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2 bottles 2 oz. Extract . . . 25c	Polish 25c
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6 pkgs Welcome Soap Pdr. . . . 25c	1 good Broom 25c
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3 pkgs. Corn Starch 25c	4 Marguerite Cigars 25c
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TAX ON MOVING PICTURES REMAINS AS IT HAS BEEN

City Council Voted Down Ald. Lemont's Motion to Increase It Five Hundred Per Cent--The Second Motion to Double the Tax Was Also Defeated.

The attempt of Ald. Lemont to increase the taxation on moving picture shows was defeated by the City Council last night. His original motion called for a five hundred per cent. increase and was defeated seven to two. A second motion of his to increase the tax to one hundred per cent. was defeated six to three.

The original motion was to make the tax twelve and a half cents per seat per month, which would amount to \$1.50 per seat per year. The present tax is thirty cents per seat per year or two and a half cents per seat. The seating capacity of the three moving-picture houses in the city is 1335 and at the existing rate of taxation they contribute \$400.56 per year. Under Ald. Lemont's first proposal they would contribute \$2,002.50. His second proposal was that the tax be doubled.

Ald. Lemont's Views.

Speaking to his original motion, Ald. Lemont said that he brought up his motion with no idea of imposing an unnecessary burden on any class of citizens. He considered it a good form of taxation. The owners of the picture houses would not pay the tax which would be passed on to the general public. In other places similar action had been taken. He thought it fair taxation. He then moved the adoption of his resolution.

Ald. Burnett seconded the motion. He said that indirect taxation was

an excellent thing and moving pictures furnished excellent ground for taxation of that kind. The picture business could not be destroyed and it should be remembered that the moving pictures had destroyed the renting value of the City Opera House and so had reduced the city's revenue.

Opposing Opinion.

Ald. Barker did not see how the picture shows could pay a higher tax.

Ald. Wilkinson said that an increase in taxation would result in some of the picture-houses going out of business.

Ald. Everett said he thought the proposed increase was out of question but he thought there should be an increase to some extent.

Ald. McLellan thought the proposed increase was absurd. It would amount to five hundred per cent.

Ald. Baxter thought the tax could be increased slightly but not to the extent suggested.

Ald. Walker was opposed to the increase proposed by Ald. Lemont.

The motion was lost, only the mover and seconder voting for it.

Second Motion Lost.

Ald. Lemont then moved for a tax of five cents per seat per month, Ald. Burnett seconding.

The motion was lost, those voting for it being Ald. Lemont, Ald. Burnett and Ald. Everett.

C.P.R. TO MOBILIZE SCIENTISTS FOR RESEARCH WORK

Arranges With Arthur D. Little to Establish Central Organization at Montreal

CO. LOOKING FORWARD

Dominion-Wide Organization for the Scientific Research of the Country's Vast Resources

Although the potential wealth of Canada's natural resources is known to be marvellous, only a small portion of these have been exploited, and apart from the work done by the Government Geological Survey, the scientific investigation of Canada's resources with a view to practical development has been fragmentary and almost immaterial.

The lesson of the titanic conflict now raging in Europe has brought home how much the Dominion has to learn from some of the European countries with which she is at war, as for instance, the pre-eminence of Germany in manufacturing, metallurgical and electrical development, due pre-eminently to the thoroughness with which chemical research was pursued in that country, a pre-eminence which resulted in a large and profitable market for her manufacturers, not only at home but all over the world.

The wealth and prosperity of the nations and empires of the future will be gauged by their mineral and chemical activities and production.

When peace is restored there will be a strong effort to provide the requirements of the British Empire and her Allies from friendly sources, and if the war were, unhappily, to be long drawn out, the production of Canadian resources might become more essential to success in peace and war than armies of heroes.

