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THE GERMAN SOCIALISTS.

Germany has now called some of her Socialist leaders into the new government that is being formed. The people of other countries know pretty nearly all they want to know about the Socialists of Germany, and his Kaiser and his board of political strategists—junkers and socialists, sitting around the same table—will discover their mistake if they suppose that the Allied countries can be humbugged into believing that any real importance attaches to the present shifting of portfolios at Berlin.

As the Toronto Star points out, the German Socialists were right with the Kaiser and all other Germans in this war of brutal conquest, just as long as the brutality and the conquering were proving successful in Belgium, northern France, Serbia and Poland. Neither at home nor abroad did German Socialism raise a hand against autocratic militarism in its effort to destroy democracy in the world. They were as ready to accept Pan-Germanism if it could be successful as were the colonels of Prussia. The German socialists in the United States were as pleased about the sinking of the Lusitania as were, all alike, the soldiers and Sunday school teachers of Berlin. These socialists, too, were as ready as any of the Vons and Rats to plot with treacherous leaders of the workmen of Russia for the ruin of that country. No government that can be formed in Germany to work under the Kaiser and his associate criminals will be listened to on any subject by the Allies. The calling in of the socialists is a play in the game, but it is of interest only as showing the extremity to which the Kaiser's cause is now reduced.

A rather interesting transaction in connection with a government check for \$9,531 came out at the patriotic potato enquiry yesterday. This check was issued to Mr. Daggett and made payable to A. C. Smith & Co., or the Bank of Montreal. Mr. Daggett took the check to the bank and out of the proceeds paid a personal note endorsed by one George B. Jones, M. P. P., for \$5,077.50, and the balance, amounting to \$4,453.56, he placed to his own credit in a temporary account, and then checked it out in favor of A. C. Smith & Co. The transaction may not have been crooked, but it doesn't have a very straight look and will need some further explaining.

The St. John Standard is hot-foot for having Hon. Speaker Currie ousted from the Legislature, because of his connection with the Continental Lumber Company, a concern shown to have been several thousand dollars short in its stumpage payments in 1916-17. So far the Standard has expressed no opinion in regard to the case of Mr. George B. Jones, M. P. P., the custodian of the Valley Railway boodle fund, and president of the Standard, Limited. Will the Standard seriously contend that Mr. Currie should go out and Mr. Jones stay in?

The patriotic potato commission, which has furnished the public with some pretty racy reading during the present week, has taken a fortnight's respite from its labors. It will be generally admitted that Commissioner McQueen and the government counsel, Mr. P. J. Hughes, are making a thorough job of it. Mr. Hughes, it will be recalled, served as junior counsel under Hon. F. B. Carvell, K. C., in the famous Dugal enquiry, and the experience then gained in exposing wrongdoing seems to be standing him in good stead.

Parson Tennant swore he advised the late Premier Clarke to throw the surplus potatoes back on the hands of Deacon Smith, and it is to be regretted that the late Premier, instead of accepting the advice, rewarded Deacon Smith by making him a member of the government. The late Premier seems to have been but a plaything in the hands of the crooked politicians

and rapacious grafters who surrounded him.

Lord Shaughnessy has retired from the presidency of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and is succeeded by E. W. Beatty, former secretary of the company. Lord Shaughnessy is an American by birth, and has been connected with the C. P. R. since its inception. He is beyond a doubt the greatest railway man of his time on this continent. While giving up the presidential office, he will act as chairman of the board of directors of the company.

According to the St. John Globe, the patriotic potato transaction began with bad potatoes, developed bad financing, bad politics and bad lying. Surely the Globe does not mean to insinuate that Rev. J. B. Daggett, pastor of the Marysville Baptist Church, did any of the lying.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Saving more than daylight now
 Now what DID we do evenings before the movies came?

We'll have to read war horrors now to get the lovely sad feeling.

Gosh daggett! you made an awful mess of that patriotic potato transaction.

These be happy days for the old ladies of both sexes who know a sure cure for the gripe.

After the hoodlers got through with that \$61,500 the old government had "nothing to conceal."

There is one consolation—it costs the wolf a lit these days to appear in sheep's clothing.

The local graft organ got its finger in the Valley Railway boodle pie to the tune of 10,000 plunks.

When the oppressed nationalities begin to be lopped off, Austria will look like a huckleberry pie at a family dinner.

Truth is stranger than fiction, but the evidence brought out at the potato enquiry seems to be stranger than both—and stronger.

The Spanish influenza scare will put the lid on the person who likes to create sympathy by pretending to have "an awful cold."

When the boys come home from the war and begin to tell of their wounds, we hopefully expect the woman who boasts of her "operation" to curl up and hold her peace.

THE TAKING OF OUR SUPPLY OF BUTTER

A Claim That Business Methods are Lacking in Course Adopted by the Government.

(Financial Post.)

The output of all creameries in the provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec for the next thirty days has been commandeered by the Dominion Government. The explanation offered for this action is that Great Britain and her Allies need creamery butter and that the British Ministry of Food urgently asks Canada to increase her shipments. Only the creameries are directly affected. No explanation as to why the Government did not step in and commandeer what they wanted from storage stock has yet been offered, comments "Canadian Grocer." This would have seemed the simpler plan and would work in better with the statement issued, which says in part:

"For months Great Britain and her Allies have been short of butter, and this condition bids fair to continue, as Atlantic tonnage is needed for transporting troops and supplies. Foodstuffs in Canada for export must be assembled at ocean ports to take advantage of space whenever offered."

