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Hanson 5c pkt. 10c oz.	Golden Eye Wax 30c lb.
Tennisball 5c pkt. 10c oz.	Giant Wax 40c lb.
PUMPKIN	Early Yellow Eye Wax 20c lb.
Field Pumpkin 5c oz. 50c lb.	Kidney Wax 25c lb.
SWEET CORN	BEETS
Golden Bantam 10c 1/4 lb. 30c lb.	Early Blood Turnip 10c oz. 35c 1/4 lb.
Red Cory 7c 1/4 lb. 20c lb.	Sugar Beet 40c lb.
White Cory 7c 1/4 lb. 20c lb.	1/2 Sugar Beet (1 lb pkgs) 50c.
Extra Early Crosby 7c 1/4 lb. 20c lb.	
PARSNIPS	FIELD PEAS
Hollow Crown 10c oz. 25c 1/4 lb.	13c lb. or 2 lbs for 25c.
Long Smooth 10c oz. 25c 1/4 lb.	
TURNIP	SWEET PEAS
Kangaroo 48c lb.	Breck's Mixture (50 varieties) 10c oz.
Jumbo 48c lb.	SAGE 25c oz.
Champion Purple Top 48c lb.	
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Hubbard 5c pkt. 10c oz.	White Spine 5c pkt. 10c oz.
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EXECUTIVE FOR INCREASED PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN

Provincial Committee Was in Session
This Morning--Several Addresses
Delivered at Meeting.

The Provincial Committee appointed at the Increased Production Conference held in this city on Friday last met in one of the committee rooms at the Parliament Building this morning. The following executive was appointed: E. A. Schofield, St. John; A. E. Trites, Salisbury; G. E. Fisher, Chatham; W. W. Boyce, Fredericton; Charles Shaw, Hartland; B. L. Viollette, St. Leonard's. These with Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, Minister of Agriculture, and Mr. W. R. Reek, Secretary of Agriculture, will have control of the Increased Production Campaign in this province.

Addresses were delivered at the meeting by Secretary Reek, Major L. P. D. Tilley of St. John, Director of National Service for New Brunswick; G. S. Fisher of Chatham; J. H. Scofield of St. Stephen; Dr. W. S. Carter, Chief Superintendent of Education; E. A. Schofield of St. John; J. T. Prescott of Sussex, and Hon. C. J. Osman of Hillsboro.

Russian Socialists Turn Down Peace Terms

Petrograd, May 10, (via London)—A conference of the extreme wing of the Socialist party has discussed M. Borgberg's peace terms and passed a resolution that in view of the fact that M. Borgberg was acting in agreement with Phillip Scheidemann and other German Socialists who have gone over to the side of the German government he is directly or covertly the agent of the German imperialists. Consequently, the resolution says, the Russian Socialists will take no part in a conference with him or Herr Scheidemann.

Before Judge Barry.
The first case under the Prohibition Act to be heard before a Supreme Court judge, was argued before Judge Barry Wednesday morning. Mr. P. J. Hughes of Fredericton appeared for Inspector W. D. Wilson and Mr. T. J. Carter of Andover for the licensees. The liquor license commissioners of Victoria county extended licenses for three months, making the period extend into the time in which the Prohibition Law is in force. The legality of this extension is being tested. Judgment will be given Friday.

Hon. L. P. Farris of White's Cove, is a guest at the Queen.
Senator King of Chipman, is stopping at the Queen.
Hon. Robert Murray, Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, and Mrs. Murray are at the Queen.

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Friday and Saturday This
Week.

MARGUERITE CLARK in "THE
FORTUNES OF FIFI."

HOSPITAL TRUSTEES HELD RECENT SESSION

At this week's meeting of the Victoria Hospital Trustees, most of the session was devoted to the consideration of a new code of by-laws. This work has been in the hands of a committee composed of Hon. Judge Crockett, the President, Mr. A. J. Gregory and Mr. P. J. Hughes, for some time, and will no doubt reflect the legal acumen of the members.

During the month of April fifty-five patients received treatment in the hospital proper, the contagious wing being vacant. However, this important section is again in full blast. Generally with a full house the opening of the wing seriously affects the help in the main hospital, and just now the superintendent has three of her nursing staff as patients. Misses Hallett and Sansom, who for three months have been on duty as probationers, have been accepted as student-nurses upon the recommendation of physicians and the superintendent.

