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GRAND TRUNK PLACES EMBARGO ON FREIGHT

Montreal, March 16.—The Grand Trunk Railway this morning issued a notice that they had placed an embargo on all freight excepting fuel coal consigned to the company.

The notice reads: "On account of threatened strike of railroad employees in train service, effective at once, this company will decline to accept freight of any character from all stations and connections destined to points on or passing via its lines, except fuel coal consigned to this company. This embargo cancels all special authorities issued to date."

D. E. Galloway, assistant to the vice-president of the Grand Trunk, in a statement this morning, said: "If there is an absolute strike in the United States it will put the Canadian railways out of business inside of three days. This will be on account of their inability to obtain coal to run their plants, as they are absolutely dependent upon the United States for this commodity. I cannot but feel, however, that the government will step in and force the leaders of the brotherhood to avert a national calamity."

PLAY WITH EGGS INSTEAD OF MARBLES

Ancient Custom of "Picking Eggs" is in Full Bloom Among Philadelphia's Younger Sportsmen.

Philadelphia, March 16.—The annual egg-picking season is on in Philadelphia's younger speculative circles and mothers who believe in counting their chickens before they are hatched are keeping the ice-box door under lock and key. But mothers who have a streak of gambling blood in them are equipping their sons with eggs and sending them out into the wide, wide world to risk an egg on the chance of winning a dozen.

For now has begun the heady battle of skill known as "egg-picking," between all the youngsters in town who have any sporting instinct in them.

"Upper, upper! Who's got an egg?" is the cry that echoes along every street from Manayunk to Passyunk. The boy who first cries "Upper!" as another heaves in sight, gets first chance at tapping his egg from above on the egg held by the other boy. First the points of the eggs are tapped together, until one or the other breaks. fights.

LIBERAL GOVERNMENT NOW IN CONTROL

Determined on the Elimination of Czar Nicholas and Grand Duke Michael.

Petrograd, Thursday, March 15 (via London, March 16).—The old regime of conservatives has been supplanted by a government of Liberals. M. Kerenski, the new Minister of Justice, is a socialist. He accepted the portfolio on the stipulation that there would be absolute freedom of speech and of the press, and full political amnesty.

The cabinet has been chosen exclusively from present and past members of the Duma. It was named by the executive committee of the Duma in conjunction with other deputies and representatives of the workingmen and the soldiers, which held an all-night session. Prof. Paul Milukoff, the new foreign minister, informed the Associated Press that the new regime was determined on the elimination of Emperor Nicholas, and the regency of Grand Duke Michael.

"We shall not change these demands," he said. "We shall have this, or fall. We can accept nothing less." The new cabinet contains the names of men who led in the struggle against the old government and enjoyed full confidence of the country.

According to the latest news, the Emperor is at Pskov, 162 miles southwest of Petrograd. Contrary to certain rumors, His Majesty has not been arrested. The Empress remains at the Tsarkoe Selo, where she is in perfect safety.

One General Shot.

London, March 16.—Telegraphing from Petrograd, the Times correspondent says that General de Knorring was ordered to report to the Duma, but refused to comply with the summons. On the contrary, he armed himself and the janitor of his house with revolvers and fired upon the guardsmen, killing two of them. The guardsmen then shot General De Knorring, whose body was dragged to the quay and thrown into the river.

CONSTIPATED CHILDREN

Constipation is one of the most common ailments of childhood and the child suffering from it cannot thrive. To keep the little one well the bowels must be kept regular and the stomach sweet. To do this nothing can equal Baby's Own Tablets. Concerning them Mrs. Romain Poirier, Mizonette, N. B., says: "My baby suffered from constipation, but thanks to Baby's Own Tablets he is perfectly well again." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

OLD TORPEDO BOAT SUNK BY A MINE

London, March 16.—A British torpedo boat destroyer of an old type struck a mine in the English Channel yesterday and was sunk, says an official announcement made this afternoon. All the officers were rescued. One man was killed and 28 sailors are missing. It is presumed these men were drowned.

Then the "butts" are tapped together. The boy who cracks his opponent's egg on both point and butt wins it for his own. He goes on looking for another opponent.

With luck the young sportsman may return home laden with dozens of eggs, which at 55 cents a dozen are well worth playing for.

But the path of the egg-picker is strewn with perils. Other youngsters, pursuing a ruthless campaign, are apt to bump against him and smash seven different kinds of yolks in his pockets. Some boys travel in gangs. It is not safe to pick eggs with them unless one is ready at the same time to pick fights.

AN IDEAL TONIC

When your head is dull and heavy, your tongue furred, and you feel done-up and good for nothing, without knowing what is really the matter with you, probably all that is needed to restore you to health and vigour is a few doses of a reliable digestive tonic and stomachic remedy such as Mother Seigel's Syrup.

Take it after each meal for a few days and note how beneficial is its action upon the stomach, liver and bowels—how it restores tone and healthy activity to these important organs, and by so doing enables you to gain new stores of vigour, vitality and health.

