

HOW FOOD PRICES IN CANADA ARE MANIPULATED BY PIRATE

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old flag and put it over on the people. Mr. Flavelle is more wound round with the old flag than ever. He works, as we said before, not for Canadian coin, but for a British title. Rumor has it that a knighthood is not good enough for him. He waits until a baronetcy offers.

As an example of Flavelle's double-barrelled efficiency, it is only necessary to state that he is credited with putting Sir Thos. White where he is, and that Sir Thomas is credited with putting Mr. Flavelle where he is—that is, at Ottawa. At one time the story got about that Mr. Flavelle was going to make himself premier and Sir Thos. White Right Bower, and then again he was going to make Sir Thos. premier and himself the Man Behind. But some fool spilled the beans while they were in England and of course there was nothing to do but deny it when they came home. In fact, it fell down the same way as the Dardanelles campaign—the surprise squibbed out.

A Food Baron.

By all odds Mr. Flavelle is the best man the Borden government can call on to deal with the food speculators—best from every angle, honesty, efficiency, experience. Shallow people are suggesting substitutes, such as rice or spaghetti, for potatoes, but every time a poor man mentions what he is going to eat next the food speculator beats him to it. Other people favor back yard production, vacant lot tillage and other violations nature's neutrality. Anyone who has ever toyed with the exsiccous and indurated quality of city backyards and vacant lots knows just how much to expect from this quarter.

We are confident that Mr. Flavelle would put an end to all such silliness as asking city people to plant onions in their flower beds and grow mushrooms in the cellar to relieve the high cost of living. Mr. Flavelle, who has a beautiful conservatory of his own at his home in Queen's Park, Toronto, would not willingly oust his sorchid for anything like the common garden turnip. How, then, could he ask Sir Henry Pellatt to terrace Casa Loma with cabbages? No, he would do something better than that. With his organizing genius and his talent for efficiency, it would not be long before he would evolve a plan to "feed the people without giving them anything to eat, or in any way interfering with business enterprise as it exists today. We can fancy what a fat blue book Mr. Flavelle would get out on that subject."

IN 1920.

Waiter—We do all our cooking by electricity here.
Customer—Take this egg out and give it another shock.

Passaic, N. J., reports an association to encourage young people to save one hundred dollars before marriage. That should be easy—before.

On the ocean the swell makes people sick, and some of the swells encountered on land have a similar effect.

WARM GREETING FOR GENERAL NIVELLES

The People of Noyon Gave French
Troops a Great Welcome--Many
Pathetic Scenes.

Paris, March 21.—General Nivelle's entry into Noyon was impressive. As the General and his aides alighted from an automobile, the notes of the Marseillaise were heard. The emotion of the people was great. Sobs were heard throughout the crowd and the tanned faces of the soldiers were wet with tears. The mayor of the town surrounded by a number of old men, advanced toward General Nivelle. A child with her hair done up with tricolor ribbons offered a bouquet to the general, who took the child in his arms and kissed her.

General Nivelle then visited the hospital and amid applause pinned a war cross on the habit of Sister Romauld, who during the thirty months in which the town was occupied by the Germans showed great devotion to the inhabitants.

Because of the precipitate evacuation of the Germans, Noyon suffered less than Roye. Nevertheless a number of houses were destroyed, notably the cathedral. The Germans blew up the railroad station on the eve of their departure. The historic fountain is intact. Besides the fifty young girls who are reported officially to have been taken off, the Germans are said also to have carried away as hostages, 12 young men, several priests, doctors, druggists and some notabilities.

