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LAND REGISTRY ACT

(Section 24)

IN THE MATTER of an application for duplicate certificate of title No. 12917a issued to Emily Wood covering Lots 17 and 18, Block 17, Map 21, City of Greenwood.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of first publication hereof to issue a duplicate certificate of title covering the above lands in the name of Emily Wood unless in the meantime I shall receive valid objection thereto in writing.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Kamloops, B. C., the 17th, day of May, A. D., 1918.

C. H. DUNBAR, District Registrar

Sadly Mixed

"Boys," said the Sunday school teacher, "can anyone tell me about Good Friday?"

"Yes'm, I can," replied an urchin at the foot of the class. "He was the guy what did the housework for Robinson Crusoe."—Judge.

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"Horses and Harness for sale. Two teams, weights approximately 3,000 lbs and 2,100 lbs respectively. For description and prices write the Granby Con. M. S. & P. Co., Phoenix, B. C."

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"Wanted, capable experienced machine miners, for stope and drift work, Waugh machines, for northern gold mines, up coast, in British Columbia. Steady employment for competent men. No labor troubles. $4.75 per 8 hours, less board $1 day, good accomoadtions, well equipped drying house, shower baths, etc. Transportation advanced from Vancouver to the mine, apply immediately, bring blankets. George Sells, Canadian Pacific Employment agency, 180 Powell Street, Vancouver, B.C.

Cobalt, Ontario, is the premier silver mining camp of the world. In 14 years it has produced silver valued at more than $151,000,000, on a basis of 55 cents an ounce. That is going some for mines in Canada. It beats even the famous Slocan.

Heard in a Flat

"Singing is said to benefit the health."

"Indeed it does, Miss Howler next door drives us all out into the open air every Sunday afternoon."—Sketch.

Jack White's Letter

Pte. Jack White, who lost his left hand at Vimy Ridge, has been assisting in the sale of Liberty bonds in the States. In a recent letter to a Greenwood friend, he says: "I have returned from the States to Toronto. I was kept busy across the line. I am proud of the fact that I did so well, for I sold thousands of bonds, and spoke as many as eight times a day. Tomorrow I start on another tour in the States on behalf of the Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. The Americans are real good people, only they are great on the hot air. If talk amounts to anything they would have won the war long ago. Believe me I sure let them know what Canada has done. I mention Greenwood every time, and show my watch. I have been offered several good positions in Cleveland, but after this Red Cross drive is over I think that I will come back to Greenwood, and stay until winter."

Around Home

There was a heavy frost Monday night in this valley.

Jim Duffy is the new fireman on the Mother Lode run.

It is hard fishing these chilly days without liquid bait.

Lack of proper advertising has ruined many a merchant.

Steel Fishing Rods from $2.00 to $8 50. Coles Book Store.

Cecil Martin of Phoenix has gone to Camp Lewis to enlist.

Mrs. A. G. Snyder of Winnipeg, is visiting Mrs. J. V. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kennedy of Trail were in town last week.

E. Jacobs, the celebrated mining writer, is now in California.

J. L. Coles is spending a week in Vancouver, visiting his family.

Dr. Guy, motored to the coast last week. He will sell the car and enlist.

Mrs. J. H. McNeil of Long Beach, California, is on a visit to Grand Forks.

At the Forks Mrs. A. A. Frechette is recovering from her recent illness.

Orders taken for Flower and Vegetable plants, Shrubs, etc. G. A. Rendell.

Good advertising has saved many a town and district from an early death.

Ike Crawford is shipping ties at Carmi. Guise is hauling them to the railway.

Sam Stooke will make an auto trip this summer, from San Diego to Victoria.

J. B. Sheridan took out 900,000 feet of logs this winter at his ranch, near Carmi.

FOR SALE.—A hardware store in a live town, address The Ledge, Greenwood.

D. R. McElmon, Greenwood. Watchmaker and Jeweler. Spectacles and pipes repaired.

Another lot of prints in and some of the best patterns we have ever had. G. A. Rendell.

Mrs. James Jory will go to the Okanagan early in June, where she will help to harvest the fruit crop.

WANTED.—At once, a capable girl for general house work. Apply to Mrs. J. V. Mills, Greenwood.

The Ledge is $2.50 a year. When paid in advance it is $2. It is just as well for subscribers to remember this.

Fishing tackle that's fit for fishing. Rods, reels, lines, flies, baskets, wading pants, etc., etc. Coles Book Store.

W. R. Dewdney has resigned from the exemption board, as members of that tribunal have to be in class 5 or 6.

Prof. S. L. Taube, eyesight specialist, will be at Goodeve's Drug Store, Greenwood, Friday afternoon, May 31.

FOR SALE.—In a live town an undertaking business with morgue and other buildings. Apply at The Ledge office.

George Murray is over from Copper Mountain, and will shortly enlist. He already has two brothers in the service.

Charles Martin is in town. He is moving his shoe shop from Copper Mountain to the C.C.C. mill-site, four miles from Princeton.

Rev. M. D. McKee has moved to Milk River, Alberta. Mrs. McKee will teach school in that village while Mac will devote his time to directing souls over the Presbyterian route to heaven.

Harry Anderson and Malcolm Williamson, while fishing last Sunday, up the creek about four miles, heard a bear mooching through the brush. They dropped some of their fish, cooned a log across the creek, jumped on their bicycles, and rode back to town in record time. Nobody knows what course the bear pursued.

W. J. Bowser, ex-premier of B. C., and still on the apex as a politician in this province was in town on Tuesday. He is enjoying a pleasure tour through the interior, and meeting his many friends everywhere. The political Napoleon is in excellent health, and he has grown fat, worrying the Grits from the outside of the ring. His defeat in 1816 no doubt added many years to his mortal career, for during his last campaign his physical condition was far from being in Class A. The public did him a great favor in forcing him over the ropes at the last election. He has now got his second wind, and will be going strong during the next battle of the ballots.

B. C. Mining News

Mining activity is increasing in the Greenwood camp.

More mines are to be developed near Danville, Wash.

The Sally near Beaverdell will soon resume operations.

The Argo at Greenwood has suspended operations for a time.

John Keen, M. P. P. is doing some work on his claims at Poplar Creek.

The Trail smelter recently received a shipment of fluorspar, from Kellar, Wash.

The rich silver ore, recently shipped from the Bell at Beaverdell should stimulate mining in that camp.

During April the Knob Hill at Republic shipped 14 carloads of gold ore, that averaged a net value of $300 to the car.

Just across the line at Oroville and Nighthawk, much ore is being developed, and more mills are being installed to dress it.

The Anaconda in Montana outranks all other companies in the production of copper and silver. It produced last year 12,000,000 ounces of silver.

It is reported that Bob Perry has obtained a lease on the Tiger in the Beaverdell camp. It lies southeast of the Sally, and is owned by W. Laws and partners.

Another copper source of ore has been found, above the 300-foot level, in one of the mines of Loon Lake, Wash. Ore from that camp is shipped to the B. C. smelters.

The second largest silver producer in Canada is the Kerr Lake at Cobalt, Ontario. During the year ending last August it produced nearly 2,600,000 ounces of silver.

Messrs. Lofstad, Stevenson, Millrud and Granberg have leased the Sappho and began work last Saturday. This property is near Midway and has values in copper, gold, silver and platinum.

Bruce White, one of the famous mining men of the Slocan returned from a trip to Prince Rupert this month. It was on October 7, 1891, that he located the Slocan Star in company with John Sandon.

The Bell at Beaverdell, is shipping two carloads of second grade ore. Last month this mine shipped one carload that was worth over $12,000. In some camps such an event would create mining activity.

Since Jim Butler discovered mineral at Tonopah, Nevada, that camp has produced $112,000,000 in silver and gold. Many experts turned the camp down in its early days, just as they did the Slocan and other camps in B. C.