By commandeering storage stocks, amount required would be available at ocean ports far quicker and with less trouble than under the system adopted. It is possible, too, that purchases could have been made on a more favorable basis than that undertaken.

The consensus of opinion amongst dealers is that storage stocks of creamery butter will show a marked decline during the period of operation of this new order-in-council. How great this may be it is possible to determine as there is no former basis to work on.

However, undoubtedly sales of large dealers who store in quantities will materially increase. The reason for this is not hard to find. In the smaller centres, local creameries have been a big factor in taking care of local

It Saves Doctors' Bills!

This is the Rev. A. D. McLeod's opinion of Zam-Buk. This clergyman, who lives at Harcourt, N.B., writing to the proprietors, remarks upon the unusual popularity which Zam-Buk enjoys in the homes of the people of his parish. He says: "I know of nothing that can compare with it. Having charge of an extensive mission, over which I travel constantly, I meet with many sick and afflicted people, and I have been amazed at the good which Zam-Buk is doing daily. I have learned, as an absolute fact, that for bad ulcers, old wounds, eczema and skin diseases of all kinds the healing powers of Zam-Buk are simply marvellous. For the painful ailment, piles, also, it is excellent. Many a doctor's bill is saved by the use of Zam-Buk."

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LOCAL NEWS

No Goods on Approval
 Goods are not to be sent on approval by dry goods stores by the order of the Board of Health until the Spanish influenza epidemic scare subsides.

Died in Somerville, Mass.
 Mr. Robert Winters of this city received a telegram last evening stating that his niece Mrs. Harold Knickle, formerly Miss Pearl Winters of this city has succumbed to Spanish influenza at Somerville, Mass. Mrs. Knickle is survived by her husband Mr. Harold Knickle of Somerville and by two sisters Mrs. Catherine McLean and Miss Alice Winters of Roxbury, Mass. She is also survived by relatives in Fredericton, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Forbes and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Winters of this city.

Death at Macnaquac
 Harriet Beatrice Haines daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Haines passed away at her home at Macnaquac yesterday afternoon after a lingering illness. She was twenty years of age and is survived by father and mother, three brothers, Claude in France, William C. principal of Chipman School, Frank at home and by two sisters, Anna and Gertrude at home. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon with service at the house at three o'clock by Rev. O. E. Steeves. Interment will be made at Macnaquac Cemetery.

Adjournment was Made
 Judge Crockett of the Divorce Court held a hearing yesterday at Chambers here of counsel for King's County parties who are to have their family differences culminate in a divorce trial at the next sittings of the court. The libel in the case was served on defendant, George Herbert Bryden Piers at the instance of his wife, Theresa Piers on September 26th last, together with a summons calling upon the defendant to show cause on October 10th why an order should not be made for payment to the plaintiff of suit money and alimony pending the suit. On the return of summons yesterday Mr. D. Mullin, K. C., for plaintiff Mrs. Piers was heard in support and read affidavits. Mr. G. H. V. Belyea, K. C., for defendant read affidavits in reply. Mr. Mullin then applied for time to answer new matter in the latter affidavits which Judge Crockett granted adjourning the hearing to a time to be agreed upon within the next two weeks. The libel alleges the usual statutory grounds for absolute divorce

dealers' requirements. Now these creameries will be unable to take care of this business and retail merchants must fall back on those dealers who have storage stocks.



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VICTORY LOAN, 1918

MEETINGS in the interests of the Victory Loan Campaign have been arranged as follows:

At Stanley, Fair, Oct. 8th—

Speakers—
 Very Rev. Dean Neales,
 R. B. Hanson, Esq.,
 C. D. Richards, Esq.

At Kingsclear, Temperance Hall, Oct. 9th—

Speakers—
 Dr. Crockett, M. L. A.
 Chancellor Jones

At Millville, Oct. 9th—

Speakers—
 Col. McLeod, M. P.
 Rev. G. C. Warren.

At Harvey Station, Public Hall Oct. 10th—

Speakers—
 Judge Wilson, R. B. Hanson, Esq.

At New Maryland (Nasonworth), Oct. 10th—

Speakers—
 J. Bacon Dickson, Esq.
 Prof. Stiles, Rev. Mr. Lewis.

At Marysville, Oct. 11th—

Speakers—
 The Bishop, Hon. O. S. Crockett.

At Pokio, Public Hall, Oct. 11

Speakers—
 R. W. McLellan, Esq.
 C. D. Richards, Esq.

At Burr's Corner, Foresters' Hall, Oct. 12th—

Speakers—
 Hon. J. H. Barry,
 J. J. F. Winslow, Esq.
 Other Meetings will be announced later.

Car Party Yesterday

A car party arrived in this city yesterday from Woodstock and registered at the Barker House. The party was composed of Mr. C. E. Stewart, Miss Jane Tilley, W. Hayden, Mrs. Hayden and Mrs. Wilson.

WANTED—At once, an experienced waitress at "Ye Mecca Tea Rooms." Apply to Miss G. A. Young, York st.

Conservation Recipes

The Women's Food Conservation Committee of Fredericton has issued an attractive book of "Conservation Recipes," which every house wife should have.

The book contains 35 pages and about 160 recipes, besides some very valuable and useful information.

The books will be offered for sale throughout the Province.

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