

# NOW TO-DAY

SEPTEMBER 15 --- 23

## THIS IS ARMY HUT WEEK

BACK UP THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS THIS WEEK IN  
THEIR CANADA-WIDE APPEAL FOR ARMY  
HUTS, AND

## DO YOUR BIT

The Need for All the Huts it is Possible to Furnish is Most Pressing. Canadian and British Generals say so, also American Commanders and even Generalissimo Foch himself. They all urge upon non-combatants at home the necessity of employing money and effort without stint to back up the fighting men with relaxing comforts. This is what Army Huts are built for; this is one of the great secrets of Allied spirit and fitness.

THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE ENTENTE  
SANCTION AND ENCOURAGE THE EXTENSION OF THIS WORK THROUGH NON-MILITARY ORGANIZATIONS.

## THEREFORE:

When You are Canvassed This Week in Behalf of the  
Army Hut Appeal,

## BE GENEROUS

PREMIER BORDEN says: "The purpose of the fund must command the support of all."

GENERAL TURNER says: "I wish you every success in increasing the scope of the Catholic Army Huts. . . . I feel they fill a long felt want."

SIR EDWARD KEMP says: "I would advise all Canadians that Army Huts are worthy the support of all."

LIEUT. GOVERNOR PUGSLEY says: "I deem it my duty to urge upon you as strongly as possible the desirability of giving a generous response."

## PEOPLE OF FREDERICTON AND VICINITY

This Appeal comes from "over there." It is made on behalf of our soldier boys, irrespective of creed, race or color, and as

## THIS IS EVERY CANADIAN'S FIGHT LET EVERY CANADIAN HELP!

### WANTED

WANTED—At once, an experienced shoemaker; steady job and good pay to work in shop. Apply F. J. Landry, York street, City. 9-11 41

WANTED—First or second class female teacher, apply stating salary expected to C. L. Grant Secretary School Trustees, Grand View, York Co.

WANTED—Experienced accountant for our St. John plant; an excellent chance for advancement with large concern having numerous branches throughout Canada and United States. Apply by letter, giving age, experience and salary desired. Address R. T. Purdy, Booth Fisheries Co., Eastport, Me 7-8 61

WANTED—Books and magazines for distribution to returned soldiers en route home, in the Military Hospitals or going overseas. Telephone Mr. A. Murray, care of A. Murray & Co Tel. No. 159, or leave at store for Military Y. M. C. A.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Dark brown or black mare, about 900, suitable for driving or light work. Apply 135 York street, upstairs.

FOR SALE—Pure-bred and grade Holstein cows and calves, horses, pigs poultry, turkeys, bees, also incubator and brooder. Apply to Mrs. E. W. Darcus, Fredericton. Phone 3300-62.

FOR SALE—A quantity of useful household articles, including a large ruffled rug, some curtains, a baby's sleigh robe, a child's blackboard, several camp stools, etc., all in good condition. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at the Mail Office.

### LOST

LOST—From an auto, between Fredericton and Hawshaw, a spring overcoat, dark in color. Finder will please leave at the Mail Office.

### WOMEN'S INSTITUTE DIVISION.

The Provincial Convention of the New Brunswick Women's Institutes will be held in Fredericton October 1st, 2nd and 3rd, 1913.

Will those who are willing to give one or more delegates room and board or room only or board only, kindly send their addresses to the Supervisor of the Women's Institutes, Dept. of Agriculture, Fredericton, stating also their accommodation and rates.

### PROBATE COURT, COUNTY OF YORK.

To the next of kin and creditors of Helenora Hanson, late of the City of Fredericton, in the County of York, widow, deceased, and all others whom it may concern:

THE Administrator of the above deceased intestate, having filed his accounts in this Court, and asked to have the same passed and allowed and an order for distribution made.

