

## THE DAILY MAIL

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## IN TORY TORONTO.

There was plain speaking at the recent meeting of the Riverdale Conservative Association in Toronto in regard to the operations of the profiteers in Canada and the Ottawa government's continued toleration of the methods by which some of the ministry's favored friends turn the necessities of the people to their own enrichment. The course of Mr. W. F. Maclean, Tory M. P. for South York, in urging that Sir Joseph Flavelle and Hon. W. J. Hanna must be removed from their present official positions if the Borden cabinet is to have any hope of victory in the coming election is evidently traceable to this plain speaking by his constituents.

"The baron, so-called," said one of the speakers at the meeting in referring to Sir Joseph Flavelle, "has been masquerading under false colors. He has been making millions out of the poor people of this country. There is no question that he is a genuine food controller, not for the people, but for his own interests and the interests of other profiteers. The baron has been the means of practically denying thousands of people the necessities of life, especially bacon. Food Controller Hanna is a bluff. We couldn't expect anything from a man who is connected with the Standard Oil Company. Sir Joseph Flavelle and Food Controller Hanna should be linked together and marched out."

The gentleman whose words have just been quoted was not by any means the only speaker to denounce Sir Joseph Flavelle and Mr. Hanna. Private Parsons, a returned soldier, was emphatic in his declaration that the necessity for conscription was due to the fact that men hesitated to enlist when they knew that the families they left at home were to be at the mercy of profiteers. "Conscription would not be necessary," Private Parsons said, "if the government had properly provided for the wives of soldiers at home to 'carry on.' If this had been done there would have been no trouble in getting another hundred thousand volunteers. They will not enlist because they know that their wives will not have sufficient funds to 'carry on' in their absence."

## SATISFACTORY CO-OPERATION.

The Military Service Bill having become the law of the land, men of both parties are co-operating heartily in an effort to carry out its provisions. Sir Wilfrid Laurier took part in the choosing of the boards of selection, and it will be generally admitted that the men named by him will, in the matter of ability and patriotism, compare very favorably with the members nominated by the government. The County Court Judges throughout the country have named men to serve on the tribunals, and if other judges discharged the important duty in as satisfactory a manner as the Judge who has jurisdiction in the counties of York, Sunbury and Queens, there will be no cause for complaint.

We shall never go back all the way to the old curriculum of Greek and Latin and mathematics, says a college president in Harper's Magazine. That was too narrow; it gave a fair field to but one type of man. We must have several competitions, and not one only—one for the boy of scientific temperament whose aim is to arrange facts in order; one for the boy of literary temperament, who is interested in expression and style in the communication of ideas, and one for the boy of practical temperament who is interested in neither the arrangement of facts nor expression of ideas, but in the use to which knowledge can be put. Every new subject in which the old standards of power can be developed and tested gives us a wider choice of methods of teaching and a opportunity to appeal to more boys.

Motorists and others who use the roads of the province are waking up to the fact that the province has in Hon. P. J. Veniot, Minister of Public Works, a real live wire. Although greatly handicapped by bad weather and scarcity of labor, splendid work has been done on the roads this season, and proof that his efforts are ap-

preciated is furnished by the scores of letters of commendation which the minister is receiving from men of all shades of politics. The people of this province want good roads, and it is a cause of satisfaction to them to know that the gentleman who is the responsible head of the Public Works Department is making an honest effort to provide them.

The fuel problem in Fredericton during the coming winter gives promise of being a serious one. Furnace and stove wood are reported to be very scarce, and are already selling at prices calculated to stagger the average householder. Whatever might be done with respect to articles of food and wearing apparel, there is not much chance in this cold climate to practice economy in regard to fuel.

## Through Our Sieve

Love makes the world go round and men go broke.

By getting its crises in dozen lots, Russia perhaps gets bargain rates.

Price of collars is advancing—and this constitutes another argument in favor of whiskers.

Germany now discovers that much of its plotting was done with the muffer cut out.

Being married to German princesses seems to be numbered among the perils of contemporary monarchs.

Korniloff would have been a better dictator if he could have found anybody to take his dictation.

Germany has reached the "you're another" stage of puerile defence for proved charges of diplomatic duplicity.

Sweden would prefer to be remembered for its highly trained engineers and scientists than for its silly diplomats.

Germany has apologized to Sweden for the exposure of Germany's duplicity. As long as its unscrupulous scheme worked, however, Germany went ahead and industriously worked it.

## SOCIETY NEWS.

## WAR VETERANS ENTER PROTEST

(Canadian Press direct wire.)  
Toronto, Sept. 28.—Mayor Church and others were attacked at the meeting of the great war veterans' association here last night for their efforts to bring back a soldier from England to contest South York in the coming election, and a resolution of protest was passed. "It is wrong," said C. Lacy, "for any political party to bring back a man, and I, with three sons in the trenches, consider it unfair to them. If he comes back, I want my sons to come back as well, he concluded."

STOCK MARKET  
NEW YORK.

