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The firm of J. & T. Bell, Ltd., of Montreal, have been manufacturing Fine Footwear for Men and Women for over a century, which in itself is a reputation enjoyed by few, if any, other Shoe manufacturers in Canada. We have had control of their sale in the City of St. John for nearly thirty years, and this year find their line even better than before and invite your inspection of their Shoes for Fall wear.

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HOSPITAL IN THE AIR

(London Answers.)

Our American allies are perfecting an adequate first-aid system whereby many valuable lives may be saved in connection with aviation.

This system will probably be adopted by our own air forces, for use both at home and abroad, and we may soon expect to hear of good work of this description being done at the front. Special airplanes are kept constantly in readiness, equipped with a compact "first-aid" outfit, and a doctor occupies the observer's seat. A skilled pilot waits beside the machine, ready to ascend with his "medical passenger" without a moment's delay.

The "flying aid-post" is ready for any emergency. The pilot and the physician are stationed close to the machine which is ready for instant flight, the engine being treated every half-hour or so in order to obviate delay through starting troubles. Look-out men are posted at various positions whose duty it is to keep a watchful eye on any planes which may be operating in their vicinity.

At the slightest sign of a machine falling, or descending in trouble, they immediately telegraph their information to headquarters, stating whereabouts the machine may be expected to land. On receipt of this information the "aerial hospital" sets out at once for the scene of the accident, ready to offer medical assistance, if such assistance should be required.

A fire-engine and an ambulance wagon follow by road, with the result that the unfortunate flying-man receives every form of assistance in an incredibly short space of time, after his accident.

The importance of this "quick help" system cannot be over-estimated. First-aid on the spot will doubtless be the means of saving the lives of many airmen.



MEPHISTO BRAND Devilled Tongue

Will help to reduce your house-keeping bills. Not a luxury but nourishing food at very moderate cost.

The problem of "what to eat" is solved by ordering from your grocer a couple of tins of Mephisto Brand Devilled Tongue. It is prepared by those clever French chefs who made such a success with Paris Pate, and is so economical that you will be surprised. A tin will provide a delicious luncheon for four or five people at a cost of 25c—a substantial saving over ordinary cooked meats.

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War Canning Bulletin

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TIME IS SHORT.



Illustration by courtesy of National War Garden Commission, Washington

The sand is falling in the hour glass as the empty jar waits for the house-keeper's attention. Old Father Time moves on and cuts the garden crop with his scythe. Before so very long the leaves will be tumbling in the air, and the garden will be but a skeleton of its former self. The time to can is now.

Plan to make good quantities of apple butter and apricot sauce this year, for they will mean a great saving of butter during the winter months. To make apple butter take one bushel of apples to eight quarts of sweet cider. Cover and boil until tender. Rub the pulp through a strainer and cook thirty minutes longer. Then measure. For each gallon add eight cups of sugar, eight teaspoons ground cloves, eight teaspoons ground cinnamon. Stir and boil twenty minutes longer. Fill into jars and seal with paraffin.

Food Board Flashes For Feminine Folk

AA good deal has been said about fish that is cheap and fish that is good, and a good many people like to imagine that it is always cheaper somewhere else than just where they live. Figures provide convincing testimony, however. Here are comparisons between prices for cod and haddock in American and Canadian cities—

	Cod	Haddock
Halifax	8	8
Gloucester, Mass.	16	18
Montreal	10	10
New York	22	27
steaks, 16-18, (whole 16-18)		
Ottawa (market)	10	11
Washington (steak)	18	12
Washington	18	12
Toronto	10-11	10-12
Buffalo	20-25	15-16

DIDN'T WANT CARUSO FOR HIS SON-IN-LAW

Park Benjamin Says He Refused Singer's Plea For His Daughter's Hand

The Wedding a Surprise—Based Opposition on Difference of Ages, Nationality and Temperament

Park Benjamin, father of Dorothy Caruso, who was married last week to Enrico Caruso, noted singer, said at his summer home that the marriage had come to him as a great surprise, for he had absolutely refused his permission when the tenor asked him for his daughter's hand. He said that Caruso had been spending week-ends at his home, and had come to him to ask for his daughter's hand.

"We talked the matter over amicably," continued Mr. Benjamin, "and I supposed that with my refusal the matter was closed. My daughter went to New York and I heard nothing more of the matter until somebody called me on the telephone to tell me of the wedding. It was neither my daughter nor Mr. Caruso who called, but I assure you that I was completely surprised.

"My objections are of a kind that can not be overcome. They are based upon the difference in ages and the fact that they are not of the same nationality. Moreover, the singer is a man of temperament. I did not want my daughter to marry a man of such a volatile temper, but just a man. However, she is a mature woman and Caruso is forty-five, therefore the match can not be ascribed to me. I was completely surprised.

"As for the singer's past that the newspapers have raked up, that makes no difference to me. The incidents related occurred when he was a mere youth. Since then he has become the world's greatest singer, and he has reached that position as the result of the very hard work and so he has had no time to do anything but lead the best kind of life.

"You ask me whether my daughter and son-in-law will be received here by my family. I can hardly answer for the whole family. The whole thing was so extremely precipitate that we haven't had time to think, but the thing is done now and can not be helped, so we shall probably make the best of it. There is no mystery as to why we did not go to the wedding. We were not asked."

In his apartment at the Hotel Knickerbocker, Caruso talked freely of his marriage and seemed to enjoy immensely the bustle and to-do connected with the enlarging of his suite to eight rooms. While he talked and laughed and told of what his friends had written to him in congratulation, the hotel men were moving in new furniture, his secretaries were answering telephone calls, receiving telegrams, and meeting callers. Caruso showed a stack of 150 telegrams which he and his wife had received, among them being congratulations from General Guglielmo of the Italian Military Commission, from Amato, Gatti-Casazza, and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt.

