

# THE DAILY MAIL

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## A TEMPORARY DEVICE.

Commenting on the tariff changes proposed to parliament by Sir Thomas White in his budget speech, the Toronto Star has this to say:

"The Finance Minister disclaims the intention of making a general revision of the tariff at the present time and thus by inference declares that the changes now effected are not of far-reaching importance. So far as they go they are in the nature of reductions. The war surtax of five per cent on importations from Great Britain is repealed, and the surtax of seven and a half per cent, on the general tariff is repealed as to a selected list of manufactures, without removing the surtax upon the raw materials. Reductions are made in customs taxes on certain agricultural implements. The manufacturers of these articles are compensated by a reduction in railway rates intended to place them on an equality with manufacturers in and about Chicago. The railways in their turn are compensated by a removal of part of the duty on bituminous coal. It is clearly a compromise scheme upon which a good deal of figuring will have to be done in order to see how it affects the farmers, the implement men, the railways, and the people of Canada generally. The loss of customs revenue will be made up by an increase in the income duties. The excess profits tax will be continued for a year. It ought to be made permanent. In both these respects the government has disappointed the hopes of its enemies. The new tariff is admittedly a temporary device. The general revision will be made during the next year. The difficulty will then have to be faced, and a choice made between the present tariff and one that will show larger reductions. It is difficult to see how any kind of revision will prevent the tariff from being an issue to be fought out at the polls. If such a revision is possible, it will be by removing manifest absurdities and attempts to foster artificially industries which are not based upon any natural resource or advantage. Those who accept the benefit of protection must not be allowed to maintain monopolies or combines, or to obtain enormous profits at the expense of the consumer. The high cost of living is undoubtedly creating a public opinion which is hostile to high protection, and a revision which does not grapple with this evil will not satisfy the people of Canada."

## THE JUTLAND BATTLE.

It is likely that there will always be considerable discussion over the Battle of Jutland, because it was one of those fights which, though in the end proved decisive, did not destroy the defeated fleet and did not let the victorious fleet off easily. The British Admiralty have been quite frank about their losses since the war closed, but the Germans have been very decidedly the opposite; but it is reported that the Teuton is going to publish a full statement of just what happened to their ships in the memorable sea battle. The Army and Navy Register, of Washington, prints what it declares to be the official British statement of how our fleet suffered. According to this, the battle cruisers Lion and Princess Royal received severe handling. The former was hit many times and lost a large number of men; the latter suffered similarly. The indomitable received a small shell through her funnel but none of her crew were injured. The New Zealand was not damaged enough to interfere with her fighting efficiency. The Tiger was hit four times by heavy shells, but kept in the fight to the end. All these ships were battle cruisers. Among the small cruisers the Falmouth suffered but one direct hit. The Birmingham was not hit, the Dublin was struck by thirteen shells, the Calliope was struck a number of times, suffering the loss of a number of men. Five other small cruisers received similar damage. Two great battle cruisers were sunk and some of the battleships received small damage. There were several losses also among destroyers and submar-

ines. It was a small part of the British fleet which engaged and held the enemy. It was the entire home fleet which sent him home as fast as fires could burn or steam could drive. It was not complete destruction of the German navy, but it was decisive in every way, for the defeated ships never again came forth—except to surrender.

## THROUGH OUR SIEVE

SIEVE.....  
 If the younger set of girls giggle a great deal, the day is a success.

Lima Beane finds he can't be agreeable to everybody without lying a little.

We never know we've lost an opportunity until some other fellow finds it.

That it takes all kinds of people to make a world is the one answer to many human puzzles.

Fear that an effort will be made to reform them is the ghost that forever haunts some men.

There will be many objections to the millennium because there is no money in it.

Shaping one's head to fit a new straw hat is one of the bitter ordeals of the season.

We are now fairly launched in the season when complexions may be expected to run a little here and there.

All honor to the wide mouth of the good-natured man. He can beat all comers smiling a mile.

There is only one way to make love and that is the old way. The man who fools with alleged improved methods will fail.

"According to my figures," remarked the man on the car, "it will take ten acres of dandelions to make enough wine to produce one crushed strawberry nose."

## BAND CONCERT TONIGHT

Will Begin at Eight O'clock at West End Bandstand—Good Program Arranged.

The Fredericton Brass Band will play at the West End bandstand tonight beginning at eight o'clock. The following excellent program has been arranged:

O Canada.  
 March—The Distant Greeting, Darling.  
 Overture—Pique Dame, Auber.  
 Waltz—"Imortellen", Gungl.  
 Fox Trot—I'm Always Chasing Rainbows, Cohen.  
 Fantasia—Scotch Melodies, Bayer.  
 Idyll—The Herdgirl's Dream, Tasse.  
 March—The Washington Grays, Gafule.

God Save the King.  
 G. H. OFFEN, Bandmaster.

