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Why have hundreds of the keenest business men in Canada been wearing 20th Century Brand clothes for years? And some of them millionaires! Simply because they buy clothes as they buy anything elsethe most and best for their money. . . Conservative styles for business and professional men, and smart styles for young men. 100 per cent. value, plus guaranteed fit and excellent tailoring. Send for il-Iustrated style book-free.

> SUITS, \$40 to \$20 OVERCOATS, \$75 to \$20

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In Buying Your Winter Overcoat or Suit at Dowler's

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OVERCOATS WITH QUALITY, STYLE AND VALUE

You can't economize by price alone. You must consider the quality, combined with style, which makes our overcoats so attractive. You can get a better coat here at whatever price you wish to pay, and you can select your style from the largest variety of styles, fabrics and patterns ever assembled by any one firm in Western Ontario. Exceptional values at \$13.50, \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$28.50, \$30.00, \$32.00, \$35.00, \$38.00, \$40.00, \$45.00, \$50.00, \$65.00 and \$75.00.

DOWLER STORES' SPECIAL BLUE

\$22.50 close price \$30.00. Pure wool, fast dye,

full weight, blue twill, will not shine, in several made models, to fit any type, young men's, men's, stouts, longs and a splendid range of short men's sizes. beck



The Biggest SUIT Values

THIS IS A SWEEPING CLAIM, but we are prepared to back it up to prove it to your satisfaction. Try to duplicate our values, compare these suits with those sold elsewhere at the same or higher prices, keep an eye on the fit and tailoring, the advantage of buying here will be a revelation to you. Every new fall and winter style in nifty young men's and men's suits is shown here in fa brics and patterns of almost every description, selected by expert buyers. Indisputably we show the best suit values in Canada at \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$30.00, \$32.00 and \$35.00. Also at \$13.50, \$15.00 and \$16.50.

English Melton Overcoats

Featuring special values at \$16.50, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00. Every size in Chesterfields for dress and big warm double-breasted and ulster styles, mid and dark greys. We certainly show some wonderful values that are not duplicated in Canada. High grade Kilmartin Ulsters, \$35.00 to \$75.00 shown by Dowler stores in Western Ontario.

BELT ALL 'ROUND **OVERCOATS**

\$16.50, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30.00

An elegant showing of these snappy styles for the young men.

Auto Driving Ulsters, \$11.65

380 Men's Heavy Solid Wool \$18.00 quality Auto Ulsters, double-breasted, two-way collar. Purchases at a clearing bargain, where cash was "short" and clothing "long," 36 to 46. This is undoubtedly the best bargain in Ontario.

You'll Find Interesting Values IN OUR ENLARGED BOYS'

DEPARTMENT

BOYS' SUITS, \$4.57

All sizes, 26 to 34, splendid quality, pleated, sewn-on BEST STOCK OF BOYS' SUITS in Western Ontario, and with the war prices, most of the cloths were contracted for over a year ago. Special values at \$3.78, \$4.57, \$6.00, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$14.00 and \$15.00

BOYS' HOSE

BOYS' SWEATERS

Sweater Coats and Jerseys, we have lots of them.

BOYS' SKATER REEFERS The Popular Winter Coat for Big Boys and

Little Chaps. "Some variety," you'll say so when you see them; all new models, new belt effects, new pockets, new fabrics, excellent values,\$5, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10 to \$12 We plunged on these coats and now show the greatest stocks in Western Ontario.

BOYS' OVERCOATS

Here, too, you'll find some real pure wool fabrics, with lots of style, at very moderate prices. \$2.48, and any



Underwear Specials

Dowler Stores Special Natural Wools\$1.00, \$1.35, \$1.50, and extra heavy, \$2.00

Wool Fleece-Lined Shirts and Drawers 65c and 85c Union Shirts and Drawers, fall weight......590

\$6.50 Silk and Wool Combinations, 34 size only\$4.80 Boys' Combination and Two-Piece Underwear

Irousers MEN you should see the values we are offering in splendid Trousers. Travelers tell us they are not splendid Trousers.
equalled in Canada.

\$5.00 English Hair-Line, winter weight, handsomely tailored trousers, mid and dark grey in color. Special \$3.75 \$4.00 English Worsted Finish Trousers, 5 pockets and belt loops and cuffs if required\$2.85 Very special lines at\$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00

GLOVES Cape, Mocha, Kid, Suede, Buck, Scotch Knit and Llama All the new lines are now in.

CASHMERE SOCKS

135 dozen Pure Wool Cashmere Socks; worth today 75c, In our reserve stockrooms we have over ten thousands pairs of Men's Socks bought at last year's prices.



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sweaters, socks, gloves, handker-chiefs, etc. Come in and let out

LONDON ST. THOMAS WINDSOR

LAON IN SIGHT AS FRENCH PUSH **SMASHES ALONG**

Eyewitness Describes Glorious Victory of General Petain.

GREAT WORK OF TANKS

Monsters Rolled Into Enemy's Lines, Wiping Out Nests and Compelling Surrender.

American Training Camp in France, Thursday, Oct. 25—(By the Associated Press).—Major-Gen. Sibert, returning from around Soissons, where he witnessed part of the French offensive on the Aisne front, said that the French losses had been extremely small because of the effectiveness of the artillery preparation. He and the other American officers were enthusiastic over the im-

With the French Armies in France, Thrusday, Oct. 25.—By the Associated Press.—The French have reached the Alsne Canal, and Laon, eight miles away, is in sight. Following up the victory of Thursday, the French today took Monkey Mountain, east of Vaux-aillon, the village of Pinon and the forest of the same name, as well as the village of Pargny-Filsin.

