

Now Boys, It's Your Turn for Overcoat Bargains



Every Overcoat, Reofer, Slip-on or Topper goes on sale at cost price this week in our boys' department. We start taking stock next Monday, and wish to clear out as many lines as possible before 10 o'clock Saturday night.

- The prices will run about like this: Every coat of any style that has been selling at \$6.50 will go for \$4.50. Every \$7.50 coat for \$5.00. \$8.50 for \$5.75. \$10.00 for \$7.50. \$12.00 for \$8.00. \$15.00 for \$9.00.

Our best advice to every mother and father who reads this talk, is to buy your boys' coats for next winter now, because materials are going to be much higher then, while the coats we offer you today are from materials bought before the scarcity was felt, and the Prices are Right, and then some.

This is the time to make your dollar buy on both sides at

OAK HALL, Clothiers YONGE & ADELAIDE STS.

THE LUCKY CORNER J. C. COOMBES, Manager Open Till 10 Saturday Night

SOLDIER'S DOWNFALL IS BLAMED ON LIQUOR

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FIFTY ENLISTMENTS TO EACH BATTALION

Active Recruiting Opened for Highlanders and Q. O. R. Overseas Units.

PALS REGIMENT FILLED

Twenty-Nine Men Were Handed Over From Recruiting Depot Yesterday.

Recruiting for the 166th Queen's Own and 134th Highlanders Overseas Battalions started yesterday. A total of 135 enlistments were registered yesterday. The "Pals" Battalion were handed over from the depot yesterday.

Starts Poster Campaign

Big posters 9 by 21 feet in size, will be a feature of the Highlanders' campaign. The posters will be put up today.

Now Ranks As Col.

Major Geo. C. Royce, raised yesterday to rank of Lt.-Colonel, and who is now commander of the big allied enemy camp at Farnborough, North Ontario, left Toronto for his new post last night and took 86 men with him who will guard duty there.

Looking for Quarters

The military authorities are negotiating about obtaining quarters for the Carriage factory on the Don Esplanade

and the Crown Building, corner of King and York streets, with a view to housing the 123rd Grenadiers and 124th "Pals" Battalions in them. It is definitely decided upon the buildings can be fitted up to accommodate the soldiers inside of a week.

Hamilton Battalion Officers. Appointments of the following officers to the 120th Battalion (Hamilton), Lt.-Col. Fearman, O.C., was officially approved yesterday afternoon. To be lieutenant-colonel, G. M. Leslie (13th Regt.), W. R. (1st Regt.), J. D. T. (1st Regt.), G. M. Matheson, J. H. Morwick, J. F. Precious, H. C. Beckett (all of 15th Regt.), M. C. Roberts (12th Regt.), A. E. P. Palmer (13th Regt.).

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MEMBERS GAZETED TO MILITARY STANDING

Several Conservative M. P.'s Take Active or Honorary Offices in Forces.

CANADIANS PRAISED

Striking Tribute to Princess Patricia by Brig.-Gen. W. E. B. Smith.

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—Dugald Stewart, Conservative M.P. for Lunenburg, is gazetted major in the 12th Canadian Infantry Corps of the Canadian Militia.

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YORK COUNTY UNALTERABLY OPPOSED TO INSURANCE MERGER

Speakers at Annual Meeting of Association Eulogize Policy of Sir Thomas White.

The annual meeting of the York County Liberal-Conservative Association, held in McPherson's Hall, East Toronto, yesterday, the anniversary of the birth of the late Sir John Macdonald, was not largely attended, but in all other respects eminently successful.

HOUSE BADLY DAMAGED BY BLAZE IN KITCHEN

Residence Owned by Union Stock Yards Scene of Fire Yesterday Afternoon.

Commencing at 2:30 p.m. yesterday a fire started in the kitchen of a residence owned by Union Stock Yards, which was badly damaged. The fire was extinguished by the fire department.

WOMEN'S TRAINING CORPS HONORS SERGT.-MAJOR

Lieut.-Colonel Galloway Also Recommended for Services to Women's Home Guard.

