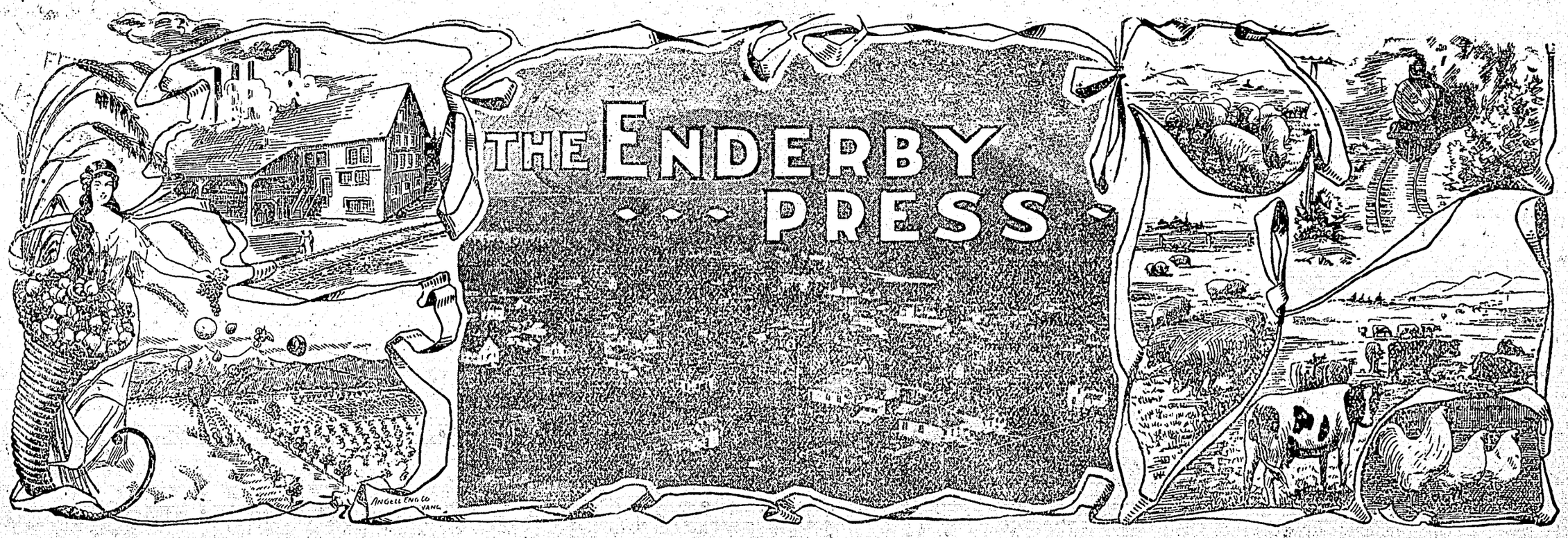

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Enderby and District

The ice harvest is being cut this week. The quality is second grade.

Mrs. Bloomenaur, of New Denver, passed away a few days ago at Nelson.

Corp. Tom Robinson spent the week-end with his family, returning to his post Saturday evening.

W. J. Woods' home-cured hams and bacon are in demand. His output this winter is about four tons.

Joe Doerflinger has leased the 10-acre farm of Jas. Ellison, at Mara, which he will operate this year.

Wm. Witala drove a team of light work-horses in from Mara last Thursday morning, and sold them for $375.

Mr. Geo. Bell occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, speaking on behalf of the layman's missionary movement.

Q.-M. Sgt. Barnes is enjoying a prolonged furlough at his home from the military camp at Vernon, owing to a serious break in his health.

Clarence Patterson, of Boisevain, Man., arrived in Enderby on Saturday to spend a few weeks with his grandfather, Mr. J. S. Johnstone.

The cold spell of the past few days has greatly improved the roads and is just what the teamsters hauling logs to the sawmill required to get the winter's cut into the water.

The March revision of the Okanagan telephone directory will be out about the 15th. If you want your name on the new list application should be made by the 1st of the month.

A horse buyer was in from the Northwest this week. He was prepared to buy ten carloads if the horses were to be had. He said it was quite impossible to supply the demand for horses on the prairie farms.

