad, she appeared with the opera company of Nimes, France, and in concert in Paris, London, Brussels and other musical centres. She sang the part of "Manon" before Massenet himself, and was warmly congratulated by that great master for the "sweet, persuasive voice" with which she sang the church scene.

Her training has been with such masters of vocal art as Jean de Reszke, Elie Tequi of Paris, Shakespear of London, and Piccoli of Milan.

Miss Farner is a young woman of exceptional personal charm. She has a sweet and modest demeanor which wins her audiences, and a boundless ambition which compels her to make every appearance worthy of the highest standards of her art.

KING ATTENDS GAME

LONDON, March 7 (Candian Press).—King George witnessed a capital struggle between the army and the air force, the army winning by three goals and two tries to three tries.

The United Service versus Richmond at Portsmouth proved another triumph for W. J. Davis, the services winning 3 to 1. Although the London Welsh beat the old Blues by a placed goal and a goal from Mark to nil, the Blues played a surprisingly good game forward. London Scottish won easily from London hospital who were overwhelmed in the scrimmage and outplayed outside.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON, March 7 (Canadian Press).—Saturday's rugby football results were as follows:

Blackheath 6, Plymouth 3; Old Merchant Taylors 17, Old Alleyonians 5; Gloucester 6, Bristol 3; Cardiff 3, Newport 3; Leicester 20, Harlequins 0; Swansea 4, Llanelly 0; London Scottish 31, London 5; Aberavon 21, Neath 0.

Northern League

Halifax 18, Broughton 2; Hull 15, Wigan 13; Huddersfield 22, Hull Kingston 5; Hunslet 15, Keighley 8; Rochdale 6, Widnes 5; Salford 3, Oldham 9; St. Helens Recreation 17, Leigh 5; St. Helens 11, Warrington 3; York 20, Leeds 28; Bramley 5, Wakefield 5.

Huddersfield gained a brilliant victory over Liverpool before nearly 50,000 people, running their opponents almost to a standstill in the last half hour . In the first half the play was only moderate on both sides, who appeared to be over anxious. Miller gave Liverpool the lead five minutes after the change of ends through a blunder by the home goalkeeper, then Swann put in a lovely goal for Huddersfield, Taylor scoring nine minutes after.

Before 25,000 spectators Bristol was decidedly more at ease on the greasy ground than the visitors, Harris for Bristol scoring in each half. Bristol owed much of their supremacy to Nicholson. In the league matches Arsenal gave an excellent account of themselves against Sheffield United, but hopes were dissipated a quarter of an hour before the close when Shaw retired hurt. Fulham were beaten at Barnsley, whose new player Wainscott, delighted the spectators. Portsmouth lost another point against Luton, both goals being obtained in the first half, the treacherous state of the ground making scientific football impossible.

LONDON, March 7 .(Canadian Press).—Probably no game for the rest of the season will prove so dramatic as when Tottenham went down before Aston Villa yesterday, through Clay, Tottenham's back, putting the ball through his own goal in trying to clear a centre from Kirton. The incident happened seven minutes after the start. Nobody witnessing the game could possibly assert that Aston did not try to win. They were outplayed practically throughout. The Tottenham forwards attacked throughout but their fine middlefield work was spoiled by erratic shooting. The Aston forwards were woefully disappointed, sending in not a single really dangerous shot.

The attendance was 52,000, some arriving at 6 o'clock in the morning. The Chelsea-Bradford game was in some ways an astonishing performance. Bradford in the first half hour played in a manner that gave hopes of victory, but after the change over they went all to pieces. Rain completed Bradford's undoing. Ford was Chelsea's great forward. Little fluked Chelsea's only goal within three minutes.

SENATORS WIN SECOND HALF

MONTREAL, March 7.—(Canadian Press)—Ottawa Senators, by defeating Canadiens here Saturday night 4 to 3, after three minutes overtime play, won the second half of the National Hockey league schedule for the season and the league honors for the year. This is the first time this has been done since the new rule was inaugurated.

Canadiens put a different lineup into the field and played a stronger game than any of the winter, while the score was tied three times during the game. Newsy Lalond scored the first goal and kept the Canadiens in the game at all stages. Ottawas played a brilliant game but were especially strong in defense. They played in spurts and were content to check back if they missed the net, there being always four men on defense.

