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Now that the nice Spring days are here again, everyone will need a NICE SWEATER for use in the chilly evenings. We have LADIES' SWEATERS in Coat and Pullover Styles in all the newest shades and at prices to suit everybody's purse, from \$6.00 to \$14.25.

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90-lb. bag Rolled Oats ..... \$6.10  
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### RICE.

This is a choice lot. Nice plump berry. It cooks up fine, and looks good on the table. Rice has great food value and is one of the best things you can serve. This lot is going at the special price of 15 cents per lb.

### BUY BREAD FLOUR.

Take a peep into the flour bin, if it is getting low, better order it now and get the flour question off your mind. Our La Tour Brand gives complete satisfaction. A 98-lb. bag, \$7.10.

### BUY YOUR SUGAR NOW.

Better lay in a supply. Sugar is bound to advance and you may be paying 10 to 15 cents more per pound within a short time.  
5-lbs. Gran. Sugar ..... \$1.00  
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### CURRENTS.

Currants are cheaper than raisins. They are packed in 1-lb. full weight cartons; package, 29 cents.

### BUY YOUR HOUSECLEANING MATERIALS NOW

Good Brooms, each .....	65c	3 Snowflake Ammonia .....	25c
Wash Boards, each .....	35c	3 Pearline .....	25c
Scrub Brushes, each .....	25c	2 Lux .....	25c
3 cakes Laundry Soap .....	25c	1 Old Dutch .....	10c
2 bottles Ammonia .....	25c	1 Bon Ami .....	15c

## THE SITUATION AND OUTLOOK IN CANADA DISCUSSED

Sir John Willison Speaks Before the Halifax Canadian Club—  
Per Capita Tax is Now \$215 as Compared to \$43 Before the War—Raw Material Should be Manufactured in the Dominion—Key Industries Dependent on the U. S.

Halifax May 1—A flood of interesting statistics, illuminated and vivified by a spirit of sunshiny prophecy was poured upon a largely attended meeting of the Canadian Club last night in the School for the Blind, by Sir John Willison, who spoke on the "Situation and the Outlook in Canada". However the speaker thought that the prosperity of the future, which he indicated was probable, was dependent on the good-will, co-operation and sense of equity which pervaded the country. The speaker was introduced very happily by Dr. Blackadder. Sir John Willison began his address by drawing for his audience with figures and a great many cyphers a dark picture of the burden of debt which is Canada's as a result of the war, the adverse exchange situation, her adventures into railway matters. He deduced a per capita debt of \$215 as compared with \$43 before the war. The immense obligation of debt lay on nine millions of people, he said and must be carried by Canadians themselves. It was not beyond our strength if we were wise and prudent, if we had faith and vision and our resources were developed in the interest of the Canadian people.

### Canada's Wealth

The speaker then developed the idea that Canadian raw materials—we had only begun to discover the wealth which was in Canada—should be brought to the last possible process of manufacture in the Dominion instead of being exported for manufacture and re-imported at a loss to Canadian people. It was inconceivable that the United States would challenge the right of Canada to deal with her own resources—the United States was a good neighbor and it was up to Canada as a section of the British empire to maintain and improve the friendly relations which existed between the two countries. The speaker suggested that the Government should apply the same effort to the development of the fishing and other industries as had been applied to the agricultural industry. The weakness of the industrial situation in Canada was he said, that the "key industries" of the nation were dependent on supplies from the United States.

"If we protect and develop, we shall have a bountiful return and the future will be secure," said Sir John. It was legitimate to import factories instead of exporting raw material. We should have immigration of skilled labor instead of emigration. Every sound economic principle demanded that Canadian raw material should be manufactured in Canada.

### Social Problems

With reference to social problems Sir John said that there has been no regeneration of human nature, and he did not think that there was going to be a new world on new foundations. The foundations had been laid a thousand years ago. The idea that the child of today was born with the accumulated wisdom of the centuries was unsound. He referred to the theories of lecturers at the Sunday Forums in Toronto, and said that to follow them all one would need to be a centipede.

Business, said Sir John, according to the Board of Commerce was "in

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Not to the man who has to move about, but a slight application of "Putnam's" softens the thickest tissue and cures the bunion quickly. Just as good for warts, lumps, and callouses. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Use no other, 25c. at all dealers. ers.

FOR SALE—A private sale at the residence of Mrs. John Palmer, 137 Charlotte St., starting at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, May 5th, of several mahogany chairs, piano and other furniture, pictures and oil paintings, ...