Another DeWolf Hopper feature film was shown at the Opera House before an appreciative audience. Another interesting feature was a Ford educational film telling the story of Canada's prolific wheat harvest.

Rev. Mr. Curry left for Victoria last Thursday to join the Medical corps for Overseas. The following arrangements have been made for supply of the Methodist pulpit to the end of the conference year: First Sunday in March April, May and June, Mr. Welch; second Sunday, Rev. R. Lee, of Armstrong; third Sunday, union service in Presbyterian Church; fourth Sunday, union service in Baptist Church.

It is now conceded that the soldiers' vote has defeated the Prohibition measure voted on at the last election. The Prohibition leaders are now attempting to get a bill through the coming session of the legislature prohibiting the sale of liquor while the war lasts. Most people are prepared to stand by the result of plebiscite.

Will Buy Produce

The announcement in this issue of The Press by J. E. Crane that he is in the field to buy all kinds of farm produce, should be very welcome news, particularly for the small producer who has experienced considerable difficulty in the past in finding a ready market. Mr. Crane is a pioneer resident of the district, and knows the needs of the market and where to find what the market needs. He intends to act for the farmers in dealing direct with the coast market. By taking small quantities as well as carload lots, Mr. Crane believes he will be able to render a much needed service to the growers of the locality.

Hospital Meeting

The public meeting in the City Hall last Friday evening, called to elect members on the new hospital board, was attended by only a few citizens. Rev. J. A. Dow, as chairman of the old board, which has served so faithfulls the past year or more, took the chair and briefly explained the object of the meeting. Mr. Davies, as secretary of the board laid before the meeting the constitution of the new board, together with the papers of incorporation. It was explained that the board had been duly incorporated under the Hospitals Aid Act. Under this Act, one member of the board is appointed by the Government, two by the City and four are elected by the members. The board as thus composed then elects officers from the directors so appointed.

The following were named by the meeting: Mrs. Reeves, Miss Gibbs, Dr. Keith and H. G. Davies. Rev. J. A. Dow has been named as the Government member. The members to be named by the City are yet to be appointed.

It was explained that thirty-eight names had been added to the membership roll, each of whom has paid the annual fee of $1. The amount of these fees had been applied in payment of current accounts. There was still a balance of $44 indebtedness to be taken over by the new board.

It was decided to make application to the Government for assistance provided for under the Act, and the matter was left in the hands of Dr. Keith and Mr. Davies to prepare the necessary reports.

It was decided that a whist drive shall be held to raise funds to meet the indebtedness taken over by the new board. The date for this entertainment was set for Friday (to-morrow) evening, but as other events are on for that evening, the date is to be set by the committee.

Is there any ambition more noble than to be a producer of the necessaries of life when the Empire is calling for food!

Trench Comforts

The Trench Comfort Club sent boxes of seven pounds each to the following Enderby boys serving in France, this week: Ptes. C F. Oland, W. Garratt, P. Cowan, V. Bogert, R. Wilson, Pat Mowat, J. Funk, J. A. Pacey, H. A. Bogert, E. Rogers, L. Mackay, G. Duncan, Fred Johnson, J. D. Nichol, Elmer Black, Cecil Wynn, Sam Roberts, Hugh Bowers, Sid Allcorn, J. Morton, H. Preston, L. Funk, G. Smedley, J. White and D. M. Dunwoodie.

The following contributed to the boxes: Mesdames Bogert, Funk, Nichol, Lucas, Oldford, J. Evans, Matthews, Gray, Smedley, Marshall, Dunwoodie, Scaling, Teece, Carefoot, Faulkner, Garratt, Duncan, Wm. Duncan, McPherson, S. Polson, Peel, Geo. Folkard, Beattie, Landon; Misses Teece, E. Cook, S. Cook, Faulkner, Paradis, Duncan, Beattie, Messrs. Jas. Evans, Hartry, Roy Wheeler, A Friend, Vera Sharpe Iva Evans.

The following ladies kindly knit socks for the parcels: Mesdames Garratt, Evans, Marshall, Speers, Nichol, Faulkner, McMahon, Bogert, Gaylord, Matthews, Reid, Mitchell, Mackay, Sowden, Wilson, Strickland, and Carefoot, Miss Ruttan.

