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## New Year Greetings.

We take this opportunity to sincerely thank our patrons for the generous amount of business we have done during the past year. The year 1918 will doubt bring its new problems, but we shall continue to exert every effort to keep the stocks of this store up to the high standard we have always maintained. We shall continue to make every effort to provide values that will continue to emphasize the value-give everyone of you a very successful and very Happy New Year.

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#### WOMEN'S FLEECE HOSE.

An extra fine quality that will stand lots of hard wear, finished with soft fleece lining, and has a ribbed garter top. You should purchase more than one pair of these as you will surely pay a higher cost later. Sale Price, per pair . . . . . 37c

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We have a line of Ladies' Wool Gloves, to which we call your special attention. In this line we can give you either White or Black. All sizes in either colour. Sale Price, per pair . . . . . 53c

#### WOMEN'S WOOL SWEATERS.

In Rose, Orange, Fawn, Sage, Green and most of all the bright colors. In spite of this fact, they are not necessarily "loud". Their collar and cuff form the proper color contrast so as to avoid the extreme; very pretty ideas in belts and pockets. Prices \$4.50 to \$7.00 each.

#### MEN'S WIDE END TIES.

Serviceable silk stripes and fancy designs. Nothing but high grade materials are used in the manufacture of these. Sale Price, each . . . . . 49c

#### BOYS' SWEATERS.

Every boy likes to have a sweater when skating or sliding. These are just the kind that will protect him from the coldest weather. They pull over the head and buttons on the shoulder. To be had in Sage, Brown and Green colours; assorted sizes. Prices from \$1.15 to \$1.30 each.

#### MEN'S WINTER CAPS.

Be prepared for the frosty weather, we are sure to have it before long, by being provided with a fur band Winter Cap. Here is a Cap that will give you the utmost for your money; all sizes. Sale Price, each . . . . . 87c

#### CAP AND SCARF SET.

The Woolen Scarfs are much more practical than the old-time mufflers, because they are equally as desirable for street as well as for outdoor wear. Very soft wool, assorted shades, with cap to match. Sale Price, per set . . . . . \$1.50

#### WOMEN'S RUBBERS.

High and low cut Rubbers for women. These are an odd lot of first quality Rubber Shoes that we wish to clear. To be had in high and low heels. Reg. price 90c. per pair. Sale Price, per pair . . . . . 82c

#### CURTAIN MUSLIN.

A most attractive assortment of dainty Curtain Muslin in White and Cream, edged with a neat lace and hem. These will make your windows look bright and cheerful. Prices from 25c. to 28c. yard.

#### MEN'S SWEATER COATS.

A line of Men's Sweater Coats in Grey and Brown only. These are made from a mixture of wool and cotton, and are of a very heavy make. We invite you to see this line as they are sure to please. Sale Price, each, \$2.50.

#### WOMEN'S FLEECE VESTS.

These are Cream colour, long sleeves, with a fleece lining. We urge all customers to buy as many of these Vests as they have need for, as this price will be raised in a few weeks. Sale Price, per garment . . . . . 48c

These didn't attempt to attack at close range. The anti-aircraft defences around Mannheim appeared to be strong and brought one of our machines down which was last seen descending under control. In addition, one of our observers was wounded but reached home safely. Haze and mist added to the difficulties of the operations, some of the towns in the Rhine Valley being completely covered.

