

NOTICE OF MEETING.

A Special Meeting of the Fredericton Curling Club will be held at the club on MONDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock. Report of Managing Committee and acquisition of rink property. A full attendance is requested. By order of the President, ERNEST A. MACKAY, Secretary. Fredericton, July 13, 1918.

TO CLOSE SUNDAYS

Notice is hereby given that the DRUG STORES of the undersigned will not be open on SUNDAYS until further notice.

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ALONZO STAPLES
HUNT & MACDONALD.
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ARTHUR J. RYAN,
CHAS. A. BURCHILL
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A. W. COOMBS
P. G. LONG.

NOTICE

The Assessment Roll of the City of Fredericton for the year 1918 is now in the hands of the City Treasurer for collection, and all persons therein assessed are hereby required to pay the amount of their respective taxes forthwith to the City Treasurer at his office in the City Hall, Fredericton, N. B.

A discount of 5 per cent. will be allowed on all taxes paid in on or before WEDNESDAY, August 21st next, after which execution may be issued and proceedings had thereon, as by law provided.

After August 21st interest will be charged at the rate of one-half of 1 per cent. per month on all unpaid taxes.

Dated at the City Hall, Fredericton, this 12th day of July, A. D. 1918.

G. R. PERKINS,
Collector and Receiver of Rates.

TO LET—Two summer camps on the Woodstock road, three miles from the city. Apply to Mrs. E. W. Darcus, Fern Hill, phone 3300-62.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Tomato, Cabbage, Cauliflower and Squash Plants for sale. W. E. Seery, 251 George Street. tf

WANTED

WANTED—A man to work on farm; steady employment and good wages. Also a man for the hay-making season. Apply to H. E. Dewar, New Maryland.

WANTED—A kitchen girl at the York Hotel. Apply at the York Hotel.

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. tf

40 MILLION BOTTLES LEFT

Paris—Paris, in its delight at the pitiable failure of Tuesday nights German attempt against Rheims, suggests the reason for the effort probably was the boche desire to obtain the 40,000,000 bottles of champagne which are stored in the vast cellars of the town.

There are even some who are almost inclined to regret the Germans were not allowed to penetrate into one or two of these cellars, because, in view of their well known habits, it is regarded as more than probable the result would have been the speedy capture of a substantial proportion of the invaders in a state of helpless inebriety.

More serious critics view with the greatest satisfaction the proofs afforded by the German failure.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

Pursuant to a decree of the Supreme Court, Chancery Division, made in an action between Jane Armour McKee, Plaintiff, and Hamilton McKee, Defendant, for the partition of the lands and premises in the Plaintiff's statement of claim and in the said Decree mentioned and fully described and being the land and premises hereinafter referred to, there will be offered for sale at public auction, with the approval of Harris G. Fenety, Esquire, a Master of the Supreme Court, in front of the Post Office in the City of Fredericton, in the Province of New Brunswick, at 12 o'clock noon, on SATURDAY, the Tenth Day of August, 1918—

"All that certain lot, piece and parcel of land situate and being in Fredericton, known as part of Lot Number fifty-four, fronting on King street, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the southerly corner of Lot Number Fifty-six, thence along the northeast side of King street fifty feet, southeasterly, thence at right angles seventy-eight feet, thence northwesterly fifty feet to Lot Number fifty-six aforesaid, and thence southwesterly along the south-east side of the same lot seventy-eight feet to the place of beginning." Being the same lands and premises conveyed by Robert Williams and wife and Lucy Whitney to Samuel H. McKee, Senior, by Indenture bearing date the 8th day of May, A. D. 1856, and duly recorded in York County Records in Book 37, pages 332 to 334, under official number 13355, the 26th day of May, A. D. 1856. The above sale is made pursuant to the provisions of the Judicature Act, 1909, and amendments thereof.

Further particulars may be had from the Plaintiff's Solicitors, Messrs. Slipp & Hanson, whose place of business and address is Chestnut Building, Queen Street, Fredericton, N. B.

