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MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

The Fire Chief Is Granted a Small Monthly Salary

Mayor Acres and Ald. Harkness, McArdle, McCabe, McCallum, McDonald and Schnitter were present at the regular meeting of the city council on Monday evening.

A communication was read from the city council of Toronto, asking the council to endorse a petition to the federal government to submit to the electorate at the next general election an amendment to the British North America Act providing for the abolition of the senate of Canada. The council deferred action on the communication.

A communication from the secretary of the school board and the caretaker of the school, asked permission to use the city water one whole day per week for watering the school garden, and also to be allowed to sprinkle the school lawn outside the sprinkling hours when required. They stated the water would be used as economically as possible. Referred to water and light committee, with instructions to report back to the council.

The chairman of the water and light committee reported in favor of paying the chief of the fire department a salary of \$15 per month, commencing with the 1st of May. On motion of Ald. McCabe, the recommendation was approved.

The chairman of the health and relief committee reported that the old buildings in the rear of the city hall had been removed, but a lot of rubbish which had been left made the premises unsightly. He recommended that the chief of police be instructed to make the owners clean the premises. The recommendation was approved. He also reported a Chinaman's premises on Main street to be in an untidy condition.

Matthews Bros asked permission to install a gasoline pump at the edge of the sidewalk in front of their garage on First street. The request was granted.

The council spent the balance of the evening in committee of the whole considering the weights and measures bylaw. The committee rose and reported progress, and the council adjourned.

ENEMY RATE OF PROGRESS DWINDLES

LONDON, May 30.—Tonight's news from the Battlefield of the Aisne is more favorable, inasmuch as the allies are holding the enemy on the two flanks at Soissons and Reims and the German rate of progress has been slowed down.

The danger is by no means passed, however, and hot fighting continues along the whole front, especially to the southward, [the] German official statement claiming that they are fighting their way toward the Marne from Fere-en-Tardenois.

According to the statement, the enemy claims to have captured 35,

000 prisoners and tremendous amounts of booty in cannon and materials.

Reports, both official and unofficial, are that, while continuing his efforts to widen his salient, the enemy appears to be turning the main direction of his movement westward, doubtless with the intention of capturing the railroads to Paris. The push southward to the Marne is an attempt to cut the Paris-Challons line, in the opinion of military critics here.

HAS MILLION MEN OVERSEAS NOW

CHICAGO, May 30.—Senator James Lewis Hamilton said in a speech here today that the United States now has one million soldiers in foreign lands and that by December 1 it will be numerically equal to that of England.

The American navy, the senator added, has 150 warships in European waters and 50 others of a war character under construction. There are 400,000 men in the navy and by October 1 there will be 500,000.

News of the City

Charles Mudge last week received the first letter from his son, Corp. Monty Mudge, since he has been interned in Holland. He says he is in good health and is very glad to get away from Germany, although it is rather hard to get used to freedom after three years' imprisonment. The Hollanders try to do their best for the interned soldiers, and they are very hospitable, but food supplies are not of the best. It is expected that conditions will improve shortly, when the wheat supply reaches the country from the United States. George Fitz and Sergt. A. Potentier are also interned in Holland, after spending three years in German prisons.

Pte. A. Wilson, of Phoenix, who was trained in this city and went overseas with one of the early contingents, was in the city yesterday, being on his way to Phoenix to visit his parents for a few days, after which he will return to the hospital in Toronto. Mr. Wilson lost his left hand and the major portion of his teeth by German shells at the front.

In the police court before Judge Cochrane on Saturday a Phoenix man was fined \$50 and costs for having intoxicating liquor on his person at Christina lake on Empire day. Another man, also from Phoenix, was fined \$10 and costs for having too much liquor inside his person. The arrests were made by Provincial Constable Stanfield.