Sergt.-Major Hunt, an old resident of the Barisford district, and the popular drill instructor of the Women's Volunteer Training Corps, formerly known as the Canadian Women's Home Guard, was recently made the recipient of a high honor by the War Office.

Asleep Up at the Crossing

When Does Aid. Ball Intend to Have the Mount Pleasant Bridge across the Bell Line? Mount Pleasant Cemetery started to let it go over another year.

TURK ATTACK CHECKED BEFORE ALLIES SAILED

Embarkation at Dardanelles Nearly Disastrous When High Wind Arose.

accurate, and it is probable that the evacuation will be completed by the night of the 7th was fine, the evacuation and operations were quiet and successfully continued.

TO ENLARGE EDIFICE

Silverthorn Anglican Church Finds Present Accommodation Inadequate.

COUGHS ARE DANGEROUS

USE TAR AND SUGAR TO GET QUICK RELIEF. Coughs and colds are dangerous because, if neglected, they so frequently lead to more serious complaints.

IRISH RIFLES LOSE OUT TO NORTH TORONTIANS

One of the most keenly contested rifle matches ever held in the city was that between the North Toronto Rifle Club and the Irish Rifle Club at the armories last night.

THEFT OF DRESS ALLEGED

Else Smith, no fixed address, was arrested yesterday by Detective Guthrie on a charge of stealing a dress from Ruby Watson, 185 Simcoe street, with whom she formerly lived.

WAR SUMMARY: Today's Events Reviewed

(Continued From Page 1). allies accomplish their object, for the purpose of seizing a strategic position is to force the opponents to fight or retreat. In such manner numerous Germans who are driven to fight are out of action.

Sir Charles Carmichael Monro in a supplementary report describes operations at the Dardanelles in the few hours before the British and French troops were embarked. The withdrawal was started none too soon, for a high wind arose and swept away some of the piers.

The Russian official report of yesterday has nothing further to record of the fighting in Bessarabia. It is reported that a heavy fall of snow and cold of twenty below zero have held up operations. At any rate the Russians won a big success on the Stripa.

Having failed in their first invasion of Montenegro, the Austrians have brought up large reinforcements and are making vigorous and violent attacks on the Montenegrin army under clouds of asphyxiating gas.

The capture of Mount Lovcen by the Austrians removes a danger to the Austrian naval base of Cattaro. The Montenegrins had taken this height and they could have reduced this fortress to a mere island.

It is expected that the rift in the lute of the British coalition ministry will be repaired today at a conference between the Laborite leaders and Premier Asquith. It has been found that public opinion in England and Scotland strongly supports the government measure of compulsion, and the objectors to the step are bowing to the storm.

The statement given in parliament that the recruitable population of Ireland was around 562,000, of which under 100,000 have so far enlisted, confirms previous estimates that the total military material of a country, excluding the unfit, is around 10 per cent. of the population.

John Redmond has won over the Nationalists to the support of compulsory service in the army for single men. Sir Edward Carson in supporting the measure in the house of commons said that the Dardanelles had been abandoned because the country had not enough men to carry through the enterprise, which was "an admirably conceived undertaking."

Col. Blood, military expert of The Quarterly Review, has made an analysis of the operations at the Dardanelles, as described in the despatches of Sir Ian Hamilton, prior to the last one, and concludes, which he supports by evidence, is that the sole reason for failure was the sending of an inadequate force. Promising advances could not be pushed home owing to the insufficiency of reserves. Reinforcements were sent in dribbles and so they were of little use. The root of the trouble was insufficient pre-war preparation.

The Anglo-Italian relief expedition in Mesopotamia is still held up by bad weather at Sheik Said, 20 odd miles from Kut-el-Amara. The Turkish forces has retreated to a point six miles to the east of Kut, where it was tracked by British cavalry. The Turks were defeated in the same positions that they now occupy by General Townshend in September. The relief column is opposed by a Turkish force of an estimated strength of 60,000. Troops have been forwarded at a rapid rate to the zone of the Persian Gulf, so that the British force of 70,000 in the spring has been increased to about a quarter of a million. The Turks around Kut are still in superior numbers.

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