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Pure Linen Handkerchiefs

Our immense assortment of all kinds from the medium to the finest quality, assures customers, no matter what their requirements are in this line, a most complete choice for Christmas giving.

Ladies'—
Plain H. S. Pure Linen, \$2.00 to \$6.00 per dozen.
Initialed, assorted letter designs, \$2.50 to \$6.00 per dozen.
Embroidered in great choice of designs, 20c, 25c, 30c, 50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$1.50 each.

Gents'—
Hemstitched, pure linen, \$3.00 to \$12.00 per dozen.
Initialed, assorted letter designs, \$3.00 to \$6.00 per dozen.
Hemstitched, with assorted colored hems, \$6.00 per dozen. Also cream silk Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, etc., at assorted prices.

H.S. Initial Towels
Pure Linen Huck with neat script letter surrounded by damask wreath, \$4.00 per pair.
Also Hemstitched and Initialed Guest Towels at \$1.50 and \$1.75 per pair.

Embroidered Towels
Fine quality pure Linen H. S. and embroidered Guest Towels at \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50 per pair.
We also carry a fine stock of Guest Toweling suitable for Christmas fancy work or initialing in 15, 18 and 20 inches wide.

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Size 22 1/2 x 36 inches, hemstitched and hand-embroidered, in choice variety of designs, 20c, 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, 60c and \$1.00 per pair. These will make an acceptable Christmas gift.

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A fine choice of handsome hand-embroidered designs in single, three-quarter and full sizes, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00 to \$30.00 per set.

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HELPING TO MAKE THE WORLD HAPPY

Rotary Club Give Christmas Treat to Soldiers' Children.

Anyone who thinks the world is not getting better ought to have been at the Christmas dinner and tree given by the Rotary Club for the soldiers' children who are in the soldiers' aid commission hostel on Avenue road. Seventeen little ones enjoyed the treat to the utmost. W. H. Alderson, the president, told how for several years a woman at the King Edward Hotel had taken an interest in a lot of children and provided them with a Christmas tree. "But she is gone," he said, "and I have here 46 pathetic little letters from kiddies all over the city, addressed to her here and begging that they may not be forgotten this Christmas. Who will take care of these? The writer is not forgotten!" The rush for those letters proves beyond all doubt that, at least, the members of the Rotary Club are helping to make the world better. Not one of the 46 children will be left out when Santa delivers his parcels Christmas morning.

All the police are not on strike, for there was a huge red-haired policeman on duty at the dinner. There was also a wonderful big dog that jumped over the tables and was generally very bad. The big policeman had all he could do to keep the dog and the clowns in order, and the gales of laughter from the little folks proved that he labored not in vain, altho many remarked with sympathy for the dog on his heavy coat. Not one child was forgotten, and not once, but many times did Santa Claus call each little name. Miss Wardlaw, the superintendent of the hostel, was not forgotten, the R. S. Williams Co. giving her a victoria and records. F. McElrath gave two grand toboggans for the children's use, and Queens gave two lovely sets of furs for two little girls.

Bigger Children.
After the children left to dream about the turkey and mince pie, and the dog and Santa, the big children started their fun. A concert was given by artists present, among whom was Mrs. Alderson, the president's wife. At the conclusion a beautifully rendered solo, W. H. Shaw, on behalf of the Rotary Club, presented her with a sheaf of Killarney roses.

W. A. Peace toasted the boys overseas, and the response was given by the crowd rising and singing, "Praise God from whom all blessings flow." The toast to the King and the ladies was given by the chairman, the latter being responded to by Ralph Cornable, who said he preferred the broader term, women. Horace Brittain spoke on the work of the new federation of community service, saying that in the six weeks since the offices had been open there had been 48 meetings held. He referred to the start that the Rotary Club had given to the Neighborhood Workers' Association when they granted \$5000 for relief work at the time of the "flu" epidemic. He said 2000 cases had been helped and that a great impetus had been given towards the general work of social service in the city. Frank Goforth made an appeal to the Rotarians to lend their cars to take the returning soldiers, wives and children to their homes when the trains came in. Dancing took up the rest of the evening.

Elect Harper for Alderman Ward 3.

THE WEATHER

Metropolitan Office, Toronto, Dec. 20, 9 p.m.—The weather has continued fair today in nearly all parts of the Dominion, and for the most part comparatively mild.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 10 below, 4 below; Prince Rupert, 25, 30; Victoria, 40, 42; Vancouver, 40, 44; Kamloops, 22, 32; Calgary, 14, 28; Edmonton, 8, 24; Medicine Hat, 16, 28; Fanny Bay, 28, 30; Moose Jaw, 14, 28; Winnipeg, 6, 24; Port Arthur, 34, 38; Fanny Bay, 28, 30; London, 28, 40; Toronto, 30, 35; Kingston, 26, 40; Ottawa, 14, 24; Montreal, 20, 38; Quebec, 14, 30; St. John, 18, 40; Halifax, 16, 40.

