

HINDENBURG ELECTED PRESIDENT BY THE GERMAN REPUBLIC

Berlin, April 27.—Field Marshal Paul Von Hindenburg has been elected President of Germany by a plurality of nearly 1,000,000 over the Republican, Wilhelm Marx.

Complete returns at 2 o'clock this morning showed the seventy-eight-year-old soldier was undisputed victor over Marx, the statesman. Reaction had triumphed.

Fully as many women voted as men, and for the most part the women chose Von Hindenburg. The vote was heavy—85 per cent of the eligible citizens, because the hypnotic power of the war lord's historic name drew a vast block of the usual stay-at-home vote to the polls. Millions cast ballots for the first time to help put a monarchist in the presidential chair.

The election is the worst defeat suffered by republicanism in German history. The approximate final vote:

Von Hindenburg, 14,640,000; Marx, 13,740,000; Thaelmann, 1,789,000.

Von Hindenburg attracted 4,000,000 votes more than Dr. Karl Jarres, the Nationalist candidate in the preliminary election a month ago. Marx merely maintained the Republic's strength.

Ernst Thaelmann, for the Communists, gained slightly.

Marx's main bulwark was the Catholic Rhineland, while Catholic Bavaria deserted Marx for the Monarchist Von Hindenburg. Former Crown Prince Rupprecht's proclamation

supporting the Hohenzollern servitor bore rich fruit in Bavaria. Curiously, Von Hindenburg lost his own native city, Hanover, while he carried the Socialist strongholds, Leipzig and Frankfurt. Berlin was strongly republican, Marx receiving 634,325 votes against 384,667.

The four millions who put over Von Hindenburg constitute the silent vote dreaded by the republicans in the campaign—four million worshippers of idols, or martial heroes, of goose-stepping armies. Against this bare list on the Montcalm was mainly British, and included 875 persons, including 11 families coming to Canada under the selected British family scheme. One family is destined to Ontario, three to Manitoba, two to Saskatchewan, three to Alberta, and two to British Columbia.

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RECRUITS FOR FARMS ARRIVE FROM BRITAIN

Some Sizable Families Among Fine Type of Immigrants Coming to Canada.

Quebec, April 26.—Canada's immigration season at Quebec opened yesterday with a rush, with 805 passengers on the S.S. Marburn and 1,257 on the S.S. Montcalm. Of the above total 1,577 were third-class passengers, consisting mainly of men and families destined to farms or various classes of labor.

