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each Tuesday in the month in  
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R. W. Ennis, President.

### INCREASE IN IMPORTS

BRITISH BOARD OF TRADE Report for  
Month of April.

A despatch from London says: The April statement of the Board of Trade shows an increase of \$20,000 in imports and a decrease of \$24,000 in exports. The principal increase in the imports was \$17,000 in wool, and \$10,000 in foodstuffs. Coal, iron, steel, and manufactured goods showed the largest decreases in exports.

### GRAIN ELEVATORS BURNED

PROPERTY OF MAPLE LEAF MILLING  
COMPANY AT BRANDON.

A despatch from Brandon, Man., says: On Friday morning the two grain elevators of the Maple Leaf Milling Company were burned. Their respective capacities were 20,000 and 30,000 bushels. The latter, which cost \$60,000, was completed only last fall to replace one burned in January last year. Little grain was destroyed.

### Synopsis of Canadian North-West Land Regulations

Any man who is the sole head of a family, that is, who is over 16 years old, may homestead land in the North-West Territories. Saskatchewan or Alberta, or any place where he appears in person at the Dominion Land Surveyor's office for the District. Only by proxy may a minor, or certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of individual be entitled to homestead land. Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years, and payment of taxes on the same, of at least \$10 annually, and occupied by him or by his wife, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, in certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section of land, or 160 acres, for \$1.25 an acre. Duties—Must reside upon the homestead for a period of six months in each of six years, and cultivate it entirely (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

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## GREAT HYDROPLANING SEEN

### King George Watches the British Aerial Manoeuvres at Weymouth

A despatch from London says: King George roared Weymouth Bay on board the Royal yacht early on Wednesday amid thunderous salutes from the great fleet, but forgot the cancellation of the day's manoeuvres. The King was most deeply interested in the flights of the aeroplanes and hydroplanes.

In a thick fog Commander Samson rose from the water at Portland and flew in his famous naval hydroplane at a speed of 30 miles an hour for 40 minutes. He went to meet the Royal yacht. The fog broke momentarily when he was one thousand feet above her, so the King could just see him. He alighted with ease in broken water after flying around the fleet.

Lieut. Gregory, in a biplane fitted with floats, then passed over the harbor and the Royal yacht. When he was made safe his passenger dropped a lump of metal, weighing 300 pounds, into the water just inside the breakwater, from an altitude of 400 feet, causing a tremendous splash! He then swooped down upon a submerged submarine and alighted in the water a few feet from it, causing the sailors on board the nearest battleship to cry out in alarm. A passenger in the biplane could obviously have sunk the submarine with an exploding missile.

After the naval aviators finished their display Mr. Graham-White gave a wonderful exhibition of flying. He flew out around the various warships so near the water as to be scarcely above the level of their decks, demonstrating his supreme skill in controlling the machine.

Then Lieut. Gregory flew for 70 minutes in a short biplane fitted with floats. He passed over the Royal yacht at an altitude of 1500 feet, descending at the naval aviators landing-place at Portland.

Lieut. Graham-White flew for 50 minutes in a Peperdine monoplane,

which had been fitted with floats in case of a fall into the sea. Mr. Graham-White rose in his Blériot monoplane at 20 minutes to 3 and

circled the entire fleet and the Towns of Plymouth and Portland. He circled also the Royal yacht twice.

The great events of the day came after 3 o'clock, when Commander Samson, in his hydroplane, rose from the water and flew very high, descending 200 yards from the Royal yacht. He carried the passenger and a letter to the King. Both were taken off from the hydroplane as it rested in the water with the engine stopped, and conveyed to the Royal yacht by a picket boat.

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**\$50,000 LEGAL FEES.**

**SIX NATIONS INDIANS' CLAIM AGAINST GOVERNMENT.**

**DURING LAST SIX MONTHS.**

A despatch from Brantford says: The Six Nations Indians are taking a vote as to whether payment of nearly \$50,000 legal fees should be made to an Ottawa firm. The fees arose from the claim of the Indians, which is still pending, for \$150,000 and interest. The amount was loaned to the Grand River Navigation Company, which became insolvent, and the Indians believe it should be made good. The amount was taken by the Government from the Indian trust money and said to have been wrongly used.

**BANK CLERKS GO-DOWN:**

**SENTENCES FOR VICTORIAN YOUTHS WHO EMBEZZLED \$12,000.**

A despatch from Vancouver says: Three years for John H. Robbie, of the Imperial Bank; two and a half years for Maurice Cox, of the Merchants' Bank; and two years for Alexander Strachan, of the Merchants' Bank, were the sentences imposed on Thursday morning by Magistrate Shaw on the three young bank clerks who on Wednesday admitted defalcations from the two banks amounting in all to nearly \$12,000.

**EARTHQUAKES IN MEXICO.**

**A DOZEN SEVERE SHOCKS FELT AT GUADALAJARA.**

A despatch from Guadalajara, Mexico, says: More than a dozen earthquakes were felt here at intervals from 6:30 o'clock Wednesday morning up to 5:05 o'clock Thursday evening. The last shock was the most severe, and some adobe houses were damaged. No injuries to persons here have been reported, though many were greatly alarmed, and thousands passed the night outdoors in the Plaka and in gardens. There is an unconfirmed rumor that some persons were killed at Tepic.

**CENTENARIAN IN AN AUTO.**

**MRS. BULL, OF BRIGHTON, AGE 102, HAS HER FIRST JOY RIDE.**

A despatch from Brighton, Ont., says: Mrs. G. F. Bull, of Brighton, who is 102 years old, took her first automobile ride on Friday, and enjoyed it immensely. She has now started keeping house, and feels younger every day. The fine old lady is enjoying excellent health and looks extremely well.

**NO MAN IS STRONGER THAN HIS STOMACH.**

**A STRONG MAN IS STRONG ALL OVER.**

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