



Paula Shay, who plays the exacting stellar role in Henry W. Savage's Inspiring Dramatic Spectacle, "Everywoman," which comes to the Opera House this evening at 8.15.

BATHURST MAN DIES OF WOUNDS SACKVILLE BOY IN CASUALTIES

Ottawa, Aug. 13.—One casualty from the Maritime Provinces is reported in today's list, that of Lieut. J. T. Donnet, of Bathurst, N.B., who has died of wounds.

Washington, Aug. 13.—Today's army casualty list contains the name of Leslie Estabrook, Sackville, Canada, as being severely wounded.

HE'S HAVING A WONDERFUL TIME

"For goodness sake keep the Y.M.C.A. going", and, "I believe the Peace Bell will be ringing before this year is out", are the messages sent to his home, Valleyfield, Que., in a letter by Lance Corp. Thomas Moir, of the 24th Victorian Rifles. The letter is written from the First General Hospital, Stourbridge, near Birmingham, and the writer gives the highest possible praise to the hospital staff.

"Fancy a bunch of nice nurses and sisters to wait on you, lying in bed and having your meals brought to you. Why, it's worth while getting wounded, for this is the best part of the war—hospital!"

"For goodness sake keep the Y.M.C.A. going", implores Lance Corp. Moir, who in his comfortable quarters in hospital does not forget the discomforts of the boys still in the trenches.

"Just think of coming out of the front line after a hard trip, wet, tired and hungry; never having a hot drink for days, to say nothing of a hot meal and right up near the line you find the 'Y' with steaming hot tea and a smoke waiting. I don't know what we would do without them. I think if people really knew what the 'Y's' are doing they would give more."

The writer concludes with the prophecy that the war will end this year. Austria's back is broken, he declares and Germany cannot spare troops from the Western front to help her ally.

"Dinner time" is the excuse for an abrupt ending to an interesting letter and the last sentence is the cheerful prediction that "the Peace Bell will be ringing before the year is out."

Fifty holes an hour is a record attained by a machine invented for digging holes for telephone poles.

P. E. ISLAND LINKED UP BY TELEPHONE

(Moncton Transcript)

Hello! Is that Charlottetown?"

"Yes! Who is speaking?"

"Moncton is speaking."

"What kind of weather have you in Charlottetown today?"

"It is very much overcast, with a slight sprinkling of rain. How is it with you?"

"In Moncton it is slightly overcast but no rain."

"It is the editor of the Transcript, who is speaking," said the latter.

"Yes! It is Mr. I. J. Enman, City Editor of The Charlottetown Guardian who is speaking."

"Can you hear me?"

"Quite distinctly."

And so the conversation rattled on.

Moncton, N. B., for the first time is connected with Prince Edward Island by telephone, without passing through Nova Scotia. The New Brunswick and P.E.I. Telephone Companies have a direct service now by way of Cape Tormentine, Port Borden and Charlottetown. The rate to Charlottetown for a three minutes conversation is sixty-five cents. Heretofore the only telephonic communication from New Brunswick to Prince Edward Island has been by way of Pictou and the hearing was very unsatisfactory. The hearing today, however, was as clear and distinct as from one telephone to another within the city of Moncton.

A new cable has been laid between Cape Tormentine and Cape Traverse and it works like a charm.

"Permit me," said The Transcript proprietor to The Charlottetown Guardian's City Editor, "through you to congratulate the Prince Edward Island people on the glorious news which was received a few minutes ago in The Transcript office from overseas, announcing a great Allied victory in the capture of Mont Didier; also in the fact that our Canadian boys are making a splendid showing in the present battle and in the additional fact that since Thursday morning the number of prisoners taken exceeds 24,000 with 300 large guns. This is New Brunswick's first message over the new telephone line to the people of Prince Edward Island and the latter will doubtlessly appreciate the news."

POINTERS ON THE FATTENING OF CHICKENS

The profits obtained from marketing lean, poorly fleshed, unfinished chickens are so small as to be frequently discouraging. Many of the packing houses and larger produce dealers find it necessary to go to considerable expense to provide the necessary premises and equipment to properly finish such poultry. The best place to feed poultry is on the farm, and, if it pays the packing houses to take the trouble, it obviously would be good business to do the work on the farm.

Proper feeding and finishing will not only greatly increase the weight of the birds, but will also enhance the value of every ounce of flesh on the carcass, and greatly reduce the proportion of offal in relation to the amount of edible meat.