You are hereby cited to attend, if you so desire, at the passing of same at a court of Probate to be held in and for the County of York, at my office, in the said City of Fredericton, on Wednesday, the eighteenth day of September A. D. 1913, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, when the said accounts will be passed upon and an order for distribution made.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of August, A. D. 1913.  
(Sgd.) F. H. PETERS,  
Judge of Probate, pro hac vice  
(Sgd.) JAMES HOLLAND,  
Registrar of Probates.  
(Sgd.) McLELLAN & HUGHES,

### Baked Apple.

Ten apples, five cups of water, five tablespoons of sugar or honey, four lemons (sliced thin). Peel and remove core with apple corer. Fill centre with strips of lemon, fill with either honey or sugar. Bake slowly and the juice will become jelly-like. Serve cold or hot.

### TIMBER SALE

The lands which were advertised for sale on the 5th of September, 1913, and postponed, will now be held at the Crown Land Office, Fredericton, N.B., on THURSDAY, the third day of OCTOBER, 1913, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, under the following conditions, viz.:

Berths to be sold on a STRAIGHT STUMPAGE RATE per thousand superficial feet, the upset rate of which will be announced at the time of sale, conveying the right to cut and carry away the merchantable lumber as advertised for the term ending August 1st, 1919.

Ten per cent. of the bid stumpage price on the estimated quantity of merchantable lumber standing on the berth to be paid as each berth is sold. The lands to be sold embrace in all about four hundred square miles, as advertised in the Royal Gazette September 18th, 1913.

For further particulars, printed estimates of the timber on each block, plans, etc., apply to the Deputy Minister, Crown Land Office, Fredericton, N.B.

E. A. SMITH,  
Minister of Lands and Mines.  
Crown Land Office, Fredericton, N. B.,  
September 13th, 1913.

### NOTICE

#### SAINT JOHN & QUEBEC RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the plan and Book of Reference covering the proposed borrow pit on Lot No. 273 A, in District A, on this railway, in the Parish of Hampstead, in the County of Queens, Province of New Brunswick, have this day been deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Fredericton, and with the Clerk of the Peace in the County of Queens, where the same may be examined as provided by law.

The Saint John & Quebec Railway Company.  
E. S. CARTER,  
Secretary.  
Fredericton, N. B., this fifteenth day of August, 1913.

## EPIDEMIC OF PNEUMONIA

Boston, Sept. 17.—Influenza and pneumonia caused more than seventy deaths in New England within the twenty four hours ending tonight. At Camp Devens there are 3500 cases mainly among negro soldiers from the south.



**Wood's Phosphorine.**  
The Great English Remedy. Tones and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood in old veins. Cures Nervous Debility, Mental and Brain Worry, Lasciviousness, Loss of Energy, Palpitation of the Heart, Failing Memory. Price \$1 per box, six for \$5. One will please, six will cure. Sold by all druggists or mailed in plain pkg. on receipt of price. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOOD MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly, Black's.)

### WHAT HE CAUGHT.

(Dublin Shamrock.)

A tourist was just walking out of a hotel when he saw an aged villager sitting on a garden wall solemnly holding a line and rod over the flower beds as if he was fishing.

After watching the motionless figure for sometime, the tourist went up to him and asked: "What are you doing?"

"Fishing," was the solemn reply.

The stranger then asked the fisherman to come and have a drink. Over the two glasses he thought to solve the mystery.

"So you were fishing," he said presently. "Have you caught many this morning?"

"Yes," replied the old man placidly. "You're the sixth."

This would be a cheerful world if some men would pay their debts as cheerfully as they pay grudges.

## HALL BEDROOM JOINS THE UPWARD TREND IN PRICE

(Boston Globe)

Even the hall bedroom has joined the aviation section formed under the auspices of that well-known war organization the H. C. of L. One by one the comforts and necessities of life have been tuning up their engines, adjusting their planes and rising on the big flight for the altitude record, but the old acquaintances of the Room of Queer Happenings declared it would never leave the ground.

But it has, and is now circling over the heads of its former occupants on the little practice flight of a 25-cent raise.

