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At the City Council meeting last week Mayor T. M. Gulley called attention to the anniversary of 21 years' service of the City Clerk, G. B. Taylor, paying a tribute to his faithful service during this period and his assistance to each new council. He suggested that some presentation would show Greenwood's appreciation of his services and also some increase in his salary. On the motion of Alderman King, seconded by Alderman Jenkin and carried unanimously a check for $50 was presented to Mr. Taylor and an increase in his salary commencing January 1.

Around Home

William C. Wilson is acting postmaster.

D. L. McElroy has moved from Fife to Clinton.

J. H. Goodeve is on a business trip to Princeton.

At McElmon's. Waltham Watches. Boys Watches.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan have returned from St. Thomas, Ont.

Theodore McCammon returned to Phoenix on Monday from England.

A Soldiers friend is Dad O'Dell at the Province Hotel, Grand Forks.

A. Pontesso expects to move his family to Grand Forks, shortly.

E. F. Smith has moved his family from Mother Lode to Greenwood.

Ladies woolen and heavy cotton underwear at Rendell's Stocktaking Sale.

Jack Holmes returned on Monday from a visit with his brother Herbert, at Beaverdell.

For that nasty cough use Syrup White Pine and Tar. You can get it at Goodeve's Drug Store.

Dr. Ferguson, superintendent of missions for British Columbia, was in Greenwood on Tuesday.

The Boundary Womens' Institute have donated $300 to the Red Cross Drive, for this district.

Fresh fruits and groceries, quality and prices guaranteed. G. A. Rendell, Greenwood, B. C.

Mrs. E. E. Gibson of Grand Forks passed through Greenwood, Saturday, on a visit to Penticton.

F. K. McMann has sold his billiard parlor at Cashmere, Wash., and may locate in Merritt or Princeton.

Remnants in velveteens, velvets, braids, insertions, etc., at Rendell's Stocktaking Sale.

The Greenwood Hockey team were victorious in the hockey game in Phoenix on Wednesday evening. The score was 3-2.

Make your own. Oranges and Grape Fruit at a price that reduces considerably the cost of your marmalade. G. A. Rendell.

Malcolm Morrison who has been in the Grand Forks hospital has recovered from his illness, and returned to his home in Midway.

The many friends of James McCreath will be pleased to hear that he is recovering from the illness that has kept him at home for some time.

James D. McCreath, Jr., will arrive on Friday from Vancouver, having made the trip from England via the Panama Canal, on the Empress of Asia.

Mrs. G. B. Garrett arrived in Grand Forks on Saturday, after an extended visit to her home at Maple Creek. Mrs. Garret reports summer like weather on the prairie.

A new shipment of white and coloured flanelettes, sheeting, sheets and pillow cases at Rendell's Store.

While on a joy ride up the North Fork, with Harry Lightfoots's "Bone Shaker", Frank Wooley of Grand Forks met with a painful accident by having his face badly lacerated. How it happened is quite a mystery as he was found wandering in a dazed condition on the Kettle Valley track, and taken to the hospital in Grand Forks.

The Greenwood Rink Directors wish to acknowledge receipt of $60.000 from the Greenwood Hockey Club. The Directors wish to express their satisfaction at the prompt and business like way in which the boys have conducted the affairs of the Rink this season. The $60.00 mentioned pays for the Insurance, and the boys undertook to see that this would be paid.

IN THE SOUTH

A flask of whiskey in San Diego costs from 40 cents upwards.

It is easy to get married in California, and just as easy to get divorced.

Business is dull in San Diego, and the population is slowly decreasing.

The streets of San Diego are poorly lighted, except when the moon shines.

It has not rained this month in San Diego, but there is still plenty of water in the ocean.

Berlin Bill is not cutting much ice these days, although it is reported that he is sawing wood in Holland.

By proper advertising British Columbia can obtain a great increase in its tourist trade from the United States.

Fresh eggs are 60 cents a dozen in San Diego, and will likely reach 40 cents next month. The best butter is still 68 cents a pound.

The Flu is still on the increase in California. Many fleeing from Los Angeles to escape the plague are constantly spreading. the disease in San Diego.

Mme Schumann—Heink, the great diva, is touring the United States, and will not returned to California until June. She intends to build a residence at Coronado.

Thousands of young people are willing to leave California for British Columbia, if they could better their conditions. There is little chance to progress in California unless you have plenty of money.

The people in Mexico are indignant about the proposal of some politicians in the United States to buy the State of Lower California from Mexico. Governor Cantu of Mexicalli considers the idea, on a par with England asking to buy California from the United States.

R. T. LOWERY.

No "Flu" in Greenwood

EDITOR THE LEDGE

DEAR SIR:

In reference to the report appearing in the Nelson News of Thursday, Jan. 23rd. re Flu Ban, on Greenwood, B. C. The following wire was sent to the Nelson News. "Flu Ban reported on Greenwood in News Thursday absolutely wrong no flu cases here since Nov. 14th, 1918. Citizens very indignant." A letter confirming this telegram was sent as follows: "It is to be regretted that such a report should have been sent and I cannot understand what kind of person should have been so absolutely careless in inventing such an injurious report.

The leading people of the town came to me at once with a protest hence my wire.

You of course have your informant and I presume you will deal accordingly with such false news."

In reply to this letter the following appeared in the News of Saturday, Jan. 25th. "The ban has been lifted from Greenwood according to information received from that point."

This in itself was not a very generous refutation of such a thorough mistatement as no ban was on Greenwood to be lifted.

CHARLES KING,
Correspondent to the Nelson News.

Get a Float for 25 cents at The Ledge office, and send to your friends in order to cheer them during the dark days of the winter.

Western News

Merrttt wants a Board of Trade.

There are 1200 men employed at the Trail smelter.

In Prince Rupert coal is selling for $16.50 a ton.

The Federal parliament will open on February 20.

Three Forks may have their post office re opened.

Vanderhoof may have a pulp mill in the course of a year.

Nelson lost $3,000 in the operation of its civic railway during 1918.

The Provincial Government will float a loan of $3,000,000 this year.

During the Canadian Red Cross campaign, the Nakusp district gave $1032.

The New Peoples' League formed in Vancouver will oppose prohibition.

The City Council of Penticton will operate for the present with one man short.

Wheat shipped from Kamloops to Vancouver now brings from $63 to $76 a ton.

Canadian Collieries, Ltd., are planning to open up new mines on Vancouver Island.

Manager Louis J. Ball of the Vernon News, has been re-elected alderman of that city.

Shipping freights from New Zealand to Great Britain have been reduced by 25 per cent.

During 1918, 1,882 vessels of 2,721,281 tons were constructed in the American shipyards.

Rossland's Council went in by acclamation for the first time in the history of that city.

The Trail Board of Trade are making an effort to have a Federal building erected in the smelter city.

An airplane patrol for forest fires may be used on the B. C. coast during the coming summer.

Canada's wealth is estimated at $16,000,000,000 and agricultural products at $2,000,000,000 for 1918.

A total of $1435 has been paid as amusement taxes in Nelson during the period from June to October of last year.

Lieut.-Col. J. Sclater, D. S. O., is the new Prohibition Commissioner for the Province of British Columbia.

During the month of December, 1918, B. C. exported to the United States, 136,343,200 shingles, valued at $571,767.

American farmers produced in 1918, 1,340,000,000 pounds of tobacco, an increase of 110,000,000 pounds over 1917.

The new brick school building in Rossland—to replace the one destroyed by fire last year—was opened this month.

After spending five months in the dry dock at Esquimalt, under repairs, the Japanese liner Canada Maru, has again taken up the run to the Orient.

Thomas A. McGowan, pioneer resident of Alaska, died in San Francisco on January 22, after a 15 months' illness. He spent 21 years in Alaska.

Private Kenneth Duncan, Independent candidate, was elected to the Provincial Legislature over Major F. B. Edwards in Saturday's byelection in Cowichan.

The mildest ever is a Naramatta comment on the general character of the January weather, but the pessimist—another "First Settler" raises his eye-brows over his wide open eyes, and says to look out for February or March.

