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What I said November 9, I repeat now: "We shall never sheathe the sword, which we have not lightly drawn, until Belgium—and I will add Serbia—recover in full measure all and more than they have sacrificed; until France is adequately secured against aggression; until the rights of the small nations of Europe are based upon an unassailable foundation, and until the military domination of Prussia is wholly and finally destroyed."—Premier Asquith

A STRONG INDICTMENT.

Premier Clarke and his Attorney General no doubt thought they were pulling off a very clever piece of political strategy when they delayed asking for Hon. John Morrissey's resignation until after the prorogation of the Legislature. The object in doing this was to prevent Hon. Mr. Morrissey from making a statement from his place in the House. Hon. Mr. Morrissey got there with his statement, just the same. His letter in reply to Premier Clarke created the biggest political sensation of the year. It was a document of such striking importance that all of the Government newspapers, in justice to their readers, were compelled to publish it. They had no chance to garble, misrepresent or condense it, but had to pass along the entire document with the signature "John Morrissey" attached. Not for years has such a paralyzing indictment of the Provincial Government found its way into print. What a veritable eye-opener it must have been for the partisans who read only the newspapers supporting or which sang the praises of the Government. In the matter of publicity, Honest John certainly put one over on his late colleagues.

The grafter newspapers are publishing lengthy editorials on "the patriotism" of Dr. Clark, M.P. These tributes have been called forth by some plain-spoken utterances by the doctor in Parliament a few days ago, in the course of which he gave the Government some praise for what it is doing in connection with the war. In 1911, when Dr. Clark advocated closer trade relations with the United States, the same papers which are now praising him declared that he was disloyal. It is worth while to note also that the province of Alberta, which elected nine out of ten members, including Dr. Clark, on the reciprocity issue, has sent more men to the war in proportion to population than any other province in Canada.

It is about time that Mr. Daggett, secretary for agriculture, was offering some explanation as to where he picked up that \$500 which he contributed towards the payment of a certain election note. Why should an official of the Government, and above all an ex-minister of the gospel, he mixed up in a transaction of this kind. If Mr. Daggett did not know, he should have known that the proceeds of the note in question were used for an obviously improper and corrupt purpose. The clergymen of Fredericton who worked so hard for the defeated candidate in the York bye-election, must have been highly edified at the statement in Hon. John Morrissey's letter that part of the money which went to retire the celebrated "big note" was furnished by Mr. Daggett.

The break-up of the Provincial Government of New Brunswick began a little more than two years ago, when Mr. Dugal from his place in the House preferred charges of graft against Premier Fleming. Since that time the administration has been steadily drifting to its doom. It will go by the board just as soon as the people are given a chance to do their part.

Hon. John Morrissey in his new famous letter, made the statement that he went to the Lieutenant Governor a fortnight ago with the intention of resigning from the Government, and His Honor requested him to "wait a while." His Honor now has Hon. Mr. Morrissey's resignation in his hands, and he should lose no time in demanding the resignation of his former colleagues.

The announcement is made that Col. H. F. McLeod, M. P., has secured leave of absence for two months and is coming home. There is naturally some curiosity on the part of the public to learn just where the gallant colonel will fit in on political matters at the present time. It is scarcely likely that he will applaud the action of the Local Government in dismissing Mr. H. M. Blair.

Halifax Chronicle: "Certainly there is a 'Carvell menace' at Ottawa, but it is a menace to the continuance in office of the present Tory government. Mr. Carvell's work in connection with the fuse scandal inquiry has already shattered the reputation of the Government from the Premier down. And the worst is yet to come.

It came out in evidence before the Royal Commission at Ottawa a few days ago that Honorary Lieut. Colonel Carnegie was in receipt of a salary of \$40,000 a year for his services as a member of the Shell Committee. Col. Carnegie is some patriot.

Hon. Mr. Morrissey states that if the hold-up of St. John liquor licensees had been probed, he (Morrissey) would not have been the first minister to tender his resignation.

Hon. John E. Wilson certainly displayed wonderful sagacity when he shook clear of the Local Government last summer and settled into a snug Federal Government office at St. John.

ON THE SIDE.

It rather looks as if the provincial ship of state had been torpedoed.

The silence of the Local Government organ of this city over the Morrissey letter is rather significant.

J. D. Rockefeller is the man who made gasoline look like 30 cents.

A bachelor physician says the microbes in kisses are often fatal—that is they develop into matrimony.

Sometimes the world thinks a man wise simply because he don't talk when he has nothing to say.

Reports to the effect that nine yards of cloth will be required to make a woman's skirt next season indicate that the textile industries are already mobilized.

The battle of Erzerum was fought in 36 hours and at a temperature of 30 below zero. No wonder the Turks got cold feet.

There are too many low-brows in college, according to Prof. David Starr Jordan. He don't seem to realize that college is the place for low-brows to secure the proper elevation of their facades of thought.

