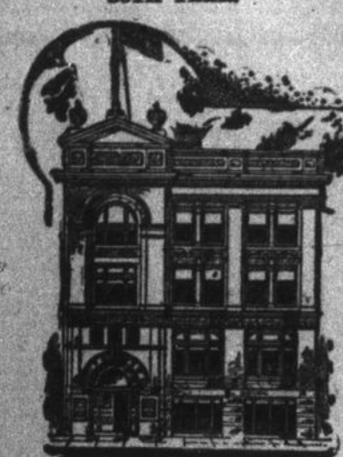
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A good Canadian is one who grows red every time he sees a red flag.

The sands in the hour-glass are fast running out for Germany.

There are Germans who still declare the kaiser's aim was for peace. Well, he was a darn bad shot.

The small boy is agin the tariff, at least that which puts a tax on soda water and makes castor of

Anything to discredit Wilson, publicans in the United States these

If one judges by the segments of meat, pie, etc., granted in the restaurants, peace is still far away. Top the council." war prices prevail.

Summer is really here. July has taken the place of June. And the probabilities say we are to have

in strikes, except June brides. But the Lord High Treasurer and the then they are so mild and pretty bord President of the Council. The and patient. Just now, only,

least the German people are fully Gilbert's sparkling libretto famous convinced as to his contention. And, This upheaval in the order of prebelieve us, we would like to see the cedence, it is explained in the order-Germans get the hottest kind of in-council, has been made "in accord

is what Irish Americans did with called. characteristic Sinn Fein impetuosity. The Rochester, N.Y., Herald says "that is what meddlers are al- minds in England is solved and the ways apt to do."

Make the most of the daylight saving, for next year standard time will once more rule. The United States Senate has cooked the goose for us. The United States railways gave Canada her happy hours this

The Buffalo Courier is convinced that "no one result of the war's comradeship has been more gratifying than the closer drawing together of the interests of the two North American people of common tongue and ancestry." Hear! Hear!!

What Canada needs to-day is prices of meat predicted by the packstrong, aggressive leadership, and she needs it badly. The man who puts patriotism ahead of opportunas he sees it instead of trimming his try should be satisfied with a reasalls to every passing breeze, would sonable profit. The excess profits ism, who will stand fast for the right be welcomed as the saviour of his tax is the best way of ensuring the fulfilment of that condition.

The German reply to the peace proposals, remarks the New York World, reveal "an air of ruffling about all the information they want swagger, which is characteristically by calling two witnesses, Flavelle Prussian." Its haughty and domi- and "that man. O'Connor." Both of neering form is as disagreeable as anything that was put forward by al custom, the report will be made Germany even in the days when she somewhere about next year. And seemed to be winning the war. | meantime, the people continue to

The Paton Manufacturing Company, Sherbrooke, Que., which the proprietor says wasn't operated "for the glory of God or of anybody else," and which made a profit of 72.9 per cent, for the year ending Jan. 31st last, was protected by a 42½ per cent, tariff. At a fime when a demand for the downward revision of the tariff is semanded, this is a fact ments that will be permanent.

Paton has unconsciously dealt a severe blow to the high protectionists.

QUEEN'S MEDICAL DEAN HON-

Dr. J. Cameron Connell, dean of neen's Medical College, Kingston, as been honored with the highest position in the gift of the medical profession of Canada, having been chosen as president of the Dominon Medical Council. Dr. Connell has a standard under his direction. taining the university medical medical department to the capital.

THE WHALE.

The application of the psychologi-One year, delivered in city\$6.00 sponse to the word whale, the instant one year, if paid in advance\$6.00 associated idea—Jonah. The poputhe south of us, with her hundred lar mind links the two, as inseparably million of people, could not have acas ham and eggs, Damon and Pythi- complished it, and knowing this One year, by mail. cash\$1.00 as, and jot and tittle. It regards the they did not try but, resorted one year, to United States\$1.50 whale primarily as the first submarconscription from the start.

Universal military service ne, or houseboat:

Old man Jonah lived in a whale, In a little back room, 'way down classes would be treated alike. by the tail.

whale is in-process of changing with them, from being a container to a popular in many places. It is used extensively throughout Canada, and Boston, it is said, has added it to but unhappily they did in this war The room was only 16 feet by 14 1/2

fishing for food supply is being carried on so recklessly that whole herds ter able to fill these staff positions prison was opened next morning, are in danger of going the way of but solely because of the pull their only 23 out of 146 were found to be the dodo and the mammoth. It is rich parents were able to exercise. alive. The Black Hole led directly hard to believe, but if true 'tis pity. Le us extend the game laws and conserve the world's cetacean have passed a law against compul- the East.

ORDER OF PRECEDENCE.

London that an order-in-council has vance the threadbare argument been issued revolutionizing the order of precedence. Under the new decree things in every free country that instead of tagging along after the get that our liberties are interfered dukes, the marquises and the belted with. We are compelled to earls, will hereafter precede them. school, to obey the law, to respect Dr. Chase's In fact, the speaker will "follow im- other people's property rights and as certain mediately after the lord president of yet we do not consider them as

Only six persons will now stand between the fountainhead of royalty and the speaker of the house of commons. These six persons will be the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor, the Lord Arch-Almost every class has had a hand bishop of York, the Prime Minister. despatches do not indicate what the order of precedence will be for the Sherman had the right view. At Lord High Executioner, who made

with the great dignity and importance of the high office" to which the They spilled Ireland's beans. This speaker of the house of commons is

> Thus a problem that has long vexed some of the most thoughtful highest authority in the popular MAI MASCAL branch of the mother of parliaments gets the bulge on a long list of dukes, marquises and earls. The myriad peoples of the British Empire-including, no doubt,at least one representative Kingstonian-will b greatly relieved by the momentous

Not Around Here.
(Philadelphia Record)
So far nobody has been seriously injured by the "sudden drop" in the

The Best Way. (Toronto Star)

The Usual Way.