Savage & Mader have obtained a lease on the dump of the Cariboo in Camp McKinney, and began work this week. They will use the flotation process, and ship the concentrates to Grand Forks. There is a mill at the Cariboo.

Central School

The following pupils have asked to be permitted to write the Government Examinations, June 24, for entrance to High School: Ruth Axam, Ada Elizabeth Beattie, Cyril John Eales, May Gibson, Charlotte Priscilla Kerr. Bernice Noel McKay, Roderick McLeod, Neil Edward Morrison, Ethel Florence Pond, Phyllis Millington Spooner. A number of these are not recommended by the principal but they will be permitted to write the examinations under a new Regulation passed by the Educational Department, May 10, 1918, which reads, "Pupils of Entrance classes who fail to receive promotion on recommendation and who feel that they are capable of taking up high school work will be permitted, in order to further to test their scholarship, to write on the High School Entrance papers set by the Educational Department."

Western Float

The hotel at Telkwa has been closed.

The autoless day has not yet arrived.

The jitney has been shut out of Winnipeg.

F. Dill has moved from Enderby to Vancouver.

Buy your winter eggs in May or early in June.

There should be no tolerance for intolerant people.

Wm. Eschwig has moved from Fernie to Brant, Alberta.

Last month, the payroll in Trail was very close to $140,000.

At Kelowna dogs are shot on sight if they chase pheasants.

Many cream separators are being shipped to Creston this spring.

There is a movement on foot, to open the movies in Nelson on Sundays.

Byron Cliffe, formerly of Sandon is operating a store in Kamloops.

In Nelson, there are quite a number of rooming houses on Lake street.

Nap Malette has a fine car, and drives from Nelson to his ranch every day.

Build up your business and your district, by putting an ad in your local paper.

California is likely to go dry, with the exception of beer and light wines.

The C. P. R. is using five push engines at Golden, so heavy is the freight traffic.

You can buy halibut in Rupe for 14 cents a pound, and salmon for about 12 cents.

There are 19 school teachers in Revelstoke, and the average pay is $77.63 a month.

It is estimated that Canada will produce this year, 400,000,000 bushels of wheat.

On April 23, eight feet of snow fell at the summit of the White Pass, in the Yukon.

In Kamloops a woman was fined $5 for allowing her hens to run wild in other gardens.

Captain Allan Lean of Nelson, has been employed at the Trail smelter for three months.

There are 1490 publications in Canada. Of this number 135 are issued daily, and 1018 weekly.

His friends would like to know what became of A. C. Muir, who was a lawyer in Nelson in 1891.

Arthur Breeze is leaving Ainsworth for Nelson, and Joe Dearin will take over the Central hotel.

Canada burns 30,000,000 tons of coal every year, and gets 60 per cent. of it from the United States.

Joe Tomma died at Savona last month aged 86 years. He had been an Indian chief for 60 years.

The King George hotel in Kaslo charges 75 cents for Sunday dinners. These dinners are easily worth a dollar.

There is a fine poker game in Nelson at the Queens. The chips are sold at the bar, and the boys play all jackpots.

The Port Alberni News has bought a linotype. As a rule these machines do not pay in small newspaper offices.

Last month John Hunter died in the Old Man's Home at Kamloops, aged 85 years. He was a pioneer of Cariboo.

It now costs 50 cents to get your hair cut in Armstrong, and some of the inhabitants have turned the job over to their wives.

Several carloads of long piles are being shipped from Port Alberni to Port Arthur, where they will be used for building wharves.

Nearly all the soldiers, who enlisted for the war at Grand Forks have been wounded, and 18 of them have cashed in at the front.

There are 6000 men building ships in B. C. No reason why the number should not increase, and the industry become a permanent one.

James Gordon Bennett owner of the New York Herald, died in France this month. His father started the Herald in a cellar on Wall street in 1835.

Ruby Gilchrist of Nelson, was recently married in England, to Captain N. Macdonald of Cape Breton. She went overseas a year ago, to act as a military nurse.

Last month, while working in the cemetery at Prince Rupert Harry Smith was chased into his shack by two timber wolves. He carries a rifle now when he works in that cemetery.

Every year Canada imports over $100,000 worth of sardines, instead of canning its own supply. Most of the sardine catch in New Brunswick is canned in Maine. Poor business for the Canadians.

Exposure Aches

Cold rain, winds, and dampness bring out the rheumatic aches. An application of Sloan's Liniment will soon have the blood circulating and the pain will disappear. For neuralgia, lame back, stiff neck, sprains, strains, and all muscle soreness, Sloan's Liniment can't be beat. No rubbing: it quickly penetrates and does its work without stain or clogging of the pores. Better than plasters or ointments. For cold feet or hands try an application of Sloan's Liniment. Generous sized bottles, at all druggists.

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EDDY'S

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"Silent 500s"

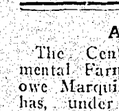
The Matches With "No Afterglow"

EDDY is the only Canadian maker of these matches, every stick of which has been treated with a chemical solution which positively ensures the match becoming dead wood once it has been lighted and blown out.

Look for the words "Chemically self-extinguishing" on the box.

How to Purify the Blood

"Fifteen to thirty drops of Extract of Roots, commonly called Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, may be taken in water with meals and at bedtime, for the cure of indigestion, constipation and bad blood. Persistence in this treatment will effect a cure in nearly every case." Get the genuine at druggists.



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THERAPION SAFE AND LASTING CURE. SEE THAT TRADE MARKED WORD 'THERAPION' IS ON BRIT. GOVT. STAMP AFFIXED TO ALL GENUINE PACKETS.

A New Wheat

The Central Dominion Experimental Farm, to which we already owe Marquis and Prelude wheats, has, under the direction of Dr. Charles E. Saunders, produced another new variety, Ruby. This new wheat possesses characteristics in ripening and other qualities midway between Marquis and Prelude. It is beardless, possesses hard red kernels, gives a fair yield, and makes flour of the highest quality in regard to color and strength. Bread made from it ranks in the first class. This wheat is the result of a cross between Downy Riga and Red Fife. Ruby is, however, recommended only where Marquis will not ripen.

"Pa, what's a circular letter?"

"O is my son."—Boston Transcript.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

A Natural Mistake

A pretty young woman stepped into a music store the other day. She tripped up to the counter where a new clerk was assorting music and, in her sweetest tones, asked: "Have you 'Kissed me in the Moonlight?'" The clerk turned half-way around, looked at her, and answered: "It must have been the man at the other counter. I've only been here a week."

No Peace Until Subs. Subdued

Must Be Crushed if the British Isles and British Empire are to Be Safe Hereafter

The submarine campaign must be not merely held; it must be crushed if the British Isles and British Empire are to be safe hereafter. Otherwise at any moment our men, women and children will be exposed to a most deadly form of attack from Germany. The nation which, as Mr. Bonar Law stated recently in the house of commons, has murdered 14,120 British non-combatants since the war began would never scruple to attack us suddenly with a large force of submarines, sink our shipping and cut off our food. There is no peace for us and no security until we have found some means of dealing with both submarine and aeroplane attack, as we found a means of dealing with the Zeppelin. The problem is still to be solved, but it is not insoluble if the best brains are brought to bear on it.—London Daily Mail.

The man who pays as he goes is always asked to make return visits.

With the Fingers! Says Corns Lift Out Without Any Pain

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can shortly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply on the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

At little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection.

This new drug is an ether compound and dries the moment it is applied and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding tissue. Just think! You can life off your corns and calluses now without a bit of pain or sorenes. If your druggist hasn't freezone he can easily get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.

Prussian Boosting a Habit

The kaiser's habit of boasting is probably hereditary. It is recorded of Frederick the Great, when reviewing his giant Guards, that he turned to the British ambassador and asked him if he could truly say that an equal number of Englishman could beat them. "No, sir," replied the ambassador, "I won't pretend to say they could—but I know that half the number would try."

