TESTIMONIAL!

The White Clothing Mfg. Co., Ltd. Oct. 15th, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—We received your bill and the 59 Suits O.K. and let me congratulate you and the working people on the workmanship of the clothes.

I inspected the Suits and they were done to the "point." You can show this letter to your workingmen as they deserve it. I just came from the States and I consider the style and fit wonderful, and we can assure you that as long as we receive work as good as these you can be assured of our trade.

Hoping you will do all of our work like this, and thanking you very much,

I am, respectfully yours,

We received the above testimonial from one of our most particular outport merchants. We value his opinion and pass it on to our many customers.

Testimonies like the above have helped us to overcome the many difficulties essential to the starting of a new industry.

WORKMANSHIP AND VALUE

have been the main driving points in forcing us to the front after four months' operation as the

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THE WHITE CLOTHING MFG. CO., LTD.

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U.S. Troops Under Arms

Returning Miners Will be Protected From Violence--Roumanians Agitate for Republic--Hamilton Gaol the Scene of Bloody Tragedy -- Another Peace Pact to be Negotiated.

THE COAL STRIKE.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.

The battle-ground of the conflict over the new wage scale in the bituminous coal industry which was centered here during two weeks of fruitless negotiations to-day shifted to various fields in all sections of the country. Operators returning here to attempt to re-open their mines are ready to pay the 14 per cent. wage advance suggested by fuel administrator Garfield received the assurance of the Government that troops were ready to protect from violence any miners wishing to return to work. At the same time notice was served that failure of the operators to co-operate with the Government in restoring coal production to normal would result in federal control of properties. Federal District Attorneys having been instructed relative to proceeding against either operators or miners restricting the output of coal, the department of justice is simply awaiting developments.

WANTS ROUMANIA A REPUBLIC.

PARIS, Nov. 29.

A movement looking to the establishment of a Republic in Roumania which is under the direction of General Averescu, former Minister of War, and T. Jonescu, former Minister without portfolio, has spread to Bessarabia, Transylvania and Bukowina, according to a Bucharest despatch to the Oeuvre. The situation is said to be alarming for the dynasty.

ESTHONIA TO HAVE PEACE WITH SOVIET RUSSIA.

LONDON, Nov. 29.

The Esthonian Government has announced that peace negotiations with Soviet Russia will begin at Dorpaton, Tuesday next, December 2nd, according to a wireless despatch from Moscow to-day.

COMPULSORY TRAINING COMING.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 28.

Compulsory training is bound to come in Canada, according to a statement of General Sir Arthur Currie, Inspector General of Canadian forces, who is here on his way to Ottawa to assume his new duties.

FRANCE TO GET SUBMARINES.

PARIS, Nov. 29.

France is to get ten of the German submarines, the Supreme Council decided to-day in continuing its consideration of the allotment of German naval tonnage among the Allies. France is allowed this number of submersibles, it is explained, because during the war she was unable to build to the extent of the others of the Allies, her plants being devoted to making munitions for the use of all. The present understanding is that the remainder of the submarines will be broken up.

SCHOONER PICKED UP.

MONTREAL, Nov. 29.

A London cable to the Gazette that the schooner Marion G. Douglas has been towed into port after being found with boats intact and sails furled off Shipmen Head, Sicily Island. The crew were taken off by a Botwood lumber boat and landed at Botwood. Capt. Corkum advised that the schr. was abandoned in a sinking condition, with steering gear gone.

VICTIMS OF FOOTBALL.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 29.

Football claimed five victims during the 1919 season, which practically closed with the Thanksgiving Day games, according to reports to the Associated Press to-day. The number of deaths is the lowest in years.

METHODIST MINISTER UP ON FORGERY CHARGE.

GALGARY, Nov. 29.

To preach a sermon at Ardrossan on Sunday, forge cheques totalling seven thousand dollars at Calgary on Wednesday, make a sensational getaway by the use of clever subterfuges on Thursday, to be arrested at Edmonton and brought back to Calgary on Friday, is the chapter of sensational incidents which was crowded into the past week of the life of Duncan P. Cameron, former Methodist Minister, who reached the city last night to face forgery charges.

CONDEMNED MUKDERER RUN AMUCK.

HAMILTON, Nov. 29.