The following monies from the "chain teas" were received since the last report: Mesdames Leighton, 60c; Schultz, 30c; Cameron, 90c: Fravel, $1; Mackay, 50c; Baird, 40c; Golightly, 40c; Hallett, 75c; Schammihorn, $1; Jaquest, 30c; Radford, 30c; Keith, 50c; Vogle, 60c; Graham, $2; G. Folkard, 50c; E. Mack, 50c; McKee, 50c; Miss F. Johnston, $1.

CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND

The treasurer of the Canadian Patriotic Fund acknowledges the following contributions received since publication of the last list:

Miss S. Cooke	$ 2.00
Mrs. James	10.00
H. Knapp	2.00
A. D. Stroulger	2.50
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R. L. Lidstone	.50
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Kelowna onions sold for $115 a ton in Vancouver last week.

You are missing a rare treat if you fail to enjoy that chicken dinner at the King Edward Sunday evening.

Men and Things as Seen Thro' Hank Reklaw's Periscope

Undue leniency on the part of the Government in the matter of collecting school taxes in unorganized districts, has made it extremely difficult for school trustees in these localities to keep the schools running. Their borrowings for school purposes have had to be made on the credit of the trustees themselves, the Government affording no relief whatever for school taxes uncollected. This matter came up at a recent meeting of the Southern B. C. Weekly Section of the C. P. A., and a resolution passed calling on the Government to hold annual sales of lands in arrears for taxes, thus ensuring ample revenues for the handling of the unorganized district schools.

There are moments when one wants to be alone. This is one of them. The motor that makes the wheels go round in the Press plant couldn't get rid of its water this week owing to drainage troubles, and we have had to resort to hand-setting to get the paper out. Too little water is a bad thing. Too much water is worse. We'll have a new drainage system installed this week.

Ultimately the diplomats of the world must resort to an appeal to reason to settle the great conflict for supremacy, but there can be no appeal to reason while our warlords demand the mastery shall be settled by brute force.

When a man works and grows tired, he can enjoy rest. But he who does not work does not get tired and does not enjoy the rest and is always tired—and makes the rest tired.

Europe is an awful disease.

Some local merchants have a habit of bemoaning the large moil order business done in their district, but themselves do very little advertising in their local papers. It might be well to direct the attention of any such io the statement reported to have been made recently by the manager of a large mail order house. "We have a bureau," said he, "whose dnty it is to read the country papers. There is not a paper of any consequence in our territory we do not get. The bureau looks over these papers and when we find a town where the merchants do not advertise in the local papers, or where advertisers do not change their advertisements regularly, we immediately flood that section with literature. It always drings results far in excess of the same effort put forth in territory where the local merchants use the local papers."

The slogan for 1917 is "Grow Something!" Grow, grow, grow! Food is needed. If repor,s are to be believed, there is not much likelihood of the submarine blockade being effective enough to tie up shipping from Canada to the Allies, therefore there should be an unlimited deman for all we can raise at high prices. The demand for farm labor is sure to exceed the supply. This will mean a limited crop in districts which have been the heaviest producers. It is Okanagan's opportunity as well as duty.

And now Teddy Roosevelt threatens to organize an army all his own and go over to France to clean up the enemy! The Germans are already moving the Rhine back.

And co-operation is the only cure for the European plague—at home or abroad.

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B. C. FARMERS' UNION TO ORGANIZE

The formation of a British Columbia Farmers' Union, to include within its scope every branch of the agricultural industry of the Province, was unanimously approved at a crowded convention which opened its session last Friday in Convention Hall, Legislative Buildings, Victoria. Quite 200 delegates from practically all sections of the Province, the majority of whom had been in attendance at the annual gatherings of the Farmers' Institutes, fruitgrowers and stockbreeders, were present, and the Victoria Colonist says, with not a dissenting voice the project to organize the agricultural interests for mutual protection and benefit was adopted. The new organization will be formed along lines similar to the great co-operative organizations of farmers in the Prairie Provinces, will work for the benefit of the producers in every direction and will, it is hoped, supply what has hitherto been lacking in the agricultural industry, an organization which can make itself felt when it comes to speak on behalf of the producers on the multitude of vital questions which concern the well-being of the industry in British Columbia. Acting in conjunction with the Eastern organizations it is felt by the originators of the plan that such co-operation will mean that the voice of the producer in Western Canada will hereafter prove a most potent one.