The oldest living woman in the world, so far as is known, lives in Posen. She is 134 years of age, and her birth is substantiated by records. She was a young woman when Napoleon swept over Europe. At the time of her birth Frederick the Great was still alive and the United States had been born about eight years.

Mining News

It is reported that the Burton mine, west of Elko, will resume operations.

The Ruth Mines Limited, of B.C. has gone into voluntary liquidation.

For the first three weeks of this month, the Trail smelter received 21,371 tons of ore.

The Silver Standard mine, the big silver-lead property near New Hazelton, has closed for three months, due to unsettled freight rates.

The Mountain Chief Mining Company, Limited, non-personal liability, authorized capital of $50,000, with its registered office in Nelson, has been incorporated.

The Alamo concentrator near Sandon, is nearing completion, and is expected to be all ready for operation about the first of March. It is being built by Clarence Cunningham.

A new hydraulic plant and 2200 feet of pipe line are being installed at the property of the Gibson Mining company, operating about 12 miles from Kaslo. The property is a silver-lead and zinc proposition.

The Granby company has posted notices at the Grand Forks smelter of their intention to reduce wages according to schedule affected by the reduced price of copper. The official price of copper has not been announced.

Bob Griffith, veteran Alaska "musher" with a heavy armed guard and two dog teams, arrived in Seward, Alaska, recently, with $400,000 worth of gold dust from the Iditarod for shipment to Seattle on the Steamer Alameda.

The Princeton Mining and Development company, operating near Princeton, performed 200 feet of development work, erected a house and built a railway spur in 1918. Two carloads of ore are ready for shipment to the Granby smelter.

Three teams are now hauling ore from the Neutral mine, on Copper mountain, four miles northeast of Chesaw, Wash., where 10 men are employed. The ore is iron and goes to Chewelah for fluxing at the Northwest Magnesite Works. The Neutral is owned by W. T. Penrose of Spokane and associates.

The report of the Standard Silver-Lead Mining company, of Silverton, for October, just issued, showed a surplus of $293,649 and a net profit of $42,899 for the month. The surplus and the earnings are the largest in several months and are sufficient to defray expenses at the current rate for a long period.

Spanish influenza, a strike and a fire are therefore to be held responsible for a loss in production in the coal mines of British Columbia during the year that has just closed of 268,000 tons. From the "Flu" cause alone there is a loss of 158.000 tons, while the remainder of the drop was caused by what may be dubbed more or less natural causes.

The Northwest Magnesite company of Chewelah, Wash., will reduce its production of calcined and forro-magnesite by 50 per cent to parallel the reduction in steel production. This will dispense with the services of nearly half of the 300 employees. The reduction of the employees will not be so heavy at the quarry where improvements are to be made. The curtailment of production is expected to continue until improvement appears in the steel trade.

Cause and Result

Mrs. Noel—My husband has had dyspepsia dreadfully of late.

Mrs. Nock—I am sorry, but I had no idea you were without a cook.—Boston Transcript.

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To have the children sound and healthy is the first care of a mother. They cannot be healthy if troubled with worms. Use Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Want to Stay in Sweden

Stockholm. — General Ludendorff, former chief quartermaster-general of the German armies, has applied to the Swedish government for formal permission for himself and wife to stay a short time in Sweden. The application has been granted for one month.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Lisbon Has Overcome Trouble

London. — A wireless despatch received from Lisbon announces the suppression of the insurrection. The despatch adds that the naval arsenal and torpedo boat destroyer Giralda have been recaptured by the faithful troops. The naval arsenal men and the crew of the destroyer revolted. The note adds that the provinces are quiet, except in Santerem, where rebels who were marching on Lisbon were forced to retreat.

Will Be Given Free Passage

Dependents of Soldiers to be Brought to Canada

Ottawa. — Approximately sixty thousand dependents of Canadian soldiers overseas are in the British Isles at the present time, in addition to some 22,000 already returned to Canada, according to official estimates here.

Under the government's policy as announced, these 50,000 will be brought to Canada at public expense. The number includes wives, children and other dependents of all officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the Canadian expeditionary force still serving overseas. In addition to this number, other dependents to the number of possibly several thousand, who have come to Canada since the signing of the armistice on Nov. 11 last, and who have paid their own ocean and railway fares, will have the money expended refunded by the government, the regulations being retrospective to that date.

Germany is Innocent

Astounding Declaration by Prominent German Business Men

London. — Germany is still unrepentant, still insisting that she is utterly innocent of causing the world war, and still placing the responsibility on the "jealousy" of the allies and particularly that of England.

A message of more than 4,000 words transmitted through the wireless stations of the German government makes this perfectly clear. It is in the form of interviews with prominent Germans collected by the "Americanische Korrespondenz" of Berlin and telegraphed from that city to the New York Times. Some typical extracts follow:

Franz von Mendelsohn, president of the Berlin chamber of commerce and head of the banking firm of Mendelsohn.—"All German business men were firmly convinced that Germany was not the aggressive party in this war. It is only this belief, with which the entire German people were permeated, which has enabled them to hold out for so long under their terrible burdens and the fearful moral pressure exerted by the consciousness that the whole world had become their enemy."

Professor Dr. Riesser, president of the Hansa Bund.—"This peace is to be dictated under the active co-operation of those enemies who, according to the firm conviction of the overwhelming majority of the German people, had long ago prepared the world war by means of an encircling policy which grew more threatening year after year."

Max von Schinckel, director of the Norddeutsche Bank in Hamburg.—"It is an absolutely false idea to make the kaiser responsible for the outbreak of the war. He was an ardent devotee of peace. Germany was forced to adopt a stronger armament simply through the encircling policy of King Edward. It would be a monstrous injustice if the entente should attempt to burden Germany with the costs of the war."

Consul Eugen Guttmann, director of the Dresden Bank:—"During its retreat the German chief command did its utmost, unfortunately usually in vain, to preserve the French and Belgian cities from destruction through the bombardment of the entente."

A Thorough Pill.—To clear the stomach and bowels of impurities and irritants is necessary when their action is irregular. The pills that will do this work thoroughly are Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which are mild in action but mighty in results. They purge painlessly and effectively, and work a permanent cure. They can be used without fear by the most delicately constituted, as there are no painful effects preceding their gentle operation.

B. C. Honey Crop

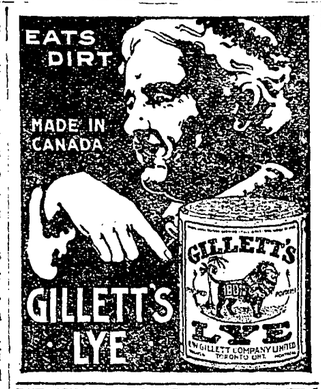
The honey crop of British Columbia for the year 1918 very closely approximated 225 tons. This is an increase over the 1917 production of 65 tons, and constitutes the biggest yield in the history of the province.

Awarded Food

London. — "The entente has given us enough food to supply Vienna and the rest of German-Austria until Feb. 15," declared an official despatch received from Vienna.

Compensation for Norwegian Ships

London. — Edward N. Hurley and R. B. Stevens of the American shipping board, after conferences with representatives of the Norwegian shipping association, have agreed that the United States shall immediately pay the Norwegian shipowners $11,000,000, which is the amount the Norwegians actually had invested in contracts, material and ships when they were requisitioned by the United States at the time she entered the war. The matter is left unsettled, however, as the amount is far below what the Norwegians claim.



Carried Million Tons of Oil

London. — The ministry of shipping states that during the war over a million tons of fuel oil were carried from the United States to Great Britain by seven hundred and sixty-one cargo steamers, specially fitted out to convey oil in double bottoms or ballast tanks.

Fifteen thousand tons of oil were lost by enemy action and 2,000 by marine loss.

The ministry points out that the experience thus gained will certainly be valuable in connection with the development of petroleum as a fuel for steamers after the war.