An Old Law Simplified

A Boston paper complains that although millions of pounds of fish come into that port every day—quantities greater than ever before—the price does not drop. This is an illustration of the law of supply and demand, as applied to the consumer by the wholesalers: "You supply the money and I'll demand it."—Detroit News.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

Welcomed the Smell of Home

There were two soldiers home on leave from the front. They had landed at Folkestone, and were making for Victoria. At Bermondsey, amidst the innumerable smells and spicy odors which drenched the air from chemical works and other odoriferous factories, one of them threw up the window, put his head out, and took a long, deep breath. Then, with a beam on his face, he turned to his chum and exclaimed, "Come 'ere, Bill, ain't it simply 'eavenly?"—London Chronicle.

Wise mothers who know the virtues of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator always have it at hand, because it proves its value.

Contentment

"I say, professor," said the young man who delighted in morbid topics, "which is the happier man, the one who owns a million pounds or the one who has seven daughters?"

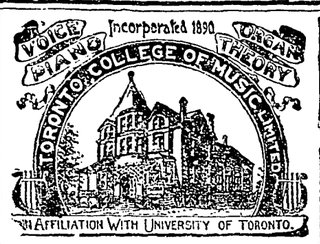
"The man with the seven daughters," said the professor without hesitating.

"Well, well! How d'ye make that out?"

"The man with the million pounds wishes for more. The man with seven daughters doesn't," replied the professor.

A Promising Oat

Dr. C. E. Saunders of the Dominion Experimental Farm has produced a new oat—Liberty. This was produced by crossing Chinese Naked with Swedish Select. It is early ripening and possesses a stiff straw. It yields lightly less in weight of grain per acre than the standard varieties, such as the Banner, that is, when allowance is made for hull. Being hulless, this new oat should occupy a very important position in the feeding of young poultry and young pigs. For household use it requires only grinding in an ordinary chopping mill.



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JUNE AND JULY

Applications received till May 11

Send for Syllabus

The Heart of a Piano is the Action. Insist on the

Otto Higel Piano Action

A Welshman's Prayer

A simple-minded man in a Welsh coal valley is a character in his way. He always insists on taking his turn in the devotional services of his chapel. His prayer the other night was something like this: "Almighty God, Thou hast heard about that old kaiser. I read in the paper that his throat is bad, and that he has difficulty in breathing. Well, Lord, Thou knowest how far to go."—Cardiff Western Mail.

Mrs. Penman—This paper says that paper flywheels are coming into use.

Mr. Penman, the Editor—That's funny. My paper man told me there wasn't enough paper to go round.—Yonkers Statesman.

WEAK, ANAEMIC GIRLS

Can Regain Good Health Through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Bloodlessness is the trouble of many girls who ought to be full of life and good spirits. Instead they are pale, their lips have no color, they have no appetites, their digestion is poor, and if they walk fast, either in the street or going up stairs they are so tired and out of breath that their hearts beat as if to burst. Almost always such girls are thin, flat-chested and sallow, with nothing attractive about them. If they do not get better they will have a cough in the winter and then, not unlikely, consumption, that most hopeless of all diseases will develop. No girl should be like this. She should be plump, rosy-cheeked and full of life, able to talk fast and to stand exertion without being breathless and palpitating. To be in this healthy, happy condition she must have plenty of good, rich, red blood as it is only through the blood that the body can be healthy. And the only medicine that will keep the blood supply rich and red and pure is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Their effect upon the pale, weak girl who gives them a fair trial is wonderful. They improve the appetite, backaches and headaches disappear, the glow of health tinges the cheeks, the eyes sparkle, and the step becomes light and elastic. Thousands of girls throughout Canada owe their health and attractive appearance to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and do not hesitate to say so. Miss Jennie Book, Beamsville, Ont., says:—"I suffered for over two years from anaemia, and gradually grew very ill. Previously I had been strong and robust, but grew pale and a mere shadow of my former self. I tried several medicines, and while some seemed to give me temporary relief, I soon grew worse again. As the months went by I began to despair of getting better, when my mother happened to read an advertisement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and suggested that I should try them. By the time the first box was finished I knew they were helping me, and I continued the pills for nearly three months, using in all nine boxes, when I was restored in every respect to my old time strength. This was several years ago, and as I have not since had any return of the trouble, I cannot speak too highly of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a permanent cure for this trouble, and I strongly recommend them to all anaemic girls."

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

No Sense in Worrying

In Direct Contrast to the German Mind Is Ours

There is one thing we must admire the Germans for—their sublime egotism.

Never for a moment do they allow the suspicion to enter their minds that they are in the wrong or in for defeat.

In direct contrast to the German mind is ours. We seem to delight in putting on cern spectacles and seeing things at their muddiest and murkiest. We paint the sky black, draw the curtains and sit down with a session with the glooms.

It is time for us to turn on the light, throw away our glasses, through which we see so darkly, and talk about victory—and work for it. —From the Buffalo News.

Into Jerusalem

First Englishman to Reach Jerusalem Was an Unshaven, Soot-Smudged Cook

If a cinema film is ever produced showing the first of Gen. Allenby's army marching into Jerusalem, it will have to show, if it is truthful, the figure of a scared, soot-smudged cook carrying a "dixie" of cocoa. The story appears in a letter written home by an officer in a London regiment which the Manchester Guardian reproduces. "Early in the morning of Sunday," he says, "our officers' cook and another man set out from our camel lines with a dixie of hot cocoa for the officers. We knew he was coming, and as we had had nothing hot for forty-eight hours we were not very pleased when he became overdue. Some hours later he did arrive—but very much scared. He had lost his way and marching through our lines had entered the outskirts of Jerusalem. Thus the first Englishman to reach Jerusalem was an unshaven, soot-smudged cook," and so on. There is humor, as the writer remarks, even in war. It might be added that it is certainly not lost on either officers or men.—Christian Science Monitor.

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It Was Only Yesterday

Strange What Changes the War Has Brought About

France was thought to be a nation of decadents.

Wrist watches were considered effeminate.

The only thing against the Germans was their rotten manners.

A person who saved his money was a tightwad.

Only one woman in eleven hundred and seventy-five knew how to knit.

A regular army of one hundred and fifty thousand was held to be too large.

Nine people out of ten didn't know where Belgium was.

Small-navy advocates declared that the United States was certain never to have another war.

Germany was making us believe that she was the only nation that could make chemicals, drugs, and dyes.

To be a pacifist was nothing to be ashamed of.—New York Life.

Wilhelm Not Napoleon

Napoleon carried the Tricolor to all the great capitals of Europe except three—St. Petersburgs, Constantinople and London. The kaiser set out on a similar expedition, but all he has been able to do thus far is to carry his flag to the capitals of some of the smallest nations in Europe—Belgium, Serbia, Montenegro and Roumania. He dreamed of a great empire stretching from Hamburg to Bagdad, but Bagdad is in the hands of the British and he seems less likely to realize that dream that he did in the years before the war when the German railway in Asia Minor was under construction.—From the New York World.

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President Wilson's Idea of Peace

Will Be Much More Difficult Than a Simple Peace by Conquest

Mr. Wilson is insistent that the present war shall not be in vain. Those who think he would accept peace at any price simply do not know the man. Before the final settlement is made there is going to be much friction, much criticism, much dissension; but the outcry will not come from those who think Mr. Wilson is too anxious to make peace, but from those who will not like the president's insistence on an unselfish and an equitable peace, a democratic peace, one that will give peoples more of a share in their government and more of a part in deciding the destinies of their countries.

