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# At Yonge, Queen and James Street Doors are boxes where orders or instructions may be placed. These boxes are emptied every hour until 1 p.m., and twice in the afternoon. EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

### Men's Velour Hats for Fall Wear, \$5.00

TUESDAY MORNING OCTOBER 8 1918

Men's Velour Hats (one of the richest of hats), for fall, in black, in fedora shape, with crown not too high, and just enough flare to the brim to give a smart effect. Sizes 6 % to 71/2. Each, \$5.00.

Men's and Boys' Caps, with the one. four or eight-piece tops, in a variety of shades, including green, brown, fawn, grey, fancy and heather mixtures, of wool and cotton mixture tweed materials, in medium weight for fall wear. Sizes 61/2 to 73%. Each, \$1.50.

Kiddies' Black Plush Tams, with 9" crown, with black ribbon bands, having bow with streamers at side. Sizes 6 to 6%. Each, \$1.75.

### Main Floor, Centre. Motoring Has Its Joys in the Keen, Exhilarating Air of Autumn

Air That Is Piercing, Though, Without the Comfort of an Auto Robe.

With this fact in mind, the Men's Hat and Fur Section has on display a varied selection of fur and motoring robes, priced from \$15.50 to \$33.00.

Robes of black goat, with green trimmings and plushette lining.

Size 56 x 66, \$26.00.

Size 56 x 72, \$27.75.

Size  $58 \times 80, $33.00$ .

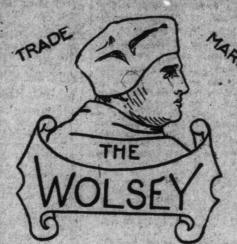
Montana Auto Robes (these are an imitation buffalo), have rubber interlining. green trimmings with brown surface.

Size 54 x 62, \$15.50.

Size  $54 \times 72$ , \$17.50.



## Men! Less Fuel! Less Heat--Means the Wearing of More Woolens



That you may choose from the finest and best brands of Underwear obtainable, brands such as Wolsey, Ceetee, Penman's, Mercury, Stanfield, known the country over for their quality, satisfaction in fit and value, is demonstrated in the Special
Display of Underwear. Shirts of "Emery,"
"Quaker City," "Manhattan," "Tooke"
and "W. G & R." make, Ties, Collars, Sweaters, Sweater
Coats ond Men's Wear in general today.

AN ADDED FEATURE WILL BE A SPECIAL OF-FER IN MEN'S SWEATER COATS AT \$4.95

Big, Heavy Coats, in Jumbo stitch, with shawl collar, two pockets and double ribbed cuffs, in plain shades of grey, navy, maroon or brown, in sizes 38 to 42. Special, \$4.95.

Fuel shortage and lessened heat this fall and winter means that the great majority will take to wearing more woolens, to make up the deficiency. Wool, with its heat-retaining and non-conducting qualities, adapts itself to the varying temperatures: In summer it keeps the super-heated air out; in winter the body heat in, thereby protecting the wearer from sudden chills, making it the ideal material to wear from a health point of view. Certainly there's hardly any other material that gives longer service or better fitting satisfaction. Such reliable makes as:

Ceetee, with double back and front. Sizes 34 to .40. Two-piece style, per garment, \$5.00; sizes 42 to 46, \$5.50.

Wolsey, an "English-made" combination, in light natural shade, with closed crotch and close-fitting cuffs and ankles-Sizes 34 to 42. Per suit, \$8.00.

Mercury, a two-piece style, with double-breasted shirts. Sizes 34 to 44. Per garment, \$4.50. Stanfield, another two-piece style. Sizes 34 to 42, \$3.50;

sizes 44 to 46, \$4.00. Penman's, a combination of cotton and wool mixture.

Sizes 34 to 42, \$3.00. And a host of other brands that space will not permit

AT \$2.50 IS THE "RAMESES" BRAND OF UNDERWEAR FOR BOYS.