(Guelph Mercury)
The Royal Commission investigatng the high food prices coufd get these can tell the secrets of the whole scheme. By following the usu-

(Vancouver Sun)
Dr. Adam Shortt thinks industrial anded, this is a fact ments that will be permanen

Reconstruction of the Militia. Kingston, June 19 .-- (To the Editor): Following the argument for reconstruction of the Militia, there is another reason which has been strongly emphasized in favor of a change, and that is that for the service rendered it was unnecessarily costly. Compared with the Swiss system, and even Australia, it would

been mentioned as the only equitable service for Canada, as under it cording to the new articles of war But times are changing, and the instituted by the big four no more armies are to be raised by conscripbe written in favor of such a systhing contained. Whale beef is ex- tem and the strongest argument in ceedingly good, and has become its favor is that it reduced all classes to a common level. The rich had pull were not allowed to interfere, ern papers that the Pacific whale line because their fathers had the with iron. Being the month sion in military matters, might afford controversial ground for objectors. Compulsory service of any kind seems objectionable in a free The interesting news comes from country as some people like to adinterference with the liberty of the subject and yet there are so many taxes, to send our children

think interferes with their liberty, other law upon the statute book of any country.

—J. GALLOWAY.

An Empire Calendar.

The Black Hole of Calcutta, June

One of the penalties which the wide reputation not only as an eye, appear to be excessive and yet it British Empire has had to pay for the ear and throat specialist, but as the could not have been the nity cents position of India has been that many head of Queen's medical school, a day which the men received, which brave lives have been sacrificed and was not extravagant, but its propor- many terrible deeds of suffering had tion to that received by the officers, to be endured by the courageous men The Swiss system is a good system and women on whose shoulders the from the standpoint of expense, but burden of conquest has fallen. Of has some features in no way suit- all the deeds of cruelty with which Kingston General Hospital so that able for Canada. How to obtain the the early days of the Indian Empire service needed on less outlay is the are smirched, none is more tragic problem, and I can conceive of no and none more terrible than the recplan that is not purely selfish that ord of the imprisonment of British school here, for Ottawa is still seek- will obviate or lessen the expense subjects in the Black Hole of Caling the transfer of the Queen's unless it is conducted upon patriotic cutta, which took place one hundred grounds. Love of country and not and sixty-three years ago to-day. On mancial gain or remuneration is the the other hand, out of evil came good, golden key that will open the way for the horror of their sufferings to the solution of this difficult sit- proved a stimulus to Clive and Advation. Britain is the only country miral Watson to punish the malefac-... . 292 cal test for "reactions" in the case in the world that could have raised tors, and Calcutta was restored to of most people would bring, in re- an army of the magnitude of that British rule. The author of this sponse to the word whale, the instant in the last war by voluntary enlist- crime was Suraj-ud-Duwlah, who ment. Even the great Republic to succedeed his grandfather, Ali Kahn, the south of us, with her hundred in 1756, when a lad of nineteen temper early led to a rupture with the British, and less than two months after he succeeded to the throne, he marched on Calcutta with a larg army. The immediate cause of his taking this step was anger at one of his relatives, who, he believed, had plotting to unseat him from his throne. As soon as the news arrived that Suraj-ud-Duwlah was on tion, and yet a whole volume could his way with a large force, the majority of the English who were then resident in Calcutta fled down the river in their ships. The remainder surrendered after feeble resistance, nothing over the poor, if politics or and were thrown into the Black Hole or military prison of Fort William. beans and codfish as a staple of diet. and very many young men who went feet in size, and contained two small Now we are told by worried west- overseas never reached the firing windows, both of which were barred pull, so they received positions in June, the heat of the night was most Britain, not because they were bet- oppressive. - When the door of the Of course there were many excepto the battle of Plassey, which is tions but they prove the rule. Uni- adopted by historians as the date of versal service, since the big four the birth of the British Empire in Russian Cruiser Torpedoed.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) London, June 20.—The Russian cruiser Oleg was sunk, on Wednesday, by a British submarine, it is

WORKING

In wartime's long and dreadful night they told us we must work or fight, and so we worked or fought; the husky man secured a gun, and sought the spoor of vandal Hun; the balance of us wrought. We fat men left our gilded lairs, our hammocks and our easy chairs, and tilled the fertile soil; we pawed around and trilled our song, and tried to show the passing throng new curves in honest toil. "When war is done," we said, "gadzooks, again we'll seek our inglenooks, and bask on beds of ease; until shall come that blissful day we'll grow our luscious bales of hay, and raise our bomb-proof peas." Now war is but a tale that's told, the sword has rust, the guns are cold, no armies thunder by; but still we have to dig and hoe, and saw and split, and. plant and sow-for now it's work or die. It cost so much to stay on earth we have no time for hours of mirth, for dreams or idle games; we have no time for languid ease; we have to work like bumble bees around our quilting frames. With labor we are face to face; alas, it is a groundhog case, we have to work or die! we have to rustle for the bones; there is no place for dreamin g drones beneath the bending sky.

-WALT MASON.

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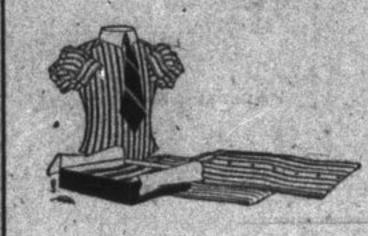
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