The hall bedroom, however, is not alone. When it made the jump yesterday morning it was followed by all the other kinds of rooms which lodging house proprietors rent to a homeless multitude. Square rooms went up 50 cents and it is generally understood that all rooms are to be at least \$2 a week.

The raise is the result of an agreement made a few weeks ago at the first meeting of the Landladies' Benefit Association in the Franklin Square House. So far only the South End is affected, but it is safe to say that other districts will not lag behind.

"Everybody's getting more money than they used to and why shouldn't we?" demanded one landlady of a Globe reporter yesterday. "We have to pay \$1.25 for sheets we used to get for 69 cents, and 49 cents for towels that were 12. Last week I had a carpet taken up and cleaned and they charged me 24 cents instead of 7. Then

there's coal and other things. Besides we have to eat ourselves, just like other folks, don't we?"

"No, I don't think many of the room-ers will leave. At least not the ones it pays to keep. There are some lodgers that, what with washing clothes on the sly in a nice new bathtub and getting the rooms into a state you never would believe—well, all I can say is let 'em move."

"Now I let the women in my house come into the kitchen if they want to and maybe cook a little bit in their rooms, if they're careful; but goodness, some of them think when I say a light lunch I mean a boiled dinner. And then there's others that cook eggs and things on the gas and spill 'em on the carpet. Now I tell you that if a woman has things like that happening and she wants to keep a clean, decent house, why, she's got to charge for it, hasn't she?"

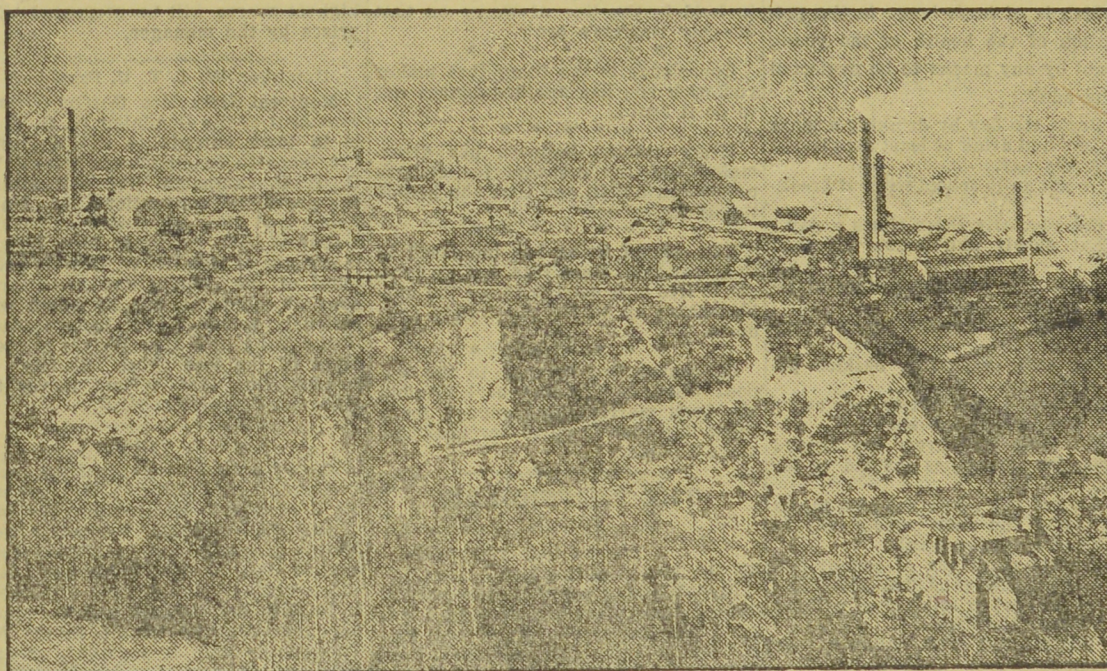
Most people seem to think there'll be a greater demand for rooms this year than ever before. So the landladies smile pleasantly at the disgruntled ones who depart. They know there are plenty of others.