Beet Sugar.....	88½
C. P. R.....	149½
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Erie.....	21½
Erie 1st pfd.....	39 1-2
Marine Pfd.....	88
Union Pac.....	128½
U. S. Steel.....	109½
Air Brake.....	179
Kenn.....	40½
Marine Com.....	28½
Reading.....	82½
Rubber.....	59½
Studebaker.....	45½
Bethlehem.....	103½
Wool.....	47½

## MONTREAL.

Civic.....	72½
Detroit.....	110½
Quebec.....	17
Toronto.....	65
Braz.....	39½
Cement.....	61
Iron.....	62
Steel Co.....	55½
Spanish.....	16½
Shaw.....	117½
Laur. Pulp.....	185
Scotia.....	95

CHANGE OF TIME  
BY C. P. R. SUNDAY

Several Changes in Time of Arrivals and Departures on Fredericton and Gibson Branches.

A change of time will go into effect on the Canadian Pacific Railway on Sunday. The Fredericton and Gibson branches have a number of changes in the time of arrival and departure of trains.

## Fredericton Branch.

On the Fredericton Branch the early train for St. John will leave at 6.05 a. m. as at present. The next train will leave at 9.35 a. m. instead of 9.20 a. m. as at present. The train for Montreal and the West will leave at 6.05 p. m., instead of 6 p. m. as at present and the night train for St. John will leave at 8.55 as at present. The morning train from St. John will arrive at 9.05 a. m. instead of 9.10 a. m. as at present. The train connecting with the Montreal and Boston trains will arrive at 11.50 a. m. instead of 11.10 as at present. The evening train from St. John will arrive at 8 p. m. as at present. The late train connecting with that from Boston will arrive at 10.55 instead of 10.50.

## Gibson Branch.

On the Gibson Branch the morning train for Woodstock will leave Devon at 7.45 a. m. instead of 8 a. m. The train for Otis will leave Devon at 4 p. m. The train from Otis will arrive at 10.45 a. m. and that from Woodstock at 9.05 p. m.

Dr. C. Gordon Hewitt, Ottawa, is a guest at the Queen. Dr. Hewitt is Dominion Entomologist and is here on official business.

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GOOD ROADS

Leading Conservative Writes a Letter of Praise to Hon. Mr. Veniot the Minister of Public Works.

That the efforts being put forth by Hon. P. J. Veniot, the energetic Minister of Public Works to improve the highways of the province, meet with public approval is shown by numerous letters of appreciation from prominent men known to be opponents of the government, but keenly interested in good roads. The following is an extract from a letter received by the Minister today from a prominent St. John Conservative, who is well known throughout the province.

"I have just motored to and from Amherst, N. S. and wish to express appreciation of the great improvement in the roads between this city and the border line between the two provinces. With the exception of one or two short distances the road is better than I have seen it in ten years. I have had considerable road experience and have looked into the question of road making more or less deeply, and I have no hesitancy in saying that such money as has been spent on the roads between here and the boundary line has been spent to the best possible advantage.

"I am strongly out for good roads and will give every possible support to any local government that will give adequate results on our roads."

Ex-Senator N. M. Jones, St. John, is among the guests registered at the Queen Hotel.

Messrs. F. G. Spencer and C. O. Foss of St. John, are registered at the Queen.

Lieut. J. Smart of the Forestry Unit, Sussex, is a guest at the Queen.

DR. CLARK, M. P.  
TURNED DOWN

(Canadian Press direct wire.)  
Calgary, Sept. 28.—Red Deer Liberals last night nominated W. F. Puffer as their candidate in place of Dr. Michael Clark, whose resignation was accepted without a vote of thanks or appreciation. In accepting his resignation before the convention, Dr. Clark said there was just two conditions upon which he would consider, the first being the endorsement of a national government by the party, or his nomination by a non-partisan party.

REGINA TORIES  
FAVOR BORDEN

(Canadian Press direct wire.)  
Regina, Sept. 28.—Conservatives of the Federal constituency of Regina, at a well attended meeting last night, adopted resolutions favoring a union non-partisan government, expressing confidence in Sir Robert Borden as the first minister of such government, and to select a candidate "to favor the formation of and support of a union non-partisan government pledged to effectually enforce the military service act and all other war measures."

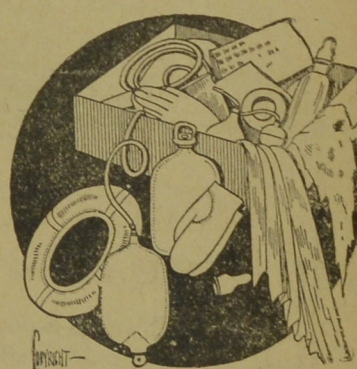
Mr. R. B. Wallace returned this morning from St. John after spending a few days' vacation.

Mr. D. W. Mersereau, M.P.P., for Sunbury, is in the city today.

Mr. M. D. Nodder of Boston, is a guest at the Barker House.

Mr. R. A. Murdoch of Chatham, is registered at the Barker House.

Mr. O. R. Cobb of Patten, Me., is a guest at the Barker House.



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WOULD EXPEL  
LA FOLLETTE

(Canadian Press direct wire.)  
Racine, Wis., Sept. 28.—The league of Wisconsin municipalities, in its session here yesterday, adopted resolutions at the close of Theodore Roosevelt's denunciation of Senator Robert M. La Follette, demanding that the U. S. Senate expel the Wisconsin Senator from that body.