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AGENTS WANTED WANTED—REPRESENTATIVES TO distribute Tablets, which wash clothes spotlessly, clean, without rubbing...

FOR SALE. SALE—COTTAGE WITH stable on Pleasant St. Apply at 11 Pleasant Street. 4647-3-6M12p.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN A PRO- tectorograph check writer (almost new), also a New Era Check pro- tector. Apply at Guardian Office.

BUILDING LOT FOR SALE—CENT- ral lot 50 x 168 feet, with large building in good order thereon.

FOR SALE—90 ACRES OF LAND, for Rocky Point wharf overlooking the harbor. A beautiful Summer Res- ort. 40 acres about 1/4 of a mile from wharf.

FOR SALE—FARM READY FOR seeding. Good soil, barns, wood, lumber, mud. Near railway sta- tions. Cheap. Good terms sale or exchange.

WANTED. HOUSE WANTED TO RENT, EIGHT or nine rooms, modern conven- iences and hot water heating.

JOHN McQUILLAN & CO., WILL pay the highest cash price for tur- pines and will take them every mid- day.

JOHN McQUILLAN & CO., WILL pay the highest cash price for po- tatoes and will take them every mid- day.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, A RE- gistered Shorthorn bull. Parties having share for sale, please writ- ing stating age, color, and price to Wm. S. McNeill, Fairview, P. E. I.

TEACHERS WANTED. WANTED—IMMEDIATELY FOR North Wiltshire School, first-class male teacher. Supplement \$50.

TEACHER WANTED FOR SASKA- chewan and Alberta schools. Sal- aries \$720 to \$1000. Apply for full information to Canadian Teachers' Agency, at Regina, Sask., or Cal- gary, Alberta.

FOOD RIOTS IN HOLLAND

AMSTERDAM, March 13.—There are food riots at Barmen. The police were injured by stone throwing by women rioters.

THE WEATHER. TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

TORONTO, March 14.—Strong breezes to moderate gales. North- west to north winds; fair and moder- ately cold.

The highest temperature recorded yesterday was 35 degrees above. At 10 a. m., it was 27 above; at 3 p. m., 28 above. The coldest of the previous night was 23 above.

The tide will be high this afternoon at 1.34 and tomorrow at 1.57; it will be high tomorrow morning at 3.06 and Friday at 4.03.

The sun sets this evening at 6.22 and tomorrow at 6.23; it rises tomor- row morning at 6.31 and Friday at 6.28.

The moon rises tonight at 12. There was a full moon on Thurs- day, March 8th at 4.58 p. m. The last quarter of the moon will be on Friday, March 16th at 7.33 a. m.

The length of today will be eleven hours and forty-nine minutes.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, &c.

LOST.

LOST, MONDAY—GOLD WATCH without ring. Finder leave at U. C. College. 4786-3-13M3p.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SAUNTSOME SAUSAGES MADE fresh every day from selected young pork. Saunders, Newsome & Co., Market Building.

A DOMINION EXPRESS MONEY Order for Five dollars costs three cents.

POTATOES—FARMERS, JUST a word to tell you that we are open to buy your Potatoes every mid- day. DeBlais Bros. 55-57 Water St., Toronto. 4771-3-13M6l.

100 SHEETS NOTEPAPER WITH printed address 50c. Guardian office. 4685-3-6M1f.

100 ENVELOPES WITH PRINTED address 50c. Guardian Office. 4685-3-6M1f.

THE CHARLES FAWCETT STEEL Ranges. Owing to a large order be- fore prices advanced, I am able to offer Fawcett's guaranteed steel ranges, the New Champion and Economy delivered at your nearest station at before the war prices, which is much lower than manufac- turer's present prices.

TO LET.

TO LET—STORE AND OFFICE ON Victoria Row; possession May 1st. Apply Fennell & Chandler. 4549-3-24M1f.

HOUSE TO LET—EIGHT ROOMS, bath and pantry, hot water heated, electric light, large lawn. Two blocks from R. R. Station, three from market. Geo. W. Gardiner, 222 Grafton Street. 4683-3-6M6f.

HELP WANTED—FE- MALE.

WANTED, A NURSE, GIRL, APPLY Strathcona Hotel. 4759-3-12M5p.

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL, COUN- try girl preferred. No washing. 4753-3-13M1f.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework in small family. Apply at 133 Fitzroy Street. 4809-3-14M3p.

