

"REST HOME" FOR GERMAN OFFICERS

Britain Has Fitted Up Beautiful Residence With Every Luxury.

ALL GERMAN SERVANTS

Suggestion Is That Peaceful Surroundings May Reform "Culturists."

[Canadian Press.] London, Feb. 11.—The Daily Mail says the British Government, at a cost of \$100,000, has converted Donington Hall, Leicestershire, one of the most beautiful old halls in England, into a home of rest for captured German officers, of whom it will accommodate nearly three hundred. There are about sixty acres of park land with spacious lawns and charming views across the Valley Trent. Fine Appointments. The house is finely appointed, and contains a dining-room with carved oak panels, and a carved and polished oak ceiling, a smoking lounge equal to that of a good hotel, six bathrooms with hot and cold water, and a shower bath; also a medical ward with a doctor and constant attendants. Electric light has been installed, and all the compartments are heated.

Wines Supplied. There is also a canteen from which the prisoners can obtain wines and spirits of all the principal brands. They will be waited upon by German waiters, served by German barbers, and served with food by German waiters, captured in the German ranks. Alongside the hall is an old chapel with stained-glass windows, in which a German priest will conduct services. Beneath the windows is the text of "Peace on earth, goodwill toward men."

May Reform Them. The Daily Mail says cynically: "One must suppose that the war office has really at heart the idea of reforming the Prussian officers, and by letting them work in the suggestion of beauty and peace, showing them the difference between the 'kultur' that watched Louvain burn and the culture inspired by a sunset in the valley of the Trent."

GENERAL EXONERATED. French Commander Not to Blame for Evacuation of Lille.

[Canadian Press.] Paris, Feb. 11.—The French minister, M. Millerand, has sent the following note to General Perin, who was commander of the French troops at Lille prior to its occupation by the Germans:

"I have the honor to give you confirmation in writing of our interview of February 8 that it has been absolutely established that you were in no way responsible for the evacuation of Lille in the month of August, 1914. Regarding your desire to be recalled to active service you are in the same category as other reserve officers who will be recalled as soon as needed."

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Sample Package of the Famous Pyramid Pile Remedy. Free of Charge. Offered Free to Prove What It Will Do for You. Pyramid Pile Remedy, gives quick relief, stops itching, bleeding, or protruding piles, hemorrhoids, and all other troubles, in the privacy of your own home. No a box at all druggists. A single box often cures. Free sample for trial with booklet mailed free in plain wrapper. You send us coupon below.

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Broken lines of the very best quality have been ordered to "Take a Walk" from our shelves. We do not wish to carry over any odd pairs or broken lines, so have ordered them out at prices that mean a saving of from ONE-QUARTER to ONE-HALF.

THIS SALE INCLUDES MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S SHOES.

COME IN AND SEE THE VALUES.

FOR MEN.
Included in this sale are the product of the best Canadian shoe makers in Button, Lace or Blucher pattern, high and receding toes, with heavy double, half double or single soles, in gunmetal, calf, patent, cloth, box calf, vici kid, kid and tan calf leathers. All sizes, all widths.
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Reg. \$5.00, "Take a Walk" Price, \$3.75
Reg. \$5.50, "Take a Walk" Price, \$4.12
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Children's Shoes
Regular 50c to \$3.00.
"Take a Walk" Price, 37c to \$2.25.

CASSELL BROS.
171 DUNDAS STREET.
Annual Shoe Sale.

BRITISH AVIATORS RAID DUSSELDORF DESTROY ARSENAL

[Canadian Press.] LONDON, Feb. 11.—2:40 a.m.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Rotterdam reports a British air raid over Dusseldorf.

"The Germans," according to the correspondent, "feared such a raid at Dusseldorf, recently built a secret storehouse some distance away from the arsenal into which war material and explosives from the arsenal were moved."

300 VOLUNTEERS FROM ONE STORE

London Firm Has Its Own Company At Battle Front.

