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Aug. 1.—Hon. Pascal Poirer, one of the remaining senators, Sir John Macdonald, made a patriotic speech in the senate of the national service, like many others, to the effect of conscription, he yet to repudiate his former position. He saw danger facing the country, and he was not a man to be easily won over. He called to arms the patriotic Canadians, and said that the Canadians are standing by the national service.

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EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

Smart Tailoring Distinguishes the New Modes in Women's Suits

Here, in some of their varied phases, may be seen the chic models designed for this season. The coats are longer, and the Fashion authorities have decreed that they may be either formal or informal as to tailoring—so long as they be altogether modish in line. Indeed, some of the most delightful suits are quite remote from simplicity of tailoring, while, on the other hand, there are equally attractive types, designed according to the dictates of the severely plain and dignified modes.

Some of the Friday Bargains

Blouses

A large collection of Canadian and American manufacturers' overcoats and odd lots of white voile blouses. Fronts of fine embroidered organdy, outlined with neat tuckings and with touches of Val. insertions. All have large collar collars. All sizes in the lot. Friday, 50c.

Charming Velle Blouses, one each having an embroidered pattern in pink or blue, and a large, flat collar edged with satin. Others have gingham collars. Reg. \$2.75 to \$2.95. Friday, \$1.95.

Crope de Chine, Silk and Georgette Crope Waists, some having a wide, embroidered, hemstitching, and clusters of small tucks, have satin collars; others have convertible collars and tuckings. Colors: ivory, flesh, maize, navy, Copenhagen, rose, and black. Sizes 24 to 34. Reg. \$2.95 to \$3.00. Friday, \$1.95.

Older Blouse Suits and imported fancy plain and fine check gingham Dresses. The middie suits have striped skirts of pink and white or navy and white, with separate middie having collar and cuffs of same material. The other styles are of plain, pink, or red combination, with large collar of same or fine lawn. A few in plain chambray have narrow braid trimmings; others in fine black, gingham, have high waist, with collar and cuffs of plain chambray. Sizes 14 to 18 years. Reg. \$2.00 to \$2.95. Friday, \$1.00.

Older Imported Dresses of ruy, plain and striped chambray and beach cloth, made with touches of smoking on waist and cuffs, with fine lawn collar having Val. insertions or collar of fine pique. A few are in middie style with skirts of blue or pink ruy and white middie with cuffs, and belt of same material; others are in straight effect with fancy pockets and showing a high waist line. Colors: pink, blue, tan, and brown. Sizes 14 to 18 years. Reg. \$2.50 to \$3.00. Friday, \$1.75 to \$2.25.

Women's Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, all white or with colored borders, in a range of dainty patterns. Quality hemstitched, with counter-rolled. Reg. 25c each. Friday, 2 for 25c.

Imitation Maltese and Cluny Lace, in a varied assortment of neat designs, in widths to 2 1/2 inches; one dozen yards on card. Reg. 60c and 75c per dozen yards. Friday, 25c.

—Main Floor, Yonge St.



In materials, one of the charming new fabrics is silver tone velours—a name given it on account of its lustrous sheen and velvety pile. Plain velours, burella cloths and broadcloths are high in favor, as well as Winter-weight gabardines, poplins and serges.

Among the new shades are beet-root, wine, purple, Java brown, navy blue, Russian green.

As to modes, the half-dozen suits in the sketch are characteristic of the smart styles, the skirts being pleated and gathered, but all falling in straight lines. Prices, \$25.00 to \$75.00.

Third Floor, James St.



More of the Friday Bargains

Women's Underwear

Women's Nightgowns have round neck and yoke of fine Swiss embroidery. In several pretty designs with a row of ribbon-run heading and a wide edge at the neck, the short set-in sleeves are also edged with lace. Lengths 40 to 50 inches. Reg. \$1.00 and \$1.25. Friday, 50c.