RICH, RED BLOOD RESISTS INFLUENZA

Its Victims Are Largely Among Weak, Anaemic People

In the epidemic of la grippe, or influenza, that has swept over Canada, in common with the rest of the world, it has been noticeable that its earliest victims were the thin-blooded anaemic people whose power of resistance is greatly weakened because of the watery condition of their blood. When a person is strong, hearty, able to enjoy a brisk cold day, chills and infections are set at defiance. But when the system is run down, when the nerves are shaky and the blood watery, the germs of influenza are quick to seize their opportunity. It is therefore good policy to keep the blood always rich, red and strong, and the nerves well nourished by the use of such a reliable tonic as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. People who take these pills from time to time are usually able to resist colds, influenza and other ailments, and enjoy good health while many about them are weak, ailing and miserable.

To those who have been attacked by influenza, the after effects are more dangerous than the attack itself. They are left at the mercy of relapses and complications. There is a persistent weakness of the limbs, shortness of breath at the least exertion, poor digestion and a tendency to take cold easily. This condition will persist and will grow worse unless the blood is built up and the shattered nerves strengthened. For this purpose there is no tonic can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. From first to last dose these pills make new, rich, red blood, which reaches every organ and every nerve in the body. Thus the lingering germs are driven out, the appetite is improved, and weak, despondent victims of influenza are transformed into cheerful, healthy, happy men and women. If you have passed through an attack of influenza you will find Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the one thing needed to restore you to full health and strength. If the trouble has passed you, you can further strengthen yourself against its insidious advance by the use of this same tonic medicine.

Medicine dealers everywhere sell Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, or you can procure them by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 by writing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Huns to Take Action Against Russ

London. — Germany is about to take diplomatic and military measures against the Bolsheviki government, according to a German official statement received here by wireless. The message says:

"The advance of the Bolsheviki and the presence in Berlin of M. Padek (a Bolsheviki emissary) have brought about a diplomatic state of war with Russia, and the military state of war almost has intervened.

"Germany, faced with the necessity not for the purpose of pleasing the entente, but of protecting her own interests, must intervene energetically by taking diplomatic and military measures."

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Make Big Record

London. — A striking fact in connection with recruiting is mentioned in a recent speech of Sir Auckland Geddes. Of ten thousand men and boys employed by London newspaper offices, five thousand joined the colors—and at the moment of armistice being signed there were not thirty men fit for general service in all the London newspaper offices. That was a record, said Sir Auckland, which placed the press ahead of every [illegible] in the matter of recruiting.

Anxiety Caused By Labor Strike

Three Great Conflicts in Sweden at Present Time

Stockholm.—There are three great labor conflicts in Sweden at the present time. The seamen, telephone and telegraph operators and locomotive engineers are on strike to enforce their demands for better pay and labor conditions. The seamen's strike, which is the most serious, has resulted in laying up a large number of ships. In some cases the officers are manning the ships bound for foreign ports. Should the strike continue it is expected that the liner Stockholm must be manned by a scratch crew of Americans collected in Scandinavia for the return trip.

The success of the Berlin waiters' strike is producing a disturbing effect here and it is not unlikely that it will be imitated. Unemployment is causing considerable anxiety in Denmark where the number out of work is 63,000 with the prospect that the number will be increased. These are critical times in the Scandinavian industrial world on account of the general uncertainty as to economic developments through the reshuffling of the markets and the impossibility of catering to the needs of the eastern Baltic markets. Many manufacturers, who normally are great exporters with systematic chains of foreign connections, are now trading from hand to mouth ignorant of whether the next month will bring a large demand for their products or none. There is an optimistic feeling in Sweden that this country has a great outlet for its energies in the war devastated regions of Esthonia, Lithuania and Poland, but as yet no concrete opportunities have appeared.

Christiania is experiencing its severest meat famine in the memory of man. Most of the butcher shops have closed and the majority of the restaurants are unable to provide meat. Despite three meatless days a week, little betterment is expected before the American and Argentine shipments arrive.

There is nothing repulsive in Miller's Worm Powders, and they are as pleasant to take as sugar, so that few children will refuse them. In some cases they cause vomiting through their action in an unsound stomach, but this is only a manifestation of their cleansing power, no indication that they are hurtful. They can be thoroughly depended upon to clear all worms from the system.

Thousands Were Wounded

Reign of Bolshevism in Berlin Is Over

Berlin. — Berlin's long week of Bolshevism is finally ended. Here and there, scattered desperadoes, mostly youths, still fire occasionally from some housetops, and during the nights attempts are made by small bands of the followers of Dr. Karl Liebknecht to revive the reign of terror. They are insignificant, however, compared with what has passed.

A few Spartacans tried to recapture the Charlottenburg police headquarters the night after they were taken by the government troops.

Dr. Liebknecht's sister was arrested and several hundred rebels are locked up awaiting trial, which, inasmuch as martial law was not proclaimed, must be left to the regular courts.

Losses inflicted on each side during the past week are as yet estimated only roughly, but it is believed that they will greatly exceed 200 dead and a thousand wounded. The overwhelming majority of these are Bolshevists.

Central China to Have Wireless

Will Be Put in Operation Across the Gobi Desert

Paris. — On his arrival in Paris, Handley Page informed a correspondent that he had concluded a contract with the Marconi company for the transportation of a wireless installation into central China by airplane. This means opening up to quick communication vast areas of central China through the wireless system within a few months instead of waiting a year or more. Few railroads extend into the district so it would be necessary to employ the slowest transportation to carry the required materials to various points if heavy load carrying airplanes were not available.

Following the primary installations which are required urgently in the most thickly inhabited parts of central China the wireless will be put in operation across the Gobi desert. To carry the necessary metal work and wire both two and four-engined Handley-Pages will be used. It will be necessary to employ the largest airplanes carrying several tons for long distances to transport the heavy steel sections of the wireless towers to be installed at the most important centres as soon as possible.

The necessary machines will soon be shipped from London to Hong Kong where they will be assembled in anticipation of the prompt arrival of the wireless service materials from Italy.

Trouble in Portugal

Madrid.—Serious disturbances have occurred in Portugal, especially at Oporto, according to travellers who have arrived here from Portugal. The situation is said to be considered [illegible]

Ask Abdication Of Grand Duchess

Marie Adelaide of Luxemburg Has Decided to Leave Her Country

Metz. — A large crowd paraded before the grand ducal palace in Luxemburg requesting the abdication of the grand duchess and the proclamation of a republic.

A committee on public safety has been appointed and quiet is being maintained everywhere in Luxemburg. The Paris Matin on January 6 reported that Grand Duchess Marie Adelaide of Luxemburg had decided to leave her country owing to the political situation there, which was said to have become unfavorable to her. During last November it was reported that her abdication would be demanded by the parliament and the people. The grand duchess is 24 years of age and has been the ruler of Luxemburg since June, 1912.

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Canadian National Railways

Now Have a Mileage of Nearly 14,000 Miles Reaching From Atlantic to the Pacific

The name of the Canadian Northern Railway has been changed to Canadian National Railways which now have a mileage of nearly 14,000 miles, reaching from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast, Halifax to Vancouver. This change of name was necessitated in the transferring of the operation and management of the Canadian government line, including the Intercolonial Railway and its recently acquired branch lines, the Prince Edward and the National Transcontinental Railway to the board of directors, Canadian Northern Railway.

All the lines included in this mileage are operated as one system and under one management. This system is not administered by a department of the government. Its operation is to be kept absolutely free from party political interference.

The mileage of the co-ordinate lines is as follows: Intercolonial, 1,510.40; Elgin and Havelock, 27.00; International of New Brunswick, 111.30; Moncton and Buctouche, 34.00; New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, 36.05; St. John's and Quebec, 119.87; St. Martin's 30.00; Salisbury and Albert, 45.00; York and Carlton, 10.50; Prince Edward Island, 277.78; National Transcontinental, 2,003.03; Canadian Northern System, 9,105.44.

62 V. C's. in Canada

London. — The Daily Express has analyzed the list of Victoria Cross winners and finds Canada has 62, of whom slightly over half are not natives of the Dominion. Canada claims 28 as natives, United Kingdom, 27; England, 12; Scotland, 10, and Ireland the rest. Eight of the English batch were born in or near London.