THE WEATHER

The following is the minimum and maximum temperature for each day during the past week, as recorded by the government thermometer on E. F. Laws' ranch:

	Max.	Min.
May 24—Friday.....	67	31
25—Saturday	58	38
26—Sunday.....	71	32
27—Monday.....	75	34
28—Tuesday.....	80	38
29—Wednesday ..	82	48
30—Thursday.....	73	50
Rainfall.....		0.10

RUN OVER BY MOTOR TRUCK

Morley Miller, Aged 8, Receives Injuries Which Prove Fatal

A pathetic motor truck accident occurred at 4:40 Wednesday afternoon midway between the C.P.R. freight sheds and the West end passenger depot, as a result of which Morley Rogers Miller, aged 8 years and 6 months, died in the Grand Forks hospital two hours later.

The lad was riding on P. C. Peterson's motor truck, and was seated by the side of Mr. Peterson, who was driving the car. At the point stated above the boy got out of the seat and crawled onto the side board or steps and jumped to the ground. In landing in the soft sand, he is supposed to have fallen on his face in front of one of the hind wheels of the truck, which passed diagonally over one of his shoulders and the upper portion of his back. Mr. Peterson was driving the car and looking straight in front of him, therefore he did not see how the accident happened, and no one else saw it, but the details are supposed to be substantially as stated above.

After the truck had passed over him, the boy jumped to his feet, but he fell to the ground again almost immediately. He was hurriedly conveyed to the Grand Forks hospital, where an examination by Dr. Kingston showed that his spine had been broken, and it was apparent that there was no chance of saving his life. He never spoke after the accident, and after lingering between life and death for two hours he passed away.

The tragic death of the little boy is regarded as a purely accidental one, and no blame is attached to the driver of the truck. The car was running on low gear at the time, and as the road is very sandy at the place it is not likely that the speed was over three miles per hour.

The victim of the accident was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Miller, who are pioneers of the city, Mr. Miller being the senior member of the firm of Miller & Gardner. The lad was unusually bright, always standing near the head of his class in school, and much sympathy is being expressed by the citizens for the parents in their great bereavement.

The funeral from the family residence on Garden street at 3 o'clock this afternoon was very largely attended. An impressive service was held, and there were many beautiful floral offerings. Interment was made in the Fraternal cemetery.

A Marine Firefly

The bay of Toyama, Japan, is the scene of a peculiar phenomenon that occurs each year in April and May. The cause of it is an almost limitless swarm of cuttlefish that shine like glow-worms.

The fish are tiny, says a writer in the Boston Transcript, and when they meet with anything objectionable they emit a wonderful display of phosphorescence. Every spring the coasts of

Toyama swarm with these little creatures, and fishermen go out with special nets to catch them.

When caught in the meshes the fish emit their light and cause the nets to sparkle as if charged with electricity. The people regard the sight as wonderful, and rush in great excitement to see it. Pleasure boats are in demand on those occasions, and it is a favorite courtesy to invite a friend to an evening of entertainment in watching the sparkling cuttlefish.

SPECTACULAR WAS THE FIGHT

On the 28th three American aviators defeated four German airmen in a spectacular battle over the American lines in France. One enemy plane was destroyed and the others were driven off. The fight raged fifteen minutes. The machines were constantly maneuvering in a brilliant manner. Just before the Germans fled the wings of one German plane was entirely shot away, the body dropping like a plummet.

News of the City

The frost last week was, from all reports, rather freakish. In some orchards it is said to have done considerable damage to fruit and tender vegetation, while at other places not even the tender tomato plant was injured. No damage is reported from the lower part of the valley. When the full effect of the frost is ascertained, it may possibly turn out to be a blessing, by automatically thinning the fruit. The cold snap is said to have been quite severe in the Okanagan valley, and reports of considerable damage comes from that district.

The Red Cross dance at Christina lake on the evening of Victoria day added about \$100 to the funds of the society. The attendance notwithstanding the rather bad weather was over an average one. The Red Cross executive wish to take this opportunity of thanking the musicians, whose services were contributed, and also the ladies who were good enough to tag the gentlemen as they entered.

