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A new car of our Famous Blue Banner Flour just arrived.

Barrels	.	.	.	\$14.20.
1-2 Barrel Bags	.	.	.	7.10.
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FEED

Middlings	.	.	.	\$2.40 bag
Bran	.	.	.	2.30 "
Corn Meal	.	.	.	3.40 "
Cracked Corn	.	.	.	3.40 "

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Fine Pure Cane Granulated 11lbs \$1.00
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LIBERALS REACH COMMON GROUND ON CONSCRIPTION

Caucus Again Today---Hon. G. P. Graham Gives Notice of Resolution in Favor of Conscription of Entire Resources of the Country For War Purposes--Borden Has Made No Definite Headway in Cabinet Reorganization.

Ottawa, June 13. — The Conservatives have called a caucus for tomorrow morning to discuss the conscription issue, the political situation generally, cabinet and party reorganization and the opportune time for the election which everyone now believes cannot be long avoided.

Liberals are getting together on common ground in regard to the conscription issue, feeling more confident and cheerful and also looking ahead to the coming election for the final clearing up of the tangled situation of the past three or four weeks.

These are the two outstanding developments today in the party camps. So far as is known, Sir Robert Borden has as yet made no definite headway with his cabinet reorganization. It begins to look now as if any cabinet changes would be confined exclusively to party ranks and that these changes will be few. Expectations are that to all intents and purposes, the present cabinet will last out to the end and the new blood will not surprise the country or rejuvenate the moribund administration.

Opinions Differ.

On the conscription bill opinion is divided as to whether, at the first sign of any Liberal amendment or extended criticism in the house, the best policy would be to appeal at once to the country or to attempt to force the bill through, risk defeat in the house in connection with a vote on any of the amendments, endeavoring to concentrate public attention on this one issue, force a vote on the bill itself and thus align Liberals specifically for or against the bill as drafted. The opinion of caucus will be taken tomorrow as to the best political tactics.

On the Liberal side the close scrutiny of the provisions of the bill and a thorough re-canvassing of the whole situation from the standpoints of war requirements, national interests and a desire for party unity as being in the best interests of national unity, stable government and effective prosecution of the war, have resulted in a "getting together."

According to present indications, common ground of principle and policy has been reached on which every Liberal can stand without sacrificing any of his conscientious convictions with regard to the common require-

ments of war effort and war sacrifice. A resolution will be drafted, and probably submitted to a Liberal caucus before being made public crystallizing the party policy in regard to the conscription issue.

New Parliament Wanted.

It is understood that this policy will follow the lines of a consultation of the people for a new parliament and a new administration having the mandate of the people to co-ordinate war needs and war resources in every possible way, including compulsion. And if the people will give the mandate which united Liberalism will ask, there will be, under the aegis of a new and really "national" government, not only quick, courageous and drastic steps taken to secure men for the front but also similar compulsory legislation to meet all the war needs whether in men, food, munitions, ships or wealth as now being demanded by the great parliaments of the Presbyterian and Methodist churches meeting throughout Canada.

The second reading of the conscription bill will probably not be until Monday or Tuesday next.

Indication of Liberal Policy.

Before the house adjourned tonight, Hon. George P. Graham gave notice to the government that at some fitting opportunity in the near future he would move the following resolution: "That, in the opinion of this house, it is desirable that steps should be taken forthwith by the government to provide that accumulated wealth should contribute immediately and effectively to the cost of the war; and that all agricultural, industrial, transportation and national resources of Canada should be organized forthwith, as to ensure the greatest possible assistance to the empire in the war and to reduce the cost of living to the Canadian people."

Mr. Graham's resolution embodies his party's policy in regard to an enlargement of the government's proposals for military service. It is resigned to cover the demand for "conscription" of wealth as well as of manpower for military service, and also embodies Liberal policy for a much more complete and drastic organization of what Sir Robert Borden has referred to as "the whole power of the nation" for united war effort.

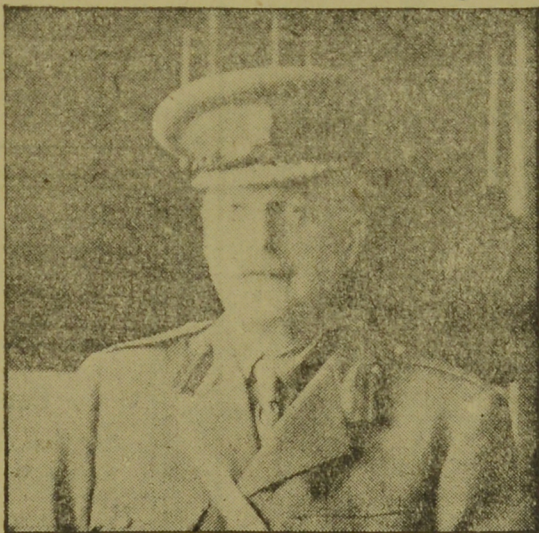
War Office Post for C.P.R. Manager

MAJOR George McLaren Brown, Reserve of Officers, Canadian Militia, has been appointed Assistant Director (unpaid) at the War Office, with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel while so employed.