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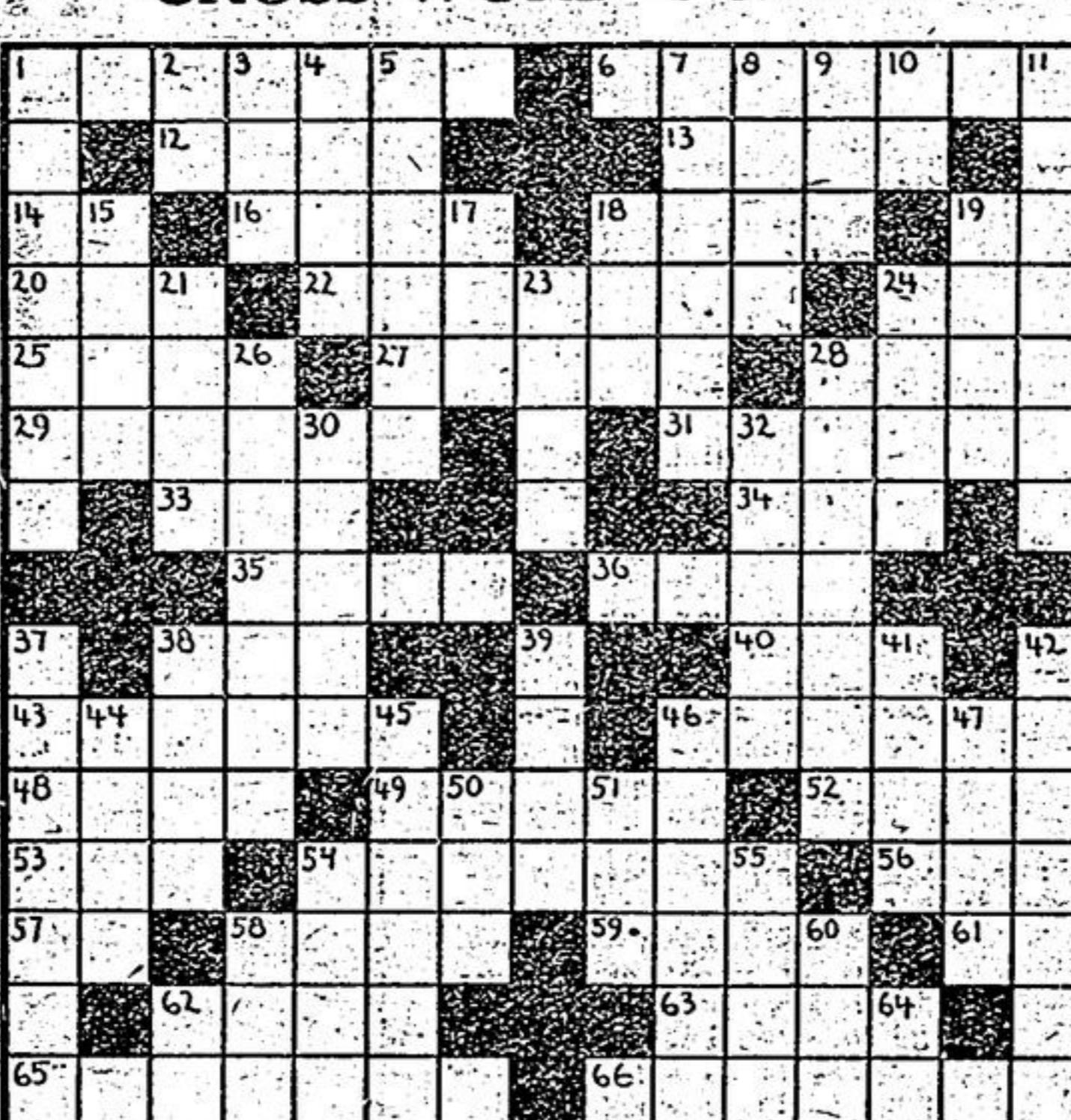
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British Squadron to Visit Canada in June

A despatch from London says:—The eighth cruiser squadron, under Vice Admiral Sir James Ferguson, commander-in-chief of the North American and West Indies Station, is ordered to leave its base at Bermuda on June 2 for a visit to Canada. It will be composed of H.M.S. Calcutta, flagship (Captain the Hon. Alexander Ramsay, D.S.O.), H.M.S. Constance (Captain C. V. Robison), and H.M.S. Curlew (Captain H. D. Bridges, D.S.O.). From about June 9 to June 22 the squadron will be at Halifax. Later the flagship, and possibly another cruiser will visit St. John's, Nfld.; Sydney, Quebec; and Montreal.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES

Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

HORIZONTAL

- 1—To house
- 6—Burned by water
- 12—Tidy
- 13—Eager, greedy
- 14—Near
- 16—Roughish; coy
- 18—Woody plant
- 19—Toward
- 20—Tear
- 22—Less thick
- 24—Court
- 25—Change course
- 27—Gives out
- 28—Seaweed, source of iodin
- 29—Mistakes
- 31—Aged; doting
- 33—Part of the foot
- 34—Correlative of neither
- 35—Sour
- 36—First book New Testament (abbr.)
- 38—Couch
- 40—And so forth (abbr.)
- 43—An eager longing
- 46—Anticipates with horror
- 48—Rodents
- 49—Hurry
- 52—Drop
- 53—Anger
- 54—Ties
- 56—Pref. meaning three
- 57—Abbr. of name of a N. E. State
- 58—Diseases
- 59—Willing
- 61—Famous President (Initials)
- 62—Source of wood
- 63—Mimics
- 65—Users of popular weed
- 66—Changed