Lawrence Folvik, aged 6 years, who was in the city last Sunday with his father, R. Folvik, employed at the No. 7 mine, crawled to the top of Observation mountain in the afternoon and raised the Union Jack, which had fallen down. The little lad made the trip all alone, and he had lots of energy left when he returned to his hotel.

The first Fordson farm tractor, consigned to H. C. Kerman, arrived in the city last Monday. It is a 12-h.p. machine, and will do the work of twelve horses. It is very substantially constructed, weighs about 2500 pounds and it can be turned around on its on length. The price, when purchased through the government, is about \$750—not much more than a good team costs at present.

The treasurer of the Red Cross acknowledges with thanks the receipt of \$32.75 from the Ladies' Aid of Cascade, per Mrs. Blanch Neil; \$50 from Bridesville through Mrs. C. Charleton, and \$15 sent from Coltern by Mrs. M. Parker.

COPPER MOUNTAIN MINING ACTIVITY

Ground Being Broken for Mill—Many Men Are Employed

The Canada Copper corporation has been engaged for two weeks in breaking ground for the concentrating mill at its Copper mountain mine, the big raise from the deep tunnel is nearing a point half way to the upper level, and railway grading is in progress between Princeton and the mill site, according to a statement made by Oscar Lachmund, general manager of the company, in Spokane last Monday. The railway is being built by Contractor Tierney for the Kettle Valley line.

"The mill will have a floor area of 140 by 300 feet and will be composed of two units of 1000 tons each," said Mr. Lachmund. "The plans contemplate the addition of units as conditions warrant."

"The raise is up 300 feet and lacks 450 feet of the upper level. Raises are proceeding in ore from the upper level."

"We expect to engage in diamond drilling from the lower level downward, as we have reason for belief that additional ore may be developed there."

"A steam shovel is at work on the railroad grade and Contractor Tierney has let subcontracts for the performance of grading between the town and the mill. Men are at work."

"About 130 men are employed in the mine and 100 at the mill, including those in the employ of the Summerland Lumber company, which is cutting material that will enter into the construction of the concentrator. But there are places for more men. The cost of board is \$1.20 a day and the going wage is paid."

UNCLE SAM'S PLAN OF SOLDIERS' INSURANCE

More than 1,600,000, or about 92 per cent, of the men in the military and naval service of the country have taken out war risk insurance. The total amount of such insurance is more than \$14,000,000,000, or almost half the aggregate amount of insurance — \$33,000,000,000 — in force with all life insurance companies in the country, and more than that of the four largest life insurance companies.

It has all been taken out since last October at the lowest rate in the world, costing for a man 21 years old only \$6.60 per thousand annually, and increasing only 1 per cent per thousand per month for each additional year of a man's age.

Insurance experts had estimated that, at most, not more than 25 per cent of the men would take insurance and that the highest estimate of the amount to be taken was \$2,000,000,000. The experts also estimated the average policy as not likely to exceed \$3,000, whereas it is over \$8,000.

Leo Mader is engaged in mining operations in Camp McKinney.

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FRIDAY, MAY 31, 1918

The situation on the western front during the past two days has been of a decidedly critical nature, and even now, although the advance of the enemy appears to have been partially stemmed, it is sufficiently serious to cause considerable anxiety for the immediate welfare of the allied armies. But slight temporary successes of the enemy will have no bearing on the ultimate outcome of the struggle. They will only have a tendency to make the allied nations and their armies more determined, and viewed in this light the present small advance made by the Hun may prove to be a factor in shortening the war. "Carry on."

It is reported that the severe frosts of the past two weeks have done considerable damage to the fruit crop in this province. It is not thought, however, that the loss will be very heavy, as nearly all the frozen fruit can probably be used for making frosted fruit cake.