ENGLAND BEATS WALES

LONDON, March 7.—(Canadian Press)—In a hockey game on Saturday England defeated Wales 8 to 5.

TORONTO UNIVERSITY DEFEATS QUEENS

TORONTO, March 7.—The University of Toronto defeated Queens University here Saturday afternoon in the final game for the intercollegiate junior O.H.A. championship, by a score of 5 to 2.

BRITAIN AND FOCH

Shortly after the armistic the question of offering some sort of national honor to Marshal Foch, the great French soldier, was under consideration. But there were many difficulties that needed to be brushed aside if this was to be done. It is now stated that an offer was made to the French government, through Mr. Lloyd George to M. Clemenceau, that Marshal Foch should receive from the British government a grant similar in amount to that voted to Earl Haig. This offer was declined by the French government, on the ground that such awards were never made to soldiers in France, and there it ended, though Marshal Foch stated that but for the official obstacle he would have been very glad to accept the award in order to hand it over the some military charity in his own country. The original suggestion was that an earldom should be conferred on the French generalissimo, but this was found to be quite out of the question. It is a pity that technical objections stood in the way of such a commendable example of international courtesy and gratitude.

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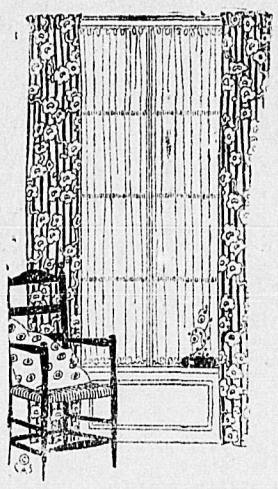

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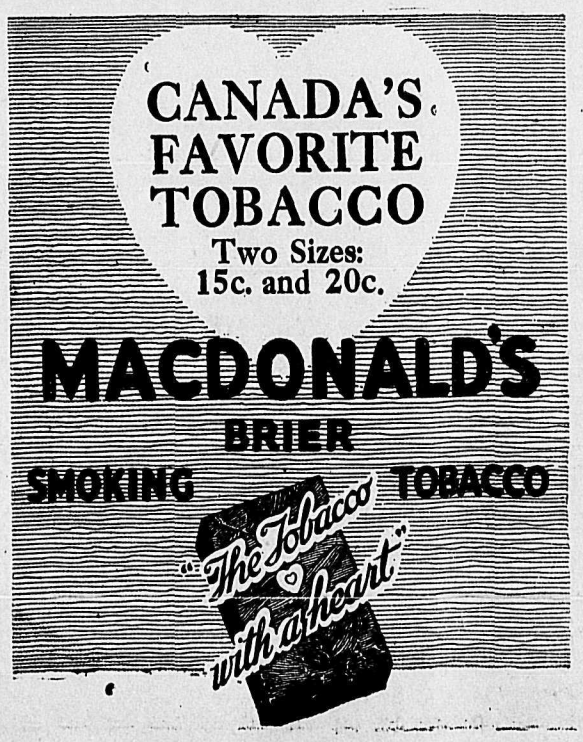

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DUMBELLS ARRIVE WITH BIG PARTY

Some Have English Brides; Boys Recall Swaddling Days of Troupe

Carrying 27 members in their party, all of whom will appear on the stage, the famous Dumbells, the concert party of the 3rd Canadian Division, breezed in from the Crow last night, for their two-night engagement at the Nelson opera house.

With every Paris gown in the trunks of the "lady" members of the party a creation, the premier overseas concert troupe, fresh from its European conquests, is somewhat differently outfitted from what was the case in its swaddling days behind Vimy Ridge, as related by some of the heroes last night.

As told by the boys, Major-General Lipsett wanted an entertainment arranged for one day, to cheer up the victors of Vimy Ridge, which famous piece of ground had just been taken by Canadian arms. He communicated his wish to Capt. M. W. Plunkett, of the now famous smile, who forthwith became the manger of the Dumbells, which he has been ever since. Capt. Plunkett conferred with Sergt.-Major Leonard Young, now "The Duchess," who was able to tickle a tin-pan piano of about 25 working keys, which was dug up somewhere, and an open-air stage was rigged up near Bray hut, in Mont St. Eloi. On that stage Allen Murray was "Marie" for the first time, appearing in a dress made of seven strips of gauze bandage, stolen from as many field dressings, this attire being kept on his frame by shoulder straps of boot-laces.