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Gentlemen:—Theodore Dorais, a customer of mine, was completely cured of rheumatism after five years' of suffering, by the judicious use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.
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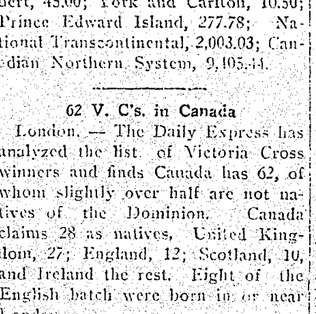
A. COTE, Merchant.
St. Isidore, Que., 12 May, '98.

Loses Office Through Kindness

Saloniki. — Nazim Bey, former prefect of Kharput, in a letter to the Sabah of Constantinople declares that he was removed from office by Talaat Pasha because he protested against the manner in which the Greeks and Armenians of Asia Minor were being exterminated. Nazim Bey adds that one of the methods used to exterminate these peoples was to throw them into the Black sea and force them to drown. He says this was done by order of the Turkish government.

When a man is looking for difficulties he will find two where he expects one.



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May Be Obliged To Occupy Berlin

British Military Authorities Have Delivered Ultimatum to German Command

Paris. — The question whether the allies will be obliged to occupy Berlin is becoming continually more urgent. It is pointed out that Germany is far from having fulfilled the material conditions of the armistice, particularly as regards the turning over of railway materials. People are continually asking whether the Berlin government really represents anything, and how peace can be made with a nation which lacks a stable government. At the same time a German newspaper, the Deutsche Tageszeitung, makes the curiously sensational statement that the British military authorities in the Baltic provinces of Russia have delivered the following ultimatum to the German command in those regions: "Either the German troops will oppose the advance of the Bolsheviki forces and reoccupy Valk and Wenden or else the entente will enter Germany."

Commenting on this despatch the well-informed Paris journal, Des Debats, says it has reason to believe that it is true, and that if such should prove to be the case considerable opposition may be expected from the liberal elements in France and England to the idea of trying to force Germany to fight the Bolsheviki.

Immigration of War Prisoners

Thousands Planning to Come to America as Soon as Possible

Washington. — Thousands of Italians and Austrian war prisoners are planning to come to America as soon as possible, John B. Densmore, director of the federal employment service, told the house immigration committee, at the beginning of the hearings of bills to prohibit immigration.

A Red Cross worker who visited the prison camps informed him, Mr. Densmore said, that 50,000 Austrians were in Italy, most of whom expected to drift to the United States as fast as they can, along with thousands of Italian prisoners in Silesia.

YES! MAGICALLY! CORNS LIFT OUT WITH FINGERS

You simply say to the drug store man, "Give me a quarter of an ounce of freezone." This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn from one's feet.

A few drops of this new ether compound applied directly upon a tender, aching corn should relieve the soreness instantly, and soon the entire corn, root and all, dries up and can be lifted out with the fingers.

This new way to rid one's feet of corns was introduced by a Cincinnati man, who says that, while freezone is sticky, it dries in a moment, and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin.

Don't let father die of infection or lockjaw from whittling at his corns, but clip this out and make him try it.

What British Want

Associated Chamber of Commerce Embody Views Regarding Peace Terms

London. — Before his departure for Paris Premier Lloyd George was given a memorandum issued by the associated chamber of commerce, embodying the views of chambers in all parts of the country regarding peace terms. The following points were urged in the memo:

The payment by the enemy of all war expenses.

Compensations for all personal injuries, including a sum representing the cost of all pensions paid to disabled men, women and children.

Compensation for loss of property and damage to property arising out of the war.

Compensation for the loss in national power caused by the death or disablement of potential producers and by the disorganization of means of production and transport.

The payment of all enemy debts and interest on all charges from the date they are incurred until final payment.

Minard's Liniment Cures, Colds, etc.

May Occupy German Ports

London. — At a session of the allied military advisors in Paris, presided over by Marshal Foch, the suggestion was made that the allies occupy some of the German ports, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Paris.

Expel Bolsheviki

Geneva. — Germany expelled a large band of Russian Bolsheviks following the example of the French and Swiss authorities. Twenty of those sent out of the city were spreading propaganda while being engaged ostensibly as Red Cross workers.

An argument is a wordy method by which the other fellow is convinced that you are wrong.

Hope makes a man believe that something will happen which he knows will not.

MOTHERS!

Watch your children's skins. As soon as you see the slightest trace of a rash or sore, apply Zam-Buk. This antiseptic balm will protect the sore place from infection, prevent it from spreading and healing soon follows.

Careful mothers always keep Zam-Buk on hand for their children's injuries—it ends pain so quickly and prevents any possibility of festering. Best for cuts, burns, scalds, bruises, ringworm, scalp sores, eczema and teething rash. All dealers 50c box.

Zam-Buk

Cheque for Million

New York. — A check for $1,000,000 was received from the American Red Cross by the National Tuberculosis Association. It is claimed to be the largest check ever written for public health work in the United States. This check is the first installment of an appropriation of $2,500,000 made by the Red Cross for tuberculosis work in the United States during 1919.

GEE, BUT IT'S GOOD FOR A BAD COLD

Nothing Can Touch Catarrhozone In Curing Quickly

You may dislike taking medicine—but coughs are best cured without medicine. The modern treatment is "Catarrhozone"—it isn't a drug—it's a healing vapor full of pine essences and healing balsams. It spreads over the surfaces that are weak and sore from coughing. Every spot that is congested is healed — irritation is soothed away, phlegm and secretions are cleaned out, and all symptoms of cold and catarrh are cured. Nothing so quick, nothing so sure, so pleasant as Catarrhozone. Beware of dangerous substitutes meant to deceive you for genuine Catarrhozone. Large size which lasts two months, price $1.00; small size 50c; sample size 25c, at all dealers.

Public Opinion Behind Scheme

League Can Now Be Considered an Established Fact

Paris. — The league of nations can now be considered as an established fact. Premier Clemenceau, Premier Lloyd George and Premier Orlando are pledged to support the basic ideas in this regard. Public opinion in France, Great Britain and Italy is solidly behind the scheme.

President Wilson's plan as a whole is unsatisfactory to the French because they believe it does not provide sufficient economic penalties for Germany. They say his proposed probationary inclusion of Germany would permit the country to start up its undamaged industries in competition with French and Belgian, whose industrial plants were wrecked by the Germans themselves.

Senator Bourgeois, who will head the French section of the inter-allied committee to draw up plans for the league, if the conference appoints such a body, made plain in a recent exclusive interview with the United Press that he agrees with Clemenceau on this point. He favors excluding the central powers until they fulfill the provisions they must sign at the peace conference.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

Aviators Leave for Vladivostok

San Francisco. — Three hundred French military aviators and mechanics sailed for Vladivostok on the transport Sherman. They carried with them airplanes, armored cars, rapid firers and other equipment.

A second detachment of 200 officers and men will leave here early in February.

"BEST MEDICINE FOR WOMEN"

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did For Ohio Woman.

Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for woman's ailments I ever saw."—Mrs. SARA SHAW, R. No. 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.

Women who are suffering as she was should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice in regard to such ailments write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its forty years experience is at your service.

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Rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia, sprains, lame back, toothache, earache, sore throat, swollen joints and all similar troubles are *quickly relieved* by Hirst's Pain Exterminator. It has been sold for 40 years, and should be in every household—has a hundred uses. *All dealers or write us.* HIRST REMEDY CO., Hamilton, Canada.