HARRIS G. FENETY,
Master of the Supreme Court.

TRENCH VAUDEVILLE PUT ON UNDER DIFFICULTIES

Noise of Big Guns Often Drowns Out the Point of a Joke—Comedian Who Has Been Performing Over There Under the Auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Relates His Experiences

(New York Sun)

When big gun bombardment erupts just in time to drown the point of a monologist's "gags" and when the fire brigade, composing a quarter of the audience, bounces out in the midst of the performance to respond to an alarm, it is enough to make a perfect comedian gloomy.

But when the audience brings its own electric lights to make up for the fact that the playhouse illumination has ceased unexpectedly the performer finds something in the war zone worth transferring to Broadway in anticipation of coming lightless nights.

Such were a few of the unusual "trench storming" experiences of Brank Bradley, leading comedian of one of the many little vaudeville troupes touring the "Y" hut circuit, back of the front under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and the Over There Theatre League.

Fire Breaks Out

"Last night we played to a regiment of dock guards, and half way through the programme the fire brigade arrived," wrote Bradley. "Oh, boy! nothing seemed to matter a bit. Then an engine and twenty-five trucks swung merrily past the large windows immediately at the side of the stage and about 25 per cent of our audience left for fire duty."

"We were playing in a barracks immediately off a railway track and opening onto the docks and a fire had broken out. . . . We take it to our credit that the Major in command wouldn't leave the show until he received his second call, and then reluctantly. After we had finished they treated us to apricot pie and chocolate eaten off the board table in their own kitchen, with the beaming chef standing by and the boys outside serenading the company."

"It is quite a curious experience to have a terrific bombardment open from various calibre guns, big and little, apparently about 100 yards to starboard of the barn in which you are doing a stunt," the comedian narrated.

"You are likely to time your 'gag' a little too quickly at that moment, especially as you see 500 pairs of eyes turned toward the door. Then you learn after the show that it was only a practice attack!"

Pitted Against Shovel

"Three nights ago we played in a tent. Shortly after the show we were conscious of an awful clatter going on, and the secretary asked us to speak a little louder for the benefit of those at the back, as the steam shovel was working."

"On another occasion we were playing to an audience of 1,200. But when the piano arrived it was so hopeless you could not play a harmonious chord, so we had to do without. The electric lights went out almost at the start. I told stories while they got candles and electric torches, and everything passed off all right."

Theatrical entertainment is so popular, he concludes, that at one hut the soldiers filled the space to the ceiling sat on the rafters and a dozen perched on the roof looking through the ventilators. No doubt he thinks they were "pass friends" at home, accustomed to seeing the show on the house.

KAISER'S BOYS' CHARMED LIVES

This is the week another bunch of iron crosses are to be distributed among the seven sons of the kaiser. It has been a full month since they have had this decoration of Teutonic hardware and it is a long time.

Those boys of the kaiser's bear charmed lives, a Kansas editor has written. Time and time again soldiers have been shot down during the present war, and the family of the kaiser luckily has escaped. His big, strapping boys have all managed to get by unscathed, the better to be able, possibly, to wear the iron crosses their father so lavishly bestows.

So some time this week, very likely the iron cross factory will run off another bunch of the decorations and the kaiser will pass them around. Deserving fellows, these. There is a feeling they may be able to keep from being shot or stuck in the neck with a bayonet until the war is over. They are so covered with iron crosses, for one thing, it would be difficult to puncture them with a machine gun.

WASTAGE OF FOOD STUFFS IS BEING ELIMINATED

Leftovers and Trimmings Carefully Dried and Packed for Animal Food and Such Purposes.

The waste of foodstuffs in the American army is being reduced to a minimum. By a recent order authorized by the Quartermaster General, a division of conservation and reclamation has been organized to save war supplies and reduce expenditures as well as to provide for a more satisfactory distribution of garbage. This measure has already been taken by the British, French and other allied countries, which have established such services with surprising results.