TO OUST KAISER FROM YACHT CLUB

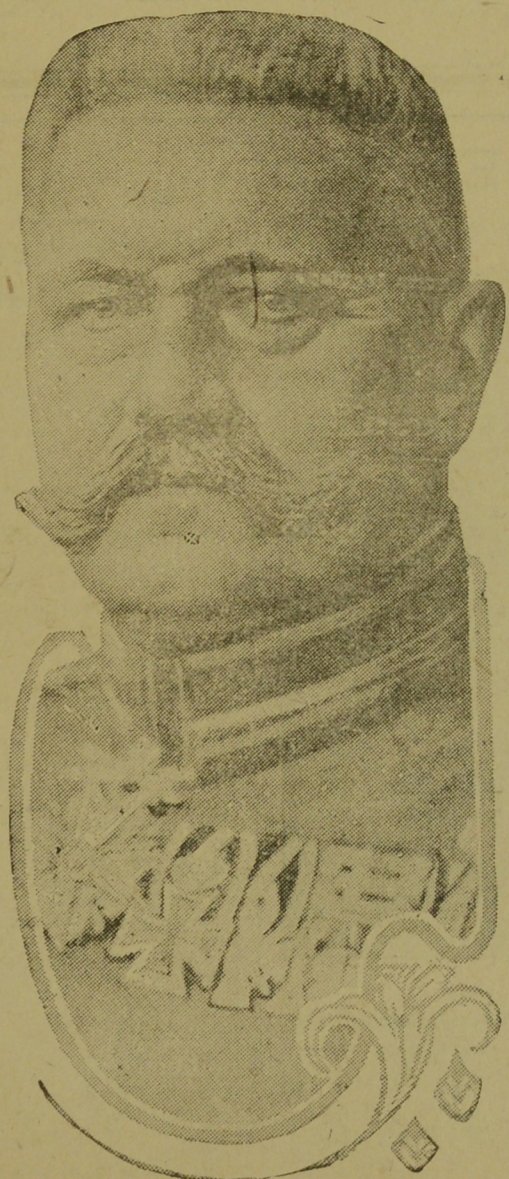
New York, March 22.—The Atlantic Yacht Club, after much discussion, has found a way to oust Emperor William of Germany and Prince Henry of Prussia, both of whom have been honorary members for several years. The club's constitution provides that before a member may be dismissed he must be given an opportunity to defend himself against charges. The directors of the club have decided that the rule will not be broken if they notify the Emperor and the Prince by publication, that they are to be dropped from the rolls. If neither of them replies within ten days, they will be declared no longer members.

What has become of the old-fashioned grocer who used to stick a potato on the spout of the oil can?
Won't power be better than will power to break a bad habit.

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Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are the only remedy that can give prompt relief and effect a complete cure in cases of such severity.

They strengthen and invigorate the heart, so that it beats strong and regular, and tone up the nervous system so that the cause of so much anxiety becomes a thing of the past.

Mrs. M. O. McCready, Wapella, Sask. in medicines, but I feel that it is only right for me to let you know what your wonderful remedy has done for me, and in a very short time, too. I had suffered terribly with my heart for nearly ten years, could scarcely do any work, and would nearly smother at times. I had many remedies, some only relieving me for a time. I got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and felt writes. "I am not much of a believer so much better that I kept on using them, and can truthfully say I feel like a new woman."

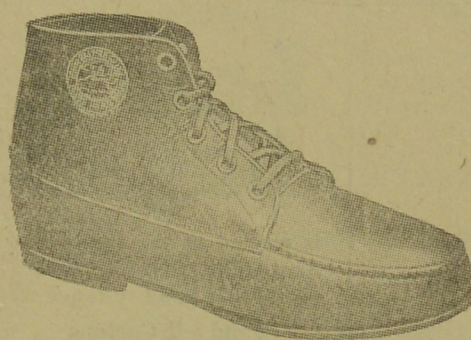
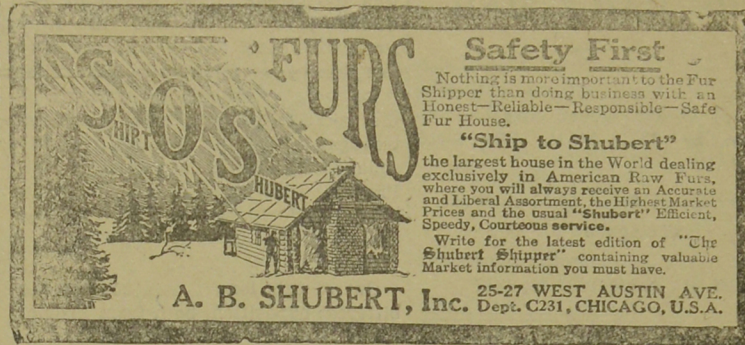
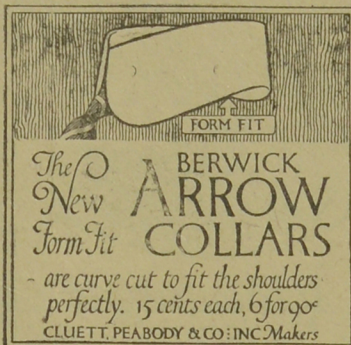
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A safe, reliable regulating medicine. Sold in three sizes: No. 1, 2, 3; No. 3, 5, 10 per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent prepaid on receipt of price. Free pamphlet. Address: THE COOK MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Wicks.)



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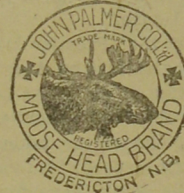
Our Skowhegan Packs, Larrigans and Sporting Boots are the leaders on the market today in this line.

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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:—

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.

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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.