UNION BANK GAINS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

Assets Increased by $10,000,000 — Deposits Gain — Liquid Assets Largely Increased — Bank in Strong Position

The 54th annual report of the Union Bank of Canada, covering the year ended November 30th, 1918, shows very striking progress. Possibly the first and most noticeable evidence of the growth of the Bank is shown by the $10,000,000 increase in total assets, which now amount to over $153,000,000. As the figures just quoted cover a war year, it is interesting to note that during the four years war period the assets of this bank have increased by nearly $75,000,000. In addition to the large increase in total assets the bank shows gains in all other departments; net profits for the year just ended amounting to $824,174 as compared with $763,463 for the previous year. The net profits together with the balance of $106,000 carried forward from the previous year makes $930,000 available for distribution. Dividends took $450,000, the sum of $200,000 was transferred to the rest account, $75,000 written off bank premises account and $10,000 contributed to the officers' pension fund. In addition to that various patriotic and charitable appeals were supported to the extent of nearly $20,000, while war tax took $50,000, leaving $126,000 to be carried forward.

A feature worthy of comment is the large note circulation of the bank, amounting to over $12,134,000 which is one of the largest in proportion to capital of any Canadian bank and furnishes striking evidence of the confidence placed in the Union Bank and of the profitable nature of its connections. Interest bearing deposits stand at $68,437,000, while non-interest bearing deposits amount to $58,805,000. Total deposits amount to $127,242,000 and show a gain of $10,000,000 over the figures for 1917.

The large increase in current loans will also prove a source of satisfaction to the directors and management as a further indication that the bank is doing a very large share in catering to the business requirements of the communities served by its various branches. In 1917 current loans amounted to less than $59,000,000, in the year just ended these totalled over $74,000,000. The bank's conservatism is shown by marking down its real estate holdings, other than bank premises to $268,000; its mortgages to $141,000; overdue debts to $327,000 and bank premises $1,237,000.

It is, however, in regard to quickly available assets that the bank makes its most remarkable showing; these amount to $72,368,000 and bear a very high proportion to the bank's total liabilities to the public. Of the liquid assets, gold and Dominion notes amount to over $16,000,000, deposits in the central gold reserve $7,800,000, notes of other banks $763,000, and cheques on other banks $3,817,000. Other items making up the quickly available assets are, balances due by banks in Canada, $92,000, and abroad $2,933,000, Dominion and Provincial securities total $12,527,000, while municipal securities amount to $15,720,000, railway and other bonds held by the bank amount to $2,501,000. Call and short loans in Canada to $6,508,000, and call and short loans abroad to $3,389,000.

All together the report shows increase in net earnings, in total deposits, in current loans, in liquid assets, and in total assets, the whole furnishing conclusive evidence that the year 1918 was an exceedingly satisfactory one in so far as the Union Bank was concerned.

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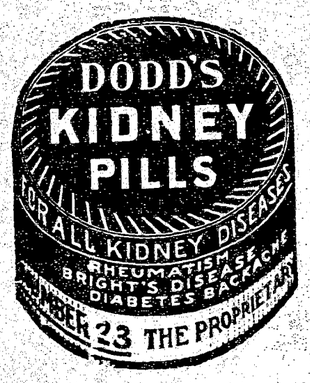
Express Regard for Canadians

London. — A movement is afoot in Buxton, the beautiful little Derbyshire town where so many Canadian wounded and incapacitated have been cared for, to "give public expression to the feeling that we are grateful for the excellent behavior and management of the troops." Public reference is made to the manner in which Canadian officers have endeavored to interest the inhabitants in the troops by sports and hospitality.

Employ German Prisoners

Paris. — The cabinet decided that German war prisoners henceforth should be employed in reconstruction work in the liberated districts. The measures adopted provide that a minimum of 200,000 will be working in the devastated regions by March 20.



Norway Asserts Claim

Will Ask Peace Conference to Award Them Spitzbergen

Christiania, Norway. — It is reported that the Norwegian government will present its claim to Suitzbergen at the peace conference and the people strongly support it. The Norwegians discovered the islands in the time of King Sverre Sigurdson, in 1200, and gave the land the name of Svalbard of Cold Mountain, by which name they have always been known by the Norwegians. In 1600 the Dutch found their way to these islands and called them Spitzbergen.

Norwegians assert that they have always carried on hunting, whaling and fishing there to a greater extent than any other nation and that they have worked the mines and produced coal for export. They now have the largest mining works there and Norway is geographically nearest to them. Through the last century this country has repeatedly asserted its claim to Spitzbergen as Norwegian territory. As a seafaring nation accustomed to hard conditions of life the Norwegians are especially fit for settling there.

Prince Ratibor Leaves Spain

Madrid. — Prince Ratibor and the chief members of the German embassy staff left for Germany, via France and Switzerland. There was no demonstration at the departure, which remained unnoticed.

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Teuton Ship at Toulon

Toulon, France. — The Austro-Hungarian battleship Salzburg, requisitioned by France, has arrived at this port. She is the first enemy ship to drop anchor in French waters.

The Death Warrant Delivered

No defence can be offered when you apply Putnam's to a sore corn—the offender has to die. Nothing so certain to quickly cure corns as Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor; try Putnam's, it's free from acids, and painless. 25c bottles sold by all dealers.

English Mail by Airship in 1920

Flight Across Atlantic Will Be Accomplished in May

London. — General Brancker, who is giving up his post as master general of personnel in the air ministry to devote his time to commercial aviation, in an interview with the Daily Express asserted that a flight across the Atlantic probably would be accomplished in May. He added that the trip was feasible at the present moment, as there were three or four types of airplanes available which were capable of making the flight.

General Brackner said the time was not far distant when airplanes would be owned and driven as automobiles are today.

The Evening News says a regular airship mail service between England and the United States during the summer of 1920 is regarded as certain by airship builders.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

May Establish Republic

London. — A despatch to the Daily Mail from Luxemburg, says that the Grand Duchess of Luxemburg abdicated and that the population, numbering 200,000, was gravely divided as to whether one of her sisters should succeed to the throne, or a republic be established.

Trotzky Revives Old Laws

London. — Leon Trotzky has introduced into the Bolshevik army the old military laws which were abolished, according to a dispatch received from Petrograd.

Berlin Will Retain Troops for Safety

Had Been Collected for Threatened Troubles in East

London.— A German wireless message received here says that all civilians will be armed to defend Berlin. Gustave Noske, in charge of the government's defensive measures delivered a speech in front of the foreign office, thanking the troops for what they have accomplished. He said troops had been collected for threatened troubles in the east, but they had been employed in Berlin instead.

He added that as soon as Berlin was normal, the troops would be sent to their original destination but a sufficient number would be retained to safeguard the elections for the assembly. The speaker concluded by saying the German government had not forgotten for an instant its duty to its brethren in the east and had done everything to protect them in the future security and lastingly against Polish despotism.

The Oil of the People.—Many oils have come and gone, but Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil continues to maintain its position and increase its sphere of usefulness each year. Its sterling qualities have brought it to the front and kept it there, and it can truly be called the oil of the people. Thousands have benefited by it and would use no other preparation.

Negotiate for Crop Sale

Ottawa. — Negotiations for the sale of the 1919 wheat crop are under way in London between Canadian representatives and the British authorities. Official advices, so far, do not convey word of a definite agreement having been reached.

J. A. Maharg, M.P., of Moose Jaw, and Dr. Magill, of Winnipeg, are now overseas, approved by the Dominion government as special representatives of agricultural interests. They are co-operating with Sir Robert Borden and his colleagues with a view to a satisfactory arrangement with the British government.

Holloway's Corn Cure takes the corn out by the roots. Try it and prove it.

Mob Attacks Arsenal at Lima

Lima, Peru. — A mob of strikers attacked the arsenal here but were driven off by the troops. There were also many small encounters between strikers and troops throughout the city. The strikers made an unsuccessful attempt to burn the Callo railway station.

Hotel employees joined the strike and virtually all the hotels and restaurants are closed. The food problem threatened to become serious. Communication with Morocha, where the copper miners struck, when a general strike was proclaimed throughout the republic, has been interrupted.

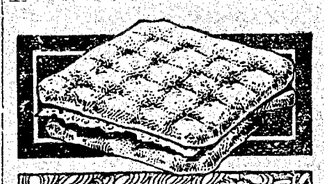
Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

German Expansion Cut Off

Paris. — German expansion toward the Balkan states and Russia will be effectually cut off by the establishment of a new "mitteleuropa" stretching from the Mediterranean to the Baltic, it was revealed in diplomatic circles.