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 17 Pleasant St. 4765-3-12M4f.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR clerk in General Country Store. Ap- ply in own handwriting to "J. J." Box 96 Guardian. 4740-3-10M6p.

WANTED—PUPIL NURSES, MALE and female at the Taunton State Hospital Training School for Nurs- es. For particulars address Dr. Ar- thur V. Goss, Supt. Taunton State Hospital, Taunton, Mass. 8191-4-11M1f.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—MAN FOR FARM WORK for woodworking plant. Apply McDon- ald Rowe Woodworking Co., Ltd. 4790-3-14M3l.

SOBER INDUSTRIOUS MAN FOR City milk team. References requir- ed. Apply at once. Charlottetown Condensed Milk Company. 4780-3-13M1f.

WANTED—MACHINE MAN FOR woodworking plant. Apply McDon- ald Rowe Woodworking Co., Ltd. 4790-3-14M3l.

WANTED, APRIL 1ST, A SMART young salesman, one with a know- ledge of the hardware business preferred. Applications received only in writing. P. O. Box 224. 4808-3-14M3l.

NAT'L DAY OF KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

DULY CELEBRATED LAST NIGHT WITH ENJOYABLE SOCIAL

The annual celebration of the Na- tional Day of the Knights of Pythias was observed last night by Empire Lodge with a Social and Whist evening.

The Lodge Room, known as Castle Hall, was beautifully decorated for the occasion with special lighting ef- fects, bunting and flags the Stars and Stripes being displayed with the Union Jack and forming a striking background for the Chairman, U. S. Consul Pierce. Another display causing favourable comment was a group of 30 small cards bearing the names of members of Empire Lodge, Knights of Pythias, on active service. These cards were attached to the wall in a group and each surmounted with two crossed silk flags.

The entertainment opened with an address by Consul Pierce, Chancellor Commander of the Lodge followed with Solos, by Messrs. Leslie Hughes, and Sam Campbell; a tribute to the boys in Khaki by S. A. McDonald; Reading by Mr. D. Edgar Shaw; Piano Solo, Prof. Hinton; Club Swing- ing, Wallace Scantlebury; Quartette by Messrs. Bruce Carruthers, E. Ding- well, C. Large and Leslie Hughes; So- lo by Roy B. Dam.

Numerous encores lengthened the programme and added to the enjoy- ment of all.

About 10 p. m. intermission occur- ed and refreshments were served and what tables spread at which a goodly number of devotees spent the re- mainder of the night, the affair breaking up about midnight.

Mr. Thos. White, Chairman of the Managing Committee is entitled to much credit for the excellent man- ner in which he carried out all the ar- rangements.

Minard's Liniment Cures Toothache.

GEORGE F. GAULT SERIOUSLY ILL

(Canadian Press Despatch.) WINNIPEG, March 13.—Geo. F. Gault, a member of the Dominion War Supply Purchasing Commission, is critically ill on London.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCEMENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

\*\*Reserve Easter Thursday, April 12th, for St. James' Church bazaar and tea. 4793

\*\*A basket social and entertainment in Harrington Hall, Monday evening March 19th. Admission 20c. Ladies with baskets free. If stormy first fine night. 4801-3-14M2l.

\*\*ENTERTAINMENT.—A concert and pie social will be held in the hall at North Wiltshire, Friday evening, March 16th. Proceeds for chari- table purposes. Admission 10 and 15 cents. 4785

\*\*Come to the entertainment in Clyde River Presbyterian Church, Friday, March 16th an excellent programme is being prepared. If day unfavorable, the following fine evening. Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Admis- sion 20c. Children 10c. 4805.

GERMANS PREPARING FOR ANOTHER DRIVE

Unusual Activity on Franco-Belgian and Dutch Frontiers Supposed to Indicate Intention of Huns to Make Another Desperate Drive for Calais. They will Find the Line Still Unbreakable.

(Special to the Guardian.) LONDON, March 13.—Reports state that not only the Franco-Belgian front- ier but also the Dutch frontier, which is closed, are bustling with evidences of big military activities on the Ger- mans part. Important troop move- ments taking place behind barriers are held to presage a tremendous at- tack by the Germans upon the Yser line in another desperate drive toward Calais.