So great is the demand for castor oil as a lubricant for aircraft machinery that more than 70,000 acres in the United States has been planted to castor beans, says the Youth's Companion. Meanwhile little Johnnie and his Sister Sue look with marked approval on the new use to which the oil is put.

Advices from many points in western Canada state that the anti-loafer law is proving effective. The chief of police of Calgary has been rounding up the idlers and twenty men were arrested recently. In most cases, the knowledge that they were liable to heavy fine or imprisonment has driven the loafers to work. The result has been that many men have been secured for farm and other employment.

Everybody must work. Even the small boy must do his share. In the eyes of the Canadian law, half a loaf is no better than a whole loafer.

"It is Germany," says a German paper, "that will speak the last word in this war." Punch agrees, and add, "The last word will be 'Kamerad!'"

Parliament has decided to limit the bestowal of titles on Canadian citizens, and in future most of us will have to be satisfied with the titles conferred on us by our enemies. Considering their source, some of them are not without honor.

Some of the supplies that the Y. M. C. A. has recently shipped to France show the extent and nature of its service to the boys overseas: 5,000,000 bottles of "pop," 10,000,000 sheets of writing paper, 5,000,000 envelopes, 2,500,000 packages of chewing gum, 200 motion picture machines, 100 phonographs, 2500 phonograph records, 200,000 Testaments, \$100,000 worth of athletic supplies and great quantities of toilet articles and food.

The Ladysmith Chronicle doesn't like titles. It says: "There will be many sincere admirers of Sir Robert Borden who will be disposed to ridicule the position he took on the question of Canadian titles. If the question were put to a vote it is quite probable that 95 per cent

of the electorate would pronounce against titles, hereditary or otherwise, and in threatening to resign if his amendment did not carry, Sir Robert Borden has not strengthened his hold on the confidence and esteem of Canadians. Some day he may make a similar threat and the members of the house may call his bluff."

The Grain Growers' Guide says that the farmers of western Canada are fully in agreement with the farmers of the United States who recently declared that they were not profiteers and that they considered the price of \$2.20 per bushel for wheat was sufficient.

The magnificent quality of the sacrifice made by Canadians on the western fighting front is pretty well fixed in the minds of all who have followed the record of the war, says the New York Evening Sun. The offering of 10,000 lives at Ypres alone was a glorious deed, but it has been followed up by the steady support of the Dominion wherever called upon to carry arms. Moreover, the support given by Canadians in Canada is not to be considered less important than her faithful service in France. We are just beginning to realize, in the United States, how integral and necessary a part of the work of war is the industrial and economic and financial work which is done far back of the fighting front. The devotion and sacrifice of the Canadian people at home has been so great as to command unqualified admiration. Their devotion has resulted in splendid achievement, and has, incidentally, brought gratifying consequences to communities and individuals. In a word, it has paid them well, both in concrete results for war supplies of all kinds and in maintaining and bettering the general morale of the civilian.

EAT LESS BREAD

The allies' wheat supply is seriously close to the point of exhaustion. There is wheat in Australia and India, but these countries are both practically inaccessible by reason of the shipping shortage. There has been much talk of using Japanese vessels to bring Australian wheat to America, but the project is problematical at best, and the amount which may be carried during the next three or four months is necessarily limited. Part of the Argentine crop has yet to be moved, but with increasing demands upon cargo vessels to transport soldiers and munitions to support the allies in their present crisis, the ships can ill be spared.

One boat on the North American route is worth two operating between Argentine and Europe. South America has not enough surplus wheat to meet the allies' needs, and besides, every time that we, by our failure to save bread and meat, force an allied vessel to go elsewhere for supplies, we hold back from our hard-pressed fighting men at least one transport of United States reinforcements.

The allies look to us for wheat and we have not been giving them the quantities they need. The British ministry of food has just cabled this message: "Wheat imports are not arriving in sufficient quantities to meet our weekly requirements. Every effort that can be made in Canada to increase shipments of wheat and meat will be invaluable." The British admiralty is prepared to provide ships to move all that Canada will spare.