AID "UNMARRIED WIVES"

British Society Says Lack of Legal Ceremony Is the Public's Fault.

[London, Feb. 2.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—One of London's oldest and largest department stores has three hundred men in one regiment, the Queen's Westminster at the front. These men are offered by members of the firm and heads of various departments of the store where they are employed. The founder of the firm, 66 years ago in the first days of volunteering, raised a company which the firm put into uniform and maintained at its own expense. This tradition has been continued ever since, and the company maintained at the store has made an enviable record in the country's militia, taking many prizes by shooting and other military activities. Thirty-five members of the company served in the South African war and 32 returning soldiers, resumed their work at the store, plenty of volunteers.

Enough employees volunteered to fill the company four times over at the outbreak of the present war and many unable to gain entrance into the regular store company, have entered other regiments. Since the store company went to the front it has been engaged almost constantly in the fighting. The question of aiding financially the unmarried wives of soldiers was taken up, and decided favorably by a vote of three to one at a general meeting of the "Soldiers' and Sailors' Families' Association" held here. This form of relief is encouraged indirectly by army regulations against marrying, and there are 1,500 such cases out of the 75,000 men enrolled in the books of the society. Aid is to be given, however, only where a real home is maintained by the woman. To help these unfortunate, is not, in the view of the majority of the committee members, the licensing of vice as asserted by the minority.

Speaking on the measure, Lord St. Audries said: "As an old soldier, I deny the gross insult that soldiers are more immoral than men of the same class in other walks of life. If the soldier has not gone through the form of marriage, it is the fault of the people of this country, who for a hundred years have discouraged soldiers from marrying while serving, because the separation allowance would come out of the taxpayers' pockets. I do not care whether the council is technically right or wrong, but I believe that in the judgment of the great majority of the people of this country they have acted in accordance with the dictates of Christianity and humanity."

FARMERS ON IRISH COAST HAVE WARNING

Must Be Prepared to Move Inland in Case of Raids.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Feb. 11.—A clipping from the weekly Chronicle of Newfoundland, County Down, Ireland, received here says: Notices have been received by the police authorities in the county of Down and in other seaboard counties to notify farmers and others that, on receipt of notification from the military, they should be prepared to move inland, without the shortest possible time, all cattle, horses, sheep, pigs, motor cars, bicycles, agricultural implements, inflammable material (including petrol).

The issue of the order is of a precautionary character in case of invasion, and is being issued throughout the United Kingdom. They are also instructed that they must provide for the transport of their livestock or eight miles inland of all articles that might prove serviceable to an enemy, in the event of a raid by air or otherwise.

BISHOP OF NOVA SCOTIA IS NOW AN ARCHBISHOP

HALIFAX, Feb. 10.—The Right Rev. Clarendon L. Worrell, lord bishop of Nova Scotia, was today elected by unanimous vote, archbishop of the ecclesiastical province of Canada, which comprises the four civil provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Quebec.

He is the first Anglican bishop of the Maritime Provinces to hold this title. The election was held at All Saints' Cathedral. The bishop of Fredericton was present. The bishops of Montreal and Quebec were unable to attend, but their votes were sent in sealed envelopes.

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Had Heart Trouble FOR YEARS

Weighted 87 lbs. Now Weighs 137 lbs.

Miss Beatrice Loughhead, Staples, Ont., writes: "I feel it my duty to tell you how I have done for my heart trouble for quite a few years. I doctored for it, and altogether my bill amounted to \$400, and still was not cured. One day when I was lying in bed, a couch close to where some almanacs were hanging, I took one down, and was reading about what Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills cured, and thought I would try them. I got six boxes to start with; have only taken three boxes and I never felt so well in my life as I do now. I only weighed 87 pounds when I started to take them, and now I weigh 138 pounds. I hope all poor sufferers will be benefited by them as I have been."