Running amuck in the corridor of Barton Street jail Paul Kowatski, condemned to hang for the murder of Amnot Tremluk, slew his death-watch, County Constable J. C. Springstead, and seriously injured four turnkeys shortly after ten o'clock this morning. The condemned man has been allowed to walk in the corridor near the death cell for exercise, and this morning when he was alone with the watch he leaped upon the unsuspecting man, throttled him to death and then hacked his throat with a sharpened spoon. Four turnkeys made a rush for the cell and were met by Kowatski with a knife in his hand. Arthur Audy, chief turnkey, was the first to reach the desperate murderer, and received a knife trust on his breast. Ex-Sergt Lawrie of the Hamilton Police Force was also stabbed, and William Berry, another turnkey, was slashed about the head. A warden grappled with Kowatski and threw him into the death trap.

S. O. S. CALLS.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.

Distress calls from the Trans-Atlantic steamer President Gran to-day announced there had been a boiler explosion aboard. No details were given nor was any statement made as to injuries.

EARTHQUAKE FELT.

PARIS, Nov. 29.

A slight earthquake shock lasting seven seconds was felt at 9.40 o'clock last night at Cannes, in Rivieda, it was announced in messages received here this morning. A heavier shock was experienced a half hour after midnight at Foeq at the foot of the Pyrenese. Only slight damage was done at either place.

ANOTHER CONFERENCE.

ROME, Nov. 28.

Vittorio Sicialo, Italian Minister for Foreign Affairs has left Rome for Paris, whence he will go to London to see Premier Lloyd George. On his way to Paris Signor Sicialo will stop off at Turin to meet the Greek Premier Eliphtherios Venizelos, and Nicholas Politis, Greek Foreign Minister, who are on their way to Rome to confer with Premier Nitti.

ALLENBY'S PROCLAMATION.

CAIRO, EGYPT, Nov. 24.

Field Marshal Viscount Allenby, British High Commissioner in Egypt, to-day issued a proclamation forbidding inflammatory speeches, and the circulation of documents, which have recently appeared threatening a general strike in the railroads throughout the country. The penalty is arrest and prosecution by the Military Court. The four prominent Egyptian nationalists, who were arrested for refusing to leave the city on the order of Field Marshal Allenby, have been released and have proceeded to nearby villages.

Points for the Cake-Maker.

A good cake should be light, fine grained, tender, and moist without being sticky.

If a cake is sticky, it is because it has not been sufficiently baked or too much sugar is used.

Bread flour may be used in place of pastry flour for cake making, provided two tablespoonfuls of cornstarch are substituted for two tablespoonfuls of flour in each cup.

Fine-grained sugar makes better cake than coarse-grained.

It takes one and one-third cups of powdered sugar to equal a cup of granulated sugar, and one and one-half cups of brown sugar to equal one of granulated sugar.

Eggs preserved in water glass or by other reliable method may be used in cake making in place of fresh eggs.

Egg-powders are successful in cakes containing fats, but in sponge cakes fresh eggs should be used.

One half of a cupful of chicken fat is equal to one half-cup of butter.

One fourth of a cup of butter plus three tablespoonfuls of lard equals one half-cup of butter.

Water in which potatoes have been boiled may be used as a suitable substitute for sweet milk in making cake.

Cake containing fruit must be baked very slowly because part of the fruit will be at the surface and if this is scorched, the flavor is spoiled.

When nuts are used in a cake a little less shortening is necessary.

If hot melted fat is added to cake batter, it makes it coarse in grain, rather tough in texture, and less light than it would be otherwise.

The object of beating egg-white is to entangle as much air as possible.

If egg-whites are beaten too long, they liquefy and do not hold as much air.

Origin of "Gone West."

The following is given as the origin of the phrase "Gone West." More than 3,000 years ago the ancient Egyptian spoke of the dead as "the Westerners," or those who had "gone west.' For the abode of the dead was believed to be in the realm of the setting sun, in that Amenti where Osiris reigned. This belief by the ancients in the soul going west has at least a reflection in the customs of some of our own North American Indians, who cherished the belief that their "happy hunting grounds" lay in the West, and who practised the custom of laying their dead away on well-provisioned scaffolds facing the west. The belief of the ancients died long, long ago with the religion of that far-distant time—died only to return to earth again during the Great War.

So quickly did the phrase become a part of the vocabulary of the soldier in the trenches that to-day it would be difficult to find a reading person in all the earth that does not instantly perceive its affectionate pathos.

Does Fritz Still Scheme?

(From the Boston News Bureau.)

