

## OVERCOATS

An Abundance of the Best Styles

Really good overcoats are not plentiful in some stores this season. Far various reasons a number of dealers have found it difficult to get goods.

Far be it from us to exult over the other fellow's troubles, but we want to make it very clear that our overcoat assortments are good.

Ullsters, Slip-ons, Chesterfields, Belters and other models including some with fur collars.

\$20 to \$40.

Gilmour's, 68 King St. Soldier's first outfit at 10 p.c. discount.

## THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Jan. 13.—A moderate area of low pressure was in Saskatchewan last night and now is moving across Northern Ontario. The weather continues comparatively mild in the western provinces and has turned quite mild in Ontario and the temperature is rising from the Ottawa Valley to Nova Scotia.

	Mtn. Max.
Dawson	16
Prince Rupert	38
Victoria	38
Vancouver	40
Kamloops	30
Battleford	10
Prince Albert	26
Saskatoon	21
Regina	23
Moose Jaw	16
Medicine Hat	16
Fort Arthur	28
Perry Sound	38
London	14
Toronto	19
Ottawa	10
Montreal	12
Quebec	12
Halifax	8

Forecasts.—A Maritime-Southwest winds; fair and a little colder. Northern New England.—Partly cloudy and milder. Wednesday fair and colder. Fresh south-west winds.

## DIED.

MALL.—On January 10, 1919, Hazen Small, of Maces Bay, died 27 years, leaving to mourn his wife, father, mother, five brothers and two sisters.

LIS.—In this city on the 11th inst., Corrie Ames, beloved wife of Mr. Thos. Ellis, leaving her husband, three daughters and one son to mourn.

General on Tuesday, the 14th inst., from her late residence, 230 Sydney street. Services at 2:30 o'clock. (New York papers please copy.)

## IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of our late father, beloved wife of Wm. M. O'Leary, leaving her husband on January 14, 1917.

Husband and Family.

OLD STOMACH IS DANGEROUS

Often Followed by Serious Gastric Ulcers, Says Authority. Most Frequent Cause of Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Says Klean Stomach Sweet With Magnesia.

"Stomach trouble, dyspepsia, indigestion, sourness, gas, heartburn, flatulence, etc., are caused nine times in ten by chronic 'acid stomach'," says a well known authority.

Burning hydrochloric acid develops the stomach at an alarming rate. The acid irritates and inflames the stomach lining, and often leads to gastritis accompanied by dangerous stomach ulcers. Don't dose an acid stomach with pepper or artificial stimulants that only give temporary relief from pain by driving the sour, fermenting food out of the stomach into the intestines. The acid, which causes the trouble, remains in your stomach as dangerous as ever.

Instead, neutralize or sweeten your acid stomach after meals with a little water and Blasted Magnesia and it will only with the pain vanish but your stomach will digest naturally. There is nothing better to sweeten and settle acid stomach than a good magnesia. It soaks up the harmful excess of acid much as a sponge or blotting paper. It is safe, reliable, easy to use, pleasant to use, is not a laxative and is not at all expensive.

## FOR SALE

At once 100 tons No. 1 Oat Feed at \$1.50 per bag, some slightly damaged by water at \$1.25 per bag. Call, wire, or phone to A. Carson & Co., 103 Union street, West St. John. Phone W. 435.

## 50,000 DEPENDENTS CANADIAN SOLDIERS IN BRITISH ISLES

Number Includes Wives' Children and Other Dependents of Officers and Men—Will be Returned to Canada at Public Expense.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—Approximately fifty thousand dependents of Canadian soldiers overseas are in the British Isles at the present time, in addition to some 22,000 already returned to Canada, according to official estimates here.

Under the Government's policy, as announced today, these 50,000 will be brought to the Dominion at public expense. The number includes wives, children and other dependents of officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the Canadian Expeditionary Force still serving overseas.

In addition to this number, other dependents to the number of possibly several thousand, who have come to Canada since the signing of the armistice, and who have paid their own passage and railway fares, will have the money expended refunded by the Government, the new regulations being retrospective to that date.

Although full particulars are, as yet, unavailable, it is well established that by far the great majority of the 50,000 dependents still to come to Canada are the wives of Canadian soldiers married in Great Britain since the outbreak of the war, many of whom will see the shores of the Dominion for the first time when they come.

## CHATHAM FREE OF INFLUENZA

Newcastle and Chatham Curlers Engage in Combat Today for Highland Society Cup.

Chatham, Jan. 13.—The death from influenza, one of the men brought to the isolation hospital from Messrs. A. & R. Leggie camp on the Sevege, some days ago, died yesterday. The body was taken to Black River for interment.

Chatham and Newcastle curlers will engage in a land grapple tomorrow on no man's land in Chatham and Newcastle tomorrow, for the possession of the Highland Society Cup.

Chatham is officially declared free from influenza, the last patient having been removed today. The isolation hospital will close tomorrow. The disease throughout has been less severe here than in any part of the province, and with few deaths.

## NEW BRUNSWICK BOY HONORED

Moore's Mills, Jan. 13.—Friends of Captain Miles G. Brown, C. A. M. C., will be pleased to hear that he has been awarded the Military Cross for his good work at the battles of Cambrai, Arras and Amiens, during the war. He is now in England, where he is being treated for his wounds. He is the son of Mrs. Julia E. Brown, of Moore's Mills and the late Hugh McLeod Brown.

After graduating from Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., he enlisted in the Canadian Army Medical Corps and went overseas in 1916, and spent one year in hospital work in England. He crossed to France in July, 1917, and has seen much heavy fighting. Capt. Brown is surely doing his duty in the front line. He is now in England, where he is being treated for his wounds. He is the son of Mrs. Julia E. Brown, of Moore's Mills and the late Hugh McLeod Brown.