MOTHER SEIGEL'S SYRUP

The new 1.00 size contains three times as much as the trial size sold at 50c per bottle.

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BRITAIN—CALLS TO CANADA—

THE FACTORY THE FARM

She must have Food—

for her Armies in the Field—for her Workers in the Factory—in the Munition plant—in the Shipyard—in the Mine.

THERE'S DANGER IN SIGHT—BUT YOU CAN HELP

DO YOU KNOW—

that the rapidly rising price of food stuffs means that the World's reserve supply is getting small?

DO YOU KNOW—

that a world-wide famine can only be averted by increasing this supply?

DO YOU KNOW—

that a "food famine" would be a worse disaster to the Empire and her Allies than reverses in the Field?

YOU CAN—

help thwart Germany's desperate submarine thrust on the high seas.

YOU CAN—

do this by helping to make every bit of land in Canada produce—the very last pound of food stuffs of which it is capable.

AND REMEMBER—

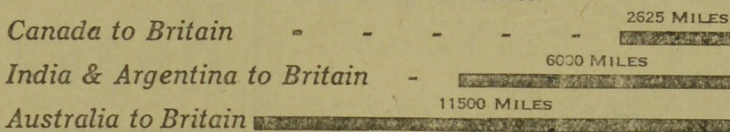
that no man can say that he has fully done his part—who having land—be it garden patch, or farm, or ranch—fails to make it produce food to its utmost capacity.

THESE FARM PRODUCTS ARE NEEDED FOR EXPORT
WHEAT, OATS, BEEF, BACON, CHEESE, EGGS, BUTTER, POULTRY, BEANS & PEAS, WOOL, FLAX AND FLAX FIBRE, DRIED VEGETABLES

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India and Argentina are more than twice the distance away and Australia more than four times.



"No matter what difficulties may face us, the supreme duty of every man on the land is to use every thought and every energy in the direction of producing more—and still more."

Martin Burrell—Minister of Agriculture.

The Department invites every one desiring information on any subject relative to Farm and Garden, to write—

INFORMATION BUREAU

DOMINION DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

OTTAWA

WAR LOAN

DOMINION OF CANADA

Issue of \$150,000,000 5% Bonds Maturing 1st March, 1937

Payable at par at Ottawa, Halifax, St John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Victoria, and at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

INTEREST PAYABLE HALF-YEARLY, 1st MARCH, 1st SEPTEMBER.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

ISSUE PRICE 96.

A FULL HALF-YEAR'S INTEREST WILL BE PAID ON 1st SEPTEMBER, 1917.

THE PROCEEDS OF THE LOAN WILL BE USED FOR WAR PURPOSES ONLY.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers herewith, on behalf of the Government, the above-named Bonds for Subscription at 96, payable as follows:—

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| 10 per cent | on application; |
| 30 " | 16th April, 1917; |
| 30 " | 15th May, 1917; |
| 26 " | 15th June, 1917. |

The total allotment of bonds of this issue will be limited to one hundred and fifty million dollars, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds as the equivalent of cash under the terms of the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915.

The instalments may be paid in full on the 16th day of April, 1917, or on any instalment due date thereafter, under discount at the rate of four per cent per annum. All payments are to be made to a chartered bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture and the allotment to cancellation.

Subscriptions, accompanied by a deposit of ten per cent of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a chartered bank. Any branch in Canada of any chartered bank will receive subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.

This loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest will be a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any chartered bank and at the office of any Assistant Receiver General in Canada.

Subscriptions must be for even hundreds of dollars.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied towards payment of the amount due on the April instalment.

Scrip certificates, non-negotiable or payable to bearer in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued, after allotment, in exchange for the provisional receipts.

When the scrip certificates have been paid in full and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered as to principal, or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

Delivery of scrip certificates and of bonds will be made through the chartered banks.

The issue will be exempt from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Fully registered bonds without coupons will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$5,000.

The bonds will be paid at maturity at par at the office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary or Victoria, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

The interest on the fully registered bonds will be paid by cheque, which will be remitted by post. Interest on bonds with coupons will be paid on surrender of coupons. Both cheques and coupons, at the option of the holder, will be payable free of exchange at any branch in Canada of any chartered bank, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

Subject to the payment of twenty-five cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons will have the right to convert into bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons at any time on application to the Minister of Finance.

The books of the loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.

Application will be made in due course for the listing of the issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Recognized bond and stock brokers having offices and carrying on business in Canada will be allowed a commission of three-eighths of one per cent on allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp, provided, however, that no commission will be allowed in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by the surrender of bonds issued under the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915, or in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by surrender of five per cent debenture stock maturing 1st October, 1919. No commission will be allowed in respect of applications on forms which have not been printed by the King's Printer.

SUBSCRIPTION LISTS WILL CLOSE ON OR BEFORE THE 23rd OF MARCH, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, March 12th, 1917.