Want An Embargo On Shipments of Wheat From U.S.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Chicago bakers will co-operate with the National Master Bakers' Association in demanding that Congress place a 50-day embargo on shipments of wheat from American ports. Reports from large cities throughout the country indicate that the bakery business has materially decreased since the price of wheat has risen. In Chicago, 360 bakers went out of business in the month of January, according to B. H. Doshier, president of the Master Bakers.

HUGHES CENTRE OF STORM IN CAUCUS

Bitterly Criticised For Handling of Contingent—Premier Urges Peace.

[Special to The Advertiser.] OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—There was trouble at the Conservative caucus with Major-General Sam Hughes, the minister of militia, as the storm centre. He was playfully told that the manner in which he handled the men and the contracts for first Canadian expeditionary force had cost the Conservative party many thousand votes in various parts of Canada. Among those who criticized were R. B. Bennett, of Calgary, and one of the men who organized the Princess Patricia's Regiment, W. E. Nickel, of Kingston; Major Sam Sharp, of North Ontario; and Claude McDonald, of South Toronto.

It is learned that General Hughes replied with great heat to his party critics, and told Mr. Bennett that he was no service to the Conservatives in the East or in the West. He had opposed the Government's Canadian Northern aid measure last session, and it was commonly stated in Alberta in the last general election, instead of two Conservative members being returned from that province, there should have been at least twelve Conservatives sent to Ottawa from Alberta.

The difference became so acute that Premier Borden was compelled to intervene and such his followers to endeavor to keep the peace until the close of the war.

The caucus lasted for three hours, and the members separated with feelings of bitterness which were freely voiced in the corridors.

It is stated that there will not be another Government caucus for some time.

WHICH WILL YOU HAVE, BRAN OR RICE BREAD?

[Canadian Press.] Rome, Feb. 11.—Two different types of bread are being experimented with here. One contains twelve per cent of rice and the other the same proportion of bran. King Victor Emmanuel and Premier Salandra tested both kinds of bread and found it excellent, they said. It is expected Parliament will be asked to make a bill authorizing the Government to make such bread compulsory, should the necessity arise.

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GREAT SHIPMENT OF TABLE LINENS DIRECT FROM IRELAND

We have received from Ireland this week the most varied assortment of Table Linens (including Bordered Table Cloths and Napkins in Sets) we have ever shown at any one time, all of which, being purchased months ago when prices were normal, makes these prices most significant, and we can safely say that the price advantage on every item in this shipment is at least from 10 to 20 per cent below present quotations. There is much talk now of cotton replacing linen even for table cloths owing to the scarcity of the flax, but for this season we are better than ever supplied with the good old Irish Linens, and at prices as favorable as ever offered at this store, and will be so as long as we can procure the goods. A beautiful assortment of sets are displayed this week at from \$5.75 to \$35.00 a set. SEE DUNDAS STREET WINDOW.

50 Sets 2x2 Table Cloth and Napkins

In this size we show a variety of beautiful designs in Pure Irish Linen Damask. One dozen napkins with each cloth. Prices: \$5.75, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$10.75, \$11.25, \$13.00, \$14.25, \$16.50 and \$17.75 per set.

120 Sets 2x2 1/2 Table Cloth and Napkins

Many new designs, together with the standard patterns and conventional designs. Prices: \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$8.75, \$9.75, \$10.50, \$11.25, \$11.50, \$12.50, \$13.50, \$14.50, \$16.50, \$18.75 and \$21.00 per set.

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15 Sets, 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 Cloth and Napkins. Prices \$8.00 up to \$27.50 set
58 Sets, 2 x 3 Cloths and Napkins. Prices \$6.50 up to \$28.50 set
35 Sets, 2 1/2 x 3, Cloths and Napkins. Prices \$13.75 up to \$27.50 set
23 Sets, 2 1/2 x 3 1/2, Cloths and Napkins. Prices \$7.50 up to \$35.00 set

The designs in above sets are in Carnation, Tulip, Orchid, Shamrock, Rose, Poppy, Ivy Festoon, Dahlias on Satin Band, Tulip and Marguerite; stripe ornamental borders, scroll, conventional, Louis XIX., Union Garland, Oak and Acorn Festoon, Sweet Pea, Chrysanthemum, and many other beautiful designs. See this great collection and make your Table Linen purchases for future use while such values may be obtained. Mail orders filled free. Delivery by Parcel Post.

