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HEAVY FIGHTING AHEAD.

Having nothing to fear from Russia for some time to come, Germany and Austria are in a position to strike with redoubled energy on the British, French and Italian fronts. We may therefore expect much heavy fighting during the next few weeks.

PUBLIC UTILITIES.

It is one of the interesting developments of community life that public service corporations are never convinced that they are getting quite as large a return as they should.

ADDING NAMES TO ELECTION LISTS

In the province of New Brunswick the enumerators cannot add any names to the voters' lists except those of women as specified under the Military Service Act.



La Tour FLOUR DIRECT FROM MILL TO HOME AT MILL PRICES Per Barrel \$12.50 Per 1/2 Barrel 6.40 Per 1/4 Barrel Bag 6.15 Per 24 lb. Bag 1.60

Colonial CHRISTMAS Dainties

Split Colonial Cakes, use nut and cream, fruit or jam fillings and decorate the tops.

Give Seasonable Presents AT

Yule-Tide

What war-time gift, of the personal kind, could be more practical or appropriate than comfortable, serviceable footwear?



HEED OUR ADVICE!

Insist upon quality first always in the buying of table provisions. That is the secret of good health and true economy.

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LICENSE TRIUMPHS.

Boston, Dec. 4.—License forces won a decided victory over the opponents of the licensed sale of liquor by swinging four additional titles into the "wet" column in the eighteen municipal elections held in this state today.

CUT IN TWO BY TRAIN. Quebec, Dec. 4.—Leonce Bilodeau, aged forty-two years, superintendent of the shipbuilding plant of Quinlan and Robertson on the St. Charles river, was

most cut in two here tonight by a Canadian Northern Railway passenger train which he was attempting to board, and died a few minutes later.

Condition Unchanged. Belleville, Ont., Dec. 4.—The condition of Hon. Sir Mackenzie Bowell, who is critically ill at his home here, remains unchanged. There are now hopes that he will recover, in spite of his advanced age.

PARIS BREAD RATIONS. Paris, Dec. 4.—The bread rations has been officially fixed. Men employed in hard manual labor are allowed 600

grammes (about 11-13 pounds) daily and women 500 grammes. Men employed in light work will be permitted to have 400 grammes and women 300. All other men and women are to be allowed 200 grammes.

Official Announcement. London, Dec. 4.—It is officially denied that Dr. Christopher Addison, minister without portfolio in charge of reconstruction, has been offered and has accepted the post of minister of public health. No question as to the policy of the proposed ministry of health has been raised.

Foley's Stove Linings THAT LAST TELEPHONE MAIN 1601

A GREAT LEADER.

"As a nation we are united in spirit and intention. I pay little heed to those who tell me otherwise. I hear the voices of dissent—who does, not? I hear the criticism and the clamor of the noisy, thoughtless and troublesome. I also see men here and there fling themselves in impotent disloyalty against the calm, indomitable power of the nation.

Mayor Hayes presented the strongest possible argument in favor of medical inspection of schools, in his remarks at the Natural History Society last evening, when he told of the city's large expenditure on the county hospital.

In the meantime, the people will expect that any change in rates by the New Brunswick Power Company will be shown conclusively to be necessary to provide a reasonable return on a capitalization of proportions that are also reasonable and fair.

Lincoln's noble appeal comes to the Canadian people now as it came to the American people years ago, pleading for unity and patriotic service.—"With malice toward none; with charity for all; with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive to finish the work we are in; to bind up the Nation's wounds; to care for him who shall have borne the battle, and for his widow, and his orphan—to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves, and with all Nations."

When a Laurier Liberal tells you he wants to help the men in the trenches, ask him how he proposes to get the needed help without the Military Service Act. He cannot say he will get it by the voluntary system. That system broke down more than a year ago. How, then, will he get the reinforcements?

THE IDEA OF UNION GOVERNMENT IS GREATER THAN THE PERSONALITY OF ANY OF ITS CANDIDATES



In other words, to Win the War is the overwhelming reason for bringing together the strongest men of the Conservative and Liberal parties. That is what the electorate of Canada is being asked to support.

DON'T DESERT OUR HEROES AT THE FRONT VOTE FOR WIGMORE AND ELKIN BE A GOOD CANADIAN