Mr. Wilson's peace will not be pleasing to imperialists, chauvinists, bourbons, tories, or reactionaries in any country. It will approximate more the peace that the British Labor party, the most powerful political force in Great Britain today, has set itself to obtain. In the sense that conservative thinkers believe these ideas are remote of accomplishment in the modern world, peace is far distant. Indeed, Mr. Wilson's kind of peace will be much more difficult to get than a simple peace by conquest. But the important thing to remember is that while Mr. Wilson talks peace, he also makes war with all the energy and might that America can command. He is every day authorizing construction and organization and mobilizations of power that are intended for only one purpose—the defeat of German militarism by beating the German army it has created. — Washington Correspondent, New York Evening Post.

Material Waste

The waste of 500,000 pounds of paper a week, entails the cutting of at least 2,000 trees a week. Every ton of old paper recovered means a saving of eight trees of mature growth. The saving of woollen rags for the manufacture of shoddy saves land for crops which otherwise would be required for the raising of sheep. Men, money and materials—capital and labor—are conserved every time a bit of material is re-employed which formerly was destroyed.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Kindly Visitor—I suppose, Henry, that you are able to spell?

Henry (whose father owns an automobile)—Yes sir, I can spell words of four cylinders.—Peoples' Home Journal.

Fit Punishment

The druggist died and face to face With Peter at the entrance stood. Said Peter: "Try the other place, "You'll doubtless say it's 'just as good.'"

IN THE SPRING

will be the great test of a life and death struggle on the Western front. In the everyday walks of life, it is the spring time that brings ill health. One of the chief reasons why the run-down man finds himself in a bad state of health in March or April, is because he has spent nearly all his hours for the past four or five months penned up within the walls of house, factory or office. It is the reason for our diminished resistance—that is, lack of out-door life, coupled with perhaps over-eating, lack of good exercise, insufficient sleep, and constipation. In other words, we keep feeding the furnace with food but do not take out the "clinkers," and our fire does not burn brightly. Always keep the liver active.

There is nothing better for health than taking an occasional mild laxative, perhaps once a week; such a one as you can get at any drug store, made up of May-apple, jalap, aloes, (sugar-coated, tiny, easily taken), which has stood the test of fifty years of approval—namely, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. But for the "Spring Fever," the general run-down condition, the lack of ambition, the "blues," one should take a course of treatment every spring; such a standard tonic as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, now to be had in tablet form in fifty-cent vials. Watch the people go plodding along the street. There's no spring, no vitality. A vitalizing tonic such as this vegetable extract of Dr. Pierce's gives you the power to force yourself into action. The brain responds to the new blood in circulation, and thus you're ready to make a fight against stagnation which holds you in bondage. Try it now! Don't wait! To-day is the day to begin. Gain a little "pep," and laugh and live. Vim and vitality are the natural out-pouring of a healthy body. It does not spring up in a night. Try this spring tonic, and you gain the courage that comes with good health.

Modern Jerusalem

Streets are Still Much as They Were in Biblical Times

The population of modern Jerusalem is about 70,000. The appearance of the place has been greatly spoilt by modern buildings outside it, which jar upon its aspect and associations. The streets within the walls are still much as they were in Biblical times—narrow, odoriferous, and ill paved. The water supply is miserable and the inhabitants depend much upon cisterns and tanks in the rock, many of which are of immense size and great antiquity. The tank system of Jerusalem has never been properly explored; the rock is honeycombed with these reservoirs, many of which have passed out of use and have been forgotten.

Outside the walls are the Garden of Gethsemane, where there yet remain eight olive trees of the date of the Agony, and the Place of Stoning, which, from the strange skull-like appearance of the rock there many believe was Golgotha, "the place of the skull" and the true site of the Crucifixion. But there is scarcely a spot which has not its traditions and associations, and nowhere do the traditions and associations go back so far or so deeply touch the heart of man. — London Daily Mail.

The Beauty of a Clear Skin.—The condition of the liver regulates the condition of the blood. A disordered liver causes impurities in the blood and these show themselves in blemishes on the skin. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills in acting upon the liver act upon the blood and a clear, healthy skin will follow intelligent use of this standard medicine. Ladies who will fully appreciate this prime quality of these pills, can use them with the certainty that the effect will be most gratifying.

Watch and Pray!

Whole World Stands at Gaze and Waits the Breaking of the Battle Thunder

Once more the whole wrold stands at gaze and waits the breaking of the battle thunder. In this war we have known other moments of tense anticipation, but none more full of meaning than this. The thought of the ordeal before us should hush all dissenting and discontented voices in these islands, and should inspire all who remain at home with a determination not to be unworthy of those who are facing privation and death in the cause of freedom. The people who talk of an ignoble peace, who shrink from facing a little suffering when our hosts are manfully arming themselves afresh for battle can they not watch and pray in silence?—The London Times.

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France Not Tired of the War

Not the Slightest Indication of an Inconclusive Peace

Dana Burnett, a Paris correspondent of the New York Sun, writes:

One of the chief hopes of the German supreme command is that the nerves of the entente allies will not hold out against such horror as modern warfare produces. From neutral Switzerland one hears the echo of imperial voices whispering to their peoples that France is growing tired of the war. Growing tired of it! She is sick to death of it! But if any man thinks that France is preparing to give up the fight, let him read the speech of M. Clemenceau before the chamber of deputies. Not since I have been in the country have I seen or heard the slightest indication of an inconclusive peace.

One soldier whom I talked to said: "This is without doubt the most unpopular war in history. Possibly the German people wanted it—though I doubt even that. Certainly none of the rest of us wanted it. But it came; it was thrust upon us. We found it suddenly at our doors. Naturally we grappled with it. Those are the facts. You can't argue them away. You can't argue the Germans out of Belgium. I wish to God you could.

"The further back from the lines you get the more complicated the whole matter becomes. That complication is called 'politics.' But in the trenches the facts are very simple. We fight because it is the only thing to do. We kill the boche because it is the only way to dispose of him. When we have killed enough of him the rest of him will go home. That is all."

A few evenings later, as I was walking through one of the older sections of Paris, I stumbled upon a little tableau that is quite typical of France at war. In the doorway of a baker's shop stood a poilu in trench helmet and greatcoat, with his water bottle slung across his shoulder and his knapsack, adorned with the inevitable hobnailed boots, upon his back. He was saying bood-bye to his wife. Finally with a sort of gruff gentleness, he unclasped her arm from about his neck, kissed her upon both cheeks and swung off down the shadowy street. When he had disappeared the woman went back into the shop, lighted a single pallid gas jet and prepared to receive customers. War or no war, the neighborhood must have bread. . . .

War or no war, life must go on!

Grace (sobbing)—"You don't love me, I know you don't."

George—"Why, darling, what makes you say that?"

Grace—"Because you're not jealous. Maud Mullins has been married nearly a year, and her husband is so jealous that he shot at her twice and tried to kill himself three times."

Fifty-Fifty

Ma Grump says: "Education? I dunno. There's about the same number of old men that believe in hair tonics and the same number of young men that believe in women's promises as ever." — Akron, O., Times.

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War and Food

No. 13—CHEESE

Always noted for its nutritive value, cheese is doubly important now as one of the most satisfying of substitutes for the beef and bacon which are gradually disappearing from the table in most Canadian homes.

Fifteen or twenty years ago the standing of an Ontario country in dairying was based on its volume of cheese production. But this basis of calculation no longer holds because other lines of dairy industry than cheese-making have made enormous strides in the last decade or two. Chief of these are the whole milk and powdered and condensed milk trades.

Despite the growth of these rival trades, however, cheese is still the largest single line in Ontario dairying. The value of the cheese output of the province in 1916 was $23,653,343, nearly $5,000,000 above the record of the year before and upwards of $9,000,000 more than for 1910. Canada as a whole has increased her export of cheese since the outbreak of war by upwards of 40,000,000 pounds.

