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TIDE TABLE

MAY.

Table with columns: Date, Day, High Water, Time Ht., Low Water, Time Ht. Rows for days 1 through 31.

MAY—1st to 4th, general rains. 5th to 9th, clearing, warm. 10th to 13th, damp, showery. 14th to 18th, ad vanced heat. 19th to 22nd, thunder showers 23rd to 27th, cool period. 28th to 31st, damp and foggy.

DIARY OF EVENTS.

TO-DAY.

City Magistrate's Court, 10 a.m. Prince Edward Theatre, 3, 7 and 8.45 p.m. People's Theatre, 3.15, 7.15 and 8.45 p.m.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

FREDERICTON, May 25.—At a meeting of the sub-executive of the N. B. and P. E. I. Women's Christian Temperance Union, held here last evening, it was decided to hold the provincial convention on Sept. 7, 8 and 9, in Newcastle. The programme was drafted and arrangements were made to procure an outside speaker. Those present were: Mrs. J. W. Perry, vice-president, P. E. Island; Mrs. L. R. Hetherington, corresponding secretary Newcastle; Mrs. C. A. Lindow, recording secretary, St. Stephen; Mrs. A. C. M. Lawson, Fredericton; the absence of the president, Mrs. James MacWha, St. Stephen, on account of illness, was much regretted.

TO EXPORT COLLIERY PIT WOOD.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., May 26.—In the Legislature last night the Government introduced a measure permitting exports of colliery pit wood from Labrador for a period of ten years to Britain and France, as a war measure, based upon reports of the commission sent from England last autumn to Newfoundland and Canada to investigate their resources in this regard and levying a dollar per cord as export duty.

The P. E. Island Hospital Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of all contributors to the above Institution will be held in the Parlor of the Young Men's Christian Association on Monday the 31st day of May 1915 at 8 o'clock p. m., for the election of Trustees for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before it.

PERCY POPE, Chairman, B. BALDERSTON, Secretary, 3397-5-13M161.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Supplying Coal for the Dominion Buildings," will be received at this office until 1.00 P. M. on Thursday, June 17, 1915, for the supply of coal for the Public Buildings throughout the Dominion.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so or fail to complete the contract if the tender is not accepted. The cheque will be returned.

By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, May 20, 1915.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.—19576, 1043-5-26M51

L. O. A.

Parties wishing to cater for the Orange Celebration to be held in Charlottetown on July 12th, may do so, by tendering for the exclusive privilege, or the ice cream saloon or meals separately. Tenders to be in not later than June 17th.

GEO. CRAWFORD, 143 King St. 1104-5-11M16W81

"B. & I. Corsets is the live model Corset. See the samples by Mrs. Love at Patons Friday and Saturday. 1097-5-23M21.

"200 more Waists arrived to-day at Patons. Special 98c. 1039-5-26M31

NO LIGHTS IN VENICE AT NIGHT.

VENICE, May 26, via Paris.—The military authorities have given orders that no light be displayed in Venice between sunset and sunrise that can be seen from above the city. This is a measure of protection against attack by aeroplanes.

The aspect of Venice at night has been changed by this order. The people of Venice are normally much abroad at night, but now they are staying up even later than usual. They enjoy the aspect of the city without light, and they are all eagerly looking into the air for the sight of an Austrian aeroplane. Nobody seems to fear a visit from these machines.

The narrow footways along the banks of the canals and small arch bridges of the city are dark and silent.

IN MEMORIAM

MASTER VERNON SHERRY.

Vernon Sherry, aged one year, son of George and Mrs. Sherry, died at Fernwood, Sunday, May 16th, of pneumonia. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Sherry in the loss of their only child, who was such a bright and cheerful companion in the home.

One less at home The charmed circle broken—a dear face Missed day by day from its usual place But cleansed, saved, perfected by grace One more in Heaven.

One less on earth Its pain, its sorrow and its toil to share One less the pilgrim's daily cross to bear One more the crown of the blest to wear At home in Heaven.—X.

RAY BOOTHBY HENDERSON.