The success of Premier Venizelos of Greece in reaching an agreement with Serbia, Roumania, the Czecho-Slovaks and the Jugo-Slavs regarding a future policy, laid the foundations for the Balkan confederation and established the southern portion of this "mitteleuropa."

Negotiations are now proceeding successfully for the purpose of lining up Poland for the northern section of the block. Consummation of this plan would thus constitute a barrier against which Teutonic aspirations would be powerless.



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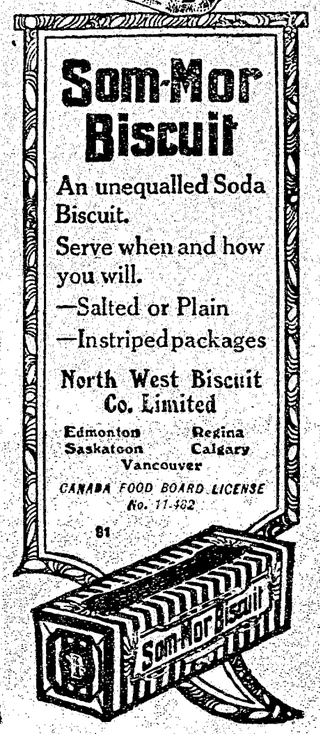

GIN PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS

STOP IT!

The time to check Rheumatism, is at the very first symptoms. Gin Pills save days of needless torture.

50c. a box at all dealers. 209

German Raider Jailed

Paris. — A French court martial has sentenced to imprisonment for life the German named Holts and the Austrian named Karnelich, who in 1917 attempted to invade French Sommaliland from Abyssinia at the head of a force of native troops. Holts was secretary of the German legation in Abyssinia and Karmelich was his assistant. French troops put to flight the native force and took the leaders prisoners.

GUARD THE BABY AGAINST COLDS

To guard the baby against colds nothing can equal Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are a mild laxative that will keep the little one's stomach and bowels working regularly. It is a recognized fact that where the stomach and bowels are in good order that colds will not exist; that the health of the little one will be good and that he will thrive and be happy and good-natured. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

England is Overstocked

Orders for Canadian Meat are to Be Stopped

Ottawa. — The British authorities in New York report that they have official information that orders for Canadian meat are to be stopped as reported in the press. The information which the packers have is from private sources.

It is intimated that the ministry of food in London fully realize the difficult position which would arise if Canadian orders were stopped but the position in England is that they are seriously over-stocked and have difficulties in dealing with the quantities going forward. The whole question is now in the hands of the inter-allied food council in London. Very strong representations on the subjects have been cabled by the acting prime minister.

To Interest Men in Agriculture

Educational Courses Have Been Started and Lectures Given

Tours, France. — A "back to the land" service has been started among the American soldiers under the auspices of the gardening service of the expedition in anticipation of the interior department settling returning soldiers on farms at home. Educational courses have already been started and lectures given with a view to interesting the men in agriculture, now that the fighting is finished. The gardening service has close to 2,000 hectares (nearly 5,000 acres) of land under lease for planting this year.

The service consists of thirty officers and 800 men under Capt. John Coulter, of Chicago, a former instructor in the Illinois State Normal university at Bloomington, Ill., assisted by Kenyon Butterfield, president of the Massachusetts Agricultural College at Amherst. These men, who were the first of those sent from America to arrive in France, were escorted to the camps by Lieut. Millard H. Y. Crane, of Mineola Lake, Ind., one of the garden service officers.

Suburb Surrounded

Berlin. — A cordon of troops has been thrown around the suburb of Moabit, one of the most important industrial sections in Greater Berlin, for the purpose of carrying out the work of disarming civilians and such Spartacan fighters as are still at liberty.

This section of Berlin is notorious for its riotous tendencies and is generally looked upon as a gathering place for all the criminal elements. The employees of the Schwartzkopff works, one of the most radical bodies among the Berlin proletarians, voted to resume work on Wednesday morning. Similar action also put an end to the strike of the railway employees.

Crisis in Portugal

Lisbon. — The Portuguese government refused to negotiate with revolutionists, who are attempting to install a radical ministry. There was no fighting, but concentrations of government troops continued. If the rebels fail to surrender unconditionally, it was announced, the government forces will attack.

800 Killed in Riots

Washington. — Approximately 800 persons have been killed and 5,000 injured in the strike disorders in Buenos Ayres, according to advices received at the state department. Of the wounded 1,500 received treatment in hospitals.

German Officials Recommend Trial

Have Proved Kaiser One of Principal War Makers

Berne. — A German commission appointed to determine the former kaiser's responsibility for the war has officially recommended that he be brought to trial, according to information received from Berlin. The recommendation was presented by Herr Krautzsky, who was appointed by the present German government to direct examination of documents in the archives of the foreign office. "Marginal notes in the kaiser's own hand writing on the most important papers in the foreign office proves he was one of the principal war makers." Krautzsky said, "It is necessary to bring him before a tribunal."

To Asthma Sufferers. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy comes like a helping hand to a sinking swimmer. It gives new life and hope by curing his trouble—something he has come to believe impossible. Its benefit is too evident to be questioned—it is its own best argument—its own best advertisement. If you suffer from asthma get this time-tried remedy and find help like thousands of others.

Another Jap Delegate

Victoria. — On board the liner Fushimi Maru, from the Far East is Baron Rempee Kondon, president and managing director of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, who is on his way to Europe as a delegate to the peace conference at Versailles.

No Censorship on Press Messages

London. — The British foreign office announced that the government does not intend to exercise any censorship over press messages during the peace conference. It states that it has also received a similar assurance from the French government.

When the Kidneys Went Wrong

The Back Ached Severely and There Was Trouble From Dizzy Spells—Had to Quit Work

Roumthwaite, Man., Jan. 22.—To be forewarned is to be forearmed. To know the symptoms of kidney derangements and the best method of treatment may enable you to avoid much suffering and to greatly prolong your life.

Mr. Stevenson found that backache became so bad that he could not turn in bed, and had to quit work entirely. Other symptoms are headache, dryness and harshness of the skin, painful and frequent urination, looseness and constipation of the bowels alternating, dropsical swelling of the limbs, feelings of fatigue, and pains and aches through the body and limbs.

It is now generally conceded that Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the most satisfactory treatment obtainable. You will find plenty of proof in the letters appearing from time to time in this paper.

Mr. George Stevenson, Roumthwaite, Man., writes: "For seven months I suffered from kidney trouble, backache and dizzy turns, and could get no relief. My back ached so severely that I could not turn in bed, and finally I had to quit work. One day I received a copy of Dr. Chase's Almanac through the mail, and after reading how highly Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills were recommended I gave them a trial. I had tried various other pills and remedies with no effect whatever, but immediately I started using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills I got relief, and two boxes completely cured me."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25c a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. There are imitations, but the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., are on every box of the genuine.

Red Sister Murdered

London. — Rosa Luxburg, one of the most active of the Spartacan leaders in Berlin, has been murdered, according to a despatch from that city received by the Exchange Telegraph company by way of Copenhagen.

Many of the brave women who attend our wounded heroes in this war are women who have used Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, or who recommend it. The hospital, with its work and long hours, imposes extreme hardship on a woman's strength. Every woman should make herself fit for war's call at home or abroad. She should obtain a book called the "Medical Adviser," either at her nearest drug store or by sending 50 one-cent stamps to Dr. Pierce, Courtwright St., Bridgeburg, Ont., for this book which tells about Nursing, Bandaging, Anatomy, Physiology, Marriage.

Thousands of women in Canada have overcome their sufferings, and have been cured of women's ills by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Sold by druggists in liquid or tablets. Send Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c for trial pkg.

