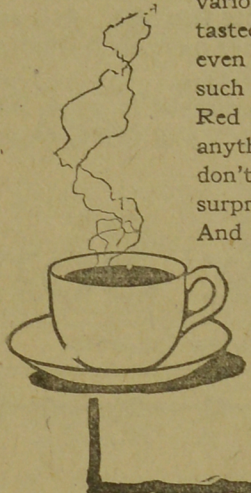




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## HOSPITAL BURNED AT ST. HYACINTHE

St. Hyacinthe, Que., Nov. 28.—At about 12.45 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the three-story building, the Hotel Dieu Hospital, occupied by between 500 and 600 aged people and 500 to 600 orphan children. The fire brigade got to the scene at about 12.50, and at three o'clock it was believed that all the inmates had been removed, but it is possible that in the confusion some had been overlooked. The building and contents were almost entirely destroyed. The loss will be about \$600,000. The fire was under control at 3 a.m.

NERVE MADE HIM.

(Everybody's.)

An incident in the early life of Henry P. Davison who left a lucrative Morgan partnership to whip the Red Cross into war trim, is told by Edward Hungerford. Young Davison, by dint of much persistence, had become paying teller of the then new Astor Place bank.

A man entered the bank and shoved a check and the business end of a revolver under the paying teller's wicket. Davison looked at the check, the man looked at the man who held the revolver. Then he glanced at the check again. It was drawn to the order of "God Almighty" and it was drawn for \$1,000,000.

The paying teller never lost his nerve; neither did he lose that urbane and urizzical smile of his. He continued to look at the man—and at the muzzle of the revolver. Then he said aloud:

"It's a lot of money," said he, so that his voice carried beyond the wicket. "Do you want it paid in currency?"

By this time the thing he had hoped

THE VICTORY LOAN.

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

Toronto, Nov. 28. — With two days of the last week of the Victory Loan coming gone, the total of all Canada subscriptions up to 10 a.m. today was \$205,639,850. Of this Ontario contributed \$110,876,750; Nova Scotia, \$8,995,300; New Brunswick, \$4,891,850; Prince Edward Island, \$1,138,750; Quebec, \$7,536,200; Montreal city and island, \$30,861,150; Manitoba, \$15,859,550; Saskatchewan, \$9,620,300; British Columbia, \$7,351,400; South Alberta, \$5,736,050; North Alberta, \$2,752,350. Tomorrow will be Victory Loan half holiday here and great preparations are being made for a spectacular parade.

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## FAMILY DOCTOR'S GOOD ADVICE

To Go On Taking "Fruit-a-tives" Because They Did Her Good

ROCHON, P. Q., JAN. 14th, 1915.

"I suffered for many years with terrible indigestion and constipation. I had frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try 'Fruit-a-tives'. I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve, and he advised me to go on with 'Fruit-a-tives'."

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ed for had happened. The gray coated "special" on the bank floor overheard him, noticed the man, caught the glint of steel from the revolver, and working as quietly and as quickly as good policemen always work, caught and bound the man.

The incident—for Davison has never regarded it otherwise— attracted the attention of the newspapers. They "played it up." Among those who read of it were the officers of the Liberty bank, just coming into existence down town. They wanted men of nerve and certainly this young Davison of the Astor Place bank seemed to have that.

They asked him to come with them, and he came, as assistant cashier. In seven years he rose from that post to that of the highest gift in the bank, its presidency. At 32 he was the head of one of the most energetic young banks in the city of New York and was, himself, one of the youngest bank presidents in the country.

THE VICTORY LOAN.

Toronto, Nov. 28. — With the sum of \$225,042,600 subscribed to the Victory Loan from all Canada, it was estimated by the organization committee today that one in every twenty of the population now are holders of the bonds. Ontario's total up to 10 p.m. today is \$120,151,150. Other districts total as follows: Nova Scotia \$9,735,900; New Brunswick \$5,421,400; P. E. Island \$1,203,300; Quebec \$8,117,110; Montreal city and island \$35,686,950; Manitoba \$17,128,600; Saskatchewan \$10,485,600; British Columbia \$7,352,400; South Alberta \$6,081,350; North Alberta \$3,103,200.

N. B. EXEMPTIONS.

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

St. John, Nov. 28. — Up to late yesterday exemption applications of 8,159 Class A men had been heard in New Brunswick. Of this number 6,478 were allowed and 1,681 disallowed, a percentage of 79.4 allowed.

## SUFFERED GREAT AGONY

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Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills are 25c a vial at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

WAS HOWLED DOWN.

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

Coaticook, Que., Nov. 28. — Mr. W. L. Shurtleff, K. C., Unionist candidate in Stanstead county, was howled down when he made an effort to address a meeting at Dixville last night.

HOMES OVERHEATED.

Washington, Nov. 28. — Declaring that American homes were overheated the fuel administration urged all householders to maintain a temperature of not more than 68 degrees, recommended by eminent physicians. With that temperature the saving in coal will go far toward meeting the enormous war demand for fuel, officials announced.

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## WOMEN RAN TOWN'S AFFAIRS WITH CONSIDERABLE SUCCESS

(Chicago News.)