## To Wed This Evening.

The wedding of Mr. William Albert Dougherty, son of Mr. Hugh Dougherty, of this city, and Miss Harriet Hazen, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hazen, of this city, takes place this evening at 6.30 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral, the Rev. Dean Neales officiating.

## Suit re Shore Rights.

In the City Court this morning before His Honor Judge Limerick, Alfred Williams, of Douglas, brought a suit against the St. John River Log Driving Company in connection with shore rights at his place of residence. Mr. P. J. Hughes appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. J. F. Winslow for the company.

Concrete Sidewalks Being Laid. The Provincial Department of Public Works began this morning to lay concrete sidewalks on the frontage of the Provincial buildings. The work is being done with the co-operation of the City Engineer. Concrete Builders, Ltd., has the contract. New sidewalks were much needed particularly in front of the Departmental Building. Work began on St. John street.

Woodstock Press: Mr. J. Clarke of Fredericton was in town last week. The Misses Phenev of Fredericton, were in town on Tuesday. Hon. W. P. Jones and Mrs. Jones left on Tuesday for a trip to Vancouver B. C., on their return trip they will be accompanied by Mrs. R. K. Jones, who has made her home in the West for a number of years.

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## AT BEBBINGTON'S

## SUGGESTION OF PAID SECRETARY ILL RECEIVED

### W. A. CONTINUED ITS SESSIONS YESTERDAY

Reception Last Night at Bishops court—Many Reports of Interest Presented Yesterday.

The Tuesday afternoon meeting of the Fredericton Diocesan Branch of the Women's Auxiliary opened with a hymn followed by a short prayer. The president's address was delivered by Mr. Walker which was followed by a review of some of the year's work. Mrs. H. J. Roberts recording secretary delivered a splendid report of the year's work. The report of the recording secretary was followed by the report of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. D. Forster. The Secretary of the Girl's Branches, Miss Gladys Frink then delivered a splendid report which was followed by that of the Junior Secretary Treasurer, Miss McKenzie.

### Junior Branches

Miss McKenzie's report dealt in detail with the work of the Junior Branches. They had fallen somewhat in membership during the past year but had given rather more than usual to the Missionary work. Fourteen branches had given \$170.35 to the Junior Pledge Fund. Eleven branches had contributed Christmas boxes. At present the missionary work is not general with all the Diocesan Junior Branches but they are gradually taking it up. The Diocese of Fredericton is taking its share of the work and is moving ahead in the great forward movement.

Following Miss McKenzie's report intercessory prayers were offered up for the Junior work.

Miss J. G. Sadleir, the leaflet editor next gave her report dealing with the work done between April 1918 and June 1919.

### Treasurer's Report

Mrs. C. A. Robinson, treasurer next gave a very lucid and entertaining report, showing in detail the increase in the list of members and contributions. She also spoke in very praiseworthy terms of the new branches which had joined the society. She referred to the calls for increased pledges and how nobly they had been met by the local branches. At the conclusion of her report Mrs. Robinson thanked very heartily all who had cooperated with her in making her year's work a success. On behalf of the W. A. she was made a life member of the Association.

### Dorcas Report

Mrs. John M. Hay, Dorcas Secretary was next called upon to give her report. In her report she stated that the work had gained extensively in value. Some two thousand dollars had been expended in aid of the Indian children in the Indian Boarding Schools of the Great West. Twenty eight boxes at a cost of \$385.52 were sent to help their needs. The girls of the Junior branches were also taking a large share in the work.

### Against Paid Treasurer

Following Mrs. Hay's reports the question box was opened and several questions were read and discussed. One was with reference to a paid Treasurer. This was discussed and it met with the opinion of the delegates that a paid Treasurer would be a blot upon the annals of the W. A. The Branch reports were then continued.

### Reception Last Night

Last night the delegates were the guests of Bishop and Mrs. Richardson at Bishops court. A meeting for Girls' Branches preceded the reception.



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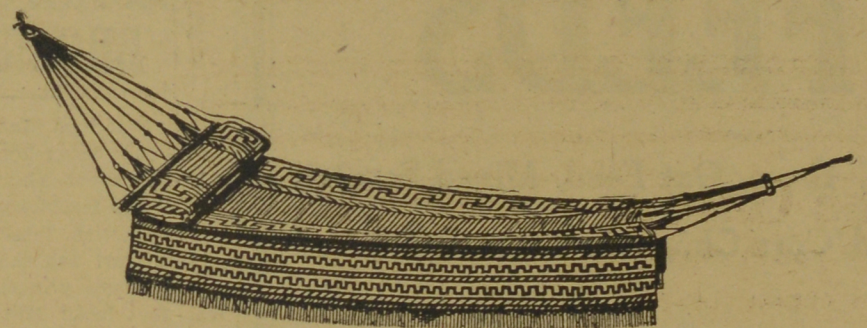
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