Women's Corsets "Half Price." This is a clearance of odd and ends. Half price, also a few counter-rolled. In the lot are low, medium and high bust models with medium and long hips. Some lace in front; others all in one line but sizes 20 to 28 in the lot. (For this item we cannot take phone or mail orders. The quantity being limited.) Reg. \$2.75 to \$3.00. Friday, 85c to \$2.00.

Women's combinations of cotton, lisle thread, and haliburgan, also a few mercerized lisle and Perle Knit garments in the lot. They have necks with wide or no sleeves, some having lace yokes in front, others are finished with heading. The drawers are tight or loose knee style, the latter finished with lace. (For this item we cannot take phone or mail orders. The quantity being limited.) Reg. 80c to \$1.25. Friday, 45c.

Women's Princess Skirt, Combinations and Drawers. They are made of cotton and nainsook, and are trimmed with lace, embroideries and ribbon bows. Not all sizes in any one lot, but sizes 20 to 42 in the lot. (For this item we cannot take phone or mail orders. The quantity being limited.) Reg. 75c to \$1.00. Friday, 45c to 50c.

Children's Vests and Drawers, of cotton, lisle thread and haliburgan. A new "Furor Knit" garments. The vests have low necks, short or no sleeves. The drawers are tight or loose knee style, trimmed with lace. Sizes 4 to 14 years in the lot. Friday, 2 for 25c.

—Third Floor, Queen St.

Neckwear

A collection of Neckwear in variety of the season's new styles. Includes square, round collar and cuff sets, some finished with plain borders, while others have hemstitched hems, trimmed with buttons, and colored embroidered designs. They may be had in the square or spallate styles. Also in fine lawn, colored and bordered silks, Georgettes, Koolon cloth and crash collars. Friday, 25c.

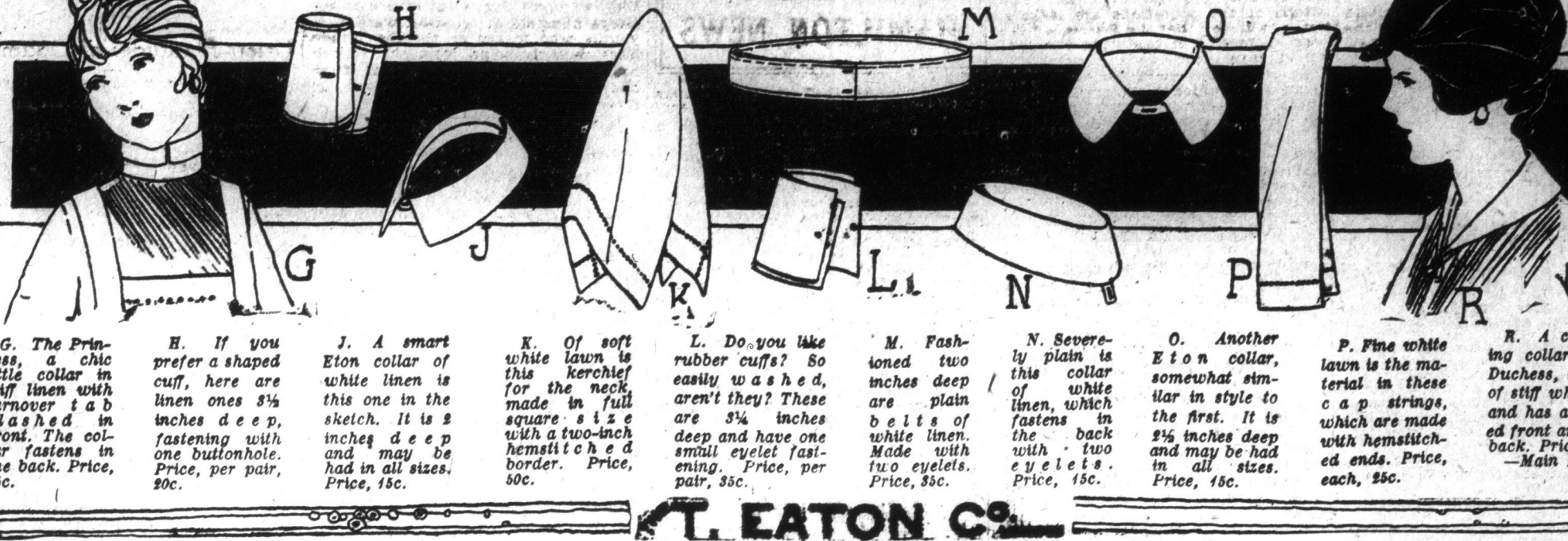
—Main Floor, Yonge St.