With nearly four months until the next wheat crop will be available for consumption, this continent can not send more than 34,000,000 bushels of wheat for shipment overseas, unless consumption in Canada and the United States be sharply and substantially reduced. That amount falls far short of the allies' minimum requirements. It must be increased, and the only possible way in which we can do so is to eat less bread and use less wheat flour. Our economies in this direction will be the test of our patriotism until the next harvest.

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MYSTERY AT PSYCHIATRIC UNIT

"Who's looney now?" This is the big question over at the psychiatric unit at the naval training station at Great Lakes, Ill.

A few days ago Ensign John Sharpe discovered an ex-sleight-of-hand performer among the recruits in detention. Mr. Sharpe seized the opportunity for some fun. He called the

psychiatric unit, asked for Chief Yeoman Dodds and said:

"I have a loon I am going to send over. He is as crazy as a bat, so watch out for him."

Then turning to the sleight-of-hand man he remarked: "Go over and show them a good time."

When the "loon" appeared at the unit, Dodds showed him to a seat, brought out the various blocks and puzzles and started to find out wheth

er his patient was born crazy or attained it later.

"Take these blocks"—Dodds began. But the blocks had disappeared. Business of searching high and low, but no blocks.

Dodds registered consternation, excitement, perplexity—but still no blocks.

"I think you will find them in your right coat pocket," said the man being examined. And sure enough, there they were.

Dodds tried again.

"Now here is a picture, look at it ten seconds and tell me about it."

"Where is the picture? This is only a piece of paper," said the mystery man.

Dodds replied, "I gave you a picture."

"Here is what you gave me, sir."

The picture was gone. Dodds was certain he handed it to the sleight-of-hand man.

"Did you look in the chair, sir?" asked the "loon."

Dodds found he was sitting on the very picture he had just handed the actor.

Several things disappeared in like manner until it was suggested that some one certainly did need an examination—but not necessarily the sleight-of-hand man.

When he left Dodds was counting blocks.

Student of Human Nature

"Did you see the boss?"

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Such report must be in writing and must give his name in full, the date of his birth and his place of residence and also his usual post office address.

The report must be addressed to the Registrar or Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act of the Registration District in which he resides (see below) and shall be sent by registered post, for which no Canada postage is required.

Young men so reporting will not be placed on active service till further notice. They must, however, notify the appropriate Registrar or Deputy Registrar of any change of residence or address.

On receipt of the report an identification card will be forwarded by the Registrar which will protect the bearer from arrest.

Punctual compliance with these requirements is of great importance to those affected. Failure to report within the time limited will expose the delinquent to severe penalties and will in addition render him liable to immediate apprehension for Military Service.

ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH, this 15th day of May, 1918.

NOTE: The men required to report should address their reports as follows:

ONTARIO—To the Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, London, if they reside in the County of Essex, Kent, Lambton, Elgin, Middlesex, Oxford, Waterloo, Wellington, Perth, Huron, or Bruce.

To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Toronto, if they reside in the County of Lincoln, Welland, Haldimand, Norfolk, Brant, Wentworth, Halton, Peel, York, Ontario, Grey, Dufferin, Simcoe, or in the Districts of Muskoka, Parry Sound, Algoma and Nipissing north of the Mattawa and French rivers (including the Townships of Ferris and Bonfield.)

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To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Winnipeg, if they reside in the Districts of Kenora, Rainy River, or Thunder Bay.

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To the Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Quebec, if they reside in the County of Wolfe, Richmond, Compton, Beauce, Bellechasse, Bonaventure, Dorchester, Gaspé, Kamouraska, Lévis, L'Islet, Champlain, Charlevoix, Chicoutimi, Montmorency, Québec, Portneuf, Saguenay, Lothbinière, Montmagny, Matane, Mégantic, Rimouski and Témiscouata.