#### GUATEMALA DESTROYED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. Guatemala City, the capital of the little Central American Republic of Guatemala, has been laid in ruins by a series of earthquakes, beginning Christmas Day and culminating last night in violent shocks which completed the work of destruction. A cable to the Navy Department today says 125,000 people were in the streets without shelter and that a number were killed by falling walls. Naval ships in Central American waters have been ordered to the straits on city to render all possible assistance. The following in the despatch which brought the news of the disaster: Bad shocks yesterday finished the work of the earthquake. Everything is in ruins beyond description. As a result of last night's shocks 125,000 people are in the streets. Parts of the country are very cold, and winter tents are needed badly. Quite a number were killed by falling walls. The shocks probably occurred between 5 and 7 o'clock last night. Earthquakes have been prevalent in Guatemala since the day after Christmas, when shocks were general throughout the republic. With each recurrent shock the damage to Guatemala city, capital of the republic, has grown more extensive. Last Thursday it was reported that from ten to forty had been killed in the disturbance of previous days, whilst despatches Friday and Saturday said 80 per cent of the city had been demolished and that thousands of people were homeless. Martial law had been declared and good order was said to be prevailing. Guatemala has been the scene of many disasters as the result of earthquakes. Since the settlement of the country in 1522 there have been more than fifty volcanic eruptions and three hundred earthquakes. The original Guatemala city was destroyed in 1542 by an earthquake above the sea level. In the great square stood the old vice-regal palace. The capital is the centre of trade of the entire republic, which consists in the manufacture of muslins, cotton yarns of fine texture, articles of silver, and embroideries.

#### BRITISH LABOR CAMPAIGN.

LONDON, Dec. 30. The British labor party is taking steps to follow up its campaign for the solidarity of the workmen of the Entente allies in which a beginning has been made by the French and British labor organizations in framing their war aims. The next action contemplated is an assembly of the inter-Allied Labor Conference. The views of the American Federation of Labor will be invited as a conference without American participation would be useless. The Central News says at Friday's Conference between Premier Lloyd George and the Labor leaders, the Premier made it clear that any proposal that the British labor put forward can be dealt with by the allied governments only as a whole. Lloyd George said that as far as Britain was concerned there would be no separate peace, and he emphasized the understanding between the Entente powers that peace was impossible while the militarys ruled Germany. The Central News concluded that the negotiations that are proceeding between Premier Lloyd George and the Labor Party over the government's programme to obtain more men for the army are regarded as highly important. The Premier is asking for the cancellation of exemption of certain class of labor which the "Asquith" Government gave the

#### THE MANNHEIM RAID.

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## New Year Gifts FOR ALL.

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### NEW GAMES of Every Description

Yacht Race, Airship Race, Old Maid, Robinson Crusoe, Whirlpool, Steeplechase, Leap Frog, Messenger Boy, and many others.

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duced. It was then intimated by the government that events might make the withdrawal of exemption necessary. The Laborites now are disposed to urge upon the government the acceptance of their war aims on the platform as the price of acceptance of additional conscription.

#### BELGIUM'S ATTITUDE.

LONDON, Dec. 30. The Belgian Minister at Petrograd is credited by the Exchange Telegraph correspondent there as having declared the German peace proposals to be unacceptable. A return to the Status quo ante bellum wouldn't solve a single problem of the war in the minister's opinion. He added, the despatch says that the proposed terms failed to indicate any means for the prevention of future conflicts or for the removal of the causes which brought on the present war. As for the indemnification of Belgium, the Minister pointed this out as having been promised by the Allies.

#### RUMORED ABDICATION OF KING FERDINAND.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 30. There are persistent rumors here that King Ferdinand of Roumania, has abdicated in favor of Crown Prince Charles.

#### GERMAN SUBS. CAPTURED.

BOSTON, Dec. 29. Four German submarines were captured recently by twelve American destroyers, according to an American seaman who reached his home here from a French port. The seaman, a former Boston newspaper man, was aboard a troopship at a French port recently, he said, when the destroyers steamed in with their prizes. The submarines were on the surface, with their conning towers open during the process of recharging their batteries when the American destroyers

oners without a fight. While the transport was still at the French port, the seaman said, a German U-boat entered the harbor with a white flag flying from her periscope. The enemy crew explained that they had been lying in wait for the troopship in the open sea, and when they failed to find her and the supplies ran low, the crew mutinied, killed the commander and decided to surrender.