## NOTICE

### BOARD OF HEALTH

Citizens will please take notice they are required to clean up their premises, yards and cellars at once, to the Health Inspector will start on his tour of inspection on or about Saturday, 8th May, 1920. Owners, whose premises are found in an unsanitary condition, will be dealt with as the law directs. The public city dump is located on the river bank, corner of Northumberland and Queen streets.

G. R. PERKINS,  
City Clerk.

the main sound and honest", and profiteering was not as common as may have been charged. Some of the causes of high prices were increase in wages and the increase in the prices of food-stuffs following a world scarcity, which was the natural result of the chaotic condition of the world. There had been heavy losses to production by strikes.

Sir John then turned his attention to "machinery for regulating prices," which he did not wholly condemn, but generally decried as "restricting production, discouraging investment, increasing prices," and doing several other undesirable things. He referred briefly to income taxes, which had his qualified approval. "We must continue to impose Federal income taxes," he said. To "excess profits taxes" there were formidable objections, some of which he enumerated. "Capital will strike as labor does when the remuneration is insufficient," he said.

He strongly urged that the first thing to be done in the country was to get the Government down to a business basis. "\$1,000,000 a month might be saved in the civil service without a decrease in efficiency," he said.

The speaker concluded his address with some remarks on the desirability of advancing educational interests in Canada, supporting the primary and secondary schools, and particularly the universities, which set the standard. He understood that there was a campaign under way in aid of one of the oldest universities in the Dominion (Dalhousie), and he suggested that any of his auditors might do any thing they could to forward the campaign.

## ST. STEPHEN'S GRACEFUL DANCERS

(St. Croix Courier.)

St. Stephen has always boasted of graceful dancers and since the dancing wave struck our locality two years ago, as it did the eastern provinces and the states many of our young people tersichoreally inclined, have advanced to such a degree of gracefulness in dancing, especially in the waltz, that it is a common sight to observe numbers of waltzers on the floor whose style of dancing is noticeably pleasing. It would seem a difficult task to bestow the honor of being the best waltzers in St. Stephen on any particular couple, but such a task will be undertaken by a committee of judges in St. Stephen May 4th, the fourth dance of a series of Tuesday night novelty dances being conducted in the A. O. H. Hall, Calais, by Phelan's Novelty Orchestra.

Only dancers from St. Stephen are eligible to compete in the prize waltz and the winning couple will represent St. Stephen on June 8 when the winning couples of St. Stephen, Milltown N. B., Milltown Me., Calais, Woodland and Eastport nights will compete for prizes offered for the best waltzers on the St. Croix.

Free refreshments will be served during the evening and car service after the dance is assured.

A silver lined cup will be presented to the lady and a beautiful cigarette case to her partner as prizes.

### Has Sold Business.

Fred C. Davis has sold his general store at Oromocto to George White son of A. B. White, county treasurer of Sunbury. Mr. Davis is book-keeper for the River Valley Lumber Company.

### Mutt and Jeff Company.

The company which is to present Mutt and Jeff's Dream at the Opera House tonight arrived here this morning, its members registering at the various hotels. As usual the diminutive gentleman playing Jeff attracted much attention on the street.

### Awaiting Word From Ottawa

Word from H. P. McLeod, M. P., relative to the time of the interview of a Fredericton delegation with the Millia Council at Ottawa, on the matter of having permanent troops stationed here, is still awaited. Thursday or Friday of this week were suggested by the local organizations which will be represented. Mayor Reid, Ald. T. S. Wilkinson and C. D. Richards were to form the delegation.

D. S. Ackhurst of Halifax is in the city.

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Presented by an Excellent Company of 35

CATCHY MUSIC, GOOD COMEDY, PRETTY COSTUMES  
Plenty of Good Seats Available.

Prices—Down Stairs \$1.00, Balcony 75c. Curtain at 8.15.

Mat. 3.15

TOMORROW

Evg. 7.15, 8.45

## VAUDEVILLE

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Holland's most brilliant pianist, assisted by Alice Callaway, with the harp.

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Colored entertainers in a melange of comedy and crisp repartee.

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A female impersonator displaying model gowns from New York and Paris.

### LEW AND MOLLY HUNTING

In a comedy skit entitled "Amateur Detectives."

## HELEN HOLMES. "THE FATAL FORTUNE"

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