The Canadian Pacific Ry. Co. has technical schools attached to its great shops, and at Trail the company has developed a great chemical and metallurgical laboratory and hydro-electric

equipment equal to anything on the continent. These are, however, local activities, and the time has come, in the opinion of Lord Shaugnessy, when a Dominion-wide organization should be formed for the scientific research of Canada's vast mineral, metal, hydro-electric and chemical resources, which will result in the practical application to industry of many minerals heretofore neglected or exported for manufacture to other countries, of by-products in existing industries and of other natural resources which were neglected or insufficiently exploited. The waste of straw, for instance, in our wheat fields, of flax fibre, of lumber, seventy-five per cent. of the product of which has been wasted in the forest or at the mill, while in tungsten, molybdenite, graphite, oil shale, mica, manganese, magnetite, talc, felspar and other minerals there is a field for the profitable investment of much larger capital than at present.

The Canadian Pacific Ry. Co. aims to secure the mobilization of the ablest and most scientific and chemical brains of the Dominion, and to associate them with a central organization to direct the activities of all the scientists and experts engaged in research work in all parts of the Dominion. The discoveries and information gleaned by the central organization, while supplies for the special information of the Canadian Pacific, will be disseminated from time to time by bulletins which should be of great value to merchants and manufacturers as well as to students and prospectors.

To carry out these views arrangements have been made with Mr. Arthur D. Little for the establishment of a central organization at Montreal for research work. Mr. Little has been President of the American Chemical Society and is a member of the Institute of Chemical Engineers, and a director of the Chemical and Engineer Department of the Institute of Technology. Indeed, Mr. Little's fame as a chemist and a chemical engineer is world-wide, and as an organizer and investigator he has no superior. His activities have extended to every branch of industrial and chemical research work, having seventy practical chemists associated with him. Lord Shaugnessy is confident that Mr. Little will build up an organization in Canada which will confer immense benefits on the Dominion.

A Dominion charter has been obtained and the Canadian Research Bureau will begin operations in Montreal on May 1st, when they will be in a position to co-operate with science professors and others of the Dominion already engaged in research work.

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According to war reports the French soldiers are again getting into Champagne.

NO HELP TO HEATHEN.

There had been a missionary sermon and collection at a certain church and a little girl who had accompanied her father to the service seemed perplexed and meditative. When she reached home she asked her mother whether the natives of Africa, of whom they had heard, wore any clothes.

"No," replied her mother, "they don't."

"Then," said the observant child, "what was the use of the button that father put in the plate?"

THE CITY HORSES.

Ald. McLellan stated today that the report that one of the horses purchased for street work was blemished was flatly contradicted by the testimony of experts. It was his intention to hand this testimony to the Mail tomorrow for publication.

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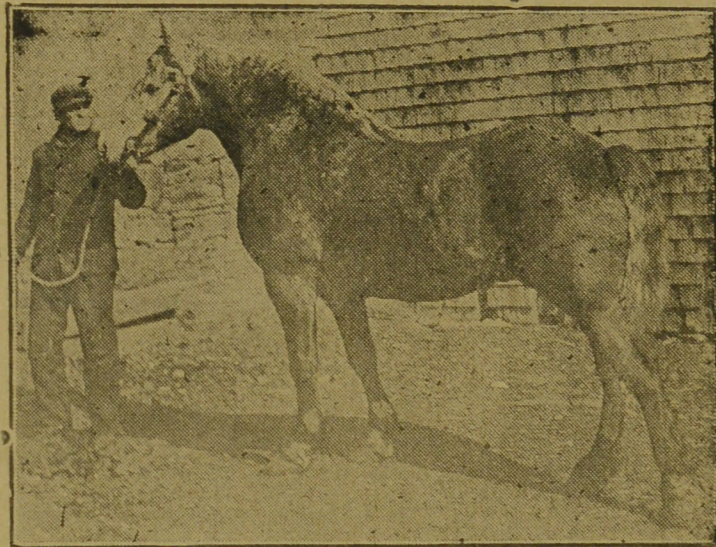
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SPANISH STEAMER SUNK.

LONDON, May 3.—The sinking by a submarine of another neutral steamship, the Spanish vessel Vinifreda, is reported in a Lloyd despatch from Corunna, Spain. One member of the crew was lost. The Vinifreda, 4,441 tons gross, 320 feet long, was built in Sunderland, England, 1899, and owned in Bilbao.

BULGARIA AND PEACE.

BERLIN, May 3 (by wireless to Sayville).—A semi-official telegram from Sofia characterizes as untrue the reports recently circulated that Bulgaria was attempting to arrange a separate