Probabilities.
Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—East to southeast winds; mild, and becoming showery.
Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence Valley—Easterly winds and mild, showers at night.
Lower St. Lawrence—Fair and comparatively mild.
Gulf and North Shore—Moderate winds; fair and comparatively mild.
Maritime—Moderate westerly winds; fair and comparatively mild.
Lake Superior—Increasing easterly winds; mild, with occasional rain.
Manitoba—Local snow, but mostly fair, becoming a little colder.
Saskatchewan and Alberta—Fair, and somewhat colder.

THE BAROMETER.

Time.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.
8 a.m.	32	30.06	1 N.E.
Noon	31	30.02	2 N.E.
4 p.m.	34	30.02	2 N.E.
8 p.m.	34	30.02	2 N.E.

Mean of day, 32; difference from average, 8 above; lowest, 30; highest, 35.

RATES FOR NOTICES.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, not over words... \$1.00
Additional words, each 2c. No notice to be included in Funeral Announcements.
In Memoriam Notices... \$1.00
Poetry and quotations up to 4 lines, additional... \$1.00
For each additional line or fraction of a line... 25c.
Cards of Thanks (Bereavement)... 1.00

DEATHS.

GREENWOOD—At Orillia, Ont., on Friday, Dec. 20, of pneumonia, Walter Kendall Greenwood, B.A.S., eldest son of Russell Greenwood, of 118 Bedford road, Toronto, aged 37.

Funeral private, at Orillia, Ont., on Friday, Dec. 20, 1918, at 2 p.m., from the residence of John H. Kelly, leading man of the Bell Kings Egyptians in Africa, in his 25th year, and beloved husband of Georgia Jackson of London, Ont.

Service at A. W. Miles' funeral chapel, 222 College Street, on Sunday, Dec. 22, for London, Ont., U.S.A.

LUNEY—On Tuesday, Dec. 17, at Ontario Government Hospital, Orpington, Kent, England, Private Thomas William George and dearly beloved son of Mrs. Luney, only and dearly beloved son of George and Anna Luney, of 96 Shippin avenue, Toronto, in his 22nd year.

OSTRANDER—On Dec. 20, Albert Clarence, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Ostrander, 312 Western avenue, in his 28th year.

Funeral service at the above address Saturday at 4.30. Interment on Sunday at 2.30 from Shelburne to Honeywood Cemetery.

PEEK—On Friday morning, Dec. 20th, 1918, at his residence, 274 Palmerston avenue, Sarah Peek, beloved wife of Charles Peek, and mother of Miss A. Wismer.

Funeral from above address on Monday, Dec. 23rd, at 3.30 p.m. Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

PALMER-ARROWSMITH—On Friday, Dec. 20, 1918, Melissa Palmer, beloved wife of Alfred Arrowsmith, age 70 years, mother of Mrs. I. Cook, Spokane, Washington; Josiah, Levi and H. S. Palmer.

Funeral from Harry Ellis' private chapel, 333 College street, Saturday, Dec. 21, to Prospect Cemetery.

VICKERS—Suddenly, on Thursday, Dec. 19, 1918, James Vickers, age 58 years.

Funeral service at L. W. Truitt's funeral chapel, 751 Broadway avenue, today (Saturday), at 3.30 p.m. Interment in Norway Cemetery. (Motor funeral.)

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NEW DEMOBILIZATION VENTURE

A new department in connection with the soldiers' civil re-establishment will be started shortly in Toronto with a new demobilization officer in charge. Representatives of the organization will form a connecting link between the men and employers, obtaining work for the former. They will keep track of the soldiers for months after they are discharged in order that a veteran may never be out of work.

PHONE NUMBER, MAIN 4600.

In the program of Christmas and New Year's entertainments to be given at the King Edward Hotel from Christmas eve to Saturday, Jan. 4, the telephone number of the hotel was given as Main 4600. This, of course, should have been Main 4600.

CASE WAS DISMISSED.

The first appellate court at Osgoode Hall yesterday dismissed the appeal of Thomas Strothers, the Corporations of Goderich and Kincardine, and the Townships of Ashfield and Huron against the Toronto General Trusts Corporation, for money paid out by defendants in connection with the Ontario West Shore Railway Co.