Major McLaren Brown is the European Manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and was born in Hamilton, Ont., in 1865, his father, Adam Brown, being a Scotsman from Dumfriesshire, and his mother an English woman from Shrewsbury.

In 1887 he was appointed Agent for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Vancouver, promoted five years later to be Asst. General Passenger Agent, Western Division, and subsequently became in turn Executive Agent, Superintendent of Hotels and Dining and Sleeping Car Dept. and General Passenger Agent, C.P.R. Atlantic Steamship Lines. In 1908 Major Brown was appointed General European Traffic Agent, and in 1910 General European Manager, with head offices at 62/5, Charing Cross, London, S.W.

In all these positions Major McLaren Brown has shown himself possessed of rare organizing and executive skill.



MAJOR G. McL. BROWN.

BIG ELEVATOR DESTROYED

Thamesville, Ont., June 14.—Fire entailing an estimated damage of \$20,000 totally destroyed two big grain elevators here yesterday, the property of J. B. Stringer Co. of Chatham, and Syer & Son, of Thamesville.

The elevator contained about 1,500 bushels of wheat.

Mr. Charles T. Boyd of this city, has returned home from St. Joseph's college for the holidays.

EXPLOSION IN MUNITION PLANT

London, June 14.—Mr. Bonar Law announced today a serious munitions explosion at Ashton-under-Lyne, a few miles from Manchester in which a number of persons were killed or injured.

This explosion had no connection with the air raid.

Mr. Thomas F. Allen, superintendent of the Tobique Salmon club, is in the city on legislative business.



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25 Pint Cans KYANIZE, all colors, including white, 65c., sale price 47c.
1 O'CEDAR MOP, 1 bottle O'cedar Polish, 1 bottle Silver Polish, all for . . . \$1.00
12 Windsor Wearever Aluminum Kettles, \$2.25, sale price . . \$1.69
12 etts of Brown Stone Gurneyware, reg. \$2.25, sale price . . \$1.69
2 NEW CENTURY WASHING MACHINES, with Wringer Stand, regular \$14.00, sale price . . . \$10.75
2 MODERN ALASKA RANGES with High Closet, Towel Rack, modern and up to date, reg. \$60.00, sale price . . \$49.50
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Notice

All persons who have not paid their school taxes in District No. 2, St. Mary's and Gibson, are hereby notified to pay the same to the secretary on or before June 28th, or proceedings will be taken to collect the same as the law directs.

By order of the trustees,
J. C. MACHUM,
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WEDDING BELLS.

Bull-True.

Miss Agnes True and Mr. Alfred Bull both of Woodstock, were united in marriage at the residence of Rev. W. C. Kierstead, Ph. D., last night. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Kierstead in the presence of a number of the friends of the bride and groom, who were unattended. After the wedding refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Bull will reside in Fredericton.

Hobbs-Elliott.

Miss Florence Maude Elliott of this city, was united in marriage with Private Leo Julius Hobbs of the 236th Highlanders on Monday night last. The ceremony was performed at the Brunswick Street Baptist parsonage by Rev. G. C. Warren.

PERSONAL

Mr. W. B. Cox of Hartland, is a guest at Windsor Hall.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wanamaker of St. John, are registered at Windsor Hall.
Mr. P. C. Pope of Halifax, is a guest at the Queen.

Today's Program

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OF SOCIAL INTEREST

Miss Margaret Black who has been visiting her grandparents, the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Wood, is returning today to her home in Sackville.

Mrs. Wood received at Government House yesterday afternoon. Receiving with her were Mrs. Harvey and Miss Harrison. In the tea room Mrs. John Stephens and Mrs. Roy Campbell poured, assisted by Miss Margaret Black of Sackville, and Miss Helen Richardson.

Mrs. A. M. Gibson gave a tea yesterday afternoon for Mrs. A. P. Crockett of St. John. Mrs. Frank L. Cooper presided at the table and poured. She was assisted by Mrs. Waycott and the Misses Grace and Marion Gibson, Frances Harper and Kathleen Gibson.