### Cook's Cotton Root Compound.

A safe, reliable regulating medicine. Sold in three degrees of strength—No. 1, \$1; No. 2, \$2; No. 3, \$5 per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent prepaid on receipt of price. Free pamphlet. Address: THE COOK MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly, Winkler's)

Some of the leaves are making the serious mistake of not hanging on for Indian summer.

## SMELTING IN EXCELSIS Canada's Only Refining Centre



The Great Smelter at Trail, B.C.

ALTHOUGH, as is well known, a world-wide attention was first directed to British Columbia by reason of the discoveries in the late "fifties" and early "sixties" of alluvial gold in the Fraser river and in the streams of the Cariboo district—and for many years a rich harvest was reaped from these sources—mining as an important basic industry of the Province—and it is now by far the most important industry in British Columbia—was not, fairly launched until nearly forty-five years later; and the building of the Trail smelter in 1896 by that brilliant young American financier and copper king, F. Auguste Heinze, not only made Rossland, whose mines have since produced gold, silver and copper to the value of \$70,000,000 in round figures, but had the effect of enormously stimulating mineral development and the investment of capital in mining in other sections of the province. But Heinze was essentially a business man, and in establishing his smelter was certainly not actuated by philanthropic or eleemosynary motives. It was no part of his plan to operate the smelter for the profit of anyone but himself. Hence although he received a land grant from the Provincial Government as a consideration for the construction of the smelter and of a narrow-gauge railway to afford connection between the works at Trail and the mines at Rossland, and also obtained an assurance from the Dominion Government of a bonus of a dollar on each ton of ore treated, he also took care that the rate imposed on the treatment of customs ores should be a tolerably stiff one. In fact ere long, as the development of the mines progressed and it became necessary to market ore of a lower grade average, the margin of profit left to the miners after paying treatment charges became considerably restricted; and consequently when in 1898 the reduction by the Canadian way were acquired by the Pacific Railway, and the rates were at once reduced very materially. It is fair, however, to state that the new owners were in a much better position to undertake to smelt at a lower cost owing to the great cheapening of fuel following the development of the Crownstee coalfield. In 1906, the smelter became the property of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co., of Canada, which also acquired

fined, and then to satisfy our own requirements for these metals in finished or unmanufactured form we purchased at, of course, a vastly enhanced price representing the profits of manufacture in a foreign country plus the import duty. All of which was the reverse of good business. But the war, which has had so stimulative an effect on the national energies in general, influenced action beneficially in this direction also; and upon the urging of the Munition Board those in charge of the Trail Smelter set to work with a will, and succeeded after much experimentation in producing refined zinc electrolytically on a commercial scale. The plant now in operation has a capacity of from 60 to 70 tons of spelter daily, and last year produced 10,000 tons of zinc, having a value of \$3,000,000, which, as is stated in an official report, marks "an epoch in the metallurgical history of Canada." So also with the refining of copper, which before the war was on many sides pronounced to be an undertaking that could not economically be conducted in Canada, but which during the past two years has been most successfully carried on at Trail, the two copper converters installed in 1916 enabling the matte from the copper furnaces that previously had been shipped away for further treatment, to be converted into blister-copper, which in turn is refined electrolytically in a plant which had an initial capacity of 10 tons daily, but which since has been enlarged to handle twice that amount. Other products of the smelter are copper sulphate, lead pipe, shrapnel, wire, gold, silver, sulphuric acid, and hydrofluosilicic acid. In short, it is now as complete a metallurgical works as there is on the continent, and as such has played a most important and useful role in furnishing the metals needed for munition making in Canada, thus contributing materially to the effectiveness of the Dominion's war efforts. Nor does this complete its record for patriotic achievement. Since its proudest boast is that it has an honor roll on which is inscribed the names of something like three hundred of its employees, who enlisted voluntarily for overseas service early in the war. Among these are several members of the engineering staff, all of whom have won distinction for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in the battlefields of France and Flanders.—N. L.