A Mexican barber carries this notice in his shop: "If you can't raise 15c, raise whiskers." In a Mexican garage a notice reads: "Don't smoke round the tank! If your life isn't worth anything gasoline is!"

HOOKING UP THE PROVINCE

Figures just issued by the B. C. Telephone Co., operating at the Coast and in the Kootenay and Boundary districts, shew that they now have connected up the largest number of phones in the history of the Province. A year ago this company had in use some 39,975 instruments, while today there are not less than 42,572.

Thus is the Province rapidly becoming unified under a single telephone system. The Okanagan Telephone Company, while independent of the coast organization, is operated under the same system, and eventually the Okanagan will be able to talk anywhere over the B. C. Telephone Company's lines, and over the great long distance line now operating from the Pacific Coast to New York. This unifying process will eventually give British Columbia as perfect a telephone system, on a smaller scale, as the great Bell system of the United States—the largest and most perfect system of telephony in the world. The Bell Telephone Company has made America the most talked over country under the sun. The number of Bell telephone stations runs up into the millions, and the number of daily calls over this company's lines are said to average more than twenty millions. These messages are carried over some 12,000,000 miles of wire.

The unifying of telephony by the Bell company has made it the greatest power of quick communication known to civilization, and the perfection of this system has led to the adoption of the idea all over the world. It is only in isolated cases that we see the effort made to parallel an existing telephone line which is giving public service. All such efforts have ultimately resulted in failure. It has been proved in many instances that the only perfect system of communication in a district is by the unified system. Several systems operating in different parts of a district has invariably led to confusion and poorer service, whereas, the bringing of all telephone users in any one district under one system has resulted in every instance in improved service and greater satisfaction. For this reason it is difficult to understand the policy of the Dominion telegraph management in breaking into a district such as the Okanagan where good telephone service has been given for a number of years by the Okanagan Telephone Company, and attempting to be of public service by paralleling lines already in operation.

A Nation's Need

God knows, we need men now! We need men whose trust is not in words, in rhetoric, in fine phrases, or in noble expressions of sentiment, but men, genuine, sincere, devoted; men who do not so talk about their love of country or their passion for liberty or humanity as men who do love their country and do love their liberty so much that they are willing to give liberty to others as well as claim it for themselves; men who think not merely of what they can get out of their country, but of what they can give to their country; men who, upon the basis of plain, practical and sensible hard work in the ordinary affairs of life, carry every noble idealism and a sincere capacity for self-devotion.—Hon. Elihu Root.

A local lad came home from school one day complaining that it was impossible for him to learn to spell because the teacher changed the words on him every day.

SUGAR BEET GROWING FOR OKANAGAN

The announcement is made from Victoria of the possibility of the sugar beet industry being established in the Okanagan and other sections of the Province. It is reported that a representative of California capitalists who have specialized in the development of the sugar beet industry there, is now in the Province making an investigation of climatic and other conditions with the object of doing the same in British Columbia as this syndicate has done in California. It is the object of the syndicate to get legislative sanction, and the whole scheme is now taking shape in consultations with the ministers of the Government, so that by the time the legislature opens the plans of the promoters will be ready for presentation to the House.

The company has particularly in view the development of the beet sugar industry in the United Kingdom as well as Canada. The men behind the proposition are said to have control of extensive capital, so that there is no doubt of their ability to carry out the undertaking which is now being proposed.

One good result of the war will be the divorcing of our agricultural and other industries from the idea that they have to be coddled by the Government.

MANKIND IS AWAKENING

Writing in the Saturday Evening Post, H. G. Wells concludes a remarkable article on the war with these words: "In the last few years I have developed a religious belief that has now become to me as real as any commonplace fact: I think that mankind is still, as it were, collectively dreaming and hardly more awakened to reality than a very young child. It has these dreams that we express by the flags of nationalities and by strange loyalties, and by irrational creeds and ceremonies; and its dreams at times become such nightmares as this war. But the time draws near when mankind will awake and the dreams will fade away; and then there will be no nationality in all the world but humanity, and no king, no emperor, no leader but the one God of mankind. This is my faith. I am so certain of this as I was in 1900 that men would presently fly. To me it is as if it must be so."