"I met Miss Benjamin," said Caruso, "at a tea party and reception given two years ago at the home of Dr. P. M. Marafioti. I have seen her at various times since then, but we were not engaged until six months ago. When we decided to be married, we felt that any extravagance in the way of presents would be out of place. As I am scheduled to begin work it will be impossible for us to take a honeymoon, so we shall continue to live here for some time. We would take our honeymoon later if that were possible, but you know a late honeymoon is not a honeymoon at all."

In the meantime Mrs. Caruso arrived in their automobile after a shopping tour. She was unwilling to talk of her

First Showing of New Art Needlework

The articles mentioned are all Stamped for Embroidery on good materials. We are also showing a number of Finished Models to show how your work will look when made up. A few are mentioned below:

Nightgowns	\$1.75 to \$2.10	Sweater Bags	\$2.85
Combinations	\$1.65	Apron Bags—Natural or Blue	\$1.50
Canning Aprons	\$1.25	Knitting Aprons in Blue	\$1.65
Aprons in Blue, Pink or White	70c. to \$1.65	Luncheon Sets	80c. to \$5.00
Fancy Knitting Bags	\$1.40 to \$2.10	Child's Aprons	65c.
		Hot Roll Covers	40c.
		Collar and Cuffs	50c.

We have a complete stock of Floss, Silks and Crystal Rope, Mercerized Thread, etc., for Crochet Work, Embroidery Cottons and Thread; also Books of Instruction for Yokes, etc.

NEEDLEWORK DEPARTMENT—ANNEX

WEEK-END BARGAINS IN Boys' School Suits

FOR BOYS 9 to 18 YEARS OF AGE

We are offering for Thursday, Friday and Saturday only a large range of Boys' School Suits at exceptionally low prices. Many of our most popular patterns are shown in all the favorite models and fabrics. Every garment in this display is made to stand the "rough and tumble" wear of every-day school life, making this sale doubly interesting to thoughtful parents.

Regular Prices, \$ 8.00 to \$ 8.75	Sale Price, \$3.90
Regular Prices, \$ 9.00 to \$ 9.75	Sale Price, \$7.50
Regular Price, \$10.00	Sale Price, \$7.95
Regular Prices, \$11.00 to \$12.00	Sale Price, \$9.20

Many of These Suits Have Extra Bloomers

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT—SEE OUR WINDOWS

Bamboo Furniture

The Natural Bamboo, as brought to our country from the warmer zones, has a very hard and smooth surface, which is artistically decorated with heated irons, and skillful workmen fashion it into useful pieces for the home, such as

TABOURETTES OR PLANT STANDS at	\$1.85, \$2.10 and \$2.25
BOOK SHELVES to stand on floor at	\$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$4.25
SMALL TABLES at	\$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.50 and \$5.85

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THE RIDDLE OF THE SEA.

(London Opinion.)

The Germans know now that the Allies can shut them out of the civilized world by refusing to supply them with raw materials and by refusing to open the seas to their trade. They cannot live by taking in each other's washing. They must get out in order to live. Even if they were able to crush France and Italy, they would still be confronted with the sea-riddle. They know that Britain and the United States can hold the sea against them. They know that without the opening of the sea-gate they are doomed.

Without the sea Germany has no future, and she knows it. Liberty is the supreme high explosive. It will blow the German dream of world domination to atoms. Liberty is the mine under the Kaiser's throne. When it is exploded

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Dorothy Blakney and George Stewart were united in marriage in Moncton yesterday by Rev. W. H. Barreclough. They will reside in Moncton.

It is rumored in military circles that at least some of the Class "C" men under the Military Service Act are soon to be called for garrison regiments.

A novelty shower was tendered Miss Doris Strong last evening at the home of Miss Mildred Daye, 17 Hammond street. Miss Strong is to be married at an early date.

Rev. W. D. Wilson, chief liquor inspector, left the city last evening. He said that he had not yet made any appointment to fill the vacancy following the resignations of sub-inspectors Crawford and Ross.

Y. W. P. A. members, headed by Miss Ross, gave an entertainment in the St. James' street Military Hospital last evening under the auspices of the Red Triangle Club. A. M. McLeod was chairman. Misses Irvine, Grant, Baynton and Ross and Mr. Spencer took part.

On Monday evening at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Shaw members of the Girls' Circle Soldiers' Comforts Ltd., presented to Miss Mary Milligan, who is going to study nursing at the Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal, a beautiful bound copy of the Rubysat of Omar Khayyam.

Official word has been received at military headquarters that leave of absence will be granted to all Jewish soldiers in the C. E. F. from sunset of Friday, September 6, until sunset of Sunday, September 8, to allow the Jewish soldiers to celebrate their New Year. Leave of absence will also be granted for their "Atonement day," beginning on September 13 and ending on the following day.

There will be no more Kaiserism. I expect that explosion. May it come this year!

FOR MARRIED MEN ONLY

When your razor is dull as a hoe, ask your wife if she won't part her corns. Get her Putnam's Corn Extractor. It's the only painless and safe cure. All dealers sell "Putnam's" at 25c. per bottle.

I HAVEN'T GIVEN MUCH.

(Douglas Malloch.)

I haven't given much—have you?
A dollar here, a dollar there;
I may have bought a bond or two,
As good as any anywhere.
The Red Cross, I was in on that
And tried my little bit to do;
But, though I always came to bed,
I haven't given much—have you?

I know that many other men
Have given vastly more than I,
And I could give again, again,
Yet not as much as those who die.
Today our liberty survives
Because of what these others do;
For they have given what their lives;
I haven't given much—have you?

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