But Overcome All Difficulties Pte. McKerchar Writes of Gallantly.

BABY HARD TO BORROW HIS GRAVE DUG FOR HIM

Actress, Believing Her In Danger.

(By One of Those Taking Part.) late and a good deal of splendid light branch of the bank here. In addition, was wasted. Then, when we did get he casts an interesting light on the atstarted, we struck a bad piece of road titude of the men in the trenches toon the Wharncliffe road, just south of ward the war. His letter reads: the city, and two of the cars were stranded for an hour. With the aid of

BANK OF TORONTO **BOYS FROM LONDON** HAVE GAINED FAME

Their Tortures.

Outsider Goes To Rescue of But He Still Lives and Expects To Fight Again in

Spring. The fate of the boys from the Bank It never rains but it pours. That is of Toronto, London branch, who have the way trouble came to the local gone overseas is told in a letter from movie party on Thursday. To start Pte. John S. McKerchar to Frank D. with, a number of the fair sex were Copeland, manager of the East End

"H" Section, Hut 3, Canadian Hospital Farm Camp, Epsom, England, Jan. 3, 1917.

of the whole party shoving a limousine from a deep drift. Another hold-up necessitated the retaking of a scene on Queen's avenue, when a horse, attached to a delivery wagon ran away and got mixed up in a scene that was been taken.

The race scene between the villain's ar and the hero's party, which ends are at the front. Durno's case, you are doubtless aware of. Well, I ran across Sergt. L. W.

Hopwood and regret to say that he has contracted consumption of the lungs, though, like Durno, he has been able to secure attention at an early date. His frlend, Pte. R. J. Kirke, late of London branch, was also down to see me. He is the proud possesor of an articial leg and of the Royal Humane Society Medal for saving a lady from drowning while his stump was still in the bank mcLean from acton mechanics wards. Including \$400 more received by Allan McLean from acton some contracted in the fate of some of them. McLean from acton mechanics aware of them. McLean from McLean from acton mechanics aware of them. McLean from acton mechanics aware to some awards \$1,500.

A subscription from the Hospital for the lungs, though, like Durno, he has been along the proves and the proceeds of a subscription of

th only a few bruises.

A number of scenes were taken at a grounds of "Waverly," Mrs. Smalling residence. Mrs. Smallman enterned the staff and performers to light reshments.

Snapping London's Finest.

Scenes introducing the local police lift, the mayor and other city officials were taken at the city hall and like staff on A mob scene gave scope

Child Was Nervous, Irritable, Tired Out

She Had No Appetite, and Her Complexion Was Pale and Sallow.

How many parents realize the strain | lifeless and drowsy and her complexion which going to school means to the grew pale and sallow. Finally she had child who is naturally nervous and of to keep her bed and have somebody with

hild who is naturally hervous and of the time. She was afraid of You see them come from the schools everything, would get excited and

delicate health?
You see them come from the schools daily with pale faces, many wearing glasses, and looking tired and worn. At home they are irritable, do not sleep well at nights, and are upset by a little exite excitement.

If they are to grow to healthy manhood and womanhood their systems ment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food deswords for children in this condition. We are constantly receiving fetters from grateful parents telling what the Nerve Food has done for their children.

This one is a fair sample:

Mrs. Stephen Hartman, Italy Cross, Lunenburg County, N. S., writzs: "My left left and worn. Sailly went he doctor's treatment, mother decided and tremble till the bed would shake. As she seemed to be getting worse under, and they when the other charges are disposed when th

Lunenburg County, N. S., writes: "My her. little-sister at eleven years of age became nervous, irritable and seemed all for \$2.50, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates tired out. She had no appetite, was & Co., Limited, Toronto.

BOOST UP PATRIOTIC FUND

Treasurer Becoming Confident That the Total Will Reach \$365,000.

