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MARRYING OVERSEAS.

When Aunt Susan read in the papers, says the Toronto Star, the statement attributed to Sir Edward Kemp that "Canadian soldiers overseas are marrying English girls at the rate of one thousand a month," she took off her spectacles and made a few remarks. She said she did not suppose the Daughters of the Empire would have anything to say about this, as it was out of their line, nor the W. C. T. U., because they were busy trying to prevent the sending of cigarettes to soldiers, but she thought the daughters of Ontario ought to have something to say about it. It is not possible to reproduce Aunt Susan's remarks just as she made them, because she speaks more rapidly than she thinks and is forced at intervals to go back over what she says and take things into place. But the gist of her views may be given this way: Thousands of Canadian boys went overseas at an age when they had not begun to think of marriage, and they have become marriageable while abroad. They get leave to visit England, but not Canada, and on visits to England, after the hardships of the field they are particularly susceptible to womanly influence and the charms of domestic life. If they are marrying over there at the rate of one thousand a month, the girls here at home who look askance at slackers are going to find the marriage market queered when the war ends. True, quite a number of the boys getting married in England were born there, but there are a great many girls here who had been born there also, and they are as much interested in this question as any others. Her opinion is that any Canadian soldier who has been two years overseas, and who desires to return to Canada to get married, ought to be granted three months leave this winter and be facilitated by the government in every way in doing so. Aunt Susan says the question appears to her much more important than any she has come across since she was granted the right to vote.

Putting this and that together, one is fairly safe in predicting that the crop of old maids in Canada and the United States at the end of another ten or fifteen years will easily be the greatest in the history of the two countries. If the authorities can do anything to avert such a calamity, now is the time to do it.

Mr. E. R. McDonald, of the milling section of the Canada Food Board, in a letter to Dr. Keirstead, says: "From the figures that Mr. Fowler gives us, we believe you have more than one million bushels of wheat, which is a remarkable achievement, and the rest of Canada ought to take their hats off to you." Just think of it! New Brunswick producing a million bushels of wheat this year! It is a wonderful testimonial to the efficiency of the Agricultural Department as directed by Hon. J. F. Tweeddale. According to the price fixed at Ottawa, a million bushels of wheat is worth just \$2,225, 000.

Boston Globe: The newspaper is almost if not indeed the only business which is expected to give the government anything free of charge. It is proud of this distinction, and in its editorial columns it gives lavish support to all the war drives and patriotic campaigns. In its desire for the success of those movements, it has not chosen to press a just claim to consideration for the interests of its own business. Nor ought it to be obliged to speak for itself. Its actions speak loudly enough to obtain a treatment as fair as all other businesses receive without question.

Brother Daggett of Marysville gave some decidedly interesting testimony yesterday at the potato enquiry now being held at St. John by Commissioner McQueen. He declared that the shipment of surplus potatoes to Cuba was a total loss and that the "party" decided to make good the amount of \$32,861 to the treasury. The potatoes which went to Cuba were rotten, but

not more so than the whole transaction appears to have been. The government was certainly justified in ordering the enquiry.

Buffalo Express: The Germans see the Kaiser "grave, but defiant." The Allies seek to make him grave, but suppliant.

Hon. J. G. Turfitt, Liberal-Unionist M. P. of Assiniboia, Sask., has been called to the Senate.

IFTY-ONE HORSES ENTERED FOR LOCAL MEET

GOOD RACING ASSURED FOR THREE DAYS' RACES

Secretary Hugh O'Neill Announces the Entries—Some of Latter Have Done Well This Season.

Fifty-one entries have been made with Secretary Hugh O'Neill of the Fredericton Park Association for the harness meet to be held on the Fredericton track on October 2nd, 3rd and 4th, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. The entry list is one of the largest ever made for a Fredericton race meet and the local track has seen some fine entry lists in the past. The "overcoat" meet promises to be a huge success in every way.