Germany's losses in man power were considerably less than the combined losses of the Allies. Noske, the Minister of Defense, is maintaining all the standing army he dares, and is changing the personnel as often as possible, so as to form in Germany a body of trained men who have some service in the army. Bismarck did the same thing in the infant days of the German federation, and gave Austria a trouncing within six weeks with veterans of a year's service in a tiny standing army. Close observers long ago said that the war would be won in the East. The East is the single trade area open unrestrictedly to Germany. Russia is at her side, and permeated with Germanism. If Germany can whip Russia into line, draw from her huge stores of raw materials and use the manufactured product to capture the eastern trade, she will be as formidable as she ever was. . . . But the "large professional soldier" element in Germany would go, gladly (to war). And the rest of her manhood would follow, for she has everything to win and nothing to lose and a small, picked army might make excellent headway against weary, rebellious troops. Observers say that Germany never will pay any appreciable part of her indemnity, but will eventually refuse to do so. If she has by that time been able to tap the Russian food and raw material stores, the naval blockade would be ineffective. And, as they state, the Allies would probably not be able to take the field against them. Now is the time for a few clear-minded men to determine on such guarantees and precautions as will insure Germany's paying all she is able.

Canada Compliments Tyrwhitt.

(From the Toronto Globe.)

Canadians have a vivid and admiring recollection of the dashing exploits of Commander (now Admiral) Tyrwhitt during the war. Tyrwhitt was in the thick of several engagements as the Commander of destroyer flotillas. His flagship which earned the name of the "Saucy Arethusa," was the focus of German gunfire in the battle near Heligoland in August, 1914, and continued to fight with the only gun not disabled until the enemy fled. In 1915 the Arethusa torpedoed and sank the German armored cruiser Blucher, which had raided the English coast. Tyrwhitt's gallant ship was mined and torpedoed on February 14th, 1916, with the loss of eleven men. But she will live in the annals of the British navy, and Canada also has commemorized her and her brilliant Commander by conferring their names on two 9,000 foot peaks on either side of a pass in the Rocky Mountains in about latitude 50 degrees 36 minutes, and longitude 144 degrees 58 minutes. Acknowledging the tribute, Admiral Tyrwhitt wrote to the Secretary of the Geographic Board of Canada saying: "It is an honor I never expected and shall never forget." Tyrwhitt and Arethusa are names that for all time will stand in Canada high indeed!

Fads and Fashions.

All the frilly forms of neckwear are in high flavor.

Artificial flowers are seen on millinery and dress.

Fringe appears on the more novel coat sweaters.

Square necks and short sleeves put in an appearance.

Louis styles are adopted by young and slender girls.

Middy blouses of velvet are worn with plaid pleated skirts.

Copper, in metal threads, and tinsels are in great vogue.

When you order your next Barrel of Flour

Ask for "Victory."

You will then see how much better baking results you get.

Ten Thousand Barrels ON THE SPOT.

FRANKLINS AGENCIES, Ltd.

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Christmas Greeting Cards.

Our new Christmas Cards have all been opened up and we are now showing a wonderful variety of the newest and daintiest designs in Single Cards, Boxed Cards and assorted Boxes and Packages. A complete and comprehensive range at all prices—carefully selected to suit all tastes. Each Card is a Card that is sure to please.

Special Wholesale Prices.

Packages of Selected Leaflet Greeting Cards, at 17c., 30c., 45c., 55c., 60c. up to 90c. Package.

Assorted Boxes of Superior Cards, Artistic Designs, 25c., 35c., 65c., 70c., 90c., $1.10 Box.

Single Cards in Envelopes at 5c., 8c., 10c., 15c., 20c. up to $2.50 each.

Single Cards in Boxes, new and very pretty designs. Prices 25c., 35c., 45c., 55c. up to $2.00 each.

We have here also a splendid assortment of Christmas Post Cards at 30c., 45c., 50c. and 70c. per dozen.

SPECIAL.—Local View Post Cards, stamped "Christmas Greeting," 50c. per dozen.

GARRETT BYRNE,

Bookseller and Stationer.

BROWN TEAPOTS,

50c., 55c., 60c.

FOOT WARMERS $1.25, $1.50, $1.80.

DINNER SETS, $9.90.