Take Advantage of the August Sales

THE August Furniture and House Furnishing Sales offer many opportunities for saving. In furniture, draperies and floor coverings there will be special attractions each day. Watch for the announcements in the daily papers. Come early and come often.

Of Interest to Nurses -- Kerchiefs, Collars and Cuffs Which Make for Immaculateness

Little Accessories in Stiff Linen and Soft, Snowy Lawn—Small in Themselves, But Nevertheless an Inseparable Part of Every Crisp, Smart Uniform. Our Artist Has Sketched the Several Pieces Which We Herewith Describe:



G. The Princess, a chic little collar in stiff linen with turnover and slash. Price, 15c.

H. If you prefer a shaped cuff, here are linen ones 3 1/2 inches deep, fastening with one buttonhole. Price, per pair, 20c.

I. A smart white collar of white linen is this one in the sketch. It is 8 inches deep and may be had in all sizes. Price, 15c.

J. Of soft white lawn is this kerchief made in full square size with a two-inch hemstitch and a border. Price, 50c.

K. Do you like rubber cuffs? So easily washed, aren't they? These are 3 1/2 inches deep and have one small eyelet fastening. Price, per pair, 35c.

L. Fashioned two inches deep are plain white linen cuffs. Price, 35c.

M. Severely plain is this collar of white linen, which fastens in the back with two eyelets. Price, 15c.

N. Another Eton collar, somewhat similar in style to the first. It is 3 1/2 inches deep and may be had with hemstitch ends. Price, each, 25c.

O. Fine white lawn is the material in these cap strings, which are made with hemstitch ends. Price, each, 25c.

P. A cool-looking collar is the Duchess, which is of stiff white linen and has a V-shaped neck and round back. Price, 15c.

—Main Floor, Centre.

The Great Uncertainty in Canadian Politics

The World is baffled over the political situation in Canada at this moment; so is the country and so are the politicians on both sides at Ottawa. Nobody or section, however, seems to have the matter in hand.

If there is any control it is outside of the regular political organization at Ottawa, and is in favor of concentrated in the two cyclonic centres that are developing—one this week in Toronto, the other next week at Winnipeg, which is to open here today, both Sir William Hearst, the Conservative premier of the province, and Sir N. W. Rowell, the leader of the Liberal opposition in Ontario, are to make speeches; and while delegates from both parties and no party are to be heard. A large delegation of women are also to be heard.

The meeting at Winnipeg next Tuesday is to be of Liberals who, it is said, will declare in favor of conscription, in favor of a unionist government and to win the war as early as possible.

Sir Robert Borden, leader of the Conservative party, is believed to be very much in favor of a unionist government, and has made offers in that direction to certain Liberals who are members of the Dominion House, and to other Liberals who are outside of the house. It is also believed that he reached some kind of an understanding with Sir Clifford Sifton, leader of the Liberal opposition, and that Sir Clifford Sifton is making speeches and interviewing local politicians and premiers out there, and practically taking some kind of message from Sir Robert Borden. Apparently Borden and Sifton have an understanding.

Western Political Situation

Winnipeg, Aug. 1.—The General Ministerial Association of Winnipeg, comprising clergy of several denominations, has adopted unanimously a number of strong resolutions dealing with the public affairs of Canada. Dealing with war conditions, one resolution passed by the association regrets the failure to initiate a national government at the outset of the war in order to attempt "to conduct the war on a basis of the best interests of the people by party patronage."