The patriotic and Red Cross fund still ontinues to mount steadily upwards towards the \$365,000 mark, a thousand dollars for every day in the year. Hon. Treasurer D. D. McLean, manager of the Bank of Commerce, and others closely associated with what has occurred since the wind-up of the grand three days' canvass, are becoming more confident each hour that before all returns are in the original objective of \$200.000 will be overded by the bast least rns are in the original objective of 00,000 will be exceeded by at least

\$65,000.

One of the most gratifying features of the campaign has been the manner in which volunteer subscribers have come forward with their offerings in the past two days. Notwithstanding the thoroughness of the canvass, it was unavoidable that some people should be overlooked owing to change of residence or other causes.

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Again, in the limited time for the anvass, there was a limit to the number of return visits that could be made ven by the most indefatigable can-assers.

Subscriptions have been coming in all forenoon to the headquarters in the Bank of Commerce chambers and to Hon. Treasurer A. D. McLean in the bank, ranging all the way from \$2 to \$25 at the headquarters and in the bank reaching as high as \$368.

George A. Benson, a former member of the 63rd Battery here, is alleged to have had a scheme to make soldiering pay, but he ran foul of the police. He joined the battery last fall, and this January, he decided that a move or a change of air would do him good. In order to make a good job of it, it is alleged he succeeded in getting a couple of checks from Manly Wankel and H. F. Dennis, members of the battery, which he cashed. The proceeds went to his health fund. Detroit was his place of abode, and there he took unto himself a wife. He returned to London the other day, and the detectives got hold of him, and this morning he answered three charges, one of desertion, another of theft, and still another of theft and forgery.

Henry Macklin, J.P., and Ald. S. R. Manness presided, and found him guilty of desertion. On the other two charges, not pronounced for desertion, and it is expected that he will be dealt with when the other charges are disposed of.

John Rumford, who was employed by

VOLUNTEER SUBSCRIPTIONS THE IMPORTANT

to remember with regard to Zam-Buk is that, unlike ordinary ointments, Zam-Buk is so refined that it is capable of penetrating to the seat of the trouble, which in the case of skin diseases and old sores is found in the diseased underlying tissues. This is due to the fact that Zam-Buk contains no animal fat or coarse mineral drugs whatever, but is entirely of herbal origin. Ordinary cintments, on the contrary, owing to the animal fat and mineral drugs contained in them, are incapable of penetrating beneath the surface skin, so that the relief, if any, can be only temporary.

In addition to this, Zam-Buk is a strong germicide, and having reached the underlying tissues, it destroys all germs and thoroughly cleanses the diseased parts. Then Zam-Buk's healing essences promote the growth of new skin and a per-

manent cure results. Zam-Buk is best not only for old sores, eczema, and all skin diseases, but also for blood-poisoning, ulcers, abscesses, boils, scalp sores, piles, burns, scalds, cuts and all skin injuries. All druggists and stores, or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, 50c. box. 2



VOICE OF THE

W. C. M. Robertson, a farmer residing in London Township, wrote that the canvassers had called on him last year, and he was expecting them again. Since they had overlooked him, he was forwarding his check for \$50. The sum of \$169.50 was received from the Technical School; \$100 from Fashion Craft, tailors; and an additional subscription from Woolworth & Co. One of the largest subscriptions received by Mr. Nelles at headquarters was the sum of \$25, with which a young man called.

Mrs. Allan McLean yesterday afternoon received a subscription for \$240 from F. P. Riddell. Mrs. D. McLean had an additional \$150, probably the final gleanings of her team.

Among all who have taken part in the canvass, none have worked more strenuously or unobtrusively than the members of the staff of the Bank of Commerce. Following their regular duties each day, they have cheerfully remained until 10, 11 and 12 o'clock each night, checking over subscriptions and entering them up, counting money and doing all the similar necessary grind work involved by such a canvass.

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CANDY SPECIAL FOR SAT-URDAY.