Rich in protein there are few foods more sustaining than cheese and it might be used much more extensively than at present as a substitute for other foods needes for export. A very small piece of cheese has as much nourishment as a large portion of meat. It is an extremely important adjunct to the menu and might be more generally used.

Usually around the farm there is a good deal of skim milk on hand and the contempt with which the majority of people regard it is wholly undeserved. The prepartion of cottage cheese is one method of converting skim milk into a more attractive and appetizing form of food. It is extremely simple to make and is wholesome and delicious.

Canadian cheese may justly be termed one of the war foods of importance for not only might it be used freely here but it is needed for export, and the farmer will make no mistake in augmenting the supply for home and foreign consumption.

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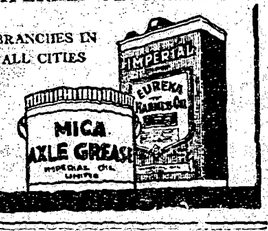

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The U-Boat is Held

Struggle Between the British Navy and the Submarine Most Important Event of 1917

History will probably say that the struggle between the British navy and the submarine was by far the most important event of the year 1917. The German admiralty, let alone the experts, undoubtedly had good a priori grounds for thinking that the unrestricted submarine was a lethal weapon, and we are not flattering ourselves unduly if we say that only the British navy, backed by the ingrained sea-craft of the British mercantile marine, could have prevented it from being fatal. What we owe to our sea-captains and able-bodied seamen is more than can ever be told. After a year we are able to say confidently, in Sir Eric Geddes' phrase, that "the U-boat is held," but it is, of course, idle to pretend that it has not had serious results in restricting supplies.—Westminster Gazette.

Very Appropriate

"Why do you call your dog Camera?"

"Because he is always trying to get a snap of everybody he meets."—Baltimore American.

Italy's Inventive Genius

Revival of Interest in Mechanics in That Country

Italy has just made a contribution to war industry that would have prevented such disasters as that which overcame our submarine F-4 in Honolulu harbor and cost the lives of its entire crew, and will make future submarine navigation much safer. The new device consists of a testing-dock, in which the new submarine is placed with its crew, and then subjected to hydraulic pressure equal to that which would be encountered 300 feet below the surface of the ocean. Submarines heretofore have been made theoretically to withstand such conditions, but many have developed weak points at unexpected places. The Italian invention permits application of the pressure under such conditions that if the vessel gives way the crew can be rescued before harm befalls it. Italy also gave wireless telegraphy to the world, through Marconi, and has contributed substantially to the perfection of the airplane, and there are other evidences of revival of interest in mechanics in that country.—Portland Oregonian.

When Holloway's Corn Cure is applied to a corn or wart it kills the roots and the callosity comes out without injury to the flesh.

Killing Without Injury

An Irish barrister was counsel in court for a man whose cow had been knocked down and killed by a railway train. The lawyer said: "If the train had been run as it should have been run, or if the bell had been rung as it should have been rung, or if the whistle had been blown as it ought to have been blown, both which they did neither, the cow would not have been injured when she was killed."—Railway Locomotive Engineer.

Playing Safe

Private Did Not Wish Any Publicity Under the Circumstances

An officer in the British army who is thoroughly disliked by his men, was returning to the barracks one night when he lost his way and slipped into deep water. A private happened to see the occurrence, and running to his assistance, pulled the officer out. The latter was very profuse in his thanks and asked his rescuer how he could reward him.

"The very best way you can reward me," replied the private, "is to say nothing about it."

"Why, my good fellow," questioned the astonished superior, "then you really wish me to say nothing about it?"

"Aye. If the other fellows knew I pulled you out they'd bloomin' soon chuck me in!" came the frank response.

How He Worked It

First Father—Ah! sons are very ungrateful. I have sent mine to college. I write to him every week, but he never has time even to send me a postcard to say how he is getting on.

Second Father—Oh, I can always get a letter from my son.

First Father—How?

Second Father—Well, I write to him, saying, 'Dear John, I enclose five pounds.'

First Father—Well!

Second Father—Well, I don't enclose it, that's all!—Edmonton Bulletin.

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A Much-Sentenced Author

Remarkable Claim in the Introduction to a Book

The most remarkable claim I have yet found in the introduction of a book—and introductions are often more startling than the books to which they belong—is that the author has been "condemned to death eight times" and "carries sentences aggregating more than five hundred years of penal servitude." The author in question is M. Daniel Blumenthal, an Alsatian by birth, who has been mayor of Colmar for nine years and who has represented Strassburg in the Reichstag. The sentences, of course, have been imposed upon him by the German government, as the introduction puts it, "because he escaped from the empire to tell the world the truth about Alsace-Lorraine; and the book is "Alsace-Lorraine," in which he sets out the relations of the two provinces to France and to Germany, respectively, and contends that "there is but one way in which they can regain their health. They must again be united to France, their mother country, their rightful home."—Diarist, in the Westminster Gazette.

The Warden—I'll have to give you ten days in solitary confinement.

No. 900—Fine! Now I'll have me meals served in me room.

Want Grain for Bread

A notable petition, representing nearly 6,000,000 women of the United States, was presented to President Wilson lately. The petition urged that the production of malt liquors in the United States be stopped in the interest of the conservation of foodstuffs. The petition states that the grain being used in the brewing of beer and ale and other malt beverages in America is enough to make more than 4,000,000 loaves of bread daily, and that the women of America ask that this great saving be made by a proclamation of the president. The petition contains the official signatures of 28 presidents of national organizations.

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Uphold German Conquest

Courland and Alsace Claimed by Right and Belgium Must Be "German"

The line of reasoning pursued by the German annexationists in their efforts to justify their plans for conquest in both the east and the west is well exemplified in a semi-historical article found in a copy of the Tagliche Rundschau, recently received in London.

According to the Rundschau article, Courland has really been a German province since 1159, when it was conquered by the German Orders. For more than a century German intelligence built up the land, and it was not until "our everlasting vices—treachery and disunion"—got the upper hand that first the Poles and then the Russians tore "this German land from us," and compelled it to submit to the Russian lash. The Rundschau continues:

"Once again has the German sword secured this ancient German frontier region, our northeast march, where for centuries the noblest German blood has been poured out on the watch. There are sections of our people who would regard it as sacrilege were these lands finally joined to the German empire. They are the same persons who find no strong word of defiance when the Frenchman, with impudent forehead, romances about his rights in a truly German land stolen from us in our weakness."

From Courland and Lithuania the Rundschau turns to Belgium, "a territory which has been in dispute between German and Frenchman for a thousand years." It is still a debatable land, as it was in the days of Heinrich I., the paper says, and will remain disputed territory unless the German national power finally dominates it. The Rundschau proceeds:

"Belgium and the Belgians are not a country at all, not a people, not a nation, but a number of race-fragments artificially joined together in recent times. In the north they are purely Germanic, in the south there is the Walloon mixture with all its shady qualities.

"The state, whose name has been borrowed from antiquity, is only the product of a sterile and makeshift diplomacy, a product of perplexity and created to serve as a defense against France. It was and has remained a hothouse growth with artificial roots, helped by artificial fertilizers, an experiment, as Belgian statesmen themselves have admitted.

"This experiment has brought itself to a close, and what is to be put in its place is not a question of morality, nor even of right, but a pure matter of German expediency. And the more categorically foreign shamelessness demands the cession of Alsace-Lorraine the stronger becomes the necessity to create a powerful flank protection for the imperial provinces, the more actual and compelling the thought of defensive security.

"As to any re-establishement of Belgium as it was before the war there can be no question. Belgium as a state was tolerable for us only as long as it remained neutral. In the moment when it forsook its neutral position its fate was sealed, and the question had to be faced, Is Belgium to be German or Anglo-French? A diplomat may hesitate about the answer; a statesman never."