Following a brief illness of diphtheria Miss Ray Boothby Henderson, 22 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Henderson, died at her home on Hancock St., Everett, Mass., Monday afternoon, May 10th. She was a very well known young woman, active in social affairs and prominent in the work of the First Congregational Church, officiated by Mr. Henderson at church. She was a graduate of Everett High School, class 1913. Simple services were held at Greenwood Cemetery on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, with the members of the family present. Rev. Ansel E. Johnson pastor of the First Congregational Church, officiated, and paid a glowing tribute to the memory of the young woman. Miss Henderson is survived by her parents, two brothers, Dr. Frank Henderson of West Everett, and Ralph Henderson, and two sisters, Miss Pauline Henderson, well known as a reader, and a younger sister, Isabelle.—Everett Gazette.—Mr. Henderson formerly resided in Summerside P. E. I., but is now a resident of Everett, Mass., U. S. A.—E.

ROSELINE GALLANT.

The Angel of Death has brought grief and consolation in one of the most respected families in Mont Carmel, when Miss Roseline Gallant, daughter of Mr. Filias Gallant, passed away at 7 a. m., on Saturday, May 15th, at the tender age of 12 years and 2 months. The deceased was sick during two weeks, the prey of typhoid fever. All through her illness she behaved with resignation always trusting in her maker. She leaves to mourn five brothers as follows: Elise of Summerside; Eugene, Celie and Emile at home and Joseph of Maple Leaf Grove, Me.; also four sisters, Mrs. Ben Chaisson of Lawrence, Mass.; Mrs. Fred Carrier, Bedouque; Mrs. Daniel Arsenault of Mont Carmel and sister St. Leonilla of Cote-des-Neiges, Montreal. The funeral took place on the following Sunday attended by a large circle of friends and relatives. The pallbearers were: John P. Gallant, Ben, B. Poirier, Cyrus Gallant, Jaddise Arsenault, Alire Ancoine, Christiane Richard. All friends and relatives unite in heartfelt sympathies towards the grief stricken family.—R. I. P.—R.

MRS. JAMES D. MCKENZIE.

Died at the residence of Capt. Finlay McDougall, Belle River, on the 19th May, 1915, Jannet McCullum, relict of the late James D. McKenzie of Wood Island Mills, in the seventieth year of her age. The late Mrs. McKenzie was a woman of a very fine Christian character, kind, generous and hospitable. She was highly respected and esteemed wherever she was known. Her husband and four children predeceased her many years ago. Two daughters survive, namely Mrs. Captain McDougall, Belle River; and Miss Grace at home; also brothers living at St. Eleonore near there and two sisters, Mrs. D. Ramsay, Fortune Cove and Mrs. Campbell, Block Island, N. Y. The funeral took place on Friday last, 21st May, and notwithstanding the busy season was very largely attended. Many people came from far and near to pay their last tribute of respect to the memory of a good woman. The funeral services were conducted at the house and at the grave by her pastor, Rev. John Gillis of Wood Island. Although she died at her daughter's home, her own home was at Wood Island Mills where she will be greatly missed.

TWO ALLEGED SPIES ARRESTED AT WOOD'S HARBOR.

YARMOUTH, May 26.—The little village of Wood's Harbor was thrown into a furor of excitement yesterday by the arrest of two men alleged to be spies. Wood's Harbor is near important government works and for some time suspicious characters have been about there. One man named Grayley, who was running a cobbler shop in Clark's Harbor, moved to Wood's Harbor, and a little afterward another man who peddled liniment and claimed to cure disease by "the laying on of hands" also arrived on the hotel and took quarters with the liniment peddler, but it was noticed they did very little work and were out at all hours of the night. On Sunday it is said the guard on the works fired on a suspicious person who beat a hasty retreat and was soon lost in the thick woods that surround the works. Yesterday a military guard went to Wood's Harbor and put the two men under arrest, the shoemaker resisting. It is said they were "caught with the goods," and were well equipped with materials.

WILL TEST SHELLS MADE IN CANADA AT THE PETTAWAWA RANGES.