100 pounds of Chocolate Peanut Clusters, a popular favorite with everyone. While it lasts Saturday

CORTESE ORCHESTRA Saturday afternoon, Main Floor, Bal-

cony and Restaurant. A Free Sample Bottle of Perfume with every sale at Toilet Demonstration Counter Saturday.

5 dozen Voile Blouses Saturday, 98c each

These are prettily trimmed with val. insertion, lace and embroidered effects, long sleeves, V neck and square collar trimmed with cluster of pin tucks; sizes 34 to 44. Special 98c each

Children's Underwear, Half-Price

This will include a quantity of Cream Cotton Vests, high neck and long sleeves, and drawers angle length to match; also Cream Spun Silk Vests, low neck, short or long sleeves; SECOND FLCOR.

Whitewear Specials

Ladies' Fitted Corset Covers of good quality white cotton, seams double stitched, neck and arms finished with binding; Five dozen Slipover Nightgowns of fine white cotton, neck and sleeves trimmed with lace. Special75c each Five dozen White Petticoats of splendid quality cotton, prettily trimmed with embroidery and lace. Special .. \$1.25 each

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Special Bleached Twill Sheeting, 70 inches 28c yard
Special Bleached Longcloth, 36 inches 10c vard
Special Egyptian Longcloth, 36 inches:
Or 24-yard pieces for \$4.25 piece
Special Heavy Factory Cotton, 36 inches 121/2c yard
Special White Flannelette, 27 inches
Also sale of Wrapperettes, good colors121/2 c yard

Linen Dept. Specials Saturday

These astonishing values for Saturday's selling in Linen Department should appeal to eager buyers, as real savings on popular merchandise. Take advantage of this E turday. In

some cases quantities are limited. 56-INCH UNBLEACHED KITCHEN DAMASK, 50c YARD. Two pieces only Heavy Union Kitchen Damask, floral design, 56 inches wide. Saturday special only.......50c per yard 66-INCH FINE SATIN DAMASK AT \$1.35 PER YAPD. Your choice of three designs in delightful quality Satin Damask, spot, pansy and conventional, at last year's prices; 66 inches. Only\$1.35 7ard 20-INCH MERCERIZED TABLE NAPKINS, \$1.75 DOZEN. For a general purpose napkin for good hard wear this is a splendid napkin, 20 inches, in extra heavy, firm cloth, re-

sembling linen in every particular, excellent quality for boarding house or cafe use. Special\$1.75 dezen HUCKABACK BEDROOM TOWELS, \$3.35 DOZEN. 50 dozen only, balance of old stock and exceptional value, allwhite, also red border. While they last58c pair

Smallman & Ingram Guarantee the Accuracy of Every Statement Regarding Merchandise and Value

Since it has become our policy not to make use of comparative prices or estimated values of merchandise in our advertisements, but that our policy of special sales shall be continued even more vigorously in future than in the past, such shall be designated and the importance of same made known by plain and simple announcements. The term "sale price" will be applicable only to merchandise reduced in price or purchased at a reduction for special sales, and where used you may depend that we consider it means something to you.

Smart Spring Suits Now Showing for the First Time

Those most recent arrivals further accentuate the newer touches of style. Very smart are the new spring models in suits with their bright colorings, twill stitchings, collars and pockets forming the special features; collars showing sailor effects smartly stitched or embroidered; pockets in great variety of shapes, saddle, slipper, patch and full gathered; buttons are also a feature, many being tinted to harmonize with the colors used in trimmings; styles are Moyen age, baby empire, straight lines and a few strictly-tailored garments; checks will be very popular in velours, worsteds in black and white, blue and white, green and tan, tan and blue; new shades are apple green, citron, jade, old gold, mustard, rose, Russian green, taupe, grey, sand, putty and all shades of blue. See these Saturday.