Of English make, of a mixture of wool and cotton. Guaranteed unshrinkable. Shirts have double breast; drawers suspender tapes; garments are strongly sewn on seams; have beige facings and pearl buttons. Sizes 22 to 32. Per garment,

Men's Pyjamas, of heavy-weight flannelette, in assorted blue stripes and patterns, on light grounds, with military collar; breast pocket, fibre silk frogs and girdle at waisthand frogs and girdle at waistband. Sizes 34 to 46. Each, \$2.50.

Men's Neglige Shirts, in "Emery" or "Manhattan" brands, the former brand having soft double cuffs; the latter laundered cuffs, both made in coat style, and of woven cloths in attractive and distinctive stripe designs of blue, black, tan, helio or green, on plain grounds, and in assorted sleeve lengths. Sizes 14 to 17½. Each, \$3.50.

Men's Work Shirts, of medium weight khaki colored drili, "EATON-made," with attached lay-down collar, single band button cuffs and two breast pockets, with button-down flaps; seams double sewn throughout. Sizes 14 to 18. Each,

Men's Neckwear, in attractive floral, all-over, conventional or diagonal striped designs, also novelty check patterns, in rich colorings; some in silk and cotton, some in satin finish, others in fibre silk and cotton. In grey, cadet, garnet, maroon, helio, purple, black and green, of various hues. Each, 75c.

Men's Sweaters and Sweater Coats, are all-wool, in plaine cardigan, jumbo or fancy stitch; sweaters in pull-over style, with double roll collar, and tight-fitting cuffs, color trim on neck, cuffs and bottom of skirt, such as green and tan or brown, red and black on white, or green and brown on fawn. Some are in plain shades; coats have heavy shawl collar and two pockets; procurable in grey, brown, tan or Each, \$8.00.

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PURE WOOL

### If You've an Overcoat to Buy You'll Be Interested to Know

That For Quality of Cloth and Value a Better Collection of Coats Than These Priced From \$18.00 to \$25.00 Would Be Hard to Find.

This assertion is made, knowing that for the most part these are "EATONmade," and "EATON-made" clothes are an outstanding value of the day.

Care in the selection of the cloths, care in the tailoring, has gained for them this distinction, and to cap all they're priced as moderately as possible. But come in and judge for yourself.

At \$18.00 are Coats in belted, formfitting and slip-on styles-typically young men's styles. Of grey homespuns, dark brown, fancy tweed effects, showing green flake. Also real brown herringbone and check tweed mixtures.

The Trench Coat, knee length, with belt all around, patch pockets, quarter lined. Some with convertible collar, sleeve with raised seam and with cuff.

At \$20.00 is the "Acme" Doublebreasted, Form-fitting Coat for young men. In knee length, cuffs are piped with velvet, material is a heavy mouse grey Whitney cloth, soft and rich in texture, like velours. Another is of heavy winter-weight

sturdy tweed mixture, in grey and black check. In double -breasted "Trencher" style, with belt all around.

At \$25.00 is a hand tailored dark grey cheviot, in the single - breasted Chestersemi-fitting style, with velvet collar: fly front, and in knee length.



## NTARIO ASUALTIES

ast quadrennium were: 191; 1915-46, \$29,679,92; 1916-17, ad 1917-18, \$36,522.44. Expe

rere: 1914-15, \$28,487.17; 191 19; 19-16-17, \$31,619.08, and 191

5 The balance on hand at the of the quadremnum of \$14,512, in increased to \$15,956,80.

INFANTRY. **PART OF PROGRAM** Capt. H. D. Thomas, Hamil-onteith, Windsor; F. R. Shan-ingwood; A. H. Woodworth, J. Sinclair, Sarnia; M. J. Belleville; R. B. McGregor, -P. W. Ellis, Houlinette.

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MOUNTED RIFLES. H. Bastien, Cobalt.

d—A. A. Cole, Arthur;

, 1539 Bahurst street, Toro RAILWAY TROOPS.

ded-D. C. McCrea, Sault MEDICAL SERVICES.