Certain demoralization in the German command is shown by contradictory orders found on prisoners. The question is asked whether another retreat is intended.



demonstrating the power and accuracy of the French artilery. Not an inch of ground hereabouts had been left untouched. The cavern has galleries about one kilometer in length, with many exits, most of which had been greatly damaged by the French guns. When the French infantry dashed forward with the entrances warily, and found them the first of the disaster to the disaster to the army of the Germans while the entrances warily, and found them the first of the disaster to the

threw up their hands, while the remainder bolted, only to fall beneath a hail of machine gun bullets from the monster.

Left Many Guns.

Today the French advance proceeded rapidly, and the units reached the various objectives with regularity. After taking the village of Pinon, the patrols went forward and entered the forest of the same name. They found many German cannon abandoned, but with the breach-blocks gone. Dead horses killed by the German gunners lay beside the cannon. The Germans had found it impossible to get the weapons away over the marshes adjoining the Aisne Canal, over which most of the bridges had been destroyed, making the retreat of artillery impracticable.

Hundreds of machine guns were captured by the French, and many of them were turned on the fleeing Germans, who had left plenty of amunition behind. It is reported that 150 cannon have fallen into French hands, but the number is uncertainty applies to the condition of the battlefield and its width. The same uncertainty applies to the total number of prisoners, hundreds of Germans being encountered on all parts of the field marching wearily back to the French lines.

See Towers of Laon.

The sight of the towers of the cathedral of Laon on the horizon a few miles away spurred the French soldiers to wonderful efforts of endurance and swiftness of movement. They went on determinedly in pursuit of the Germans, leaving parties behind to clear out cellars and caverns, which disgorged hundreds of demoralized prisoners, who seemed astounded at the vastness of their defeat.

With all this severe fighting on a battlefield where the Germans held strong positions, and where they accepted the challenge of the French casualties were remarkably low.

French Jubilant.

The French troops of all branches are jubilant over the victory. The artillery, infantry and airmen mutually raise each other's work. One colonel commanding a regiment which partielly pated in the battle at its hardest point, the was a stand cannot yet be foreseen. What is known now is that t

Advanced Social Step Is Announced Offi-

LONDON. Cet. 28.— Concurrently in the first purpose a would from a greater plant of the forest of Pinco and Land and Lan

CORRESPONDENT.]
WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, Oct. 25 .- The French victory of Tuesday northeast of Soissons is still being extended. Monkey Moun- year. tain east of Vauxaillon village, and

lery has been very active during the course of the last two days. On the 24th more than twenty enemy batteries were subjected to our destructive fires; numerous observatories and enemy works were violently bombarded. Barrage fires by our artillery and machine guns were carried out on the same organizations, while during the night the fires of destruction continued, On October 25 our aviators gave efficacious aid to these various operations."

ELMA TOWNSHIP PATRIOTIC LEAGUES DOING GREAT WORK

Reports of Various Branches Much Work of Russians Ren-Show Year Has Been Busy One.

ATWOOD, Oct. 25.-Following is the PETROGRAD, Oct. 25.-It is consid-

FOE RETIRES TO POSITION THAT

Withdrawal to Depth of Miles Is Thus Explained by Critic.

dered Useless; Must Be Done Again.

McKellar, of Muirkirk, will also be financed to the Meirini farm on the Little Jaegel without encountering the enemy. In their retreat the Germans destroyed all buildings and ruads, and blew up the bridges, have been observed in some sectors in the Drinsk region.

"Baltic Sa—Enemy attempts to fraternize have been observed in some sectors in the Drinsk region.

"Baltic Sa—Enemy attempts to land a small detachment in the region of Tomba, eight miles south of Werder, were repelled by the fire of our coast-guard detachments."

MELSINGFORS NOT MENACED.

There has been no naval action in the Baltic or in the Guif of Finland during the last two days. The Russian fleet is

guarding vigilantly the entrance to the Gulf of Finland.

It is not believed that Helsingfors is menaced by the German successes in the Gulf of Riga. No measures of evacuation have been taken, except that the families of officials have been advised to leave the Finnish capital owing to the scarcity of provisions.

WILL HOLD RIGA OVER 1,000 MEMBERS 15 SECURED FIRST DAY FOR WOODSTOCK CLUB

SHORTENING BALTIC LINE Big Drive Goes On Again Today for 5,000 Objective.

WOODSTOCK, Oct. 25 .- The "big drive" for membership in the Wood stock "5,000" Club was commenced by thirteen teams of canvassers, who expect by Friday evening to have carried ATWOOD, Oct. 25.—Following is the report handed to Mrs. Geo. E. Cox. ered in well-informed military circles of business in the city. The blowing of secretary of the Atwood (Elma Centre) that the object of the German with- all the factory whistles announced the for 35 years, and his statement will be Patriotic Society, which includes the drawal beyond the Dvina is so to manuguration of the campaign at 9 whole township's report for the past change the defence of Riga as to make o'clock this morning, and tonight a its recapture impossible. The enemy partial report from the teams showed Atwood (Elma Centre)—From Sept. is also shortening his Baltic front by approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years," continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years," continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years," continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately a thousand member-period of four or five years, continued approximately approximately approximately approximately approximately approximately approximately ap

WILLIAM NESBITT SAYS HE COULDN'T WORK FOR MONTHS

Had Dizzy Spells And Would Fall to the Floor, He Declares.

HE HAD NO ENERGY

'I Never Miss a Day From Work Now, '- He Says-Tanlac Restored Health.

"It gives me genuine pleasure to tell Nesbitt has been a resident of Toronte