Marie's Petticoat

The problem arose of providing a petticoat for "Marie," and for this purpose Sergt-Major Young raided a shell-shocked dwelling and secured an old window curtain. Pink socks graced "marie's" feet, and every time she did the high kick the audience howled. After doing duty on the stage, the curtain was recognized and reclaimed by the officers mess, from which the serget-major had unwittingly salvaged it. Murray also did a bachanal dance, wearing a sandbag, with one arm bare, and bare legs, and holding a rum-jar under his arm in lieu of the traditional bunch of grapes.

The first concert was given in a drizzle, and the air was none too balmy, but it was a great success, and sealed the destiny of the little group of participants.

Arthur Holland, who was at the head of the Bow Bells concert party, the most famous of the imperial troupes, and who came in contact with the Dumbells at Mons, joined the party at Toronto as one of the leading ladies.

Several members of the party are acompanied by their English brides.

Up to their arrival in Canada, the Dumbells had given over 500 performances of their overseas revue, "Biff! Bing! Bang!" and had royalty as audience in both Beligum and England.

FUNERAL OF LATE JOSEPH CAREY

The late Gunner Joseph Carey, who died at Balfour sanatorium on Wednesday, was buried on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock with full military honors, a large number of returned soldiers and the G.W.V.A. band being present.

Rev. Father Althoff conducted the service at the undertaking parlors of the Standard Furniture company, after which the cortege proceeded to the city cemetery, a party of soldiers acting as pall-bearers.

Floral offerings were received from the patients of Balfour sanatorium, from the Women's Auxiliary of the G.W.V.A. and from the G.W.V.A.

WINTER DYING HARD

With curling still on at the rink Saturday, and with a snowfall last evening, the signs of spring are not very noticeable.

TROLLEY WIRES CARRIED AWAY

Car For Fairview Causes Mess on Water Street; Service Out for Time

Through the fouling of the trolley with the trolley wire in some mysterious fashion, about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the street car leaving the switch on Water street bound for Fairview, at that hour, tore down about a block and a half o fthe trolley wire and its supporting guylines, with a great ripping and tearing, accompanied by a dazzling flash.

As the wire parted, the car that did the damage, and the other, which was on the switch, both came to a standstill.

After giving the wreck of wires the once over, the passengers on both cars set out on foot for their destinations. A. S. Horswill, who was coming up town, undertook to notify the authorities, and got Supt. F. C. Ingram on the telephone.

It took about three hours to restore the line to working order.

VETERANS CONCERT IS WELL RECEIVED

Orchestra and Methodist Church Choir Are Assisted by Local Talent

Yesterday's G.W.V.A. concert attracted fully as large an audience as any of its predecessors, the opera house being filled to its capacity by 3.45 in the afternoon, at which hour the concert was to commence. The performance fully lived up to the expectations of the audience.

Johnson's orchestra opened the program with a selection, "Destiny Waltz," which was admirably executed, as also were two later selections by the orchestra.

The Methodist church choir of about 40 voices gave two anthems, "Spirit Immortal," and "Te Deum," both of which were vigorously applauded.

Master Arthur Stringer, applauded on appearance, sang two solos, "Just for Today," and "My Task," which were followed by a reading by Miss Freda Hume.

M. Macartney rendered "Recessional" very effectively after which J. Graham sang "A Sailor's Grave," which proved so acceptable that an encore was demanded.

Mrs. Austen Elliott's vocal solo "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" was well received, as also was "Peace and Rest," sang by Mrs. C. W. Tyler.

The last number on the program, "Comrades' Song," was rendered by the choir and was probably their best offering of the afternoon. The collection amounted to $20.

NELSON ARTIST HOME FOR SUMMER

Miss Carol Koch, daughter of W. C. E. Koch, who has completed her studies at the Lockwood Art school, Kalamazoo, Mich., has returned to Nelson to spend the summer. Miss Koch first took a two-years correspondence course in art with the Kalamazoo institute, following this with a year's study in attendance at the school. She also did much practical work in cover designing and cartooning.

A characteristic sample of Miss Koch's work is now on view in the window of J. O. Patenaude's jewelry store.