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ICANS TAKE HILLS IN AIRE VALLEY FIGHT

the American Army Nort Verdun, Oct. 7.—The atta lminated in the capture hehery began this mornin and left centre troops, th of Hill 223 to the wes the Argonne, where to the left joined in the The infantry went forward ock, the troops on the eather the Aire. A heavy mist a he men good protection whi Beyond the river the me filtrated thru the valley Hill 180 and Hill 223. Then orked into the wood beyon acked and carried Hill 18 ard fighting. The Germans withdrawal of their artille ey saw the attack was successful.

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## Hertling described President Wilson's PEACE BIDS TO WEAKEN LATEST PEACE BID

ast Link in Chain of Logical and Continual Evolution.

NOT SNAP DECISION

Vienna Disclaims Offer a Made Under Stress of Military Events.

Amsterdam, Oct. 7.—An elucidation of the peace offer of the central powers is published by the Vienna newspapers. The article, which is explained as possible in this manner to come near to attaining pages heave the attaining p Amsterdam, Oct. 7.-An elucidation emanating from "well informed circles," reads as follows:

step by Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Germany is not to be regarded as a decision taken suddenly under the stress of military events. It constitutes, rather, in the history of our the way, it became clear that a unipeace policy the last link in the chain form decision of the central powers of a logical and continual evolution, regarding peace could be effected. On this day of the new German Governments entering office we are in a posi-

of our peace policy was Baron Burian's note of December, 1916. The step then ten was of a very vague character. The conditions were not described, but only indicated in broad outlines. "In the course of the development the condtions have become crystalized.

equently the idea of establishing an international court of arbin and a reduction of armament was discussed, and further, the principle of freedom of the seas was pro-claimed, and finally, the principle was set forth that economic oppression af-

claimed, and finally, the principle was set forth that economic oppression after the war must be prevented. Out of these guiding principles arose the present peace program.

"All these points, it will be recalled, were accepted by Count Czernin (former Austrian foreign minister) in speeches and interviews as a suitable basis for peace negotiations, and finally received the approval also of the German Reichstag, so that uniformity in the conception of the allies (Teutonic) thereby found expression.

"Then followed the peace note of Pope Benedict, whose proposals and fundamental ideas were accepted by us as forming an acceptable basis. Only President Wilson, in his note of Jan. 3, 1918, in his fourteen points, made proposals and proposals and made proposals and made proposals and proposals and made proposals and proposals and made proposals and made proposals and proposals and made proposals and proposals and proposals and proposal principles are question as mediator. We approach President Wilson because the points of the question as mediator. We approach President Wilson because the points of the proposal and proposals and the proposal and proposals and proposal principles are question as mediator. We approach President Wilson because the points of the points of the points of the points of the proposal principles are proposal as a requestion as mediator. We approach president Wilson because the points of the points of the points of the points of the proposal principles are proposal and propos

proposals apart from a reserve re-garding certain points, as a suitable basis for peace. The Austro-Hungar-ian delegations and the German Reichstag have declared their attitude toward the proposals in a similar manner. It should be noted also that it was always President Wilson who occupied himself with a concrete peace program, while the entente adhered to its intentions of conquest. Then came Baron Burian's last prospect for a preliminary discussion by pect for a preliminary discussion by the belligerent powers.

"The proposal was rejected by President Wilson not, however, with the intention of cutting off peace discussions, because in his speech of September 27, he again reverted to it and in an objective manner set forth the necessity of a just peace—a peace that would not be one sided, but just to both sides, and thus fulfill the principle of high juctice to all. to attaining peace, because the principle of the elimination of any one-sided preference provides for the solutions "It is first to be emphasized that this tion of a group of difficult questions

Uniform Decision. "In the consideration of the further circumstance, that owing to the internal political change in Germany, certain difficulties were cleared out of the latest internal political develop-tion to undertake a step which reaches as far back as the beginning of 1917.