#### CIVILIZATION AND BARBARISM.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. Speaking within forty-eight hours after receipt in this country of the Kaiser's latest peace terms, Secretary of War Baker declared last night that the war would not end until all danger of a triumphant barbarism had been removed, and until civilization had defeated savagery. He brought prolonged cheers when he said, "I have no doubt of the outcome of this war; it would be irreligious to doubt. The war may be long or short, I cannot tell. I have no means of knowing, but civilization will win against barbarism."

#### RUSSIAN COMMENT.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 29. The Investita, the organ of the Workmen and Soldiers' Delegates, dealing with the peace proposals of Count Czernin, says, "without attaching too much value to the concessions in principle made by the Central Powers, let us look for the result in the acute economic crisis and discontent among the masses of the Central Powers. These conditions allow us to hope for a democratic peace." The Pravda considers that the refusal of the Central Powers to discuss the question of nationalities, which were not independent before the war, as an international question, proves they are afraid to examine into the question of the position of these nationalities from the point of view of the right of nations freely to

Pravda adds, "how can they bring forward the questions of Courland Poland and Lithuania, which from their point of view ought to be regarded as questions of the internal life of Russia?"

#### PAN-GERMANS ANGRY.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 29. Pan-German newspapers angrily condemn the peace terms of the Central Powers. The Tagliche Rundschau, of Berlin, says: "Never before have we given up so completely everything so dearly bought with the blood of hundreds of thousands, with the sweat of millions, with the depredations of our children and with our own hunger." The Deutsche Zeitung says that the Entente has won the greatest victory of the war, and that diplomatists have destroyed all that has been fought for. The Koelnische Zeitung, on the other hand, regards the peace conditions as opening the road to a peace advantageous to all sides.

#### ALSACE NO OBSTACLE.

LONDON, Dec. 30. According to an Amsterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co., Dr. Richard von Kuehlmann, German Foreign Secretary, is expected to reach Berlin to-day on his return from the peace negotiations. He is to be received immediately by the Emperor and after that will probably visit Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's headquarters. The pan-German papers, says the despatch, ask their readers to kiss the Foreign Secretary when he arrives in Berlin for betraying Germany's army. Maximilian Harden asserts that Alsace can't be considered an obstacle to peace.

#### ARGENTINE TO THE RESCUE.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 29. It has been announced that the Argentine Government has arranged to sell the Entente Allies 2,000,000 tons

## War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

#### TURISH ADVANCE IN JERUSALEM.

LONDON, Dec. 30. A British force has made another considerable advance in the neighborhood of Jerusalem, the Turks being driven back on a thirteen mile front.

#### ITALIAN ADVANCE IN PALESTINE.

LONDON, Dec. 30. (Official.) General Allenby reports that his troops continue to drive back the enemy and have advanced their lines to a depth of about two miles. The advances have given us the high ground near Jerusalem and one mile north of the Jericho road, Anataerem and Haddis, the last two respectively, on the west of the Naballa road and on the north of Jerusalem.

and Betunia. Irish troops met considerable opposition which they overcame in spite of the difficulties of the ground. Although the enemy is falling back generally, the rough ground and mountainous nature of the country makes pursuit slow and difficult.

#### GERMAN ATTACK REPULSED.

LONDON, Dec. 30. The Germans made an attack last night northeast of Ypres. It is announced officially that the enemy was repulsed completely. Following the activity of his artillery northeast of Ypres reported yesterday evening carried out a local attack against our position in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Staden railway. The attack was completely repulsed by our fire. A hostile raiding party was driven off during the night north of Passchendaele.

#### FIGHTING NEAR CAMBRAL.

LONDON, Dec. 30. There was heavy fighting to-day south of Cambral. The Germans made a strong attack on a British

about two miles, according to Field Marshal Haig's report from headquarters to-night. They succeeded in gaining a footing at two points, but later were ejected in part by British counter attacks.

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