OTTAWA, May 26.—Big guns will be heard at Pettawawa during the next day or two. Shells which have been manufactured in Canada for the Russian Government are to be tested at the ranges at Pettawawa by officials of the militia department and of the shell committee. The order placed by the Russian Government in Canada is a very large one and the shells are stated to be of first quality in every way.

The manufacture of trolol, one of the most powerful of modern explosives has been begun for the first time in Canada at the Dominion Iron and Steel Works at Sydney. This is two months earlier than had been expected. It is anticipated its example will soon be followed at Sault Ste. Marie and other places.

In connection with the making of munitions in Canada 60,000 tons of lead have been turned out at the smelter at Trail, B. C. Plans for the erection of a copper refinery in Canada are progressing favorably.

Island Roll of Honor

- Wounded: Lieutenant Morrison, Georgetown; Private Peter Hughes, Mill Cove; Private Geo. W. Sharp, Summerside; Private J. E. Lockerbie, Cascumpec; Private J. A. Beaton, Brookfield; Private McQueen, Mount Hope; Private Bruce McLellan, Indian River; William McIntyre, Charlottetown; K. F. Ellis, Summerside; Pte. Damien McKenna, Charlottetown; Private Arch. McKinnon, Canoe Cove; Pte. N. McKenzie, Nine Mile Creek; Private W. B. Davey, Albion Bay.

- Prisoners: Private J. Fraser, St. Peter's Bay.

- Missing: Private John Curry, Charlottetown; Private H. J. Wells, Elmsdale; Lieut. C. B. Pitblado, Charlottetown; Private Daniel A. Simons, Port Wood; Pte. Lester O. Johnson, Peter's Road.

- Died From Wounds: Charles L. Pitts, Charlottetown; Private John Curley, Charlottetown.

- Killed in Action: Sergt. Wm. B. Brady, Charlottetown; Cyrus B. Birt, Fanning Brook; Pte. Alex. Lorn McNeill, Rocky Point; A. C. Henderson, Union Road.

How sleep the brave who sink to rest By all their country's wishes blest! When Spring, with dewy fingers cold, Returns to deck their hallow'd mould, She there shall dress a sweeter sod Than Fancy's feet have ever trod. By fairy hands their knell is rung, By forms unseen their dirge is sung; There Honour comes, a pilgrim gray, To bless the turf that wraps their clay; And Freedom shall a while repair, To dwell a weeping hermit there.

GOVERNMENT WILL OPERATE NATIONAL TRANSCONTINENTAL

Laurier's "White Elephant" Refused as a Gift by Grand Trunk Pacific

The graft-ridden, extravagantly built National Transcontinental Railway has been repudiated by its sponsors, the Grand Trunk Pacific, and is back on the hands of the Government. Hon. Frank Cochrane is preparing to make the best of the situation and the line will be operated as an integral part of the Intercolonial Railway. The Grand Trunk Pacific has refused to take out the lease, which even as it was amounted to almost a gift, thanks to the way the Laurier bunglers drafted the agreement between the Government and the company. No attempt was made to get security from the G. T. P. to compel it to assume the responsibility of the line and to take out the lease.

WHY AGREEMENT IS REPUDIATED

The company gives as a reason for its decision, the lack of business principles shown in the construction of the road and the consequent enormous cost, which was never contemplated by the company at the time of the agreement. The Laurier Government calculated the utmost at \$63,000,000—Laurier himself even said it would only be thirteen millions. The road has actually cost about one hundred and eighty millions, which with interest charges may reach two hundred millions. The G. T. P. claims it is impossible to operate the road with such a rental in contemplation and the primary object sought by the building of the line, viz., lower freight rates for the West, has been completely lost.

SOLVING THE LAURIER MUDDLE.

The position the Government is in is that it will have to make the best of a muddled mess and to take over a road costing millions more than it should, loaded up with a fixed expenditure in the shape of interest which cannot be made out of operation for years. Hon. Frank Cochrane is setting to work to place the operation of the N. T. R. as he has done the Intercolonial on as businesslike a basis as possible. At present there is very little through traffic; most of it from the West will go by Fort William or south from Cochrane, while the local traffic is almost negligible. Two trains a week each day will suffice for the present, but this will be increased as soon as business warrants.