## LIQUOR ENQUIRY AGAIN ADJOURNS

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 13.—The Clement Commission of enquiry into the legal trafficking in liquor in British Columbia met this morning only to adjourn. Nothing further will be done in the investigation until a decision is handed down by Chief Justice Hunter, disposing of the contention that the commission has no power to compel witnesses to appear and give evidence.

## Sat Up in Bed To Get Her Breath.

Palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, inability to lie on the left side, feelings as if smothering, oppressed feeling in the chest, dizzy and faint spells, tired, weak, worn out feeling, involuntary twitching of the muscles, sleeplessness, restlessness, etc., all point to the fact that either the heart or nerves, or both, are not what they should be. Any of these conditions should be remedied immediately so as to avoid a complete breakdown of the whole system.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will bring energy to the weakened constitution, strengthen and regulate the heart, and tone up the tired, overstrained nerves.

Mrs. William Steeves, Chemical Road, N. B., writes:—I have been a great sufferer from nerve troubles and palpitation of the heart, which was so bad I had to sit straight up in bed to get my breath. I could not get on my left side at all. I tried doctor after doctor, also several different remedies, but got no help from them. My mother insisted on me trying Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. By the time I had used one box, I was feeling very much better. I took all three boxes, and now I am in perfect health and can enjoy a good sound sleep, and can lie on my left side without any trouble.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

## DEFAUDED WHILE HE WAS INSANE

Bangor Man Sues Firm for \$75,000.

Bangor, Me., Jan. 11.—The \$75,000 default suit of Walter B. Crossman against the Bacon and Robinson Company and others opened in the Supreme Court today, and will probably reach the jury some time Friday.

Crossman, now a Bangor wood dealer, was formerly a clerk and manager of the wood department of the Bacon and Robinson Company.

He alleges that on Sept. 1, 1915, while insane and suffering from melancholia and delusions, he was induced by the defendants to sell 20 shares of the 95 owned by him in the company at a price far below actual value and to give an option for a year on the remaining 75 shares he owned at the same price.

In November, 1915, he charges, while well known to the defendants, they demanded, it is alleged, that the 75 shares be transferred to them in accordance with the option, and that a transfer was made, the sum received from the whole transaction being \$35,000, which, as a matter of fact, the shares were actually worth \$47,000.

Crossman asserts that his condition at the time of these transactions was such that he was unable to understand the transfer of the shares and that he was through deceit and fraud on their part.

The defense is a general denial.

## WILSON IGNORES DUBLIN COURTESIES

"Curious Silence" of President Worries the Nationalists and Sinn Feiners.

London, Jan. 13.—The London Times Dublin correspondent says the Nationalists in Dublin, and especially the Republican party, make no effort to conceal their chagrin at what is described as President Wilson's "curious silence" in reference to the corporation's desire to confer the freedom of the city upon him.

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## KILLS HUSBAND TO SAVE DAUGHTER

Threats of Insane Father Were His Undoing.

Mineola, N. Y., Jan. 13.—A mother's determination to protect her 12 year old daughter from an "insane" father was declared here today by counsel for Mrs. Jacques Labady, now in jail, to be the reason she killed her husband, the millionaire "Emperor of Sahara," in their home at Westbury, Long Island, last Saturday night.

The lawyer, Harry W. Moore, said Mrs. Labady had told him that her husband had tried to force her to marry a man who was insane, and that she had killed him to save her daughter.

Labady had made repeated threats to kill her, she told the attorney. On the day of the tragedy the "Emperor" had furiously telephoned from New York city that he was coming home to "finish" her. When he arrived, he created a great commotion down stairs, opened all the windows, and emptied blinding coals from the fireplace onto the lawn. Later Labady, who was armed, came up stairs and attacked her, and in the struggle she followed, she shot him and "he fell dead at the foot of the stairs."

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## WANTS REVISION OF PENSION LAWS

President of G. W. V. A. Addresses Open Letter to Acting Premier.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 13.—In an open letter, forwarded this morning to Sir Thomas White, acting premier, Captain Rev. C. E. Jenkins, president of the Ontario G. W. V. A., calls for a revision of the pension awarded to disabled soldiers. The pensions at best are in many ways inadequate, Mr. Jenkins said, but when an attempt is made to reduce them or to cut them off entirely, and without any warning, it is time that an emphatic protest were made against such gross injustice. It has come to our knowledge of late that there has been such reduction and cutting off of pensions, not only of returned men, but of dependents of these men who have died the supreme sacrifice.

Spacious cases are then cited. For instance, a man whose lung had been penetrated and who had received \$74 a month, had been cut without warning to \$19 a month. A second man had two inches of bone removed from his leg since returning. His pension of \$35.40 for himself, wife and three children had been reduced to \$19 a month. In a third case, a soldier who protested against a cut in half of his pension of \$27.20 after thirty-one months service, was re-examined, and the pension was cut off entirely.

A mother whose son was killed in France had her pension cut off of entirely on the ground that she had income from other sources.

"It does seem most unwise at a critical time like this, when we are passing, to add to this unrest by the reduction in part or otherwise of the pension awarded to the returned soldiers by your government," the letter continues.

Prin. Peterson STILL SERIOUS

Attending Physician Does Not Give Very Encouraging Report.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 13.—Sir William Peterson, principal of McGill University, who suffered a cerebral seizure Sunday, is reported to have passed a good day today, but still is in a very serious condition. Dr. Dunsen MacCallum's report is as follows:

"Sir William Peterson has had a good day today. His general condition is better. He is, however, completely paralyzed, and it is impossible to tell from day to day in such a case how it may turn. He is taking nourishment and is conscious, having been so from the first; but he is still in a very serious condition."

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