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BORN INTO NEW LIFE. Easter Day is near at hand with all its blessed memories. The Christian's contemplation of it brings very great happiness.

Christians, in a country where they are free to worship as they please, and as the conscience dictates, do not realize what the resurrection stands for in some respects.

Disciples of Faith.

Flowers are faith exemplified. Teaching a lesson true; As every fragrant chalice, In prayer doth scale the blue.

The Resurrection story Those little preachers tell, Ringing the joy of Easter From every odorous bell.

Sylvan Island Bought.

Alexandria Bay, N.Y., April 7.—Another important sale of island property has just been consummated through the purchase of Sylvan Island by Robert E. Wilbur of South Bethlehem, Pa.

Random Reels

"Of Shoes and Ship and Sealing Wax, of Cabbages and Kings."

SPUNK

Spunk is a feminine substitute for temper which answers the same purpose when applied to the hide of a feeble husband.

The trouble with most wives who are married to a boating buoy is that their spunk oozes out just when it should step to the centre of the ring and put up both dukes.

tobacco to homes where the husband is stricken with paralysis from the collar home down whenever the city is offering \$3.50 a day for snow shovellers.

There is once in a while an occasion where husbands can use a little spunk to advantage, but the average husband is too soft-hearted and soft-headed to resort to extreme measures.

Rippling Rhymes

PHILOSOPHY

Philosophy is not much good, unless it helps you saw your wood, with patience, year by year; unless it teaches you to bear the weary load of workday care, without a sigh or tear.



WALT MASON

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City Dairy Opening

Monday, April 9th

Pasteurized Milk and Cream

This Dairy is fully equipped with all the latest sanitary machinery. O. J. Robinson, one of the proprietors, formerly ran Point Pleasant Dairy for many years, and extends to all his old customers and new ones, an invitation to inspect this new plant, where they will be able to serve the people better.

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TROUBLE IN THE SOUTH.

There is no infamy of which Germany is not guilty. She jollied the United States as long as possible.

Then when President Wilson asked Congress to accept the gauge of battle, to accept no more insults or injury from the Kaiser, she protests to the republics of South America.

Mexico leads in the new rebellion. Her German emissaries, while Germany was still professing friendship for the United States, were at work, sowing the seeds of discord and helping by money and men to stir up strife.

In all this the United States is interested. Uncle Sam was supposed to be the powerful brother who was interested in the southern republics and had authority for it in the Monroe doctrine.

The Ontario Government is represented by the Attorney-general on the Hydro-Electric Commission, but it refuses to let the municipalities be represented.

BRIBERY AND THE WAR.

Amos Pinchot, a former associate of Roosevelt, and a public official, and now the president of the American Committee on War Finance, is heading an organization which hopes to prevent the robbery of his country through war contracts.

Incidentally, he remarked to the New York Times a day or two ago: "A man of good standing in his community told me the other day that he had sold \$5,000,000 worth of defective supplies to the Allies in one contract, and yet this gentleman is strongly pro-Ally. He bribed a representative of the foreign government to accept them."

Meanwhile Theo. W. Lawson, of Boston, is out as a recruiter for the army. He has three sons in the service of the Allies, in France, and he is willing to lead a troop of broncho riders abroad, but not at home.

The Ontario Government is welcome to enforce, through the license commission, any rule it likes. The Whig will not be affected. It does not receive liquor advertisements, and so does not come under any restriction of the license department.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

In 1911, in Quebec, the cry was, "Anything to beat Laurier." Now it is "Anything to save Borden."

Sir Robert Borden is said to be hurrying back to Canada. He cannot get into touch with affairs at Ottawa too soon. There is a crisis on.

A change of government at Ottawa—the retirement of several ministers—is suggestive. Is this being urged for the good of the party?

Street scrapings are declared by experts in agriculture to be the best fertilizers available. They should be used upon the land which the city is turning to account for greater production this year.

Dr. Creelman, commissioner of agriculture—the man who should be minister in place of lawyer—would have the factories closed and their teeming multitude sent to the farms for the harvest.

G. A. Robertson, St. Catharines, writes in the Ontario Government bulletins on "Sweet Cherries, Soils and Varieties." He will be remembered as a former Kingstonian who has made his mark as a producer of fruit near St. Catharines.

Granted that the farmers have, of late years, been cultivating the ground so that the least amount of help is required, a war crisis demands a change. Will the farmers of the district not answer to the call?

If there is to be superannuation in the Education Department and among the well-paid officials, why should there not be superannuation in all the other departments and affecting their staffs? That is the question of the hour, and one which the government must deal with sooner or later.

Mr. Dewar moved, in the legislature, that the profits of the Nickel Trust should be taxed thus: On the first five millions, five per cent.; on the second five millions, ten per cent.; on the third five millions, fifteen per cent. This would mean that in place of \$900,000 for the last three years the government would receive \$3,000,000. But the government will not have it.

KINGSTON EVENTS 25 YEARS AGO

Junior classes in Louise, Central and Cataragui schools are overcrowded.

Oscar Telegmann is engaged in a sacred oratorio.

The sloop Laura D., sailed into the harbor this morning from Battery channels. This is the first arrival this season.

Mrs. (Col.) Summer died in Carlotta Place from hemorrhage. She had just returned from the south. Deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James McKay, and was born in Kingston sixty-three years ago.

In honor of the United States joining the Entente Allies against Germany, Consul Felix Johnson has hung out a fine new flag over his office. It's a very looking "Old Glory."