BORDEN POLICY JUSTIFIED

With the Canadian people owning a system through from Halifax to Winnipeg, the Borden Government is carrying out the very policy of Government ownership which the Premier advocated in 1903 and 1904 when the Laurier National Transcontinental scheme was first broached. Only if the Borden plan had been carried out Canada would not have had a two hundred million dollar white elephant on its hands which cannot be made to pay for a couple of generations. The Borden Government has been called on to face and to solve a serious railway situation created by the recklessness of the Laurier Administration. Premier Borden had nothing to do with the making of that problem and he warned the then Government of the consequences of the policy.

In 1903 when the National Transcontinental Railway project was proposed, Mr. Borden presented an alternative scheme which if carried out would



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HOW GAS IS USED BY THE GERMANS

(Special to Guardian.) A great deal has appeared on the use of asphyxiating gases by the Germans. Many statements have been made as to exactly what gas is used, and what are its effects.

There are two essentials to the use of gas by the Germans. First, the gas must be of such a character that it will stick close to the surface of the ground and sink into all trenches and excavations—not rise in the air. Secondly, it must at least temporarily stupefy the intended victims. Now, this being the case, it is obvious that gas may be resorted to successfully under certain conditions only. There must be only a very moderate or light wind blowing, and that must be regular or even, otherwise the gas would become too dissipated and mixed with air. It can be used only when the enemy's trenches are but a short way off. The battlement of the user must be either a straight line or convex toward the enemy. Otherwise the gas, when liberated, would cross at least some portion of the users' lines before reaching the enemy's lines, with considerable damage to the users as well as to the intended victims.

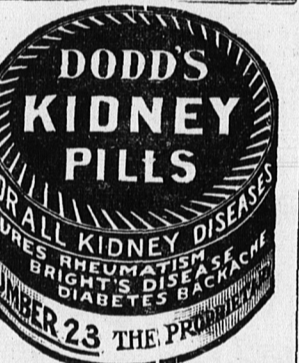
Chlorine gas seems to fill all the requirements. It is a heavy, greenish yellow, suffocating, irritating, poisonous gas, which liberates in a moderate wind (two to six miles per hour) it will travel pretty compactly along the ground filling the air for a depth of about three feet above the surface and sinking into all depressions. It suffocates and irritates the victim and produces acute bronchitis and strangulation. In many cases the effect is temporary, but it often produces unconsciousness and in many instances death. Its color gives it the properties of a cloud which greatly conceals the advance of the enemy who follow close behind whenever possible. Needless to say, great cautions are required to be of real effect against a battle front of considerable length. So, it is chiefly used to attack certain selected points in the enemy's lines, with the sole idea of forcing a passage which will enable the breaking up and flanking movements so frequently attempted but never accomplished.

The Germans manufacture this treacherous gas in great quantities and force it into small cylinders under very high compression. These cylinders are shipped to the trenches, put in place, and when conditions are favorable, are opened and turned toward the lines of the Allies. The prevailing wind does the rest. Quite a number of other gases could be used equally as well, but the symptoms are clearly and unmistakably indicative of the use of chlorine gas by the German army in all cases so far.

PATENTS GRANTED

- (Special to Guardian) 159,893 Knitted Sample.—R. M. Ballantyne, Stratford, Ontario. 159,894 Method of Desiccating Liquids, The Canadian Milk Products Ltd., Toronto, Ontario. 159,912 Heaves Medicine.—Leclaire and Gellins, St. Boniface, Que. 159,925 Clothes Pin.—C. W. Cross, St. Charles, Ont. 159,928 Gate.—F. Derosier, St. Hages, Que. 159,935 Mattress Frame.—F. G. Gale, Waterville, Que. 159,944 Car Door.—L. Johnstone, Winnipeg, Man. 159,945 Meat Roaster.—N. J. King, Benton, Alberta. 159,953 Incubator.—L. A. H. Morin, St. Hyacinthe, Que. 159,954 Nut Cracker.—G. H. McEwen, Swift Current, Sask. 159,955 Smoke Consumer.—G. O'Neil, Moncton, N. B. 159,963 Envelope.—A. Schnell, Toronto, Ont. 159,794 Cue Chalk.—L. Warden, Edmonton, Alta. 159,976 Brake Shoe.—C. L. Webster, Toronto, Ont.