The 2.13 trot and pace for Wednesday has seven entries and the 2.25 trot and pace for the same day has nine. For Thursday the 2.22 trot has six entries and the 2.15 trot and pace ten. The biggest number of entries is for 2.18 trot and pace on Friday, twelve horses being entered. The free-for-all trot and pace the same day has seven entries. Some of the horses entered have done well on Maritime tracks and in Maine this season.

The entries are as follows:
 2.25 Trot and Pace, Wednesday.
 Patchen Lady, blk m, by Patchen Boy, L. B. C. Phair, Fredericton, N. B.
 Kentucky Jean (tr), J. W. Gallagher, Woodstock, N. B.
 Casey Cresceus, 2.29 1/4, ch g, by Geo. Cresceus, John P. Smith, Kinkora, P. E. I.
 Cassie W., 2.30, b m, by Aroostook Vase, John C. Young, Woodstock, N. B.
 James K. Noonan, 2.24 1/4, b g, by Winifred Stratton, A. Etter, Amherst, N. S.

2.13 Trot and Pace, Wednesday.
 Florette, 2.25, b m, by Winifred Stratton, A. Etter, Amherst, N. S.
 Harvest Hope (tr), b s, by Harvester, H. C. Jewett, Fredericton, N. B.
 Barium, (tr), b m, by Baritone, Ed. Dalton, Newcastle, N. B.

*Billy C. (tr), 2.15 1/4, ch g, by Brazilian, Ed. Dalton, Newcastle, N. B.

2.22 Trot, Thursday.
 Roy Volo, 2.13 1/4, ch s, by Nervolo, W. B. Lint, Fredericton, N. B.

Bob Mac, 2.13, b g, by Commodore Ledyard, Simpson Bros., Stewiacke, N. S.

*Alice Hal, 2.14 1/4, b m, by Direct Hal, H. G. Kitchen, Fredericton.

*La Copia, 2.09 1/4, br s, by Bingen, P. A. Bellevue, Moncton, N. B.

Dan Payne, 2.15 1/4, b s, by Frank Be Sure, H. C. Jewett, Fredericton, N. B.

Alice E., b m, William Brickley, St. John, N. B.

Tommy Cotter, b g, L. Dryden, St. John, N. B.

2.22 Trot, Thursday.
 Myrtle Rysdike, J. W. Gallagher, Woodstock, N. B.

Barium, 2.22 1/4, r g, by Bingara, R. H. Edwards, Halifax, N. S.

Harvest Hope, b s, by Harvester, H. C. Jewett, Fredericton, N. B.

*Billy C., 2.15 1/4, ch g, by Brazilian, Ed. Dalton, Newcastle, N. B.

Border Prince, 2.21 1/4, by Border Knight, E. Burke, St. John, N. B.

Barium, b m, by Baritone, Ed. Dalton, Newcastle, N. B.

2.15 Trot and Pace, Thursday.
 *La Copia, 2.09 1/4, b s, by Bingen, P. A. Bellevue, Moncton, N. B.

Jenny Frisco, 2.14 1/4, b m, by San Francisco, P. Doherty, Sydney, N. S.

*Victoria (tr) 2.15 1/4, b m, by Trot Boy, Dr. D. H. McAllister, Sussex, N. B.

Corwin Hal, 2.13 1/4, blk s, by Hal T. John P. Smith, Kinkora, P. E. I.

Jesse H., 2.15 1/4, b s, by Richard Earl, H. G. Kitchen, Fredericton, N. B.

Dan Payne, 2.15 1/4, b s, by Frank Be Sure, H. C. Jewett, Fredericton, N. B.

Texas John, 2.17 1/4, b g, by Star Hal, Fenwick & Landry, Bathurst, N. B.

Bill Be Sure, 2.21 1/4, b g, by Will Be Sure, Fenwick & Landry, Bathurst, N. B.

Belmont Miller, 2.16 1/4, b g, by Acquin, R. H. Edwards, Halifax, N. S.

Tommy Cotter, b g, by Brazilian, T. Dryden, St. John, N. B.

2.18 Trot and Pace, Friday.
 Bill Be Sure, 2.21 1/4, b g, by Will Be Sure, Fenwick & Leger, Bathurst, N. B.

*Alice Hal, 2.14 1/4, b m, by Direct Hal, H. G. Kitchen, Fredericton, N. B.