The resolution continues: "We deem it the duty of all good citizens, without respect to party affiliations, to unite upon a platform of principles that will exclude every feature of party politics, every atom of proffering and increase mobilizing of the best resources in brain and brawn, wealth and influence, to bring the present war to an end that will be honorable to our country."

The association also went on record as in favor of making it a criminal offense for companies holding charter

STORMY PETREL RETURNS.

Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 1.—Interest in political circles in this city has been quickened by news from friends of Joseph Martin, K.C., that on his return here in a couple of weeks he will proceed to take a hand in unraveling the situation in the Dominion. Mr. Martin, it is said, has tired of London life and has decided to quit his seat for East St. Pancras and seek re-election to the Canadian House of Commons, possibly as Liberal candidate in this city. Martin, who was born at Milton, Ont., in 1852, was former attorney-general and minister of education, 1893-6, and was attorney-general, minister of education and premier of British Columbia. He was elected to the British Parliament in 1910.

The Rogers Controversy. Winnipeg, Aug. 1.—The Tribune makes a slashing attack on the commission which exonerated Hon. Robert Rogers today. It is an editorial reply to a page editorial on the same subject in The Telegram, which suggested that Justice Galt be impeached, and concludes a withering attack of the McLeod-Tellier committee by saying: "If this finding is to stand, and if it is to be operative with Sir Robert Borden, as it apparently is, then Justice Galt should be impeached. If Justice Galt is not to be impeached, Sir Ezekiel McLeod and Justice Tellier should be ignominiously removed from the bench, or have their pensions withdrawn, and Hon. Mr. Rogers should be forced to leave the government."

Ignore British Columbia. A Winnipeg despatch to The Toronto Star yesterday said: "That British Columbia will figure largely in the convention of western Liberals seems doubtful, and it looks rather that the other three provinces will be left to go it alone. It appears as though the convention managers have not pressed the Pacific coast province to send delegates; the management of invitations and arrangements seems to have been left considerably to the grain growers, whereas British Columbia's interests differ widely. The grain growers want a large measure of free trade, while British Columbia is inclined to protection."

Coast Mystified. A Vancouver despatch to The Star says: The Sun (Liberal) had the following comment to make on the situation: "The general query is: What part are the Liberals of British Columbia going to take in the convention at Winnipeg, which has been called in the name of the Liberal party here as well as in the other three provinces? Eastern newspapers devote much attention to this province and its probable action, even

HAD FACED DEATH OFTEN IN AIR SCOUT SQUADRON

Lieut. R. Roy Riggs Wrote Fateful Letter to Friends in Dunlop Company's Office.

Flight-Lieut. R. Roy Riggs, R.F.C., son of Dr. C. H. Riggs, who was yesterday reported killed in action, somewhere in France, was secretary to Mr. J. W. Western, general manager of the Dunlop Rubber Company.

Lieut. Riggs took a special infantry course in Toronto last summer; then, in the fall, he went to England on his account to try for the Flying Corps. After a preliminary training he was sent to Egypt for schooling in actual flying. Lieut. Riggs returned to England this spring for final work, and in May went to France, "posted to a squadron using the fastest and best scout machines."

Just recently a letter was received at the Dunlop Company from Lieut. Riggs telling of his getting on the firing line in France. In the communication he spoke of his first encounter with the Hun airmen, and depicted the terrible sensations that first came over one when bullets are sizzling around the machine, thousands of feet up in the air. "To one who reads between the lines, it was a letter that really foreshadowed what has transpired."

War Convention TODAY

Convention meets. Meeting and Rally. Concert, Queen's Own. Great War Veterans. High Gaiters M.P. Sir William Hearst, M.P.P. N. W. Rowell, M.P.P. Morning. Convention meets. At Ontario hold a meeting. ALL AT ARENA. Main Floor, Toronto. Announcement on Page 5.

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