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90 lb. bag. \$3.00 45 lb. bag 1.50 6 lbs. for 25c.	A new lot arrived. 5c. pkg., 5 pkgs. 23c.
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CORNMEAL	MIXED CAKES.
\$1.30 bag.	Brunswick Mixed in 14 lb. boxes, 9 1/2 c. lb.
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SIR SAM HUGHES WAS WARMLY WELCOMED

Minister of Militia back in Ottawa and up to His Eyes in Business--Will Make Statement in Parliament Tomorrow.

Ottawa, April 17.—The exact standing of Major General Sir Sam Hughes in regard to the militia was a point discussed in the corridors in the temporary parliament buildings this morning.

A rumor that Sir Sam had decided for the time being to relinquish all charge of the department until the Royal Commission investigating the fuse contracts had completed its work was freely speculated upon, but no confirmation could be found for it.

It was hinted that Sir Robert Borden, the Prime Minister, or Hon. Robt. Rogers, Minister of Public Works, might become acting Minister of Militia, which would relieve Sir Sam of work in the department and give him ample opportunity to devote the whole of his time to such matters as the enquiry may thrust upon him for consideration.

Capt. Daly, military secretary to Sir Sam, when asked if Sir Sam was in charge of his office today, replied with emphasis: "Certainly."

A similar question submitted to the Prime Minister brought forth the announcement that "a statement will be made in the House tomorrow."

Ottawa, Ont., April 16—Major General Sir Sam Hughes returned to Ottawa this afternoon to confer with Premier Borden, to take charge of his department and to "deal with his enemies." In the frame of mind in which he arrived, according to those in closest touch with him, the reverse order would perhaps more nearly represent Sir Sam's own attitude. But like every good soldier, he reported first to headquarters almost directly from the station and after a brief interview with Hon. Robert Rogers he went to Premier Borden's residence. He spent the balance of the afternoon and evening there. What transpired is still unwritten history. At any rate up till a late hour tonight he had not gone to his department and actively resumed charge.

It is stated in government circles that a tentative promise was secured last week from Sir Robert Borden by some, at least, of his followers, that pending the investigation by the Royal Commission of the Kite charges, Sir Sam would not be allowed to again assume full control of his department.

What happens tomorrow will show

the result of tonight's interview with the premier. Sir Sam's friends expect that he will be in his office bright and early in the morning in accord with his expressed intention. If, by any chance, he is kept out of his department even temporarily then the "dealing with his enemies" is likely to be swift, spectacular and sure. And these enemies will probably be found among his erstwhile friends in the government ranks. He will not make his statement in the House until Tuesday.

Home Coming Spectacular.

Sir Sam's home coming at the Canadian capital was distinctly spectacular. The New York train reached Ottawa about 2.30 in the afternoon. In the big central station there was gathered a crowd of some 1,500 soldiers and civilians, closely packed outside the platform gates. The band of the Governor General's Foot Guards were assembled on the platform and greeted the minister of militia with Home, Sweet Home. The crowd broke into cheering as Sir Sam descended from his car. Sir Sam enjoyed his reception. He smiled broadly and raised his hat to the cheering crowd.

The reception committee which lined the platform was composed of members of parliament, members of the headquarters staff and militia officers. At the head of the party was Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of public works, who was the only cabinet minister present. He shook Sir Sam warmly by the hand as the warrior jumped to the platform and the two ministers walked away together. Other members of the House who participated in the welcome were Deputy Speaker E. N. Rhodes, Major Dugal Stewart and Colonel R. B. Trenaine, both in uniform.

Sir Sam and his staff left New York at 7.45 last night. The general had put in his busiest day. Messrs. Eugene Lafleur, K.C., of Montreal, and J. Stewart, K.C., of Ottawa, two of the minister's counsel, had joined Mr. Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., and spent most of the day with him. All the counsel, while declining interviews, expressed themselves as satisfied with the case as viewed from their client's standpoint. They returned with Sir Sam, as did also Colonel McBain. It is understood that the counsel met many of the witnesses, secured considerable evidence and requisitioned a number of photographs of alleged mushroom companies.