Overseas Nurses.
Dr. Wainwright spoke of the visit of Mrs. Kuhring to the city in the interest of the V. A. D. overseas nurses, and she wished the Trustees to accept volunteers as temporary nurses-in-training for a brief period, to have their eligibility tested under the observation of the superintendent of the hospital. This request was willingly granted.

The wife of an overseas soldier, from another county, who was a patient in the hospital for a few weeks, paid a portion of the charges incurred, and expected aid from the Patriotic Fund for the balance. Upon learning all the particulars of the case, the trustees ordered the money refunded.

The only explanation the secretary seems able to make respecting the steadily increasing size of the monthly bills is to charge it up to the war.

Fresh eggs and butter, flour and potatoes and coal are expensive things to purchase. During the month a few dollars were saved by the donations of friends. Mr. William Perkins sent in a supply of fruit. Mr. Edward Moore a basketful of fresh eggs. Mr. W. W. Boyce a lot of fresh fruit. Mr. Hugh O'Neill a basket of hot rolls.

After a general discussion of hospital matters and the payment of a number of bills the meeting was adjourned to meet again at the call of the chair.

LARGE CROWD WITNESSED LEGISLATIVE OPENING

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liament building. Large crowds followed the troops on their march. The guard made a magnificent appearance the Highland uniform adding a picturesque quality to the ceremony.

Shortly before three o'clock His Honor drove to the House in a carriage accompanied by his private secretary, Mr. J. B. Dickson, and Major H. H. McLean and Major C. J. Morgan as A. D. C.'s.

The guard presented arms and the band played the National Anthem. The Governor was in Windsor uniform. A large number of officers, including Brigadier General H. H. McLean and Lieut. Col. A. H. H. Powell, of the New Brunswick Command headquarters, were in khaki, and attended His Honor upon the floor of the Chamber.

Speaker Elected.
The members of the House were sworn in at noon, Chief Justice Sir Ezekiel McLeod administering the oath. They afterward subscribed the roll. When the House met, the Clerk Assistant, Mr. George Y. Dibblee, informed the members that a Speaker must be elected before His Honor the Lieutenant Governor would declare the causes for summoning the Legislature.

Hon. Walter E. Foster, Premier, seconded by Hon. C. W. Robinson, moved that Mr. William Currie, of Restigouche, be Speaker. The motion was carried and the Speaker-elect was conducted to the chair by the mover and seconder. The newly-elected Speaker briefly thanked the House for the honor conferred upon him.

His Honor the Lieut. Governor then entered the chamber and took his seat upon the throne. The election of a Speaker was announced to His Honor and he usual privileges were demanded and granted. The Speech from the Throne, which is reproduced in full elsewhere in this paper, was then read by His Honor.

The Address in Reply.
The Speaker formally announced that he had obtained a copy of the speech of His Honor, and Mr. D. W. Mersereau of Sunbury, seconded by Mr. A. T. LeBlanc, of Restigouche, moved that the speech be forthwith taken into consideration. The motion being carried, Mr. Mersereau moved the following address to His Honor in answer to the Speech:

To His Honor the Honorable Josiah Wood, D. C. L., LL. D., Lieutenant Governor of the Province of New Brunswick:
May it please Your Honor,
We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick, now in session, beg leave to extend our humble thanks to your Honor for the gracious speech which your Honor has addressed to us, and we assure your Honor that all matters which may be submitted to us during the session will receive our most dutiful attention and consideration.

In moving the adoption of the address, Mr. Mersereau made a spirited address.

Mr. LeBlanc seconded the address, and was still speaking at the time of going to press.

Breaks in Price of Wheat.

Chicago, May 10. — Sharp breaks in the price of wheat took place today owing to the circumstance of vague rumors of impending peace developments. Opening quotations which ranged from one cent decline to 3/4 advance with May at \$3.10 and July at \$2.46 to \$2.46 1/4 were followed by a general falling, as much as 5/8 in some cases.

MEMBERS OF LEGISLATURE SWORN IN THIS MORNING

Chief Justice Sir Ezekiel McLeod Administered The Oath--Some Members Absent.

The ceremony of swearing in members of the House of Assembly took place at noon today in the assembly chamber. Chief Justice Sir Ezekiel McLeod administered the oath of office. The members were called by Mr. G. Y. Dibblee, clerk assistant, who is acting as clerk in the absence of the clerk, Mr. H. B. Rainsford. He also read the oath to the members. Mr. G. H. Flewelling assisted.