"This step was not born of the events of the moment, but continually had won its way thru in the course of a natural development. "In the circumstances we expect our step will lead to rapprochement and discussion. At the same time it Pressions regarding a general and just how the entente and President Wilson will view this step. It is, however, politically justified on the ground that President Wilson representations. During February, March and April ex- expressing this hope we do not know son will view this step. It is, how-ever, politically justified on the ground that President Wilson repre-

sents sole power and is not politically bound to the entente." Not For Mediation. "In a formal manner it is also point-

Washington, Oct. 7.—Declarations of Prince Maximilian, the new German chancellor, in regard to peace, have produced the impression in Italy that the enemy, realizing the danger of his position, has decided to intensify his peace efforts in order to lessen the operations of the entente nations, says an official description.

says an official despatch today from Rome.

The Italian press, the despatch says, expresses confidence that the central powers will not succeed in convincing the peoples of the central powers. the peoples of the allied nations of their readiness to accept the allies

# AFTER LEAVE EXPIRED

City Solicitor, However, Gives His Opinion That He Has Not Forfeited His Seat.

Galt, Oct. 7 .- After three months' absence in California and seven hours after his leave expired, Mayor W. S. Dakin returned to the city this morning and occupied the chair at tonight's council meeting. Before the council got down to business, Ald. G. H. Thomas questioned the legality of the special meeting of council held on Oct. social meeting of council held on Oct. In the grant criminals of the war. The paper says there are about 500 these, beginning with the emperor, it also declares that Germany will in a clerumstances be given back her laised and that Mayor Dakin was legal and that mayor before the control over the Black Sea allowing the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain, and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain and the peace that is the method of a people trying to strike a bargain and the peace that is the method of the callies have the path the

# ALLIED WORK IN FIELD OFFER OF GERMANY

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provide funds for the erection of an up-to-date modern isolation hospital, which they deemed necessary in the interests of the public health of the city. Consideration of the petition was promised.

ENEMY HIGH COMMAND

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ADVISED PEACE OFFER

Berne, Oct. 7.—The German Government took its latest peace step upon ment took its latest peace step upon multiarism. For this provide funds for the demand for the evacuation of France and Belgium," it says, "as a condition precedent to negotiation, and Prince Maximals operations, the war office reports:

ATTEMPT AT EVADING Serbian operations, the war office reports:

Atter an energetic pursuit of the Austro-German forces, who are retiring in disorder towards the north, Prench and Serbian troops have reached by the central powers would be an admission of Germany's superiority and concede the loss of the war by the nations who are aiming to hopes to conclude a peace with permit her to exploit the peace of the demand for the evacuation of France and Belgium," it says, "as a condition precedent to negotiation, and Prince Maximillan knows that, in asking for negotiations and an armistice while the Austro-German forces, who are retiring in disorder towards the north, Prench and Serbian troops have reached by the central powers would be an admission of Germany's superiority and concede the loss of the war by the nations who are aiming to the evacuation of France and Belgium," it says, "as a condition precedent to negotiation, and Prince Maximal ports."

After an energetic pursuit of the Austro-German forces, who are retiring in disorder towards the north, Prench and Serbian troops have reached by the central powers and a number of guns, and machine guns.

"In Albania our detachments continue their advance. Debra has been been permit her to exploit the peace with the power of the Austro-German forces, who are aiming to the Austro-German forces, who are a

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Paris, Oct. 7.—The request for an armistice and the opening of peace parleys by the central powers is looked upon by the French press generally as an attempt to evade certain disaster. It is declared that Germany hopes to conclude a rease which will

RISONERS CAPTURED
IN LOCAL FIGHTING

London, Oct. 7.—Today's official statement reads:

To avoid perils and keep Turkey fighting, the central powers must build a new front on the Danube and reinforce Turkey. All they have to do this with are some 33 German and 13 Austrian divisions in Russia, but the bringing of these to the Balkans would mean the abandonment of all German gains by the Brest-Litovsk treaty.

It must be remembered, however, that

The Balkans triumph almost over-shadows that of Palestine, but the serious danger now threatening Con-stantinople will most probably compel CERTAIN CATASTROPHE the transfer of a great part of the Turkish army for the defense of her imperiled European footing.

SAY THEY WERE DESERTED. Polish Lads at Chatham Claim to Have Been Left by Father.