There is generally a difference of from three to seven cents per pound in the price paid for well-fleshed birds as compared with lean unfinished stock just off the range.

There is always a market for prime quality poultry, while the poorer quality has to be sold at whatever price can be obtained, depending on the market and the amount of effort put forth on the part of the seller.

Birds generally make the greatest gain when about three to four months of age, and the average birds make the most economical gains during the first two weeks of special feeding.

Chickens can readily be taught to feed by lamplight; this is a great convenience, as it is desirable that the time of feeding be spaced as nearly as possible twelve hours apart.

The crate system of feeding is much more economical and efficient. In practicing this method, one is able to care fully note the progress being made by each bird and the feeding period of the more thrifty can often be shortened or lengthened as desired. Also the flesh of the crate-fed birds is invariably softer than that of pen fed birds.

For amplification of the foregoing information apply to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, for Bulletin No. 88 of the Division of Poultry of the Experimental Farms entitled "Preparing Poultry Produce for Market."

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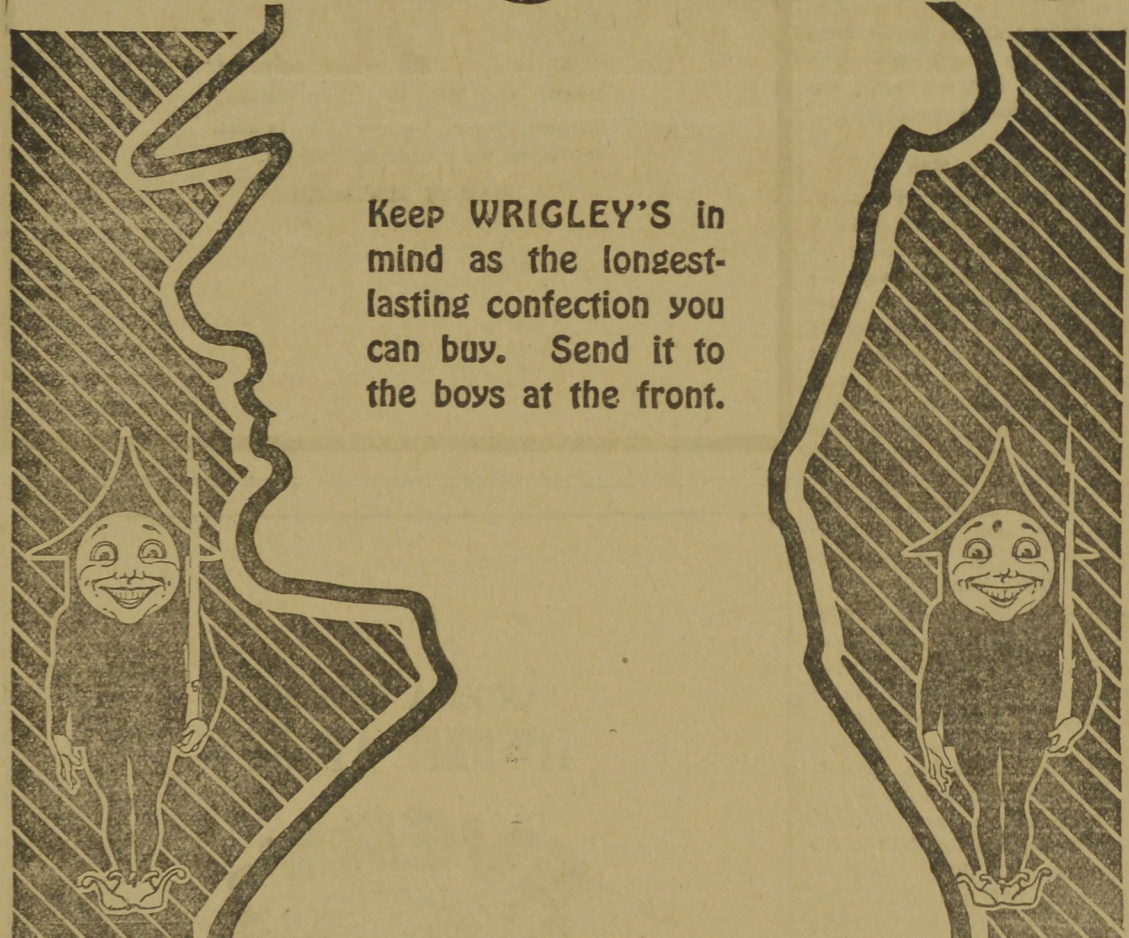
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