To the Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Hull, if they reside in the County of Timiskaming, Pontiac, Ottawa and Labelle.

NOVA SCOTIA—To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Halifax, if they reside in the Province of Nova Scotia.

NEW BRUNSWICK—To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, St. John, if they reside in the Province of New Brunswick.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Charlottetown, if they reside in the Province of Prince Edward Island.

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News of the City

The Consolidated company of Trail is reported to be negotiating for a lease on the flourspar property at Lynch creek. The only hitch in the negotiations appears to be, that the company insists on a sale price being put on the property.

H. S. Timberlake, the optometrist and eye specialist, who has been in the city for about a week, has returned to Summerland.

Tomorrow, June 1, and thereafter, the banking and other financial institutions all over the Dominion will work under new hours. The new business hours will be from 9:30 to 2:30, and on Saturdays from 9:30 to 12 noon.

The Grand Forks hotel is being repainted and generally remodelled on the inside.

Peter A. Z. Pare is moving his barber shop to the front corner room Yale hotel building.

Some improvements are being made to the Yale hotel. The bar, being now a useless adjunct, will be removed and the temperance drinks served in a less conspicuous place.

About twenty Oddfellows and Rebekahs motored to Phoenix on Monday. They attended the unveiling of the honor of the honor roll of members of Snowhoe lodge who are serving with the colors.

W. A. Baker, who has been in charge of the grocery department in Jeff Davis & Co.'s store for a num-

ber of years, has gone to Vancouver, Wash., where he intends to locate. His wife and children are visiting relatives in Republic.

Mr. Lowman has succeeded A. E. Melin as agent of the Great Northern railway in this city.

Charles McKay, of Phoenix, has succeeded W. A. Baker as manager of the grocery department in Jeff Davis & Co.'s store.

Miss Davis, of Vancouver, is one of the recent acquisitions to the staff of lady clerks in Jeff Davis & Co.'s store.

A. E. Melin, Great Northern agent in this city for three years, has gone to Portland, where his wife and family have been located for a couple of months.

P. B. Freeland, resident mining engineer, visited Franklin camp this week. There are quite a number of men at work in the camp at present, but the summer activity in mining operations has not yet set in.

It is reported that the Trail smelter has leased a flourspar property at Keller, Wash.

The shareholders of the Little Bertha mine held a meeting in the city hall last night.

At a special sitting of the county court in this city yesterday the case of A. R. Barwick, of Bridesville, vs. J. E. Davidson, of Anyox, involving the collection of a conditional promissory note, was argued. Judgment was reserved.

The Kettle Valley line changes to the summer schedule on Sunday. The service between Nelson and Penticton will be the same as at present, and the trains will arrive in and depart from this city as they are doing under the schedule now in force.

A compressor and other machinery will be installed in the Maple Leaf mine in Franklin camp this spring.

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The citizens of Cascade have made the following contributions to the Y. M. C. A. fund:

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A gentleman whose nose had been lost in an accident was invited to tea. "My dear," said the good lady of the house to her little daughter, "I want you to be very particular and to make no remarks about Mr. J.—'s nose." Around the table everything was going on well. Then the child began to peep and looked puzzled. At last she startled the company with, "Ma, why did you tell me to say nothing about Mr. J.—'s nose? He hasn't got any."

Conserving the Apples

"How much cider did you make this year?" inquired Puttey of his neighbor, Savall. "Fifteen bar'ls," was the answer. Farmer Puttey took another sip. "It's a pity," he said, "that you hadn't another apple. You might have made another bar'l."

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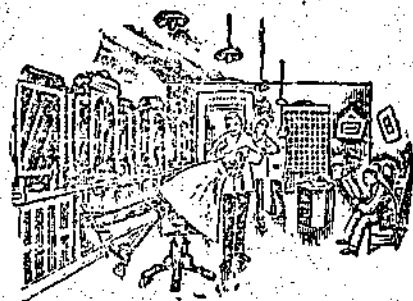
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