Chatham, Ont. — "I am very glad indeed to add my recommendation to the many others that have found relief in Favorite Prescription. After motherhood I could not properly regain my strength. I was very weak and nervous, also had a terrible cough. I was very miserable when I began taking the Prescription. I noticed a marked improvement before I had finished one bottle. I kept up its use and was completely cured of my cough and it built me up in a good healthy state. Favorite Prescription is one of the best tonics for women."—*Mrs. Geo. Hill, 210 Wellington St. E.*

EUROPE WANTS MEAT

Canada Now Has the Opportunity to Make Her Export Position Permanent

The war stimulated the export trade in Canadian live stock products to a degree deemed well nigh impossible five years ago. Exports of beef increased 6795%, of bacon and pork products 571%. Total exports of live stock products in the fiscal year ending March 31, 1918, were valued at $172,743,081 as compared to $53,349,119 in 1914.

Canada has the opportunity of holding this trade and increasing it, for our meat products won a splendid reputation in Europe during the war, and Canada is in the position of the favored nation.

The price of feed has been high, and the cost of producing live stock has been correspondingly high. But the market price of finished animals has also been high. The price may decline gradually, but the price of feed will decline also, and the percentage of profit to the farmer should thus remain about the same. Indeed, if the cost of feed declines first, the profit of the farmer will be increased.

J. E. Brethour of Burford, Ont., who won the first prize for export bacon hogs at the winter fair at Guelph, says that with the relative prices of feed and bacon then pertaining, there was a good profit.

"With standard feed at $57 a ton and hogs at $16, live weight, I make a profit of over 20%," said Mr. Brethour. "It is the profit that counts, not the selling price, and profit depends upon the relation of the price of feed to the market price of the finished animal."

Mr. Herbert Hoover, chief of the United States food administration, who is at present in Europe investigating conditions at first hand, cables as follows:

"Every pound of pork products we can export before next July, Europe will need, and as soon as the initial chaos of the sudden economic change from war to armistice can be overcome there will be over-demands."

Authorities say that this demand in the case of beef, even more than that of pork, will be abnormal for many years owing to the fact that Europe is estimated to be short of over 115,000,000 head of live stock, of which 28,000,000 represent cattle irreplaceable in less than five years.

Appendicitis and Liquoritis

The Pain and Loss and Shame of This Terrible Evil

Once upon a time the body became sick, and the pain was very severe. One after another its members said, "The cause is not in me." After careful examination the trouble was located in the appendix, and the surgeon said, "It must be removed." But the appendix raised a fearful howl, protesting that it was an outrage, and declaring its belief in "personal rights." It argued, "I am a member of this body, you have no right to deny my right to rot or do just as I please." The surgeon, however, was firm and replied, "The whole member is diseased. You are a menace to the other members. You are killing the whole body. There is only one course to pursue. You must be removed," and forthwith, he proceeded to cut out tip and root the diseased and rotting member.

Much of the poverty, disease, trouble, insanity and crime in this country have been traced to liquor. For a long time the Canadian people suffered from "liquoritis." Mothers, business men, manufacturers, life insurance men, leaders in the army and navy, with one voice cried "cut it out." "Not so," say the liquor manufacturers. "I believe in personal rights." "Not so," says the liquor politician. "The liquor business furnishes me money for my campaigns, and helps to put me in office." "Not so," says the newspaper, grown wealthy on liquor advertisements and fearful lest the feast be discontinued. "Don't dare to touch the liquor business." "Not so," says the liquor seller. "I am going to do better, I am going to reform. I believe in individual liberty. Don't touch me."

And all this time the long suffering body of the Canadian people, having endured the pain and loss and shame of this terrible evil, have cried out to parliament, "Cut it out, and make a clean job of it." No institution has a right to exist that threatens the permanent welfare of the whole body. And the surgeon lifted his knife. A few months ago an order in council was passed that cut it out for the period of the war. It only remains for the people to see to it, that by legislative enactment the job is made permanent.—I. H. Hazlewood, Department of Social Service.

Refused Cabinet Office

London. — Stephen Walsh, Labor, has refused to accept his appointment as parliamentary secretary to the president of the board of trade. His retirement leaves only four Labor representatives in the government appointed by Premier Lloyd George, compared to eight in the previous administration.

Canada has learned the lesson that mixed farming is permanent farming and that without plenty of live stock a farm gets poorer every year.

Every ordinarily unused nook and corner of the farm should be brought to growing feed for stock next spring.

HAD WEAK and FAINTING SPELLS

Those feelings of faintness, those weak, "all gone" sinking sensations, which come over some people from time to time, are warnings that must not go unheeded.

They mean an extremely weakened condition of the heart and a disordered nervous system.

When the system is in this condition there is no time for delay. One fainting spell may be recovered from—will the next? One dizzy spell may pass off, but the next may be more serious.

Those who are wise will start taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, before their case becomes deep rooted and perhaps hopeless.

They will act directly on the disordered heart and weakened nervous system and restore them to full strength and vigor.

Miss Mary McCoy, Algoma Mills, Ont., writes:—"I was awfully troubled with fainting and weak spells, and I could never get any doctor's medicines to help me. One day a friend of mine was at the house when I took one of those spells, and she got me a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. That was six years ago, and from that day to this I have never had any of those spells. I would not be without your pills for any money, and can highly recommend them to any one."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Germany Shou'd Not Know Details

Problem of Relations Between Delegates and Press is Delicate

Paris. — "The problem of the relations between the peace delegates and the press, that is, between the governments and the public opinion, is made particularly delicate," says tthe Temps, by the following considerations:

"On one hand, equality of treatment by press of all countries must be assured. As the United States and Great Britain are reluctant to impose restrictions on their newspapers, the only course is to allow the widest tolerance to all.

"On the other hand, it would be harmful to lay bare to the enemy government differences of opinion which must inevitably arise in discussions between delegations. The very essence of every debate is that contradictions should arise. Such contradictions will assuredly be reconciled, but it would be very unfortunate that Germany should know the details day by day and seek to make capital out of them."

Restrictions Disappearing

Stocks of Food in London are Increasing Daily

London. — England's war time food restrictions are slowly but gradually disappearing. Early in the new year the sugar rations were raised to 12 ounces. Lard is obtainable without coupons; all restrictions are removed from making and selling sweet pastries and cakes, as well as restrictions on afternoon teas in restaurants and tea shops. Fancy bread is still forbidden, but white bread is now supplied in hotels and private houses, while white flour is obtainable almost anywhere.

Stocks of food in London are increasing daily. More than 40,000 tons of wheat are under discharge at the docks; meat is arriving by the shipload; thousands of boxes of oranges, nuts and apples are arriving, and more are afloat.

Tea appears to be in greater supply than demand, and people are being urged to buy. Sugar stocks in London alone are 20,000 tons in public and 20,000 tons in private warehouses.

Plenty of exercise helps to prevent excessive fatness in brood sows. Arrange pens, feed troughs and sleeping quarters so that some exercise must be taken.

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British Columbia Mine Output Gains Last Year

The value of minerals produced in British Columbia during 1918 was $41,083,093, according to a preliminary estimate at Victoria. This is an increase of $4,072,701 over the production of 1917, equivalent to 11 per cent.

The production of 1918 has been exceeded but once, in 1916, when it was $42,290,462, an increase of 2 per cent.

The copper yield in 1918 was 63,387,610 pounds, an increase of 4,379,445 pounds over 1917. The value in 1918 was $15,681,946, as compared with $16,038,256 in 1917, the decrease in value resulting from a lower average price in 1918 The increase in production was 7.4 per cent and the decrease in value $356,310.

The estimated production of lead in 1918 was 43,949,681 pounds, valued at $2,944,627, as compared with 37,307,465 pounds, valued at $2,951,020.

The zinc output was 36,149,894 pounds in 1918, as compared with 41,848,513 in 1917, a decrease of 5,698,619 in 1918.

The estimated quantity of silver produced in 1918 was 2,886,861 ounces, as compared with 2,929,216 ounces in 1917. The higher market price increased the value by $336,371 in 1918.

The placer gold produced in 1918 is valued at $308,000, as compared with $496,000 in 1917, and the lode gold $3,250,895 in 1918, as compared with $2,367,190 in 1917, an increase of $883,705 in 1918.

The estimated production of coal in 1918 was 2,572,811 gross tons, an increase of 174,069 tons over 1917. The coke production in 1918 was 190,656 tons in 1918, an increase tf 30,751 tons over 1917.