SENATOR ROBERTSON'S FATHER IS DEAD

OTTAWA, March 7. — Gavin E. Robertson, father of Senator Gideon Robertson, died today at the family residence in Fenwick, Ont. He was 74 years old. His funeral will be held in Fenwick on Tuesday. Mrs. G. D. Robertson, Roy Robertson and Miss Mabel Robertson, all of Ottawa, left today to attend the funeral. Senator Robertson was with his father at the time of death.

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Social and Personal

F. G. Campbell of Rossland is registered at the Hume.

G. O. Reid of Grand Forks registered at the Strathcona.

T. L. Davies of Salmo was a Nelson visitor on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cobb of Hall were city visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wetherill of Cranbrook are visitors in Nelson.

Frank Edwards, the Slocan mining man, has returned from a trip to Victoria.

S. S. Fowler, manager of the Blue Bell mine at Riondel, was in the city Saturday.

Archie Donaghy left yesterday for Creston to appear for the defence in a trial which is to take place today.

Miss Thurma Ross, who has been visiting the last six weeks visiting friends at the coast, returned home Friday.

Mrs. F. G. Graham of Coleman, Alta., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maltby, who will celebrate their golden wedding on Thursday.

C. C. Packman, late accountant of the Hudson's Bay company's stores here, left Friday for Calgary to take up his new position with the Hudson's Bay company in that city.

Mrs. G. A. Smith entertained about 20 young people at her home in Fairview Saturday night. The evening was spent in games and music and about 11.30 dainty refreshments were served.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

For Rent—Small store, Baker St. very central. C. W. Appleyard. (6724)

Take it to Taylor the Tinker and he'll fix it. (6342)

"Hazel Floener, contralto, pianist, elocutionist, at Baptist Church, March 17th." (6728)

The Maccabees will hold a Whist Drive Thursday, March 18th. (6739)

Henry's Burr's newest songs, "Daddy, You've Been a Mother to Me," and "Tumble In," Victor Dept., Willis Pianos, Ltd., "The New Store," 304 Baker Street. (6738)

Mrs. Jelfs' and Miss Ewert's Circle. Tea and Bake Sale at Mrs. Ewert's residence, Friday, March 12th. (6753)

BELA KUN IS STILL IN CUSTODY

PARIS, March 7.—Bela Kun is still in Custody in Austria. A short time ago an attempt was made by 10 Hungarian officers to release him, but it was foiled.

BONES OF MISSING SOLDIERS FOUND

RHEIMS, March 7.—Nearly 100 skeletons of those who are on the great list of "missing" in the war, have been located a few miles from here in the advnced trenches near the canal lock of Sapigneule. The bleached bones were found in shell craters and also in territory which was scarred by the great German shells, but where the thick underbrush had hidden them from view.

GRAND TRUNK SHEDS ARE BURNED DOWN

LONDON, March 7.—Fire of unknown origin wrought complete destruction to the Grand Trunk freight sheds early Sunday morning and also destroyed eeight freight cars loaded with merchandise which were on the sidetrack immediately south of the sheds. The damage will exceed $200,000, but just how great the loss will be officials of the Grand Trunk were unable to say.

BILL TO PROVIDE INSURANCE FOR VETERANS

WINNIPEG, March 7.—A bill providing for state insurance for veterans of the war who are unable to take out insurance in private companies because of their physical condition as a result of wounds, is being drafted and will be submitted to the present session of parliament according to a message which has been received by the dominion secretary of the Army and Navy Veterans association here from the government.

In reply the other representations notice has also been received, from Ottawa that instructions have been issued to all military districts that men for discharge be given 15 days notice of light duty with pay and allowance over and above the gratuity pay in lieu of leave of absence.

Grass and Clover Seeds

We have some lines already to hand, and have a larger shipment coming of No. 1 Government Standard Timothy and Clovers, Fancy Redtop, Orchard Grass, Rye Grass, etc.

Will also have Field Roots Seeds, such as Mangel, Sugar Beet, White Belgian Carrot, Swede Turnip, Rape, Etc.

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AUGMENTED BY STARS FROM EACH CANADIAN DIVISION IN THEIR ORIGINAL OVERSEAS REVUE
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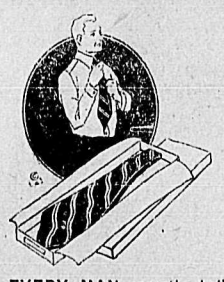

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