Decorated Teapots,

$1.00, $1.10, $1.25

$1.00, $1.10, $1.25

White and Gold Cups and Saucers

35c. each

35c. each

G. KNOWLING, Limited.

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We offer our entire stock of

Ladies' & Children's Hats,

Fall and Winter Wear,

At a Discount of 25 per cent. for Cash

Items of Interest 'Round the Store

TAMS.
Ladies' and Misses' Coloured Velvet Tams in Black, Navy, Rose, Brown, etc. These are good value and excellent for school wear. Sale Price, each $1.68

LADIES' FLEECED HOSE.
We have just received another line of Ladies' Fleeced-line Stockings of desired weight. These are good practical Hose for winter wear. Sale Price, per pair .. .. 69c.

INFANTS' HOSE.
An odd line of Infants' Heavy Cotton Hose, sizes 0 to 3. These come in Black and Cream. Reg. price, 35c. per pair. Sale Price, per pair.. .. .. 30c.

FELT CRUSHERS.
Girls' Felt Crusher Hats in White, Navy, Black and Brown colors. There is no hat so popular for knockabout wear as the felt crusher. Sale Price, each .. .. 98c.

PRAM BLANKETS.
A special lot of Pram Blankets in either Pink or Pale Blue; has a soft wool-like appearance with a printed design. Neat for the pram or sleigh. Sale Price, each.. .. $1.70

Underwear Underpriced

MEN'S FLEECED UNDERWEAR
Here's a snap. Men's Fleeced Shirts and Pants at a price that should command your attention, because when these are all sold we shall have to pay what we are offering them to you for; 36 to 44 sizes. Sale Price, each $1.05

STANFIELD'S UNDERWEAR.
For men; all wool; the kind that gives warmth and comfort. We strongly recommend this line because of its popularity; sizes 36 to 40, shirts and pants. Reg. price, $2.75 each. Sale Price, per gar. $2.68

UNDERWEAR.
About 20 dozen of Ladies' Fleeced Vests in Cream colour. These are seconds, but are certainly worth the price. Sale Price, each .. .. 69c.

DIVIDED SKIRTS.
About 60 dozen of Ladies' Divided Skirts, made of heavy fleece. This lot was bought some time ago and are worth $2.20 at to-day's price. Sale Price, each $1.58

MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS.
About 6 dozen Men's Khaki Flannel Shirts, made of good strong material; a warm Shirt, a well made Shirt, and a Shirt that will stand hard usage. Reg. price, $2.60 each. Sale Price, each $2.28

MEN'S WINTER CAPS.
An excellent line of Men's Winter Caps in mixed tweed. These caps are fitted with sanitary ear bands, turned up on the inside when not in use. Sale Price, each $1.58

MEN'S SWEATER COATS.
Another lot of Men's Grey Sweater Coats. These are extra good value, and every working man should not be without one during the cold weather. Sale Price, each $1.90

GLOVES.
Ladies' Cream Fleeced Gloves with dome fasteners. These are a very good line suitable for present wear; they come in small, medium and large sizes. Sale Price, per pair .. .. 69c.

BOYS' SWEATER COATS.
In sizes 24 to 32. These come in Light Brown shade, are fitted with a snug roll-up collar. A fine Sweater Coat for cold days. Worth $2.50 ea. Sale Price, each .. $2.39

Store Opens 8.30 a.m.

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18 NEW GOWER STREET.

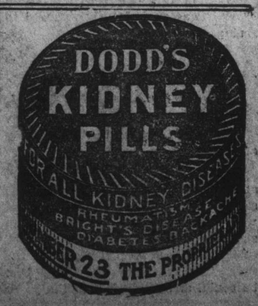
Store Closes 9 p.m. Saturdays 10 p.m.

Origin of Indian Summer

The following explanation of the origin of the term "Indian summer" is sent in by a correspondent:

When the Pilgrim Fathers landed in New England they naturally knew little of the climatic conditions of their new home. With October came the first flurries of snow. The frost nipped the woods, and the chill of the air foretold the coming of winter. "We will now have winter," it is related that one of the band remarked. But the friendly Indians pointed to the skies and to the west and told the Pilgrims that summer would come again before the winter. And they were right. In the last days of October it grew warm again. The air was filled with slanting sunshine. The world seemed wrapped in an atmosphere of sleepy warmth. The Pilgrims looked forward and remarked, "Lo, the Indian's summer."

Bead and metal girdles wind themselves about negligeees.

Nothing is better than leather buttons for sporting clothes.

Popular shades of yellow vary from citron to bu orange.