"Does your wife economize?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Meekton. "She has figured to a nicety how many new gowns the money I spend for cigars would buy."—Hamilton Spectator.

Toronto College of Music

Inauguration of Musical Examination Has Been of Great Benefit

Of all the pioneer work done in the interests of musical education in Canada, nothing has been more productive of good than the inauguration of the Toronto College of Music Examinations. Founded by F. H. Torrington, whose name needs no introduction to the Canadian public, the College is entitled to rank as one of the foremost musical institutions in this country. A system of local examinations in Music has been established, whereby students at a distance from Toronto are afforded the same advantages as those in attendance at the College. These examinations are held at midsummer at the several local centres established throughout the Dominion. Full information and the Syllabus of examination requirements may be obtained by applying to the Secretary of the College in Toronto.

German Countess To Expose Junkers

Years Before the War Broke Out the German Autocracy Against the United States

The Friends of German Democracy in New York announce that revelations showing how for years before the war broke out the German autocracy schemed against the United States, are in the possession of the Countess Alida von Krockow, American-born, now the widow of a German count. The countess was exiled from Germany because of her opposition to the views of the pan-Germanist junkers, to which group her husband belonged.

Countess von Krockow is preparing to give her experiences, contained in forty-two carefully kept diaries, to the American public.

The countess says she wrote an article exposing secrets of the German ruling class for an American magazine. It was published under a assumed name. Nevertheless, after months of espionage she was discovered as the authoress of the article and compelled to leave Germany.

The countess, who lives in the Buena Vista apartments, Riverside Drive, said:

"I was the only member of the immediate court who espoused the cause of America. In all the time that I was in Berlin I found a bitterness toward the United States among the ruling circles that amounted almost to an obsession. On this point I had many disagreements with my husband.

"I always dared to speak my mind freely and I always was outspoken in my convictions against the lust of world domination so evident in the upper circles of the court.

"Even on those occasions when the kaiser received us I refused to be muzzled and exerted my right to free speech."

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend.

The Inventor of Margarine

Was a Substitute for Butter During the Siege of Paris

Margarine came into being as a substitute for butter during the siege of Paris. M. Mouries, a French chemist and scientist, invented it by mixing milk and beef fat. The article that M. Mouries improved and eventually patented was later on manufactured by the Dutch and the Danes. When it was found that there was not sufficient beef fat for the manufacturers to meet the increased demand for the new butter, vegetable oils were experimented with, and so originated margarine as we know it, of which our manufacturers are now turning out about 5,000 tons a week.—London Daily News.

THE ONLY MEDICINE FOR LITTLE ONES

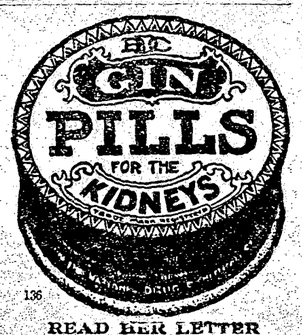
Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she will use nothing else. Their use teaches her they are absolutely safe; that they never fail to give relief and that the little ones do not dread taking them as they do castor oil and other harsh purgatives. Concerning the Tablets Mrs. John M. Weaver, Blissfield, N. B., says:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the past ten years and have found them so good I always keep a box in the house." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

"It is called the altar because that's where a girl alters her name when she gets married," explained one youngster to another.

Miller's Worm Powders are par excellence the medicine for children who are found suffering from the ravages of worms. They immediately alter the stomachic conditions under which the worms subsist and drive them from the system, and at the same time, they are tonical in their effect upon the digestive organs, restoring them to healthful operation and ensuring immunity from further disorders from such a cause.

Counsel—"Come, sir, do you mean to tell me you didn't see the complainant's cow on the land? How near should you be to a beast to recognize it?"

Witness—"About the distance I am from you."



READ HER LETTER

Halifax, N.S.

"About eight months ago, I read your advertisement in one of the Halifax papers offering a free sample of Gin Pills for the Kidneys. I had been a martyr for years to intense pains across the back. Before I had finished the third box I found myself perfectly free from pain."

Yours sincerely,

(MRS.) JANE PERCY.

Carter's Little Liver Pills For Constipation

A vegetable remedy that always gives prompt relief in constipation. Banishes that tired feeling altogether and puts you right over-night, stimulates the Liver gently, but quickly restoring it to full and healthy action, and the stomach and bowels to their natural functions. Making life worth living.

Small Pill
Small Dose
Small Price

Genuine bears signature

ROSY CHEEKS or HEALTHY COLOR indicates Iron in the Blood. Pale or colorless faces usually show its absence. A condition which will be much helped by **CARTER'S IRON PILLS**

Reserved for Soldiers

All Suitable Farm Lands Within 15 Miles of Railway in Northern West

Nearly two million acres have been set aside in the Peace River district for the soldiers' settlement scheme, it is learned.

Further, all suitable farm lands within fifteen miles of the railway, located in the northern portions of the three Prairie Provinces, have been reserved for returned men.

Arrangements are also being made whereby financial aid can be secured.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

Tender Memories

"Shut that door!" yelled the rough man. "Where were you raised, in a barn?" The man addressed meekly and silently complied, but the speaker looking at him a moment later observed that he was in tears. Going over to his victim he apologized. "Oh, come," he said soothingly, "you shouldn't take it to heart because I asked if you were raised in a barn."

"That's it, that's it," sobbed the other man. "I was raised in a barn and it makes me homesick every time I hear an ass bray."

Proved Once More In Southampton, Ont.

THAT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURE RHEUMATISM

Harold D. Bertram Had Inflammatory Rheumatism and One Box of Dodd's Kidney Pills Cleared It Out of His System.

Southampton, Ont., (Special)—That rheumatism is caused by disordered kidneys and that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure it is again proved by the case of Harold D. Bertram, a young man well and favorably known here. He had inflammatory rheumatism for two months. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him.

"The doctor said my trouble started with the grippe," Mr. Bertram states. "My hands and feet were badly swollen and the doctor did not seem to be doing me any good. My grandmother, Mrs. G. Grasser, advised me to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. I took one box of them and I haven't been bothered since. I am clear of the rheumatism."

That Mr. Bertram's trouble came from his kidneys is shown by his other symptoms. He had stiffness in the joints, was tired and nervous, and there were flashes of light before his eyes. He had a dragging sensation across the loins, was always thirsty and felt heavy and sleepy after meals.

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid in the blood. Cured kidneys strain the uric acid out of the blood. Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the kidneys.

Boost for Canada

Dominion Coming to the Front as a Manufacturing Country

A few years ago the manufacturing industries of Canada were insignificant by comparison with those of the United States. Under the impulse of war they have so expanded that the United States government has placed orders for $1,100,000,000 worth of munitions in the Dominion. The orders include 7,000,000 shells, 10,000,000 forgings and 2,000,000 cartridge cases. The ability of Canada to contribute so much to the needs of the United States is evidence of the great expansion of the British munition industry, for it indicates that to a large extent the mother country can now dispense with the aid of the Dominion in munition production.—Portland Oregonian.

Royal Duke's Romance

Was One of the Most Cultured Sovereigns of Germany

Grand Duke Adolph Frederick, who, after a reign of fewer than four years, committed suicide, like Ludwig, was one of the most cultured sovereigns of Germany.

It was persistently reported in 1913 that he was engaged to marry Princess Patricia of Connaught, daughter of the Duke of Connaught, late governor-general of Canada. The shattering of "Princess Pat's romance" by the war was a popular topic in the gossipy English weeklies some time ago, and may possibly be a clue to the mysterious suicide of the Grand Duke. His grandmother, who died recently, the Matriarch of European royalty, was born an English princess, first cousin of Queen Victoria, and through this connection Grand Duke Adolph was on intimate terms with the British royal family and had a host of friends in England.