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Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent of sub-Agent of the district in which rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights as may be considered necessary for the working of the mine, at the rate of $10 an acre.

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War Stripped Bare

James Douglas, in the London Star, gives this graphic account of the way the Battle of the Somme pictures were received in London:

"There is no doubt that the Somme pictures have stirred London more passionately than anything has stirred it since the war. Everybody is talking about them. Everybody is discussing them. Everybody is debating the question whether they are too painful for public exhibition. It is evident that they have brought the war closer to us than it has ever been brought by the written word or by the photograph. The magic of the cinematograph has done what nothing else could. It has in one stride outpaced the newspaper and the war correspondent. It does not describe; it reveals. It does not reveal all, but what it does reveal is real reality.

"Somebody in the War Office or at G. H. Q. has at last realized that the warfilm is the only substitute for invasion. Somebody has grasped the power of the moving picture to carry the war to British soil. Somebody has had courage and imagination. Instead of displaying only pictures of preparations for battle we are shown pictures of the battle itself. The preparations are there, but they are pushed close to the battle. We see the Manchesters on the eve of the battle standing in a circle round a chaplain in white surplice. We know that many of these immobile men in khaki fell next morning. The visible silence in the picture hushes us with awe. It is one of those dramatic moments that seldom visit a theatre. We are each conscious of the wave of emotion that sweeps over the darkened house. It is made of pity and reverence and the sense of tears in mortal things. There is nothing common or mean in it.

"We see a general sitting like a bronze man on a bronze charger addressing Lancashire Fusiliers and Royal Fusiliers. There is no movement. There is no sound. A stern cold sculpture. Then comes the grim prelude—shell-fire serifying the word-pictures of the correspondents. What we have read we see. All but the noise. Fantastic smoke-shapes, strangely slow in melting. Dark upheavals. And under them we know that German soldiers are hidden in the creases and wrinkles of the soil. We see the monstrous howitzer with its 15-inch mouth, its recoil, the shaking of its mounting, the tremor of branches. It looks like a live thing.

"We see helmeted soldiers fixing their bayonets and being passed round the corner of a trench like a football crowd going through a turnstile. We see a vast mine exploding. We see the earth ascending in a black globe like the dome of St. Paul's, and then falling through the white smoke that persists long after the last fragment has pierced it. We see the engineers hurrying to wire the crater. We see the Worcesters fixing wire-cutters to their rifles. We see all the gears and gadgets of the complex war-machine. It is cold business, stark order moving men like machines and machines like men.

"The drama suddenly becomes tense. We are hardly ready for the shock. We see a row of soldiers standing with fixed bayonets in a trench waiting for the signal to scramble over the parapet. Suddenly an officer is seen on the parapet with a gallant gesture of leadership. He is not alone a second. The whole line lifts and goes over simultaneously. All but two. One on the right. One on the left. They slip back quietly. They lie against the sloping face of the trench. They lie upright with their face to the clay and—the enemy. The man on the right does not move a limb. The man on the left moves his arms a little and then is at rest. This is lightning death wrought before your eyes, and wrought before we recognize it. Through our dazed grief we see the others running forward, one falling here, one falling there, until there is only one gallant figure visible, strolling dauntlessly into the storm.

"Is it right to let us see brave men dying? Yes. Is it a sacrifice? No. If our spirit be purged of curiosity and purified with awe, the sight is hallowed. There is no sacrilege if we are fit for the seeing. And I think the seeing ennobled and exalted us. There was sobbing in the darkness around me. There was a religious reverence in the silence closing over the sobs. There was humility in our tears. Soldiers and civilians came together in a high mood of dumb compassion and mute pity. Death sanctifies. There is nothing vulgar in 'eloquent, just, and mighty Death.'

