

Three Months and \$500 Fine Levied in Shooting Fray

Brantford Foreigner Who Attempted Girl's Life Sentenced

Lieut. Col. H. S. Osler Given Honor of C.M.G.

Had Previously Been Awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

Among the list of New Year's honours bestowed by Gen. Haig appears the name of Lieut. Col. H. Stratton Osler, who is given the honor of C. M. G. (Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George).

Germans Hand Over \$2,250,000 in Cash

Part of Payment Toward Expenses of Occupation Received at Coblenz.

Coblenz, Jan. 6.—Nine million marks (\$2,250,000) arrived here from Berlin to be turned over to the American army authorities as part of Germany's payment toward the expenses of the army of occupation.

Sale of Spanish Morocco to France

Paris.—The cession of Spanish Morocco to France in exchange for the cash consideration of one billion francs, the return of Gibraltar to Spain by Great Britain and the abandonment of Ceuta, Morocco, to Great Britain by Spain, are being openly discussed.

The Soldier's Stipend

During the trip across the Atlantic, every returning soldier is paid \$5 for spending money during the voyage.

HOG CHOLERA EPIDEMIC

A Baker, travelling inspector of the Health of Animals Branch of the Department of Agriculture, reports an epidemic of hog cholera.

Adelaide Farmer Suicides; Holds Shotgun to Head

NORMAN BROOK DIES BY HIS OWN HAND—REASON NOT APPARENT

Strathroy, Jan. 6.—Norman Brook, a well known and prosperous farmer living on the main road, Adelaide Township, committed suicide by blowing out his brains with a shotgun.

Died Aug. 8th; Parents Notified on Dec. 28th

Lieut. Gow Was Shot Down Within German Lines on July 31 Last

Kingston, Jan. 6.—Mr. John E. Gow, lower Union street, has received word that his son, Lieut. J. E. Gow, had died of wounds on Aug. 8th.

Children's Aid Fund Passes \$1000

Generous Response From Belleville Citizens Brings Total to \$1078.50

Table listing names and amounts contributed to the Children's Aid Fund, including Robert Campbell, L. Robertson, Bleeker Ave., 5.00, and others.

There also has been a renewal of the talk of the building of a tunnel across the Strait of Gibraltar.

Unemployment in Bavaria Continues, Fuel Situation Bad

ECONOMIC PROBLEMS ARE CAUSING MUCH UNREST

Thousands Are Idle—Workers in Munich to Leave City in Search of Jobs

Munich, Bavaria, Jan. 5.—The report of the demobilization minister for the past week shows that the economic situation in Bavaria has grown materially worse.

December Weather in 1917 and 1918

A Remarkable Contrast Between Temperature of Those Months.

The weather in this part of the world is very uncertain, but not more so than in human memory.

Bombs Wreck Residences

SERIES OF BOMB EXPLOSIONS IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—Federal and local authorities have been investigating the series of bomb explosions which wrecked the homes of Justice von Moenchleker, of the State Supreme Court, acting Superintendent of Police Mills, and Ernest T. Trig.

Great Show of Cheese

Exhibition Worth About \$12,000 Now Being Arranged in City.

MARRIED

Mr. Paul Taugher, a well known Belleville boy now living in San Francisco and Miss Mary Patterson were united in marriage at San Francisco on Dec. 14th.

French Official is Arrested on Charge of Losing Document

Paris, Jan. 6.—(Havas Agency)

Captain Georges Ladoux, former assistant chief of the intelligence bureau of the ministry of war, was arrested today and after hearing his accusation read by Colonel Gonnet, was sent to the Sante prison.

Where Great Emperor Died

Longwood, the Prison House of Napoleon, is Maintained Much As He Knew It.

Longwood Old House, the prison home of Napoleon, is about four miles from the capital of St. Helena.

Obituary

F. O. K. SPRIGGS.

Mr. F. O. K. Spriggs passed away in the Nicholls Hospital, Peterborough on Saturday after a short illness of pneumonia.

Say Mrs. Vernon Castles Engaged to T. Power

New York, Jan. 6.—It is reported that Mrs. Vernon Castles is engaged to be married to Tom Powers, of the Royal Air Force, but now appearing in "Oh Boy" in London.

Corbyville Distillery

Two Firms Manufacturing, One for Export, Other for Industrial Purposes

An important change has taken place at the distillery at Corbyville where former manager reported that Mr. Powers began to fly.

Gayly Attractive Wool Sets

We have at least one hundred Wool Sets composed of Cap and Scarf and Tam and Scarf to clear at this time—a great variety of color tones and pleasing combinations of these have been used.

Hand Knit Pure Wool Coats

If you are in need of a good Warm Knit Coat, now is the time to secure it. A great number of very attractive Knit Coats have been assembled for early clearance.

SINCLAIR'S

Britain Heads a Plan to Have International Labor Trouble Court

London, Jan. 4.—The British War Cabinet is considering a proposal which may have an important bearing on future labor questions throughout the world.

"It is certain," says the newspaper, "that the suggestion will be adopted and it is also certain it will result in an organization, as part of an active league of nations to prepare the way for international regulation of conditions of employment, which would be a death blow to sweating."

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SINCLAIR'S January Clearings PLUSH COATS -8 Only- Couple smart lines with excellent Plush and you will have an accurate idea of this charming Plush Coat display.

Prices Range: One at \$25.00, Two at 28.50, Three at 37.50. One at \$27.00, Two at 30.00, Three at 35.00.

KIMONAS 98c CORSETS \$1.50 To clear out this line of Cotton Velour Kimonas in flowered design and Empire style, we are selling them at 98c each.

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