Red Cross Expenditures

Detailed account of expenditures for Red Cross, January 9, 1918 to January 10, 1919.

Rent for Kennedy's and Masonic Hall	$ 51.00
Fuel	11 00
Material, wool, flannelette, etc..	751 32
Music for Dances	75 00
Printing and advertising	17 50
Telephone for Secretary	18 95
Janitor, cleaning room, washing dishes, etc	7 95
Express on ice-cream & material	31 65
Ice Cream	270 30
Y. M. C. A.	181 68
Navy League	75 00
Armenian Relief	25 00
Halifax Relief	25 00
Prisoners of War Fund	56 05
Gauze for Masks	22 30
Leslie Grossmith, Concert	50 00
School Sports	25 00
Stamps and postage on Christmas parcels	29 23
Rent for pianos	14 00
Christmas parcels for soldiers	43 90
Secretary's salary for 1917	25 00
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Gulley for fixing window	7 50
P Burns & Co	17 80
Greenwood Grocery	5 45
Palace Livery moving piano	8 00
Miscellaneous	33 10
Expenditures	$1903.68
Balance in Bank	334.61
Total receipts	$2238.29

The Red Cross workers made and shipped 873 articles to Red Cross station, Vancouver.

The Red Cross wish to thank the Central War Fund for two cheques $37.75 and $12.55.

A Very Close Game

Phoenix Hockey team visited the Greenwood Rink on Friday evening and proved victorious over the local boys by a score of 2-0. With Hugh Nelson back on the team the Greenwood boys kept Phoenix busy all through the game and it was only when the last period was half finished that the visitors opened the scoring. Greenwood had the edge on their opponents during the second period and had not "Bones" sustained an injury to his right shoulder, just before the interval there was a chance that the home team would have been in the lead. Phoenix has a well-balanced team, all last years players being available this season. Greenwood team includes four players who were juniors last season, but all of them show promise of developing into real good stick-handlers and great credit is due to every one on the team for the fine showing they made against such strong opponents. Another game is arranged for Friday evening, Jan. 31st and the boys look forward to a record crowd to boost for them.

Returns From the Front

Geo. F. C. Ellis of the 72nd Battalion was visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bidder for a few days this week. Geo. arrived in Vancouver on Saturday on the Empress of Asia, via the Panama Canal. At Colon the only stop the vessel made, the American gave the Canadians a grand reception. They were also well received at Victoria and Vancouver. Geo. was in some of the heavy fighting last fall and received a bullet wound in the leg, which put him out of the struggle. He was in an English hospital for some time where he recovered from the wound. He left on Wednesday for Kimberley where his mother resides.

The Latest Rumor

In a recent issue of the Prince Rupert Weekly News the following appeared. Evidently the writer of this article does not know much about the Boundary.

"There are persistent rumors going around to the effect that the Granby Company will develop the copper deposits up the Ecstall river. It is said that now that the Phoenix smelter is closed the plant will be moved from that town to a point on the coast opposite the copper deposit and the smelter and town be built on salt water. It is understood that the company already has had a survey made of a route by which they can reach the coast, which it is thought will be more convient than bringing the ore out by way of the Ecstall. No matter what the location of the smelter, it will be near enough to Prince Rupert for this town to profit considerably by it.

Don't Stop

When someone stops advertising,
Someone stops buying.
When someone stops buying,
Someone stops selling.
When someone stops selling,
Someone stops making,
When someone stops making,
Someone stops earning.
Everybody stops buying.
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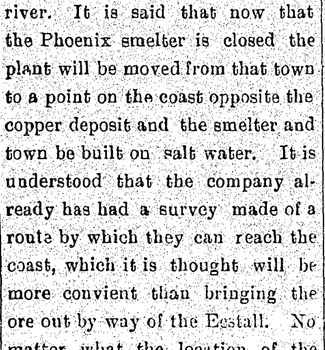

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Strayed

At my place near Bridesville, B C., since August last, a yearling roan heifer with no visible brand. Owner can recover same by paying for advertisement and feed bill.

J. A. DELISLE,
Bridesville, B.C.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of George McLaren, deceased, and in the Matter of the Administration Act.

Take notice that by Order of His Honor J. R. Brown, Local Judge of the Supreme Court, made the 11th day of January, 1919, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the said George McLaren, deceased; and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 21st day of February, 1919; and all parties indebted to the said Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated the 20 day of January, 1919.

CHARLES KING,
Official Administrator for the Greenwood Electoral Division.

SYNOPSIS OF
LAND ACT AMENDMENT

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes and which is non-timber land.

Partnership pre-emptions abolished but parties of not more than four may arrange for adjacent pre-emptions, with joint residence, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and make improvements to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown Grant.

Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 3 years, and has made proportionate improvements, he may, because of ill-health or other cause, be granted intermediate Crown's of improvement and transfer his claim.

Records without permanent residence may be issued provided applicant makes improvements to extent of $300 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained on these claims in less than 5 years, with improvements of $10 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years.

Pre-emptor holding Crown Grant may record another pre-emption if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites; title to be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions.

For grazing and industrial purposes, areas exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or company.

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving with His Majesty's Forces. The time within which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended from one year from the death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also made retroactive.

TOWNSITE PROPERTY ALLOTMENT ACT.

Provision is made for the grant to persons holding uncompleted Agreements to Purchase from the Crown of such proportion of the land, if divisible, as the payments already made will cover in proportion to the sale price of the whole parcel. Two or more persons holding such Agreements may group their interests and apply for a proportionate allotment jointly. If it is not considered advisable to divide the land covered by an application for a proportionate allotment, an allotment of land of equal value selected from available Crown lands in the locality may be made. These allotments are conditional upon payment of all taxes due the Crown or to any municipality. The rights of persons to whom the purchaser from the Crown has agreed to sell are also protected. The decision of the Minister of Lands in respect to the adjustment of a proportionate allotment is final. The time for making application for these allotments is limited to the 1st day of May, 1919. Any application made after this date will not be considered. These allotments apply to town lots and lands of the Crown sold at public auction.

For information apply to any Provincial Government Agent or to

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands,
Victoria, B. C.

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Rossland Assessment District

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that all assessed taxes levied under the "Taxation Act" and the "Public Schools Act" are now due and payable for the year 1919.

All taxes collectable for the Rossland Assessment District and the Rural School Districts of Anaconda, Annable, Boundary Falls, Carson, Cascade, Castlegar, Christina Lake, Deadwood, Eholt, Fife, Gilpin, Kettle Valley Midway, North Kettle River and Renata, are due and payable at my office, situate at the Courthouse, in the City of Rossland.

This notice, in term of law, is equivalent to a personal demand by me upon all persons liable for taxes.

Dated at Rossland, B. C., this 24th day of January, 1919.

R. R. TOWNSEND,
Collector for the Rossland Assessment District

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session on behalf of The Cascade Water Power & Light Company Limited, a Company incorporated by the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia under Chap. 51, Statutes of B. C. 1897, for an Act to be entituled "The Cascade Water Power & Light Company Limited Act 1897, Amendment Act 1918," giving it power to reduce its capital from time to time as it may see fit by vote of a majority in value of the shareholders present or represented by proxy at a meeting called for that purpose, and also confirming the reduction of capital heretofore made by the Company on or about the 6th November, 1907, and also changing the time of the holding of the Company's ordinary General meeting from the third Wednesday in July in each year to the third Wednesday in October in each year, or on such other date in each year as the Directors may from time to time determine upon; and also empowering the Directors of the Company to make bylaws, rules and regulations to be observed by all persons using the water, electricity or electrical appliances or other property of the company; also rules and regulations for maintenance of the Company's undertaking and for the collection of rates for electricity or water supply and rents for electrical lines and appliances let for hire, and for fixing the time or times when, and the place or places where the same shall be payable, and in case of default of payment to provide remedies for enforcing the payment thereof; and for such further and incidental powers as may be necessary.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 9th day of December, 1918.

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