The members of the cabinet were sworn in first. Premier Foster, Attorney General Byrne and Provincial Secretary Murray were the first called. Hon. Messrs. Smith, Veniot and Tweeddale were next called. Hon. Messrs. Robinson, Dugal and Roberts were the last members of the government to take the oath. The other members of the House were then called.

Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, who is to be the seatmate of Hon. J. A. Murray in the Opposition side, was not present today having gone to Windsor, N. S., to attend the closing exercises of King's College. Mr. Gupitill of Charlotte, did not arrive in time to take the oath. Messrs. Hunter and Young of York also were absent but arrived later.

The ceremony was witnessed with great interest by a large number of spectators.

MARITIME MEN IN CASUALTY LIST

More Maritime Provinces Men in the List As Given Out from Ottawa Today.

Ottawa, May 10.—The names of Maritime Provinces soldiers in the noon casualty list today follow:

Killed in action:
M. J. McLeod, Margaree, N. S.; J. M. Wheaton, Halifax; F. L. Portmore, St. John, West, N. B.; J. MacDonald, Newcastle, N. B.; F. Cool, Tracadie, N. B.

Died of wounds:
J. D. Patterson, St. John, N. B.

Wounded:
P. J. Rowley, Truro, N. S.; F. H. Tyrrel, Newville, N. B.; F. Burgess, Weymouth, N. S.; J. Hitchen, Dominion No. 6, N. S.; J. D. McGregor, Trenton, N. S.; A. Melver, Victoria county, N. S.; R. L. Weir, Smith's Cove, N. S.

WAS KIDNAPPED WHEN A CHILD

Strange Story That Involves Annie Parker of McCarthy Murder Notoriety.

(Moncton Transcript.)

Miss Caroline McGrath arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from the States to take her sister, Miss Edna May McGrath, back with her. It is said that her sister living here and known as Edna May Horsman, was kidnapped from the cradle when only an infant and has been living in the city under an assumed name.

In the fall of 1915 appeared the story of the discovery in this city of a young woman, Edna May McGrath, who was supposed to be stolen when an infant. A sister in the States in some way heard of her being here, and asked the Lynn, Mass., police to investigate. They in turn wrote to the Moncton police who looked into the matter with the result that the mystery was cleared up. It was proved that the girl had been living with a Mrs. Horsman, whose maiden name was Annie Parker and who in her younger days had attained considerable notoriety as a star witness in the noted McCarthy murder case. Mrs. Horsman died several weeks before this investigation but she had told the girl that some day she would impart to her a secret about her life. Death came too suddenly and the truth was never learned.

Further investigation showed that in the year 1900 Annie Parker was employed as a nurse by a gentleman named McGrath, in Boston. Three or four months after the birth of a girl child, both baby and nurse disappeared, and further illness in the family distracted the minds of her relatives and prevented a close search at the time. Fifteen years later, when the older sister, Caroline, grew old enough to realize the significance of the matter, she instituted the enquiries above mentioned, which terminated in the discovery and location of her lost sister.

The girls met for the first time yesterday afternoon and will leave some time this week for the states.

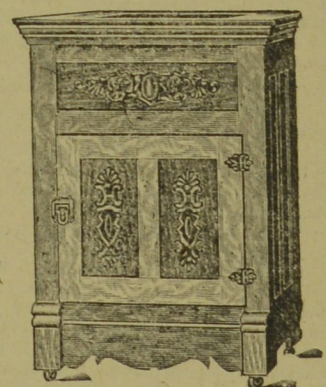
SPECIAL GUARD AT HOUSE.

Hon. P. J. Veniot, Minister of Public Works, yesterday appointed thirteen men who have served in the present war but who have been discharged on account of physical disability, as special guards for the Legislative Buildings. The men went on duty this morning. Uniforms are worn. Several of those appointed have been on similar duty before. They are divided into a day and a night guard.

They are as follows: Day guard — Corp. John Jones, Foreman, Corp. Wm. Humble, Pte. Parker, McConaghey, Gunner George Coates, Pte. A. Blizard, Pte. E. Burden, Pte. George McLaughlin, night guard—Sergeant John Markey, Sapper C. J. B. Simmons, Pte. J. Ellick, Sergeant J. Weazel, Pte. W. E. Farrell, Pte. H. Smith.

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