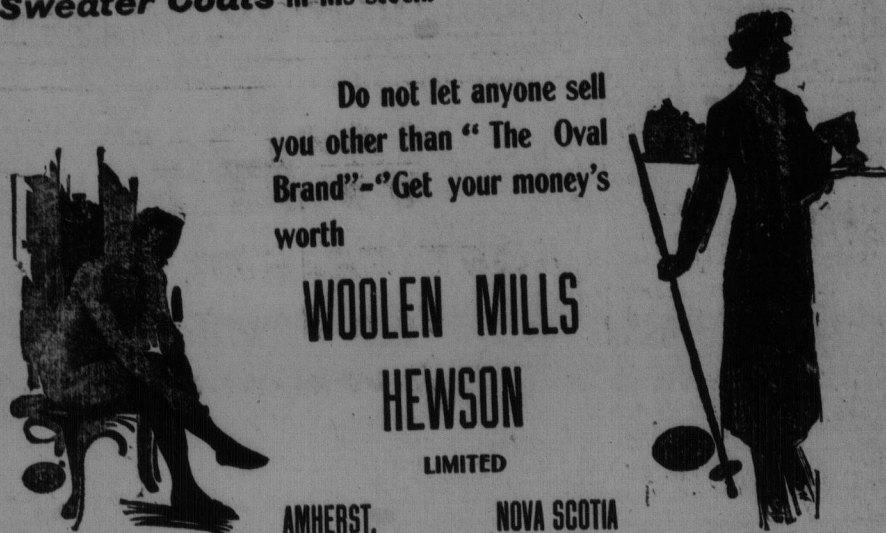


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CATALOGUE ON REQUEST

SOAP AND RABBIT.

An angry woman walked into a grocer's shop in Harlem and banged a piece of yellow substance on the counter. "This," she announced sarcastically, "is the soap that does the washing itself. It's the soap that makes washing a pleasure. It's the soap that—"

man. "Then that accounts for the other thing."

"What other thing?"

"Why, I lay awake all night, wondering what made the Welsh rabbit we had taste so queer."—New York Press.

NEW RAILWAY SHOPS.

Calgary, Alb., Dec. 15.—The C. P. R. have awarded the contract for construction of their \$2,500,000 railway shops here, to the Westinghouse Church Kerr Company, of New York and Chicago.

First Comedian—"George Washington was the first American to make the flag FAMOUS."
Second Comedian—"Yes, but George Cohan was the first to make it PAY."

LAWYERS ARE CLOSING OLD ENGLISH INNS

License That is Necessary for Sale of Alcoholic Beverages is Too Heavy for Many.

There are excellent country hotels left in England still. There is a hotel in Gloucester, says the London Daily Mail, and another in Wisbech, where the hungry traveller can dine in a grand old English way. But the proprietor of each is a survival. There is a little hotel in a tiny Dorset town where food and wine may be had of supreme quality. But the proprietor is a well-to-do yeoman. He only keeps the hotel in order to keep his old as a lodger. His forefathers kept it before him and he keeps the cellar stocked and supplies the house in poultry and vegetables from his own land.

There is a little hotel in a Wiltshire village where a gifted landlord has saddled with an additional license charge that will render his business unprofitable unless he can contrive to sell more beer. Hundreds of country hotels have been raised by the operations of the licensing system to inflated values which the individual innkeeper cannot afford to risk, so they have passed into the ownership of limited liability companies and are managed by an employee without a conception of the humanity and poetry of life that is the glory of the true host.

There was no long drinking bar in a Wiesbaden hotel. There was no provision of any kind for stand-up drinking. German law and German custom neither enforces nor permits such a barbarous outrage on comfort. But in England such a hotel could not be run at a commercial profit unless either it charged excessive prices or sacrificed its comfort, character and kitchen to the increasing of its liquor turnover.

HINDUS MAY BRING THEIR WIVES AND FAMILIES TO CANADA

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—The Sikhs' delegation which came to Ottawa last week seeking a relaxation of the immigration regulations as applied to Hindus, received its official answer from the government today. It is that Hindus now in Canada will be allowed to bring their families into the country under strict regulation, otherwise there will be no change and the regulation providing for \$209 and continuous passage from India will remain in force.

Permission to bring in wives and families affects about 4,000 Hindus chiefly in British Columbia. The deputation was well satisfied, and leave for the west tonight. The government will send a man to the coast to study the situation.

QUEBEC C HOUSES NEW SPEAKER FOR

Quebec, Dec. 15.—C. F. Delage, deputy speaker of the Quebec legislature, has been chosen speaker of that body to succeed Hon. Dr. Pelletier, recently appointed as the Province of Quebec agent in London, England. Mr. Delage's name will be submitted to the Quebec legislature at the next session in January for approval.

MUST HAVE BRIDE BY END OF THE WEEK

Connecticut Girls are Said to Be Eager Concerning Heir to Philip Corbin's \$5,000,000 Estate.

Meriden, Conn., Dec. 14.—Marriageable young women of this section regard Charles F. Corbin, son of the late Philip Corbin, head of the American Hardware Company, as a bachelor of the most provoking type. Next Saturday is the date for the final settlement of the \$5,000,000 estate of Philip Corbin and unless his son marries before that date or can show a bona fide engagement to marry he will lose the income on \$75,000.

Mr. Corbin is not really in need of the \$3,750 a year which his father held out as a lure to the matrimonial market. He was left \$150,000 outright and the income of \$75,000, which was to be doubled in case he married. If he has had his eye on that additional income, he has not taken his friends into his confidence, and they have been reticent about asking him as he tried marriage before and wound up in the divorce court. His intimates quote the old adage about the burned child dreading fire, but that doesn't lessen the nervousness of the marriageable female population as the date for the final distribution of the estate draws near.

Mr. Corbin has been spoken well of by the women since his father's estate was filed for probate in November, 1910, but his popularity with the sex may be short-lived if he proves equal to the test of sacrifice \$3,750 a year for the delights of single blessedness.

THE TERRA NOVA IN QUEST OF THE SOUTH POLE BY NEW ROUTE

Christ Church, Zealand, Dec. 15.—Capt. Robert Scott's exploring ship, the Terra Nova, sailed today for the Antarctic. The Terra Nova which goes to seek the south pole will not take the same journey as will Amundsen, who is going by way of the Beardmore glacier.

PAPERS MUST PAY POSTAGE ON EXTRA ELECTION COPIES

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—Postmaster General Pelletier has decided that newspapers which mailed campaign numbers to people other than subscribers, during the federal election, must pay the postage. The matter caused quite a furor after the campaign, and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux remitted the charges. The new Postmaster General reverses this decision.

The schoolmaster of a certain village asked his pupils the following question: "Suppose in a family there are five children, and the mother had only four potatoes between them. Now, she wants to give every child an equal share. What is she going to do?" Silence reigned in the room. Everybody calculated very hard, till a little fellow stood up and gave, to the great surprise of the schoolmaster, the following unexpected answer: "Mash the potatoes, sir."

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A pair of Skating Boots.

For Girls

Hockey Boots
School Boots
Party Slippers
Felt Slippers
Rubber Boots
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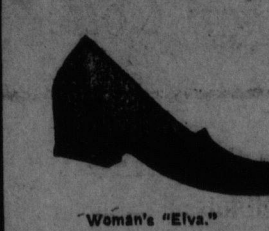
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