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Ladies' Dress Skirt of All-Wool Serge, pleat at side and back from deep yoke. Closing at side. Yoke button trimmed, 2 1/2 yards wide. Black only. Price \$6.50
Ladies' Dress Skirt of Serge, in both regular and oversize band, pleats at side, front gore with tuck, yoke and tuck finished with braid binding, tuck button trimmed; side closing. Black only. Regular band. \$5.00. Bands 30 to 36; at \$5.75
Ladies' Dress Skirt of All-Wool Serge, plain tailored pleats at side and back from yoke, deep yoke closing at side; button trimming. Colors navy, also black, 2 1/2 yards wide. Price \$5.00
Ladies' Dress Skirt of Men's Wear Serge, in v-necked pleats at side and back from deep yoke. Yoke trimmed with military braid and buttons. Made in navy, also black. Price \$10.00
Ladies' Dress Skirt of Silk Poplin, inverted pleat at back, panel front with tuck, narrow yoke. Button trimmings. Black only. Regular bands. Price \$10.00
Ladies' Dress Skirt of Crepe Cloth in Black only, pleated back, deep yoke, closing at side. Regular bands. Price \$10.00

CLEARINGS IN INFANTS' WEAR

Beardcloth Pocket Robes for the buggy. Splendid quality at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$2.75. On sale for \$1.50 and \$1.95 each
Tan Teddy Buggy Pocket Robes. Regular \$3.00, for \$1.95
Cashmere Hose, in colors tan, pink and sky. Sizes 4 and 4 1/2. Regular 25c, for 12 1/2c
Infants' Soled Booties at HALF-PRICE
Rubber Diapers for baby, a large assortment of styles. Prices 25c to \$1.00 pair
Flannelette Kimonos, pink, tan or blue ground with colored figures. For children 2 and 3 years. Price \$1.00 and \$1.25

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A beautiful collection of High-Grade Valentine Cards and other Stationery
Valentine Table Napkins at 5c dozen
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Red Crepe Paper, 10 feet long 10c roll
White Crepe Paper, 10 feet long 10c roll
Plain Red Tissue Paper 3 sheets for 5c

Lunch Special, 3 to 5:30.
Cold Roast Turkey, Bread and Butter and Cup of Tea or Coffee
Special, 20c.

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France To Permit Marriage By Proxy For Busy Soldiers

PARIS, Feb. 10.—7 p.m.—Minister of Justice Briand, with the approval of M. Millerand, the minister of war, has given his approval to the proposed bill which would allow soldiers who are unable to leave the front to contract marriages by proxy.

NOT A HOUSE LEFT ON MANUA ISLANDS

Pacific Archipelago Swept by a Hurricane.

REWARDS FOR BRAVERY TO CONFER AT HAGUE

Senate Allows American Sailors to Have Canadian Watches.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, Feb. 11.—A Senate bill authorizing the state department to deliver to Capt. P. H. Ueberroth and Gunner Carl Johansson, both of the revenue cutter service, watches tendered to them by the Canadian Government for bravery in saving the lives of the crew of the wrecked British schooner S. A. Pounds, on December 16, 1910, was passed by the House late last night. It now goes to the President.

MANY IN LONDON USE FAMOUS COMPOUND

The famous mixture of Buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler's-Ka, is much used here in London. This is the most complete bowel cleanser ever sold, being even used successfully in appendicitis. Just ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, "grit" or "lumpy" stomach. ON MINUTE after Adler's-Ka is taken the gasses rumble and pass out—the INSTANT action is surprising. W. Strong, druggist.

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