Clearing of Wool Scarfs and Caps

About seven dozen of these, and they will have their final pricing tomorrow in order to make an immediate clearance. 11 only Brushed Wool Scarfs, emerald and emerald and 11 only in brown, cardinal, grey and khaki. Sale price 79c

CAPS, 29c AND 59c

prices 29c and 59c each Girls' Tub Dresses, Half-Price One table of Girls' Tub Dresses in good quality percale, print

Four dozen only Wool Caps, misses' and children's. Sale

and gingham, in sizes 6 to 14 years; this is a collection of slightly-soiled stock and will be cleared Saturday at just Half Former Price

At Toilet Counter. "FAIRY SOAP," renowned for its pure ingredients, ideal for the nursery bath or toilet; it floats..................5c cale "GIANT BUTTERMILK SOAP," original lavender odor. NAIL SCRUBS, fine Japanese bristles, natural or white 10c each EBONY HAIRBRUSH, genuine ebony, with hand drawn

French bristles, concave or straight back......\$1.25 each In the Basement.

Final Clearing of Graniteware Seconds. White Enamel Pails. Sale prices69c and 79c Pie Plates, two sizes. Sale prices8c and 10c Teapots. Special39c

And many other useful articles specially priced for Saturday.

HOSIERY Ladies' Fleeced Cotton Hose, made specially for those who cannot wear cashmere, soft and warm, seamless, extra !ine quality, spliced heel and toe; sizes 81/2 to 10. Price. . 35c pair Children's Fine Ribbed Fleeced Cotton Hose, warm and durable, good weight, seamless, spliced feet; sizes 7 to 10. Price Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere Hose, seamless, spliced heel and Ladies' Lisle Thread Hose in black, white or Mark tan, seam-

less; sizes 81/2 to 10. Price....35c pair, or 3 pairs for \$1.00

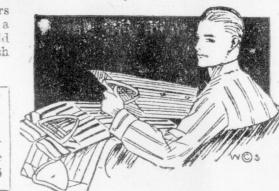
Ladies' Shot Silk and Wool Ribbed Hose, in biack sul colors

Or, per dozen \$3.35 MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS SATURDAY, 89c EACH

50 dozen Men's Negligee Shirts in neat assorted stripe patterns, fast colors and made full size, cuffs attached, all coat style; sizes 14 to 171/2. This is a spiendid lot of shirts and worth much more than the price asked. We would advise our customers to stock up with these shirts. Saturday sale price 89c each GET YOUR SUMMER SUPPLY NOW.

Men's Sweater Coats, \$1.95

Just 25 Men's Woolen Sweater Coats for quick clearance Saturday morning, in greys, blues and brown shades; sizes 38 to 42, good quality. Sale



Boys' Two Piece Suits, for Ages 10 to 16 Years, Price \$8.75

70 Boys' Two-Piece Suits, double-breasted and Norfolk style coats, bloomer knickers, with the new governor fastener at knee, in tweeds and worsteds, grey, brown and olive shades, also mixed tweeds and tartan patterns. These suits are very specially priced, being travelers' model samples. We were able to secure these at a very liberal discount, which enables us to give our customers such

Winter Overcoats for Young Men on Sale Saturday at \$12.75

Young Men's Winter Overcoats of extra good quality English tweeds, cheviots and chinchillas, made up in slip-on and pinch-back styles, also a few regular form-fitting styles. These coats are odds and ends from our very best stock, and will be cleared Saturday regardless of their former price;

SPECIALS
Served from 3 to 5:30 o'clock,
Cold Roast Chicken, Sweet Gherkins,
Bread and Butter, Cup of Tea.or Coffee 35c
Chicken and Tomato Sandwich, Cup
of Tea or Coffee 20c

60 Pairs of Men's Heavy Mitts and Gloves on Sale Saturday at 69c Men's Heavy Winter Mitts and Gloves, cape, buck and

horsehide, in tan, greys and natural shade, warmly lined throughout. This is a very special bargain, and it will pay you to secure a pair of these Saturday morning. All sizes in this lot. Sale price 69c pair