VERTICAL

- 1—Reduced to extreme hunger
- 2—Half an em
- 3—Grassy meadow
- 4—Form of pastry
- 5—Draws with a dry point
- 7—Fondle
- 8—Assert
- 9—Fl
- 10—Theological degree (abbr.)
- 11—Withered
- 15—Row
- 17—Pronoun
- 18—High explosive (abbr.)
- 19—A fixed compensation
- 21—Filipant
- 23—Eggs of insects
- 24—A dam
- 26—Those who cheer for a person or team
- 28—Tied into knots
- 30—Peruses
- 32—Pierce
- 37—Tries hard
- 38—To seize with the teeth
- 39—Latest
- 41—Two wheeled vehicle
- 42—Longed for
- 44—Male red deer
- 45—Former German unit of money
- 46—Contradiction
- 47—Soil
- 50—Beast of burden
- 51—Abbr. for means of communication
- 54—Hasten away
- 55—A month (abbr.)
- 58—To afflict with vexation
- 60—A charge
- 62—Toward
- 64—An elder (abbr.)

Dominion News in Brief

Amherst, N.S.—It is understood that two parallel coal seams, one nearly four feet in thickness, and the other three feet, have been discovered by the Maritime Coal, Railway and Power Company near the Maple Leaf Mine at River Hebert. It is stated that a stope will be sunk immediately for the working of the four-foot seam.

Saint John, N.B.—Application has been made to the Provincial Government for letters patent for the incorporation of the British and Canadian Packing Corporation, with headquarters in this city and a capitalization of \$500,000. Both British and Canadian capital, it is understood, will be invested in Winnipeg, for the purpose of the selection of a factory site.

Regina, Sask.—Commercial tests of briquetting Saskatchewan lignite coal are to be made in Germany and Czechoslovakia, according to report. It is expected that the test will take between six and eight weeks, and that the results will be known in time to permit the remodelling of the Bient plant in June, if the tests prove successful as anticipated.

Edmonton, Alta.—Great improvement has been made in the matter of winter feed for dairy cows in the province during the past year, according to the annual report of the Department of Agriculture. There are between 2,500 and 3,000 silos now in the province, most of which have been erected within the past five years.

Toronto, Ont.—Through recent purchases, the Ontario Government has added four flying machines to its forest patrol fleet, which now totals nineteen, according to the announcement of the Minister of Lands and Forests. The machines, which are declared to be practically new, were

THE MARKETS

TORONTO.

Man. wheat—No. 1 North, \$1.70%; No. 2 North, \$1.64%; No. 3 North, \$1.60%; No. 4 wheat, \$1.52%.

Man. oats—No. 2 C.W., 59½%; No. 3 C.W., 55½%; extra No. 1 feed, 56½%; No. 1 feed, 53½%; No. 2 feed, 49½%.

All the above c.i.f. bay ports. American corn, track, Toronto—No. 2 yellow, \$1.24.

Millfeed—Del. Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$26; shorts, per ton, \$28; middlings, \$33; good feed flour, per bag, \$2.00.

One oats—Nominal, f.o.b. shipping points.

Ont. wheat—No. 2 winter, nominal; No. 3 winter, not quoted; No. 1 commercial, not quoted, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights.

Barley—Malting, nominal.

Buckwheat—No. 2, nominal.

Man. flour, first patent, \$9.40, Toronto; do., second patent, \$8.90, Toronto.

Ont. flour—90 per cent, patent, nominal, in bags, Montreal or Toronto.

Straw—Carlots, per ton, \$8.00 to \$8.50.

Screenings—Standard, recleaned, f.o.b. bay ports, per ton, \$24.00.

Hay—No. 2, per ton, \$13.00 to \$14.00; No. 3, per ton, \$11.00 to \$12.00; mixed, per ton, \$9.00 to \$11.00; lower grades, \$6.00 to \$9.00.

Cheese—New, large, 24½ to 25¢; twins, 25 to 26½¢; triplets, 25½ to 26¢; Stiltons, 26¢; Old, large, 27 to 28¢; twins, 28 to 29¢; triplets, 29 to 30¢.

Butter—Finest creamy prints, 37 to 38¢; No. 1 creamery, 36 to 37¢; No. 2, 35 to 36¢; Dairy prints, 29 to 30¢.

