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Houses are cheap and plentiful on Garden Island, and the ferry runs at convenient hours.

The Canadian government has appointed a director of food supplies. If he can reduce the high cost of living in any way, then we vote for him with both hands.

A cable from Vladivostok states that all the Canadians will soon be back from Siberia.

The proposals of the land settlement board for putting soldiers on the land are very acceptable.

The defiant attitude of the Hun peace delegates is nothing but a piece of bluff, by which they hope to gain easier terms.

Toronto is building two new libraries, and is treating the matter as a small side line.

The United States Department of Labor advises the merchants and manufacturers to advertise through the newspapers.

The patience of the people of our city in waiting for some action for the relief of housing conditions is almost exhausted.

The Kingston war memorial proposals have evidently been dropped.

The Kingston G.W.V.A. were severely criticized by the members of the city council on Monday evening.

Hamilton is the last city to come under the Ontario Housing Act, and it is borrowing one million dollars, which will be lent to those desiring to build houses.

It is stated that the leader of the German peace delegation sat during his address because his legs were not strong enough to support him at the time.

A WORTHY APPEAL. The ladies in charge of the Child Welfare Station are appealing to the people for financial aid by means of a diffidit sale on the

streets on Saturday. The City Council failed to place an amount in its budget to help in the splendid work made possible last year by a generous gift from Senator H. W. Richardson, since deceased.

GENIUS AND HARD WORK. Some one has said that "Genius is only another name for hard work." In many cases this is undoubtedly true.

To Secure Bounties. Calabogie, May 13.—On Saturday John Stubbinski was down from Mud Lake country.

Woa Military Medals. Belleville, May 14.—Sergeant-Major H. R. Cousins and Pte. N. J. Smith, of this city, the former of whom has arrived home, have been decorated with the Military Medal for acts of bravery on the field of battle.

The Largest in the Diocese. St. John's Episcopal church, Cape Vincent, N.Y., had a confirmation class of forty-two on Sunday last.

Disclaims Leader's Views. Ottawa, May 14.—Senator Edwards, who is a Liberal free trader, writes to a local paper to-day disclaiming Mr. McKenzie's protection doctrine, and saying that it lacks thought and study.

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An Empire Calendar.

Henry Grattan. Died May 14th, 1791.—In these days when the Irish Home Rule question is reaching another crisis many thoughts will turn back to the great Irish leader, whose famous address, "I found Ireland on her knees, I watched over her with paternal solicitude, I have traced her progress from injuries to arms and from arms to liberty."

WHAT I LIVE FOR. George Linneus Banks. I live for those who love me, Whose hearts are kind and true; For the heaven that smiles above me, And waits my spirit, too.

DEFAULTERS FINED. Renfrew, May 12.—Under the direction of Inspector Simpson, a force of Dominion police are active throughout Renfrew county searching for defaulters under the M. S. A.

THE DOMINION RAILWAY BOARD granted a ten per cent. increase in telephone rates. No date is set for the coming into effect of the new rates.

PUBLIC OPINION

Others Always Takable. (Brockville Recorder) The adson for suckers has arrived—that is, the kind that are caught in dip-nets.

Not Boasters. (Hamilton Times) (Brantford Expositor) The British and the Canadians played a mighty big part in this war, but nobody hears any of them declaring "We won the war."

A Free Translation. (Hamilton Times) It is not a crime punishable by imprisonment to cause fire through carelessness. Be careful.

The Huns' Feeling. (Galt Reporter) Those German delegates to the peace table feel that they are going to the execution of Prussianism as represented by the Hohenzollerns.

Always With Us. (Ottawa Journal) There won't be any horse-racing in Canada this spring, but then the high cost of living still remains the country's best gamble.

If They Only Could. (Toronto Star) It would be an immense source of benefit if the same terms could be agreed upon without a strike as with one.

I live to learn their story, Who buried in my grave; To emulate their glory, And follow in their wake—Bards, patriots, martyrs, sages, The noble of all ages, Whose deeds crown history's pages, And time's great volume make.

I live to hold communion With all that is divine; To feel there is a union 'Twixt nature's heart and mine; To profit by affliction, Reap truth from fields of fiction, Grow wiser from conviction, And fulfil each grand design.

I live for those who love me, For those who know me true; For the heaven that smiles above me, And awaits my spirit, too; For a cause that lacks assistance, For the wrong that needs resistance, For the future in the distance, And the good that I can do.

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Rippling Rhymes

POOR WASHINGTON

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