"I say it is regenerative and resurrective for us to see war stripped bare. Heaven knows that we need the supreme katharsis, the ultimate cleansing. We grow indifferent too quickly. Use and wont atrophy our finer self. It is well to see the curse that war-gods and war-lords have laid upon our Europe. I would not spare my heart one pang. I would not spare your heart one pang. Our beloved ones are not spared these horrors and worse, infinitely worse. Why should we shrink from the dim shadow of their passion? Rather let us drink the cup to the dregs so that our will to make an end of it all for ever may be immutable and immitigable. Therefore I say these pictures are good for us. The dead in the battlefield, the drivers of the gun teams steering the wheels clear of the corpses, the demented German prisoners, the kindly British soldiers showering cigarettes upon their captives, the mangled heap of anguish on the stretcher, the half-naked wounded men in the dressing-stations—let our men and our women see it all and vow that earth shall be delivered from it all. Dead men, dead horses, the dead dog lying beside his dead master—these vilenesses of war."

THE PARENT AND THE CHILD

There is a sowing time and a time to reap. The wise man said: "Bring up the child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it." So it is with the boys of today—just as it has been with the boys of all past days—who are allowed to run the streets at night. This does not mean any particular town, nor does it apply to any particular boy or set of boys, as most towns are afflicted with the same complaint—unless they have a Bob Bailey on the job. Parents leave much to the good graces of the town constable. He is expected to know all about each boy, where he is and what he is doing. And, ordinarily, the constable knows more about the boys and girls than the parents know. Not that it should be so. But it is so. It would be worth more than gold to any parent, and to the boys and girls in after years, if the homelife of the lads and lassies were made such as to make the young people prefer to be at home instead of on the street.

PLEA FOR INCREASED PRODUCTION

For two years and a half, war, red and ruinous, has raged through the world, and still no decision has been reached. There is reason to hope that before 1917 closes the struggle for liberty will have been won, or be greatly advanced. Amid the varying phases of this titanic conflict the fact stands out clearer than ever that agriculture is of supreme importance. Extraordinary measures are being taken by the allied countries to increase and encourage production. It is earnestly hoped that every farmer in Canada will strive to increase the food supply of the Empire. A still powerful and unscrupulous enemy openly avows its intention to try and sink all ships carrying supplies to England during the coming year. In the tremendous strain yet to come a vital factor will be an ample and unfailing flow of food to England and France. No matter what difficulties may face us the supreme duty of every man on the land is to use every thought and every energy in the direction of producing more, and still more.—Martin Burrell, Minister of Agriculture.

Wars Beneficial

In a recent striking article in The Nineteenth Century, J. Ellis Barker declares: "Nations are born in war and die in peace. The hostility of England united the quarreling American colonies and created the United States. Wars, though disastrous to individuals, often prove a blessing to nations. Great Britain's former industrial prominance was founded not on peace but in war. Peace and ease have almost unnoticed deprived Great Britain of the foremost industrial position which she had obtained during the great war and which is now possessed by the United States. On the other hand, the United States may, through peace and ease, fall a prey to that fatal self-complacency and stagnation from which political and industrial Britain has suffered for decades and from which she has been saved by the war. In a few decades, the cost of the world war may appear as small to the citizens of the British Empire as that of the Civil War appears now to most Americans and that of the Napoleonic War to most Englishmen at the present. The war with Napoleon created England's economic supremacy. The Civil War created the industrial supremacy of the world to the British Empire." In this time when the cry for peace seems universal these words strike a new, harsh note. Perhaps in them will be found a simple explanation of the failure of every effort, after every notable war, to secure a guaranteed peace of the world.

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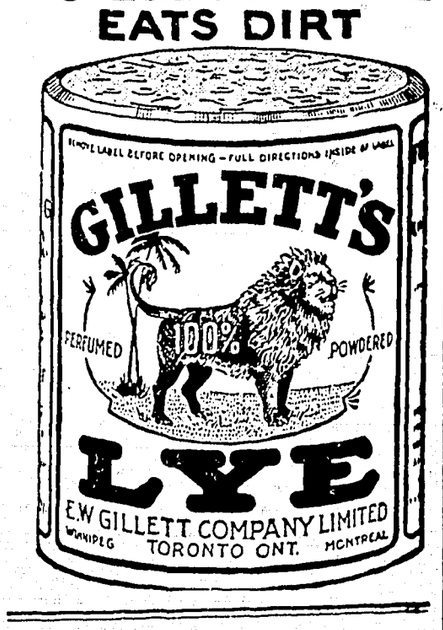