ACTOR DIES SUDDENLY.

John H. Kelly, age 35, leading man of Bilkins' Egyptians in Africa, which played at Loew's Theatre last week, died here yesterday from pneumonia. He is survived by his wife Georgia Jackson, who lives in London, Ohio, where the body will be shipped on Sunday.

A PAIR OF BREACHES.

A fine of \$200 and costs or three months' imprisonment was imposed on William Grant for a breach of the O.T.A. Sgt. Rogers said that when arrested Grant admitted having broken into a delivery office on Wednesday night and getting liquor there.

50,000 CLUB TO CONTINUE UNTIL MARCH 1ST

Members Are Asked to Keep Up Fees Until That Time.

In order to fulfil the obligations assumed by this club, it is necessary that all payment of dues be continued until the first of March. The soldiers' wives and dependents who are benefited by this organization are still as much in need of assistance as ever, and will continue to be so until such time as their soldier-father or husband can come home and take care of them.

For this reason all members of the 50,000 Club are earnestly requested to keep up their club dues and make payments as promptly as possible. Members not being called on by the collector are asked to kindly send their dues or notify the Fifty Thousand Club office, 51 Yonge street, Telephone Main 4162.

CITY ITEMS

The secular teachers of the separate schools seem to be quite optimistic as to the outcome of their threatened strike for, raising in wages. However, it is not likely that the teachers will have to go to such extreme measures, as everybody, including the finance committee, seem to be in sympathy with them.

Miss Helen Grindley, stepdaughter of Bishop Reeve and daughter of Mrs. Reeve, has arrived home after two years' V.A.D. service in England.

The annual Christmas festival of the kindergarten in connection with the Normal School took place yesterday, when a beautiful free, laden with gifts made by the boys and girls of the school, was on view. The gifts were presented to the many friends and relatives who enjoyed the closing exercises.

Lady Ross Chapter, I.O.D.E., with Mrs. W. H. Barker as convener, gave a Christmas Eve, musical program and dance at Pearson Hall last evening, to the blinded soldiers, three of whom came from outside points, Whirly and St. Catharines, about 60 were present, including the Young Women's S. O. S. Club, and among others assisting were Mrs. S. W. French, Ottawa; Mrs. V. Heron and Ernest Cadwell.

With reference to the deputations which appeared before the United Farmers yesterday, claiming to offer from the Theatrical Mechanics' Association and asking for funds to help the police in their strike, S. G. Meredith, secretary of the Toronto local of the association, made a statement to The World last night, in which he says that the association is purely a fraternal one, and that no accredited deputation from his association is making any appeals for the police fund.

The Central Council of Ratepayers will hold a public meeting at the Central Y. M. C. A. on Monday at 8 p.m. for the purpose of hearing the candidates for the board of control and mayoralty.

Motor-Car Representatives Ask Removal of Excise War Tax

Ottawa, Dec. 20.—Representatives of the organized automobile industry of Canada waited today on Hon. Sir Thomas White, acting prime minister, and Hon. J. A. Maclean, acting minister of trade and commerce, to urge that the excise war tax on automobiles be removed. The tax was imposed in the last budget. It amounts to ten per cent. on automobiles, applicable to all imported into or manufactured in Canada and unsold on April 30, 1918.

LONDON AIRMAN KILLED.

London, Dec. 20.—After knocking the loop near the Ratriop, Aldrome, Essex, yesterday, Lieut. Thomas B. Simpson of London, Ont., attached to the Royal Air Force, was seen to dive toward a wood. His dead body was found later under the smashed machine.

Amusements.

Councillor PETER WRIGHT

at Oakwood Theatre
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Follies of the Passing Show—By Mitchell

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KAMERADS
The seasonable game of hide and sneak

Municipal Candidates Present Platforms at Beaumont Hall

At a meeting at Beaumont Hall, West St. Clair avenue, headquarters of the G.W.V.A., candidates for the mayoralty, W. H. Shaw, Thos. Foster, M.P., and John O'Neill, for controller, J. H. Gibbons, Fred McBrien, G. A. Archibald, Sam McBride and Bob Cameron; for aldermanship, J. H. Ballantyne, Brook Sykes, W. Manley, A. J. Nesbitt (on behalf of Donald MacGregor), and George Birdsaw, presented their platforms.

Comrade L. G. Gardner presided.

FIRM TURKEY PRICES.

Brantford, Dec. 20.—Turkeys were sold at the usual price of forty cents per pound this morning, and it was stated that if the price is to come down there will have to be an importation from northern districts, where the Christmas fowl is more plentiful.

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