SPECIAL.—Fifteen packages flour and vegetable seeds for 25c at Holman's. See page 138 Holman's Catalog. 1071-5-27ME31. "Have you seen this new line of dainty Talcum Powders we are now showing? If you haven't you'll want to see it. It's one of the largest and most complete exhibits of the world's best talcum powders you ever saw. The Two Macs, 149 Great George St.—M.F.



GUARDIAN CLASSIFIED ADS.

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AGENTS WANTED TO SELL FOR The Old Reliable Fonthill Nurseries. We teach our men to sell. Experience unnecessary. Highest commissions paid. Handsome free equipment. Stone & Wellington, Toronto, Ont. 9716-4-29ME261.

AGENTS WANTED TO SELL FOR the old reliable Fonthill Nurseries. We teach our men to sell. Experience unnecessary. Highest commissions paid. Handsome free equipment. Stone & Wellington, Toronto, Ont. 1050-5-26ME261

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A maid immediately. Apply 83 Upper Prince St. 1079-5-27M71

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—GIRL for general housework. Apply Mrs. Harry Foster, corner Rochford and Kent Streets. 1071-5-26M31

For Sale

FOR SALE—\$1,000 GOVERNMENT debentures, 4 per cent interest, payable half yearly. Cost \$1,000 cash. Will sell for \$900 cash. McKinnon & McNeill, 90 Great George St. 1088-5-27M31.

SILVER BLACK FOXES FOR SALE—low figure, 1 pair pups, gilt edge class "A" Island stock. Will ranch same for purchaser at cost if desired. Apply Box 290, Charlottetown. 1080-5-27M61.

FOR SALE—DESIRABLE PROPERTY at Montague. Four acres land, good large dwelling house and barns. Amos J. Robertson, Montague. 9936-5-17M11E101

FOR SALE—Offers will be received at the Water and Sewer Department City Hall, from parties wishing to purchase a Blake Underwriter Steam Pump, 36 h.p., capacity 2,000-000 gallons per 24 hours. Pump is ready to run. 1052-5-26M71

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—AT ONCE YOUNG MAN to work in Bicycle Shop. Apply to E. Rice, Grafton St. 1085-5-27M31pd

WANTED—A SALESMAN FOR A retail boot and shoe store. Apply, in writing, P.O. Box 443. 1063-5-26M31

PARCEL BOY WANTED.—MUST BE willing and a worker. Apply to P.O. Box 55. 1064-5-26M31

WANTED.—A SHOE SALESMAN TO travel P.E.I. with a full line of boots, shoes and rubbers. Apply to Morris & Smith. 1062-5-26M31

Miscellaneous

SPIRILLA CORSETS MEASURED and fitted at my dressmaking rooms, 53 Queen St. (upstairs). Perfect fit guaranteed. Nettie M. Seller, Experienced Corseteer. 1066-5-26M61

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ATROCITIES OF THE WAR INCLUDING LUSITANIA TRAGEDY.—Dollar book. Unparalleled seller. Big commission or salary. Order free outfit today. Bradley-Garretson, Brantford, Ontario. 1010-5-22M121.

Wanted

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A FEW farrow cows. Apply Donald McMillan, St. Avaris. 1075-5-27M31pd.

WANTED—A FURNISHED MODERN house by married couple. Apply Mrs. D. A. McKay, Strathcona Hotel. 1090-5-27M31.

WANTED.—A CLERK FOR A DRY-GOOD store. Apply by letter to P.O. Box 159. 1057-5-26M31

WANTED.—TWO GOOD MILCH cows. Apply to Jas. McKenna, 225 Queen Street. 1055-5-26M31

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