HOW ALL CAN HELP

The announcement of the Minister of Finance to be found in another column, in connection with the new campaign for greater national saving and the larger participation of the general public in financing Canada's war expenditure, and furnishing Imperial credits for the purchase of munitions, will no doubt meet with a ready response from this district. The issue of war saving certificates maturing in three years, in denominations of $25, $50 and $100, will meet the requirements of the man with a small savings account. Certificates of these denominations are obtainable on application to any bank or postal money order office. The prices are $21.50, $43 and $86 respectively; that is to say, for $21.50 lent now to the Government $25 will be returned at the end of three years; for $43 lent now, $50 will be returned, and for $86 lent now $100 will be returned; which means interest on your money at the rate of 5 per cent. with no risk of losing and no cost in the transaction. Provision is made whereby the certificates may be surrendered at any time during the first 12 months at their purchase price; after 12 months, but within 24 months, at $22.25; and after 24 months but within 36 months, at $23.25 for every $21.50 lent. The plan is designed to give the general public the opportunity of contributing by their savings to the winning of the war, and at the same time to encourage and promote individual thrift and economy in every class of individual in the Dominion.

At 94 years of age a Colorado Springs man has taken his fifth bride.

The bigger a man the less his wife need be afraid of him.

Are your Butter Wraps running low?

Better order some now

THE PRINTER'S DREAM

Alpha Beter, Railroad Telegrapher
Last evening I was talking
With a printer aged and gray,
Who told me of a dream he had
Just after Christmas day—

While a-snoozing in his office
The vision came to view;
He saw an angel enter, dressed
In garments white and new.

Said the spirit, "I'm from heaven;
The Lord just sent me down
To bring you up to glory;
Put on your golden crown.

"Many merchants you've made richer,
(From few received full pay);
While you've grown poorer and poorer,
Your business did decay.

"So we need you up in glory,
For you have labored hard
Until your brow is hoary—
You've earned a great reward."

Then the angel and the printer
Started toward the glory gate;
But when passing close to hades
The angel murmured "Wait—

"Here's a nook I wish to show you:
It's the hottest place in hell,
Where the dubs who beat the printer
In awful torment dwell."

The printer saw before him
Old patrons by the score;
An easy chair and fan he grabbed,
And asked for nothing more.

He sat and sat and watched them,
Saw them sizzle, scorch and burn;
And his former debtors saw him
Whichever way he'd turn.

Said the angel: "Come up higher,
And the pearly gates we'll see."
But the printer only answered—
"This is heaven enough for me."

THE YELLOW STREAK

With a pocket full of money
Any coward can be brave;
When the sky 's bright and sunny
Any man his flag can wave.
But the test of every fellow
Is disaster's sudden blow,
And if he 's streaked with yellow
It is then that it will show.

You will never find a quitter
If he's leading in the race;
It is when the fight grows bitter
And another makes the pace
That the coward starts to bellow
And to whimper at his woe;
If a man is streaked with yellow
When he 's pressed it 's sure to show.

Can you stand the gaff of losing,

Can you battle to the end;
Take the cuffing and the bruising
And not let your courage bend?
For the test of pluck is never
When you're leading in the race,
But are you game as ever
When another sets the pace?

A man 100 years old at East Meadows, L.I., recently had his wife, aged 90, arrested for cutting him with a knife.

MORTGAGE SALE

UNDER and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale there will be sold on
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21st, 1917
at 12 o'clock noon at the
KING EDWARD HOTEL,
ENDERBY, B.C.
the following lands and premises in the Province of British Columbia, namely:

Firstly—Part of the Southwest quarter of Section 26, Township 18, Range 9, west of the 6th meridian, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the west boundary of said Section 26 with the south boundary of Johnson street, in the City of Enderby; thence south along said west boundary 18.773 chains; thence S. 89° 47' east 12.877 chains; thence N. 0°13' east 6.00 chains; thence N. 29°35' east 3.14 chains; thence N. 1°36' east 2.21 chains; thence N. 28°29' west 2.665 chains; thence N. 23°19' east 3.11 chains; thence N. 10°24' east 1.08 chains; thence N. 56°39' east 2.49 chains more or less to the said south boundary of Johnson street; thence N. 89°45' west along said boundary 17.01 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing by admeasurement 26.3 acres, as contained in certificate of title No. 7454a1.