"I blew into a barber shop in a small western town," narrated the shoe salesman, "and a female barber amputated my whiskers. I've never wasted any time arguing that women should stay home and wash dishes, but it jars me to see them in some occupations, and barbering is one of them."

"I used to be convinced that woman's sphere is within a few yards of the kitchen stove," observed the implement man, "and whenever I heard of a girl taking some job that didn't seem to harmonize with her sex, I went up in the air about ten yards high."

"I was living in a small town in the corn belt, and the women there were pretty active demanding their rights. Public sentiment was in their favor, and I became rather unpopular arguing that they ought to stay home and sew patches on the overalls of their husbands, sons and brothers."

"Finally the blamed town elected woman to all the local offices. For two years there wasn't a man on the town payroll. I was so disgusted that I advertised my business for sale, saying that I couldn't retain my self-respect and live in a grad of that kind."

"Mrs. Swaggerty was the mayor, and she appointed as her chief of police one of the best looking girls in town. Her name was Nora Bluswanger, and she was a peach, her only fault being her willingness to accept such a job. She rigged up a sort of uniform for herself, and wore a nickel plated star, and carried a club and a gun, and people travelled long distances to see her. I was well acquainted with her, and I begged her to cut it out, and go back to her proper sphere, making nice worsted mottoes to hang on the wall."

"She said I had my good points as a citizen and taxpayer, and she was sorry I was nutty, holding to the ancient theory that only men are good for anything. She said she would show me the finest line of law and order in six months that the town ever enjoyed or she would take my advice and soak her helmet and go back to tooling a kitchen range."

"There was a rather tough crowd in the burg. A lot of construction work was going on along the railway and bad citizens blew in every Saturday evening and had a joyful time, not recking a picayune who they kept awake. Shortly after Nora went into effect as chief of police a big yahoo blew into town and began disturbing the peace. Nora walked right up to him and told him to trot along with her to the cooler."

"The yahoo was disposed to treat the matter and the officer as a joke, but two or three husky young men lined up behind Nora and told the mad man to travel along and be very quiet about it or they'd spread him all over the pavement. He saw they were speaking truth and he went along as nice and quiet as the good little boy you read about in Sunday school books."

"Next morning Mrs. Jigsmith, the police judge, soaked him good and plenty and after he paid his fine he sneaked out of town and was never seen again. The humiliation of being pinched by a girl was more than he could stand. There never was another arrest in the town while Nora was on deck. Men knew they'd be laughed out of the place if they were run in by a woman and such an orderly burg was never seen before or since. I haven't said much against the sufferage sisters since that."

IN FAVOR OF UNION.

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

Toronto, Nov. 28.—The grand council of Canada of the Canadian Military Veterans' Association, composed of men who fought in 1866, 1870, 1885 and the South African war, met last night and passed a resolution supporting the Union government candidates in the coming election.

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## HEROIC BELGIANS READY TO DO THEIR BEST WHEN WORD IS GIVEN

(By Canadian Press direct wire.)

HAVRE, Nov. 15 (by mail).—Ten divisions strong, the Belgian army is ready to take its part in the offensive in Flanders whenever the word is given. The Belgian Minister of War today told the Associated Press that the Belgian army was composed of 117,000 men at the beginning of the war, increased by 20,000 volunteers in August, 1914, and reduced to 60,000 men after the battle of the Yser. Since then, by the enrollment of Belgian recruits and the enlistment of volunteers who have braved the live wire barriers on the Holland frontier, it has been brought up to ten divisions of well trained troops.

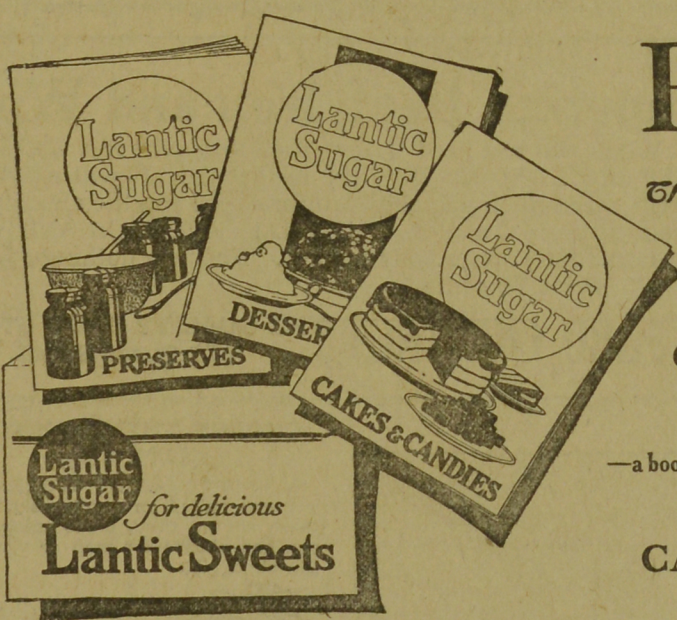
"If our army has not undertaken operations of a wider scope up to this time," said the minister, "it is because it does not devolve upon it to decide the moment when these operations should begin. It has just proved by its brilliant participation in the last offensive in Flanders that it is ready to attack with fervor and awaits impatiently the hour."

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