The new plan, as worked out by the United States army authorities does not reduce the scale of food rations from the former standard, but aims to save much that was lost through carelessness. Kitchen waste will now be carefully sorted so that it will not be dumped indiscriminately into a waste retainer. For example, bread and that kind of stuff no longer fit for human food will be dried and packed in sacks. Cooked meats will be gathered up from the plates of the men after meal times and likewise saved. Raw foods and meats, such as the trimmings and the scraps unfit for human food will be separated and saved. Cooked grease, discarded as of no further use will be packed in suitable receptacles. Bones, including all those discarded in the preparation and serving of the men's meals, will be saved. All these articles will be weighed in the kitchen and a statement of the quantities will be promptly forwarded to the camp conservation and reclamation officers and will be disposed of by them as food for animals, poultry or other profitable purposes.

It is also planned to organize and take charge of farming and gardening operations for each military camp, the produce to be utilized in the rationing of troops and foraging of animals. The labor relied upon to undertake the heavy part of this field work is interned aliens, enemy prisoners, draftees disqualified for overseas service, con-

scientious objectors and military prisoners.

In the early days of the war there was an enormous loss from waste of food and other materials used by the armies of all the warring countries. Waste was by no means unknown in connection with the Canadian army. Reclamation of materials is now one of the services most strictly insisted upon by the allied armies. Food is no longer wasted at the front and in the camps. It can and should be even more carefully guarded from waste in the homes of the people at war.

HOW IS YOUR APPETITE?

Loss of appetite during the summer months is a common trouble, and indicates that the digestive system is out of order. Lacking a healthy appetite many people—especially women—go too long without food, or eat sparingly because food seems to distress them, and it is no wonder that they complain that they are constantly tired and unable to stand the hot weather. This simply means that the digestive system is not doing its proper work, and that the nutriment that should come from the food is not being distributed to the various organs of the body. In other words the blood is growing thin and watery.

You need a summer tonic, and in all the realm of medicine there is no tonic can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Take a short treatment with these pills now and notice how promptly your appetite returns and your power to digest food improves. Your food will then do you good, your strength will return and you will no longer complain that the hot weather tires you out.

The best time to begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the moment you feel the least bit out of sorts. The sooner you do so the sooner you will regain your old time energy. You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WE ALL CAN DO SOMETHING

(Minneapolis Journal)

One frequently hears complaint from an individual that he can do nothing, that he is handicapped by his environment. A difficult environment may be likened to a grindstone. Doubtless the blade complains bitterly of the stone, but it is sharpened by the contact.

Opposition of one kind or another tends to develop character—if the person opposed has the strength of mind to press strongly against it. Ingersoll, in his eulogy of Henry Ward Beecher, has given us the splendid line, "From foiled light leaps color's flame; the stream impeded has a song."

A recent essayist says: "History shows that men and women who have done the most to help the world along have developed their characters through perpetual contact with inhospitable environment."

But what of those happy persons whose environments are favorable? Do they miss something, because they have not been born in "inhospitable environments"? Not necessarily. It depends in the last analysis on the character of the man himself. Roosevelt, for example, was born into a most favorable environment; so was President Wilson. George Washington's environment was highly favorable.

Inhospitable environment has undoubtedly borne down many a man who refused to cope with it, and others have failed to take advantage of the best of environments, as the failures of many sons of wealthy families show.

It all depends upon the man. But we may be sure that no inhospitable environment can ever bear down the man of determined will. He will make use of it as a builder of character. The very impediments in his stream will give it a song.

Don't complain of your environment. Turn it to good use.

TY COBB SHOWING GOOD FORM

Chicago, July 13—Tyrus Cobb, batting champion of the American League after getting away to a late start, is blazing the trail for the 1918 batting supremacy. Averages including games of Wednesday, released today give the Detroit Star a mark of 371, as against 555 for George Sisler, of St. Louis, the leader a week ago. Sisler, however, still leads the Georgian in base stealing with 39 against 25. The remarkable batting streak which started last rushing to the top was started on June 17, and he pushed ahead until he was neck and neck with Hinmore.

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