His talents, handsome appearance, splendid horsemanship (he was famous as a long distance rider) and reputation for courage made him the beau ideal of German princes, and great things were expected of him when he ascended the throne just before the outbreak of the great war.

A Boston Girl

"I hear that Miss Chilton was an old flame of yours."

"Not exactly; an old icicle."—Boston Transcript.

A Promising New Wheat

Ruby Wheat Makes Flour of the Highest Quality

By bringing out Marquis wheat the Dominion department of agriculture did a service to Canada and to the empire that it would be difficult to over-estimate. On account of its vigorous habits of growth, excellent yield and superb milling qualities, this variety, which year after year, as an exhibit from Western Canada, has carried off premier honors at the International Soil Products Exhibition in the United States, has largely supplanted the old standard Red Fife, that also gained for Canadian wheat an enviable reputation in the flour markets of the world.

A service rendered by the introduction of Prelude a few years later was also of great importance, inasmuch as it extended the wheat-growing area of this country by millions of acres. To these two very valuable accessions to the hard wheats of Canada is to be added a new sort that comes midway between Marquis and Prelude in the matter of yield and ripening. This new sort has been produced at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, by Dr. Chas. E. Saunders, the Dominion Cerealist, who gives the following account of the new wheat in the March number of The Agricultural Gazette, the official organ of the federal department of agriculture:

"The new wheat, which has been named Ruby, Ottawa 623, possesses characteristics in ripening and other qualities midway between Marquis and Prelude. It is beardless, possesses hard, red kernels, gives a fair yield, and makes flour of the highest quality in regard to color and strength. Bread made from it ranks in the first class. This wheat is the result of a cross between Downy Riga and Red Fife. Downy Riga was produced from two early sorts, Gehun, an Indian variety, and Onega from Northern Russia. Ruby is recommended for trial where Marquis does not ripen satisfactorily. A very limited distribution of five-pound samples is being made to farmers requiring an early sort. A sufficient crop will be grown this year on the Experimental Farms to provide for a generous distribution next spring."

Important Historical Record

British Document Contains Much Data of Important Nature

The war cabinet's history for 1917, forms a most interesting and highly important historical record and also shows the tremendous labors of the achievement. The government emphasizes that the whole character of the war has gradually changed since last year, involving the complete transformation of the British administration and organization.

Regarding the submarine warfare, the documents frankly admit that if the enemy had been able to maintain the rate of sinkings reached in February of last year, the military operations of the allies would have been largely paralyzed. The navy, however, triumphed. The document contains much data of an important sort.

Such Extravagance

Fine silk with patterns worked in gold and silver threads were used by the Turks as sand bag coverings for their trenches in Palestine.

These Days, Eat Grape-Nuts

A Wheat Saver
A Sugar Saver
A Milk Saver

This "ready-to-eat" food also saves time and fuel.

Ideal for Wartime

The Country Store

IN the evening, when the day's work is done, men like to stroll over to the village store to discuss the war, politics, or whatever may be of local interest.

It is under these circumstances that the health of the family is referred to and experiences are interchanged in regard to medicines that have proven particularly effective.

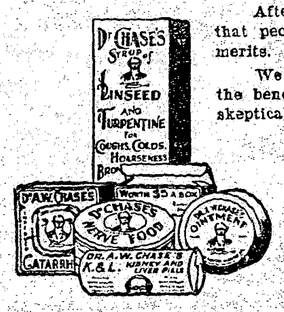
After Dr. Chase had introduced his medicines to the druggists he found that many who wrote to him for treatment lived many miles from doctor or druggist, and had to depend on the country store for their medicines. Thus it came about that Dr. Chase's medicines were placed in general stores, and you can now obtain them wherever medicines are sold.

Instead of trying to imagine what the man in the picture is saying about Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, we shall publish a letter from Mr. James Carr, who attributes his good health and that of his large family to the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

18 Miles From Drug Store.

Mr. James Carr, Maynooth, Ont., writes: "About nineteen years ago I received an envelope containing two of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I was doctoring at the time with two doctors and, as they did me no good, I used the pills, and by the time I had finished one box I was cured of the pain in the back and shoulders.

"We have great confidence in Dr. Chase's medicines. I have a family of ten children and have never had a doctor in the house for any of them. We live eighteen miles from a drug store, and find that these pills cure nearly all the ordinary ills by regulating the liver, kidneys and bowels. That we are all well and sound I attribute to their use, and I have recommended them to hundreds and given away many a box because I believe there is no medicine so good."



After long experience with Dr. Chase's Medicines we have found that people who try them are soon convinced of their exceptional merits.

We have published thousands of letters to give you an idea of the benefits others have obtained by their use, but if you are still skeptical we shall be glad to send you our

Free Combination Package

One 25-cent box Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.
One sample box Dr. Chase's Ointment.
One copy Dr. Chase's Recipes.

You will kindly mention the name of this paper and enclose a 2-cent stamp to pay postage to Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Dr. Chase Bldg., Toronto. 4

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The blue cross means that your subscription is due, and that the editor would be pleased to have more money.

THE pungent aroma of the green onion, is again rampant in Canada.

APPARENTLY, the Hindenburg line stops at all the flag stations in France.

IF you wish to hold the affections of a woman, never give her too much, or too little of anything.

WRITE often to the boys in France, and send them the local papers. Nothing has a more beneficial effect upon the soldiers at the front than messages from home.

IN order to help in these days of war, some girls in the States are wearing overalls. Others are doing their best to save cloth, by wearing dresses that are short on both ends.

STYLE is everything with some people. In the South this winter we saw many a woman wearing heavy furs, and at the same time holding a parasol over her head to keep the sun from burning her face.

THE German crown prince is not much in the spotlight, since his military fiasco at Verdun. Little Willie is probably talking to himself somewhere in Germany, or loafing around his dad's palace in Berlin.

Over There

A. N. Mowat is again in France, and in a letter to The Ledge says: "Dear Colonel.—We are all going strong. All full of confidence and believe that a victorious army will soon be marching home. There is plenty of news over here, but I cannot give you any as it is all prohibited. Remember me to the people of Greenwood. During these strenuous times, when a man is feeling all in, fagged out and can hardly stand up, a letter seems to brighten him up and does a lot towards paving the way to the desired end. Any letter addressed to Sergt. A. N. Mowat, 703882, 7th Battalion, Army Postoffice, London, England, will reach me wherever I may be. When I was in England last I saw James McCreath, Alex Davidson, Duncan and Bob Murray' Suds Smith, Hilscher of Midway, Alex McKinnon and many others. Bassett of Phoenix is back in France. Billy Whippler, Chris Eaton, Stan Wolverson, Fred Daly and Alex McGhie are still in the ring. They are all delighted when a bundle of Ledges arrive at the front. It does them good to read about the friends they left behind them in God's country—British Columbia."

The Three Flags

EDITOR LEDGE

DEAR SIR:—In a recent issue of The Ledge, I saw an article in reference to the United States, not honoring the British and French flags to any great extent. It is very true, for I have been in Spokane for nearly three months, and only once have I seen the Allied flags shown in public places. I thought the article so appropriate that I handed it to one of the leading physicians, who is a leader in patriotic work. He said that it was excellent, and that he would bring it up at a meeting of the Fifth District Congressional Club this week.

Spokane, May 7, 1918.

MRS. S. T. LARSEN.

Any merchant can help his business by truthful and suggestive advertising.

In Old Mexico

Close to the Rio Grande, opposite the Big Bend district of Texas, German agents are drilling Mexican troops. Mexican mobilization on the border is a fact, and about 10000 men are opposite the Big Bend. Most of the Mexican army men are rabid pro-Germans. It is realized in Texas that an open break that would lead to war would be a triumph for the German plotters and every effort is being made to avoid it.