BODY OF JOSEPH W. PURDIE FOUND IN RIVER SUNDAY

A. A. Treadwell of Manguerville Found Remains Floating Among Ice Near Shore--Money, Papers and Other Effects Found on Body--Inquest Deemed Unnecessary by Coroner Perley--Funeral This Afternoon.

The body of Joseph W. Purdie of Fredericton, was found Sunday morning at Manguerville by Mr. A. A. Treadwell. The body was floating among some ice near the shore on the front of Mr. Treadwell's property. Neighbors gathered when it was learned that a body had been found and the coroner, Mr. George A. Perley, M.P.P., was notified. Identification was established by papers, letters and other articles in the pockets of the clothing. Mr. George E. Clynick of this city, who was present, also identified the remains, having been acquainted with the deceased. Relatives were notified and the remains were brought to Fredericton last evening. The funeral took place this afternoon at 2.30 from Adams' undertaking rooms. Very Rev. Dean Neales conducted the service and interment was made in the family lot in the old Protestant Burying Ground.

Surviving Relatives.

The late Joseph W. Purdie was forty-three years of age and unmarried. He was the eldest son of the late Stephen A. Purdie of Fredericton. His mother survives, living in St. John with Mrs. Charles H. Ramsay, the youngest sister of the deceased. Other sisters are Mrs. Currie wife of Dr. W. A. Currie of Cambridge, Mass., and Miss A. Grosvenor Purdie of Vancouver. He was well known throughout the province. As a young man he was a clerk in the Education Department of the Provin-

cial Government. Twenty and odd years ago, when bicycle racing was becoming popular in this part of the Dominion, he was well known as a bicycle racer. In recent years the deceased had followed the occupation of book-keeper and accountant in the lumber-woods, having been at various times in the employment of W. J. Noble, the late Michael Walsh, Fraser Limited and other firms. In the early part of last autumn, he worked at Plaster Rock for Fraser Limited.

Disappeared in Autumn.

The deceased was last seen in Fredericton late last autumn. He had been living with his aunt, Mrs. Williams, Northumberland street, and left her residence at three o'clock in the afternoon of a day early in December, now said to be the 4th. Since that time she did not see him and as he had left the greater part of his clothing at her home, his sudden disappearance caused her some uneasiness. She told several of his friends of his unexpected departure. Some time before he had told them that he intended to go to Northern Maine and take a position in the lumber-woods as book-keeper. On that account it was thought that the deceased had gone to Maine without saying anything further. His disappearance occasioned some comment but it speedily died down. It is known, however, that the St. John River had

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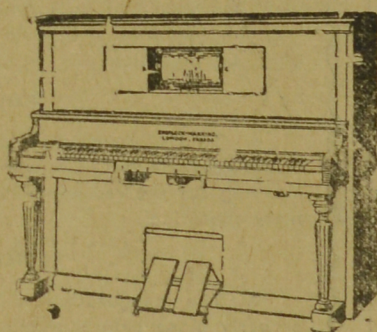
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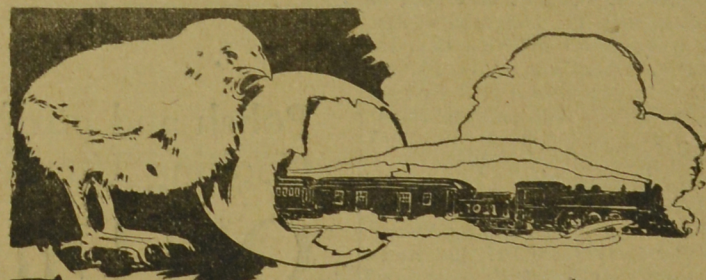


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