Secondly—Part of the southeast Quarter Section 26, Township 18, Range 9, west of the 6th meridian, described as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the east boundary of said Section 27 with the south boundary of Johnson street, in the said City of Enderby; thence south along said east boundary 18.773 chains; thence N. 89°47' W. 20.123 chains; thence N. 0°03' east 19.658 chains; thence S. 89°45' east 6.40 chains more or less to the west boundary of the City of Enderby; thence S. 0°38' west along last mentioned west boundary .909 chains to the south boundary of said Johnson street; thence S. 89°45' east along said boundary of Johnson street 13.715 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing by admeasurement 39.0 acres more or less, as contained in certificate of title No. 7454a2.

Thirdly—Part of the southwest Quarter of Section 26 aforesaid, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a point on the south boundary of Johnson street aforesaid distant 2.694 chains westerly from the boundary of High street; thence N. 89°45' west along the south boundary of Johnson street .494 chains; thence S. 56°39' W. 2.49 chains; thence south 10°24' west 1.08 thence south 23°19' W. 3.11 chains; thence south 23°29' east 2.665 chains; thence S. 1°36' W. 2.21 chains; thence S. 28°35' W. 3.14 chains; thence S. 89°47' E. 3.39 chains; thence N. 30°05' east .874 chains; thence S. 89°47' E. 3.503 chains more or less to the said west boundary of High street; thence N. 0°22' E. along said west boundary 8.303 chains; thence north 89°38' W. 2.694 chains; thence north 0°22' E. 3.712 chains more or less to the point of commencement, containing by admeasurement 6.25 acres, more or less, as contained in certificate of title No. 7454a3.

On the property there is said to be a frame dwelling and a frame barn.

Terms and conditions of sale will be made known at hte time of sale.

For further particulars and conditions apply to—

Messrs. Williams, Walsh, McKim & Housser,
Vendor's Solicitors, 432 Richards Street, Vancouver, B.C.

Dated this 15th day of February A.D. 1917.

The congregations of our city churches consist of people who do not know each other, and do not want to; the congregations of our country churches consist of people who know each other and are sorry they do.—*Montreal Witness.*

WANT ADVERTISEMENTS

Want advertisements, two cents per word first insertion, one cent per word each subsequent insertion, payable on handing in of copy.

WANTED—To rent, a farm with stock and buildings. Apply to Box L., Armstrong, B.C.

GIRL WANTED for light housework; mornings only or all day; no washing. Mrs. C. P. Ryan, Sicamous street.

WANTED—A house girl, for cooking and general housework. Apply, Mrs. A. Buckely, Armstrong.

FOR SALE—No. 2 Chatham Incubator, used few times, $15; also No. 3 Chatham Incubator, in good order, for $10; or will trade for live stock or anything useful on farm. J. Gardner, Box 40, Enderby.

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Paint Your Car Now

With Effecto Auto Paints & Effecto Auto Seat & Top Dressing. The very best paint made for this purpose. One coat of this paint is better than two of any other and costs less money. Sold in 50c., 95c. and $1.75 tins.

THE CITY QUEEN: 6-hole No. 9 Range; high closet; large copper reservoir; the best value ever offered in a range.
Price, only $45.80 cash, $48.50 on terms.

FULTON HARDWARE CO., Ltd

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There is a big demand now for all kinds of Farm Produce at high prices, and I can handle anything from one sack to twenty carloads, for the local market in Vancouver or for export. If you have anything to sell, see me.

If you want to buy anything along this line for seed purposes, see me.

GROW! GROW! GROW! Make every acre count this year! This is the way we can be patriotic, and do our fighting. Food will be needed this year as never before!

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Oil Cake Meal ....-3.10 per 100 Cocoanut Meal.. $2.65 per 100
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Seeds should be purchased early as prices inevitably advance as the Season progresses. In all probability the market will be short and it will be difficult later in the year to make purchases.

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Vancouver Milling & Grain Co. Ltd.
VANCOUVER, B. C.

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Proceeds of this stock are for war purposes only.

A commission of one-quarter of one per cent will be allowed to recognized bond and stock brokers on allotments made in respect of applications for this stock which bear their stamp.

For application forms apply to the Deputy Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA,
OCTOBER 7th, 1916.