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Victoria (Tr) 2.18 1/4, b m, Dr. D. H. McAllister, Sussex, N. B.

Erven Heart (tr), J. W. Gallagher, Woodstock, N. B.

Corwin Hal 2.13 1/4 blk s by Hal T John P. Smith, Kinkora, P. E. I.

Jenny Penn (Tr) 2.17 1/4, b m, Cogger & Carvell, St. John, N. B.

Brage, 2.18 1/4, by Bingara, R. H. Edwards, Halifax, N. S.

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BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

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 ner, St. John West; Rev. W. E. Scott McDonald's Point.

After the devotional exercises led by the vice-chairman, Rev. W. H. Johnson, a nominating committee was appointed which brought in the following report.

Officers for 1918-19:
 President, Rev. W. H. Johnson; vice-president, Rev. S. S. Poole; secretary, Rev. J. C. A. Belyea; additional members of the executive Rev. R. S. Gregg, Rev. F. E. Bishop.

The vice-president, Rev. S. S. Poole then presided, while the president, Rev. W. Johnson presented a paper entitled "Some Laws which Govern Prayer". He then followed his subject in a logical and able manner under the following heads: 1, Those laws related to the nature of God; 2, Those laws related to the nature of man; 3, Those laws related to the nature of prayer. Mr. Johnson's paper besides being clear and decisive from a theoretical standpoint showed a practical knowledge of prayer and a vital fellowship with God.

The subject was discussed by Revs. Milton Addison, David Hutchinson, C. P. Wilson, F. E. Bishop, F. H. Wentworth, David Paterson, G. C. Warren, J. H. Jenner, J. Ainsworth, H. H. Ferguson.

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Crooked Work

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ment.

Q.—Do you remember the date?

A.—No I made no special memorandum of it. Mr. Smith gave me the note and I handed it to the deputy provincial treasurer. I told him the facts that it was a loss and that it was being made up. Some months later the deputy provincial treasurer handed the note back to me and said it was paid. I handed it back to Mr. Smith."

Who Paid the Note?

Q.—Do you know who paid the note?

A.—I heard but I do not know.

Q.—Did you contribute?

A.—I was not asked to.

Q.—So far as you know, A. C. Smith & Co. made no returns for the shipments to Cuba?

A.—So far as I know. They said the returns were eaten up by the costs.

Q.—At the following session of the legislature, you appeared before the public accounts committee and you made no such statement as this?

A.—They never asked me.

AMUSEMENT TAX ORDER

ALL PERSONS promoting or directing entertainments of whatever sort or description, are requested to observe carefully the following addition to the rules and regulations passed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council with regard to the collection of the Amusement Tax:

"No entertainment of whatever sort or description to which an admission fee is charged and the proceeds of which are not wholly for patriotic purposes, shall be held without a permit allowing the said entertainment to be held and providing at the same time for a supply of amusement tax tickets necessary in connection therewith. If such entertainment is held without a permit from the Amusement Tax Inspector, the promoters of the same shall be liable to the penalties provided for in the 11th section of the Theatres and Cinematographs Act."

Applications for Amusement Tax Tickets, Receipts and Permits for entertainments to be held should be made to

William H. McQuade,
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 P. O. Box 684,
 St. John, N. B.
 Sept. 25, 26, 28; Oct. 1, 3, 5.

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White Sox, 2.03 1/4, b m, by Del Colorado, G. B. Fenwick, Sussex, N. B.

Bob Mac, 2.13, b g, by Commodore Ledyard, Simpson Bros., Stewiacke, N. S.

Jesse H., 2.15 1/4, b s, by Richard Earl, H. G. Kitchen, Fredericton, N. B.

Peter Farren, 2.09 1/4, by Peter the Great, O'Keefe & Sons, St. John, N. B.

Prince Rupert, 2.04 1/4, Lance Wilbur, Moncton, N. B.

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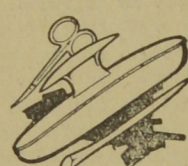
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