It is known that at least some of the Mexican raids in the Big Bend district were made in the hope that American troops would follow the raiders across the river and into ambush.

At the same time, well informed Americans do not believe that Venustiano Carranza, de facto president of Mexico, is pro-German, or pro-anything but Mexican.

The situation in Mexico is simply chaotic.

Carranza's authority is respected by no one. Even those claiming publicly to be his devoted followers almost openly sneer at him.

His only card is the fact that he has been recognized by the United States, and the declaration of President Wilson that the United States will not recognize any president who succeeds to office via the assassination route.

Plenty of ambitious men in Mexico would have Carranza killed, but why kill him when the act will put Mexico beyond hope of procuring foreign financial assistance which any government must have it it is to survive?

Carranza is a small-town man, a provincial of the narrowest type—a selfish, grasping old autocrat, who pretends to be a friend of the plain people and in favor of liberal government, but who never willingly permits any power to get out of his own hands.

His idea of a government is one where the laws are made by executive decree without the necessity of sanction by congress or anyone else.

The constitution adopted at Queretaro, at a convention dominated by Carranza, is a good one in many ways, and is even radical in its provisions for the protection of the rights of the individual Mexican.

Its weakness is its denial of the rights to foreigners or to religious bodies or ministers of religion, regardless of denomination.

It contains a joker which permits the president to suspend it in times of national stress, and Senor Carranza has managed to keep it suspended ever since it was framed some two years ago.

It denies foreigners the right to own real property of any kind, unless the foreigners, be they corporations or natural persons, agree to surrender their right to appeal to their own governments for protection of their rights.

It denies them the right to hold property of any kind and under any circumstances within 100 kilometers of the coast or boundary of another country.

As the constitution has been suspended ever since it was ratified, no attempt, so far as is known, has been made to enforce any of its provisions, though Secretary of State Lansing has taken occasion to inform Carranza that the provisions respecting property rights will not be recognized by the United States, since American citizens cannot lawfully surrender any of their rights so long as they remain citizens of the United States.

Ever since Carranza has been in office he has looked with jealous eye upon the Tampico oil fields, and several times has started troops in that direction with the view of taking possession of them, but each time the move has been abandoned.

Nominally the Carranza government controls the city of Tampico, which is the shipping point for the oil.

The producing district itself is under control of an independent revolutionist, Manuel Palaez, who is a bitter enemy of Carranza.

Palaez is a brother of the general counsel of the Aguila company, the great British concern of Sir Weetman Pearson, and it is generally believed the Palaez revolution was started, maintained and financied by the oil interests to keep Cbranza and his people out of the fieid and to protect the properties from destruction at the hands of irresponsible bands.

The Carranza or federal troops are just as irresponsible and dangerous as the so-called revolutionists or bandits.

The bandits pillage and loot by virtue of their strong right arms, the soldiers do the same things in the name of the government.

If a rancher or merchant in an outlying district objects to his property being taken by the soldiers, he is charged with being a Villa sympathizer, and imprisoned or shot.

Each of the so-called generals is a law unto himself, and never accepts orders that do not suit him, save in the presence of a superior force.

The condition of affairs, in northern Mexico at least, has resulted in stripping the country of provisions. The farmers are afraid to put in crops or to gather them, for they are almost certain to be confiscated by the soldiers or stolen by the bandits.

Along the railroads the suffering of the people are intense; in the more remote districts famine conditions prevail.

The cities are crowded with Germans, most of them are refugees who fled from the United States in anticipation of the declaration of war and others who escaped across the line to avoid the draft.

Many of these people have money. Some of them are wealthy. They spend freely, entertain the generals and officers of the garrisons, and generally succeed in creating the impression that they are the only friends of the Mexicans.

Americans with plenty of money should be sent into the country. Arrangements should be made for the reopening of the mines and other properties owned by Americans and allied interests; food should be supplied to tide the people over until they can produce their own.

The United States should follow the example of the Germans in not paying too much attention to Carranza, but dealing, unofficially of course, with the half-dozen leaders who are the real power in the country. If this could be done and peace once restored, the future would be easy.

Mexicans are so tired of war that they would accept almost anything that would guarantee them peace.

It is probably safe to say that today, out of 15,000,000 people, less than 50,000 are in arms, and these could be promptly brought under control by any power that undertook the task with intelligence and proper financial backing.

Carranza is stupid, arrogant, suspicious, and notoriously lacking in honesty in a country where honesty is not esteemed as one of the highest virtues.

He is a silent partner in a number of companies which control the trade in almost everything of importance produced in the country, and no one in Mexico can do business with out paying tribute to one of these concerns.

All Free Miner's certificates expire on the 31st of May.

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT

TAKE NOTICE that I John R. Jackson, of Midway, occupation, Rancher, intends to apply for permission to Lease the following described Lands: Commencing at a post at the N. W. Cor. Lot 1086s, thence north 60 chs., thence East 20 chs, thence South 40 chs., thence East 40 chs., thence South 20 chs., thence West 60 chs., to point of commencement, containing 200 acres more or less for Grazing Lands.

Dated this 30th day of March, 1918.

JOHN R. JACKSON,
Applicant.

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Lot 1086s on official Map containing 160 acres.

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British Columbia has been here a long time so has the B. C. Cigar. Absolutely Guaranteed. Clear Havana Filled. The Cigar that never varys. . . .

Have you tried one lately?

WILBERG & WOLTZ
B. C. CIGAR FACTORY
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

The Knob Hill Hotel
PHOENIX.
One of the largest hotels in the city. Beautiful location, fine rooms and tasty meals.
A. O. JOHNSON - PROP.

THE OPERATOR AND THE TELEPHONE USER WORK TOGETHER

Real, helpful, animate service is what the telephone operator gives. She is trained to her work, her every movement is made instinctly as the result of constant practise. Her efforts are always directed toward giving service; it becomes habit. To do otherwise; she would have to derange her daily course of action.

With considerate co-operation on the part of the subscriber, telephone service will be well-nigh perfect.

BRITISH COLUMBIA TELEPHONE COMPANY, Ltd.

Mazda Tungsten Lamps
15 to 40 Watt Lamps—50c each.
60 Watt Lamps—75c each.
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60 Watts - - - $1.25 each
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The only up-to-date Hotel in the interior. First-class in every respect.
CENTRALLY LOCATED
Hot and Cold Water; Steam Heat and Telephone in each room.
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First Class Cafe and Barber Shop
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RATES $1.00 per day and up; European Plan.
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"Over The Top"

Nature has made British Columbia rich and beautiful. The waters that run through and surround it, are teeming with edible fish, including clams. Its lofty sky-scraping mountains are filled with almost every known mineral, while the yellow power of earth-gold, it hides amid the sands of many a creek. Its fertile valleys and hillsides contain millions of acres that are doing nothing to go "OVER THE TOP," for lack of cultivation. Its forests of gigantic trees are the envy of the world. The scenery is grandly magnificient, while the climate contains the ozone that puts pep into the human frame, filling it with life, health and energy.

With all these advantages this Province should have millions of happy people within its confines, and yet it has a scant 400,000. Then sings the little bird in the tree, "What's The Matter With B. C."

Nothing, except that it is like many a business man. It does not advertise, or does not know how. Turn on the bright light of effective and suggestive advertising, until all the world thinks and talks about this glorious B. C., the brightest gem in the cluster of Canada's provincial diamonds. Get a move on, go over the top, waving your flag and blowing your cornet in front of the millions that have not yet been "swiped" by the red hand of Mars.

In the meantime do not fall to boost your own business by dropping a soul-touching, money getting ad into Greenwood's Leading Excitement. Come across with enthusiasm and plenty of printer's ink, and the public will shell you with dollars, until you grow tired picking them up. If you are wise, you will always advertise, in

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and get your job printing at the same office.