(Special to the Guardian.) LONDON, March 13.—Intimation comes through German sources that the British on Monday made a deter- mined attack upon a very wide front South of Arras. The Germans admit that British detachments after artillery preparation advanced on a wide front near Beaurains. They claim as usual that the attacks failed with heavy losses. The enemy also states that there is much fighting ac- tivity on both banks of the Ancre.

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The loan will be in three forms: First, 5 1/2 per cent bonds free of in- come tax at par; second, 5 per cent at 95 with income tax and certain conversion rights; third, certificates somewhat similar to the British war savings certificates. Subscription lists are to be open from the middle of March to the middle of June.

Lancashire regards with apprehen- sion the Indian budget increase in im- port duty on cotton goods, particu- larly as the change is unaccompanied by any advance in excise charge on cotton goods produced in Indian mills. The Indian budget increased duty on imported cotton goods from 3 1/2 per cent to 7 1/2 per cent; which is expected to yield revenue of £1,000,000.

These budget provisions will pro- tect the Indian cotton industry and should cause an increase in yarn and cloth production in India.

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(Canadian Press Despatch.) AMSTERDAM, March 13.—Trouble is reported among the German troops at Namur and Huy, in Belgium. Large numbers of soldiers were imprisoned for insubordination.

GERMAN SPIES DOGGING GERARD

(Special to the Guardian.) HAVANNA, March 13.—German spies are found to be dogging ex-Am- bassador Gerard on his arrival here. One or two were placed under arrest.

BERNSTORFF'S REPORT EAGERLY AWAITED

(Special to the Guardian.) (COPENHAGEN, Via London, March 13.—Count Von Bernstorff, the dis- missed German Ambassador to the United States, has prepared a state- ment on Germany's dealings with Me- loan, after his arrival here. This statement will be forwarded to the Berlin Foreign Office, and if approved, will be made public.

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SUCCESSFUL SOCIAL BY ALPHA REBEKAHS

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PROMINENT OFFICER DIES OF CANCER

(Special to the Guardian.) WINNIPEG, Man., March 13.—Lieutenant Colonel J. P. Ducharme died here last night of cancer aged 57. He was recently appointed to the Command of a Depot battery of ar- tillery.

THREATENED STRIKE OF RAILROAD MEN

(Special to the Guardian.) WASHINGTON, March 13.—Local railroad labor leaders from the South- east met here today to discuss the renewed demand for an eight hour day to be presented to the railroads Thursday by the chiefs of four brother- hoods and the advisability of call- ing an immediate general strike if the demand is refused. Next Satur- day was mentioned as having been proposed for the strike but national officers of the brotherhoods would neither confirm or deny the report. They say the question of strike would not be determined until word came from other sectional meetings of rail- road labor men to be held in other cities today and tomorrow. About two hundred men were expected to attend the meeting here today.

AMERICANS MAY FIRE AT GERMAN SUB ON SIGHT

(Special to the Guardian.) WASHINGTON, March 10.—The mere appearance of a German sub- marine or its periscope in the pres- ence of an American armed merchant vessel would entitle that ship, accord- ing to State Department opinion, to- day, to take all measures of protec- tion on the presumption that the U- boat's purpose was hostile. Under this ruling an American armed mer- chantman could fire on a German sub- marine the moment it is sighted, with- out being considered as taking ag- gressive action. This view is based on Germany's declared intention to sink on sight within certain zones all vessels, neutral as well as belli- g- erent, and whether passenger ves- sels, freighters or contraband car- riers.

Whether the Government will issue any general rules for the guidance of American armed ship command- ers is uncertain at present. Opposi- tion to such action has been expressed on ground that the situation is now entirely clear, that in all events the action of the commander must de- pend on his judgment and the actual conditions prevailing, and that the Government does not wish to take any steps which might be construed as a deliberately hostile act by Germany.

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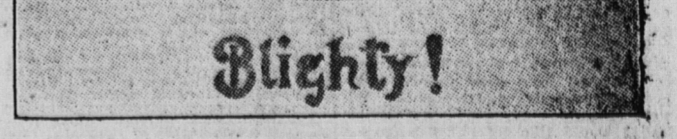
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Blighty! BAIRNSFATHER IN SERIOUS VEIN.

Aboard hospital ship bound for England two of the famous cartoon- ist-Captain's characters show in their wistful, if rugged, faces the spirit that makes men die for "England." This is one of his latest, simplest and best.