Eggs—Fresh extras, in cartons, 35 to 36¢; loose, 34¢; fresh frits, 31¢; seconds, 27 to 28¢.

Liv. poultry—Hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 20¢; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 18¢; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, M.F., 24¢; do, corn fed, 22¢; roosters, 15¢; ducklings, 5 lbs. and up, 22¢.

Dressed poultry—Chickens, spring, 85¢; hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 28¢; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 22¢; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, M.F., 25¢; do, corn fed, 32¢; roosters, 20¢; ducklings, 5 lbs. and up, 27¢.

Beans—Canadian, handpicked, lb., 6½¢; prunes, 6¢.

Maple products—Syrup, per imperial gal., \$2.40; per 5-gal. tin, \$2.30 per gal.; maple sugar, lb., 25 to 26¢.

Honey—5-lb. tins, 13½¢; 5-lb. tins, 14¢; 2½-lb. tins, 13½¢; 2-lb. tins, 12½¢.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 32 to 33¢; cooked hams, 46 to 48¢; smoked rolls, 22 to 24¢; cottage rolls, 24 to 25¢; breakfast bacon, 28 to 31¢; special brand breakfast bacon, 34 to 36¢; backs, boneless, 38 to 42¢.

Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., \$21.50; 70 to 90 lbs., \$20.50; 90 lbs. and up, \$19.50; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$44; heavyweight rolls, \$41 per bbl.

Lard—Pure tierces, 20 to 22½ lbs., tubs, 20½ to 21½ lbs.; pails, 21 to 22½ lbs.; prints, 22½ to 23½ lbs.; shortening tierces, 14 to 14½ lbs.; tubs, 14½ to 15½ lbs.; pails, 15½ to 16 lbs.; prints, 16½ to 17½ lbs.

Heavy steers, choice, \$8 to \$25; do, good, \$7.25 to \$7.75; butcher steers, choice, \$7.25 to \$7.75; do, good, \$6.50 to \$7; do, med., \$6 to \$6.50; do, com., \$5.50 to \$6; butcher heifers, choice, \$7 to \$7.50; do, med., \$6 to \$6.75; do, com., \$5.50 to \$6; butcher cows, choice, \$5.50 to \$6; do, fair, \$5.25 to \$4.75; canners and cutters, \$2.50 to \$2.75; butcher bulls, \$4.00 to \$5.50; do, fair, \$3.75 to \$4; do, com., \$2.50 to \$2.75; feeding steers, good, \$6.50 to \$7; do, fair, \$5 to \$6.25; stockers, good, \$5.50 to \$6; do, fair, \$5 to \$5.50; calves, choice, \$11 to \$12; do, med., \$7.00 to \$9.50; do, com., \$4.50 to \$6.00; milk cows, choice, \$7.00 to \$8.00; do, fair, \$4.00 to \$5.00; springers, choice, \$7.50 to \$8.00; good light sheep, \$8.50 to \$10; heavies and bucks, \$5.50 to \$7.50; good ewe lambs, \$14.50 to \$15; do, med., \$13 to \$14.50; do, culls, \$11 to \$12; spring lambs, each \$10 to \$15; hogs, thick smooth, fed and watered, \$12.95; do, f.o.b., \$12.25; do, country points, \$12.00; do, off cars, \$13.35; select premium, \$2.50.

MONTREAL.

Oats—Can. west., No. 2, 64½¢; do, No. 3, 60½¢; extra No. 1 feed, 55½¢.

Flour—Man. spring wheat pats., 1sts., \$9.40; do, 2nds., \$8.90; strong bakers', \$8.70; winter patents, choice, \$7.20 to \$7.30. Rolled oats—Bag of 90 lbs.,

obtained at the unusually low cost of \$4.00 each.

Winnipeg, Man.—It is understood that the Vit-a-Min Products, Limited will carry on a business here in milk, cream, mineral waters, flavoring extracts and beverages this year. The directors of the company, which is capitalized at one million dollars, are at present in Winnipeg, for the purpose of the selection of a factory site.

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