THREE AERIAL RECORDS
BROKEN BY McCAULEY

Newport News, Va., May 1.—Theodore McCauley broke three world's aviation records and set a new American mark with six passengers in a big flying boat at the Atlantic coast aeronautical station here yesterday.

Carrying six passengers, he surpassed marks set by Giraix of France on April 22, 1914. He remained in the air one hour, 10 minutes 5 and two-fifths seconds, against one hour, two minutes 25 3-5 seconds by Giraix, and travelled 88 miles against 68 by Giraix, and covered 100 kilometres in 50 minutes and 10 seconds, against 56 minutes and 44 seconds by Giraix. An American altitude record for six passengers and pilot was set by ascending 950 feet.

COSTS FIVE CENTS A
MINUTE TO SUPPORT ASTOR

New York, May 3.—It costs a little more than five cents a minute to support the four-year-old posthumous heir of the late Colonel John Jacob Astor, a victim of the Titanic disaster, according to an accounting filed with the Surrogate by the child's mother and guardian, Mrs. Madeline Talmage Force Astor. Although \$20,000 a year was allowed by the Court for the maintenance of the child, Mrs. Astor declared it had been impossible to supply all his wants with that amount. During the last year, she said, his expenses were \$27,593.

The accounting showed merchants received \$361.42 from Mrs. Astor in payment of goods purchased for her son's personal use during the year. Attorneys and legal expenses for the boy amounted to \$1,256.75. Although he was not very ill during the year, his physicians received \$299.

Since the youthful heir lives with his mother in the old Astor home on Fifth avenue, it has been deemed proper he should bear one-third of the upkeep of the establishment. The taxes on the place amounted to \$35,530, and the son's share was \$11,843.33. The general upkeep of the home cost \$29,000, of which the boy was assessed \$9,666.67.

PRETTY WEDDING AT
UPPER SACKVILLE

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. S. Wheaton, Upper Sackville, was the scene of a very pleasing event last Tuesday morning, when their daughter, Miss Dora A., was united in marriage to Mr. Baxter B. Barnes, an Upper Sackville young man, now teacher of manual training in the city schools of Fredericton. The charming bride, prettily gowned in cream crepe de chene, wore a bridal veil, carried a beautiful bouquet of roses and maiden hair fern and was given away by her father. She was attended by her two little sisters, Margaret and Rhoda, who, gowned in white, with pink trimmings, made very attractive flower girls. Rev. Dr. Bond officiated in the presence of about fifty of the immediate relatives of the principals.

After a wedding luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Barnes left by the C. P. R. express for their home in Fredericton.

REBELS WILL BE
PROMPTLY DEALT WITH

DUBLIN, May 2 (via London, May 3).—An official statement issued here today said: "Rebels considered suitable for trial are being tried by a field general's court martial under the Defence of the Realm Act. As soon as the sentences have been confirmed the public will be informed as to the result of the trial."

"Others are being sent to places in England. Their cases will receive consideration later. The cases of women taken prisoners are under consideration."

"The work of dealing with these trials is one of great magnitude and it is being proceeded with with all despatch."

GENERAL GONZALES
WINS A VICTORY

Mexico City, May 3.—The city of Cuernavaca was captured by troops of General Pablo Gonzales yesterday, after twelve hours of fierce fighting.

This information was brought to the war office last night by a special messenger who carried the report of the commanding general.

According to these advices, other cities in the state of Morelos have been captured by the Constitutionalists, who advanced from the states of Puebla and Mexico in accordance with the general plan of attack. This is the first time since the days of President Madero that the capital of Morelos has been occupied by forces other than Emiliano Zapata, and the victory is being celebrated here as one of the most noteworthy of the past three years.

VERY SUCCESSFUL
PARLOR CONCERT

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Edgecombe was the scene of a very successful parlor concert last evening. A splendid program was carried out in the presence of a large gathering. Home made candy was on sale and after the concert those who took part and some of the officers of the local Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire were Mrs. Edgecombe's guests at supper. The proceeds of the affair, amounting to about \$30, will be devoted to Red Cross work.

The program was as follows:
Vocal solo—Mrs. Strang.
Ballet solo—Mr. C. D. Holder.
Duet—Mrs. F. B. Edgecombe and Mrs. Strang.
Vocal solo—Mrs. F. W. deMille.
Reading—Miss Lynds.
Duet—Mrs. R. N. MacCunn and Mr. George Brown.
Vocal solo—Miss VanWart.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Gorham.
Bass solo—Mrs. Frank L. Cooper.
Vocal solo—Mrs. deMille.
Vocal solo—Prof. Smith.
Vocal solo—Mrs. John Black.
Selections by a quartet composed of Messrs. McLean, Bailey, Staples and Burpee.

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New York.	
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Erie	35
Mexican Petroleum	100 3/4
Marine pfd.	87
Marine common	24 1/2
Studebaker	127
Union	133
U. S. Steel	83
Montreal.	
Brazilian	54
Cement	62
Iron	49 1/2
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